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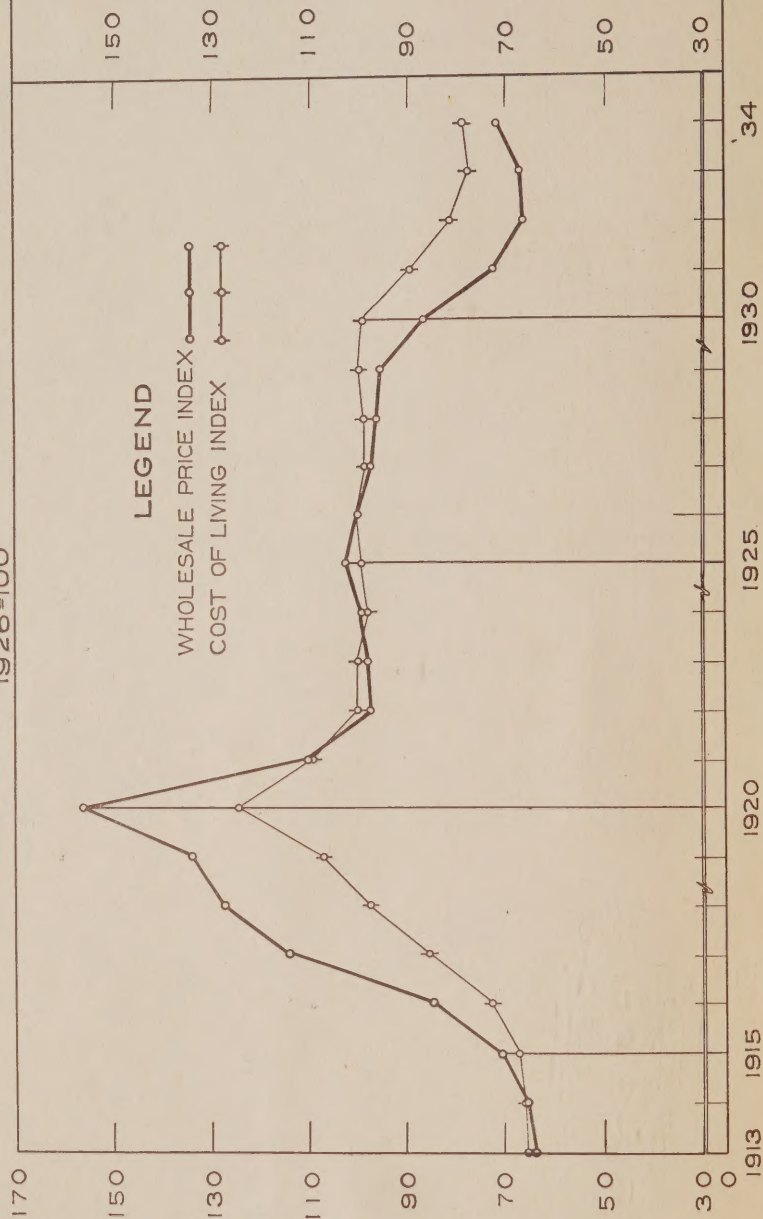






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## PREFACE

This report, the thirteenth on the subject of Prices and Price Indexes issued annually by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, deals chiefly with the year 1934, but data are included for earlier years, in many instances back to 1913. In the case of wholesale prices, annual index numbers are available back to 1867.

The report includes statistics of domestic and foreign wholesale and retail prices, security prices, bond yields, rates of exchange, prices of services (including hospital services, street car fares, electricity, gas, telephone rates), interest rates, and import and export valuations.

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## THE COURSE OF WHOLESALE PRICES, 1867-1934

Price levels were high in 1867 following the American Civil War and the Austro-Prussian War of 1866, and rose again in 1872 after the Franco-German War.

From 1873 to 1897, a period of declining prices occurred, marked by a notable disparity between the growth in the world's supply of gold and commodities. It was also a time of disputes and political unrest in debtor communities, culminating in the case of the United States, in the free coinage of silver dollars in 1896.

Following the discoveries of new gold fields in South Africa and the cyanide process of recovering gold from low grade ore, the world supply of gold increased, with the result that the general trend of prices was upward from around 1890 until the outbreak of the Great War. In consequence the index on the base 1913=100, rose from a low of 75·6 in 1897 to 102·3 in 1914. From 1915 prices climbed at a progressively increasing rate to a peak of 243·5 in 1920, due to the combined influence of monetary inflation and scarcity of commodities. Then followed a drastic collapse which caused the index to drop to 152·0 in 1922 and with the exception of a minor recovery, which reached a maximum of 160·3 in 1925, the trend of prices was thereafter steadily downward until 1933. In 1930 this movement was accelerated, and the index fell from 149·3 in 1929 to 135·3, and then to 112·8 in 1931. Still further recessions in prices in 1932 brought the index to 104·2, the lowest level since 1914. The first rise in eight years advanced the annual number fractionally to 104·8 in 1933. This upward movement continued throughout 1934, causing the general wholesale price index to mount to 111·8.

Table II shows the yearly movements of Canadian wholesale prices from 1867 to date, with the year 1913 taken as the basis of calculation. Succeeding tables of a summary nature, covering various periods from 1890 forward are given on this base also, adjacent to the same data upon a 1926 base. Of these, Table IV, showing the movement of prices by groups from 1890 to 1934 is the most comprehensive.

TABLE I—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1867-1934\*

(1926=100)

Unweighted		Unweighted Weighted		Unweighted Weighted		Weighted	
1867.....	85·1	1884.....	64·4	1901.....	54·1	1918.....	127·4
1868.....	82·4	1885.....	59·3	1902.....	55·2	1919.....	134·0
1869.....	81·0	1886.....	58·1	1903.....	55·6	1920.....	155·9
1870.....	79·1	1887.....	58·8	1904.....	55·7	1921.....	110·0
1871.....	79·7	1888.....	59·9	1905.....	56·2	1922.....	97·3
1872.....	86·9	1889.....	59·3	1906.....	54·0	1923.....	98·0
1873.....	85·7	1890.....	59·5	1907.....	54·2	1924.....	99·4
1874.....	82·6	1891.....	58·5	1908.....	58·6	1925.....	102·6
1875.....	77·3	1892.....	55·2	1909.....	58·5	1926.....	100·0
1876.....	74·6	1893.....	55·2	1910.....	58·5	1927.....	97·7
1877.....	73·7	1894.....	51·6	1911.....	60·2	1928.....	96·4
1878.....	66·8	1895.....	51·0	1912.....	60·8	1929.....	95·6
1879.....	64·7	1896.....	48·7	1913.....	63·7	1930.....	86·6
1880.....	72·3	1897.....	48·4	1914.....	64·0	1931.....	72·1
1881.....	70·4	1898.....	49·8	1915.....	65·5	1932.....	66·7
1882.....	71·8	1899.....	46·5	1916.....	70·4	1933.....	67·1
1883.....	67·9	1900.....	52·1	1917.....	84·3	1934.....	71·6
			47·9		114·3		

TABLE II—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1867-1934\*

(1913=100)

Unweighted		Unweighted Weighted		Unweighted Weighted		Weighted	
1867.....	133·0	1884.....	100·6	1901.....	84·5	1918.....	199·0
1868.....	128·7	1885.....	92·7	1902.....	86·2	1919.....	209·2
1869.....	126·5	1886.....	90·7	1903.....	86·9	1920.....	243·5
1870.....	123·5	1887.....	91·9	1904.....	87·0	1921.....	171·8
1871.....	124·5	1888.....	93·5	1905.....	87·8	1922.....	152·0
1872.....	135·7	1889.....	92·6	1906.....	84·6	1923.....	153·0
1873.....	133·8	1890.....	93·0	1907.....	84·6	1924.....	155·2
1874.....	129·0	1891.....	91·4	1908.....	96·2	1925.....	160·3
1875.....	120·7	1892.....	86·2	1909.....	90·9	1926.....	156·2
1876.....	116·6	1893.....	85·2	1910.....	91·4	1927.....	152·6
1877.....	115·1	1894.....	80·6	1911.....	94·3	1928.....	150·6
1878.....	104·3	1895.....	79·6	1912.....	95·0	1929.....	149·3
1879.....	101·0	1896.....	76·0	1913.....	97·2	1930.....	135·3
1880.....	112·9	1897.....	75·6	1914.....	102·2	1931.....	112·6
1881.....	109·9	1898.....	77·8	1915.....	100·0	1932.....	104·2
1882.....	112·1	1899.....	81·4	1916.....	102·3	1933.....	104·8
1883.....	106·0	1900.....	85·8	1917.....	131·6	1934.....	111·8
			74·8		178·5		

\*NOTE—As the weighted index has not been compiled for years previous to 1890, the old unweighted series is also shown.

TABLE III—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1934

CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1926=100)

Groups	I Vegetable Products	II Animals and Their Products	III Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	IV Wood, Wood Products and Paper	V Iron and Its Products	VI Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	VII Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	VIII Chemicals and Allied Products	All Commodities
Number of commodities	59 67 124 135	47 50 74 76	23 28 60 85	26 21 44 49	30 26 39 44	14 15 15 18	21 16 73 83	27 13 73 77	247 236 502 567
*1890.....	55.5	45.5	53.8	38.5	77.9	109.4	50.0	49.6	51.5
1891.....	58.8	45.2	49.2	38.2	72.1	101.9	48.7	49.8	51.5
1892.....	47.9	45.2	46.8	38.8	69.5	92.8	49.4	48.9	47.8
1893.....	48.3	47.6	46.7	38.6	67.9	86.0	49.0	48.6	48.5
1894.....	44.2	43.6	43.9	39.6	63.2	73.1	47.9	48.2	45.3
1895.....	44.3	42.3	43.7	37.3	61.0	72.0	47.0	47.6	44.4
1896.....	42.2	39.9	44.5	35.9	61.6	75.4	46.9	47.9	42.9
1897.....	43.5	42.2	43.7	35.8	56.4	70.4	46.0	46.8	43.6
1898.....	48.5	43.6	43.0	36.1	56.2	72.9	45.6	46.6	45.6
1899.....	46.4	45.9	43.4	37.1	64.4	95.3	45.8	46.3	46.5
1900.....	42.9	48.5	48.4	40.6	75.1	102.4	48.5	49.0	47.9
1901.....	47.1	48.3	46.4	40.3	67.9	100.2	51.7	51.1	48.9
1902.....	50.1	51.2	46.6	42.6	67.7	84.3	53.6	49.9	51.1
1903.....	51.6	49.5	47.0	47.9	67.3	82.7	55.5	50.2	51.8
1904.....	54.6	48.2	51.0	48.0	62.9	85.1	54.7	51.7	52.4
1905.....	55.3	52.4	50.6	49.3	62.0	93.8	53.2	52.0	54.0
1906.....	52.2	53.2	54.4	52.6	65.8	108.3	52.1	50.8	54.2
1907.....	59.1	57.1	56.1	55.3	68.9	115.3	54.2	58.3	58.6
1908.....	61.7	56.5	50.8	54.4	66.6	86.9	55.6	57.5	58.5
1909.....	62.0	60.3	52.4	53.3	63.3	84.6	54.7	53.4	59.5
1910.....	59.0	63.1	55.8	58.5	62.3	87.8	54.1	54.8	60.2
1911.....	62.5	60.9	54.3	62.1	63.2	87.0	53.3	59.1	62.2
1912.....	68.0	67.6	52.5	62.2	64.0	100.0	56.8	61.9	65.4
1913.....	58.1	70.9	58.2	63.9	68.9	98.4	56.8	63.4	64.0
1914.....	64.8	72.6	56.9	60.3	67.3	94.7	53.7	65.3	65.5
1915.....	75.6	74.0	58.3	56.5	73.9	106.9	52.7	68.1	70.4
1916.....	87.0	85.0	77.6	64.0	104.6	135.1	58.0	78.0	84.3
1917.....	124.5	110.4	114.6	79.8	151.8	143.9	71.6	98.1	114.3
1918.....	127.9	127.1	157.1	89.1	156.9	141.9	82.3	118.7	127.4
1919.....	136.1	140.8	163.8	109.6	139.1	133.5	93.6	117.5	134.0
1920.....	167.0	145.1	176.5	154.4	168.4	135.5	112.2	141.5	155.9
1921.....	103.5	109.6	96.0	129.4	128.0	97.0	116.6	117.0	110.0
1922.....	86.2	96.0	101.7	106.3	104.6	97.3	107.0	105.4	97.3
1923.....	83.7	95.0	116.9	113.0	115.8	95.3	104.4	104.4	98.0
1924.....	89.2	91.8	117.9	105.9	111.0	94.8	104.1	102.5	99.4
1925.....	100.6	100.3	112.5	101.6	104.5	103.9	100.3	99.6	102.6
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	98.3	101.9	93.7	98.5	96.2	91.5	96.5	98.3	97.7
1928.....	93.0	108.1	94.5	98.7	93.2	92.0	92.5	95.3	96.4
1929.....	91.6	109.0	91.3	93.9	93.7	99.2	92.9	95.4	95.6
1930.....	77.7	99.1	81.8	88.7	91.1	80.7	91.3	92.8	86.6
1931.....	56.9	73.9	73.4	79.1	87.4	64.6	86.5	86.7	72.1
1932.....	54.8	59.7	69.7	69.1	86.3	59.0	85.5	83.9	66.7
1933.....	59.3	59.4	69.7	62.8	85.4	64.3	84.4	81.3	67.1
1934.....	66.6	67.2	72.9	65.4	87.0	64.3	86.0	81.2	71.6
January.....	50.5	57.2	67.9	63.5	85.4	56.9	86.0	81.9	63.8
February.....	50.6	55.6	67.8	63.1	85.2	58.4	84.8	81.7	63.5
March.....	51.8	58.4	67.7	62.7	85.0	59.8	84.8	81.8	64.3
April.....	56.6	59.5	67.0	59.3	85.0	60.5	83.9	81.6	65.3
May.....	61.0	58.6	68.9	59.5	84.5	64.5	83.2	81.2	66.7
June.....	61.5	58.5	69.9	61.7	85.3	68.0	82.7	80.8	67.5
July.....	69.7	59.4	70.6	62.6	85.5	69.9	82.9	81.1	70.5
August.....	65.9	59.7	71.2	63.2	85.4	68.0	83.3	81.6	69.5
September.....	62.5	60.6	71.7	63.8	85.5	67.5	85.0	81.5	68.9
October.....	59.2	60.8	71.4	64.4	85.7	65.5	85.2	81.0	67.9
November.....	61.0	63.5	70.9	64.4	86.1	66.2	85.1	81.0	68.9
December.....	60.4	63.7	71.7	64.4	86.7	66.5	85.8	80.8	69.0
January.....	64.4	65.9	72.7	65.1	86.6	67.0	86.0	80.6	70.7
February.....	65.6	70.6	74.4	65.2	87.1	66.8	86.2	80.5	72.1
March.....	65.8	70.4	74.5	65.3	87.2	66.0	86.2	81.0	72.1
April.....	64.5	67.8	74.4	65.5	87.2	65.7	85.7	81.6	71.3
May.....	65.2	65.9	74.2	65.7	87.4	64.5	85.5	81.9	71.1
June.....	67.4	67.1	73.8	66.2	87.5	64.1	85.6	81.9	72.0
July.....	68.5	66.0	72.9	65.8	87.1	63.2	86.1	81.8	72.0
August.....	70.0	65.6	72.0	65.4	87.1	63.0	86.1	81.5	72.2
September.....	68.6	67.4	71.8	65.3	86.6	62.1	86.1	81.7	71.9
October.....	66.6	67.8	71.4	65.2	86.7	62.2	86.1	80.5	71.3
November.....	66.5	66.7	71.3	64.9	86.7	63.1	86.0	80.3	71.1
December.....	66.7	66.2	71.5	64.5	86.8	63.7	86.1	80.4	71.1

\*From 1890 to 1912, revised on weighted basis.

TABLE IV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1934  
CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1913=100)

Groups		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	All Commodities
		Vegetable Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	
Number of commodities	1890-1899	59	47	23	26	30	14	21	27	247
	1900-1912	51	39	20	18	22	11	19	23	203
	1913-1925	67	50	28	21	26	15	16	13	236
	1926-1933	124	74	60	44	39	15	73	73	502
	1934.....	135	76	85	49	44	18	83	77	567
1890.....	95.6	64.2	92.4	60.2	113.1	111.2	88.1	78.3	80.5	80-5
1891.....	101.2	63.8	84.5	59.8	104.6	103.6	85.8	78.6	80.5	80-5
1892.....	82.5	63.7	80.4	60.7	100.9	94.3	86.9	77.1	74.7	74-7
1893.....	83.2	67.2	80.2	60.4	98.6	87.4	86.3	76.6	75.8	75-8
1894.....	76.1	61.5	75.5	61.9	91.7	74.3	84.3	76.1	70.8	70-8
1895.....	76.3	59.7	75.1	58.4	88.5	73.2	82.8	75.0	69.4	69-4
1896.....	72.6	56.3	76.4	56.2	89.4	76.6	82.5	75.5	67.0	67-0
1897.....	74.9	59.5	75.0	56.1	81.9	71.5	81.0	73.8	68.1	68-1
1898.....	83.5	61.5	73.9	56.5	81.6	74.1	80.2	73.5	71.3	71-3
1899.....	79.9	64.7	74.6	58.0	93.4	96.8	80.6	73.1	72.6	72-6
1900.....	73.9	68.4	83.2	63.5	109.0	104.0	85.4	77.4	74.8	74-8
1901.....	81.1	68.1	79.7	63.1	98.5	101.8	91.1	89.6	76.4	76-4
1902.....	86.2	72.3	80.1	66.6	98.3	85.6	94.4	78.8	79.8	79-8
1903.....	88.9	69.8	80.7	75.0	97.6	84.0	97.7	79.2	80.9	80-9
1904.....	94.0	68.0	87.6	75.1	91.3	86.5	96.3	81.6	81.8	81-8
1905.....	95.2	74.0	87.0	77.2	89.9	95.3	93.6	82.0	84.4	84-4
1906.....	89.9	75.0	93.5	82.3	95.5	110.0	91.8	80.1	84.6	84-6
1907.....	101.7	80.6	95.3	86.5	100.0	117.1	95.4	92.0	91.6	91-6
1908.....	106.2	79.7	87.3	85.1	96.7	88.3	97.9	90.8	91.4	91-4
1909.....	106.7	85.1	90.0	83.4	91.8	86.0	96.3	84.2	92.9	92-9
1910.....	101.6	89.1	95.8	91.6	90.4	89.2	95.2	86.5	94.0	94-0
1911.....	107.6	86.0	93.3	97.2	91.7	88.4	93.8	83.3	97.2	97-2
1912.....	117.1	95.4	90.2	97.4	92.8	101.6	100.0	97.6	102.2	102-2
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100-0
1914.....	111.6	102.5	97.8	94.3	97.7	96.2	94.5	103.0	102.3	102-3
1915.....	130.2	104.4	100.2	88.5	107.2	108.6	92.8	107.4	109.9	109-9
1916.....	149.8	119.9	133.3	100.1	151.8	137.3	102.2	123.1	131.6	131-6
1917.....	214.4	155.8	196.8	124.9	220.2	146.2	126.0	154.8	178.5	178-5
1918.....	220.2	179.4	269.9	139.4	227.3	144.2	144.9	187.3	199.0	199-0
1919.....	234.4	198.7	281.4	171.6	201.8	135.6	163.8	185.4	209.2	209-2
1920.....	287.6	204.8	303.3	241.6	244.4	137.7	197.5	223.3	243.5	243-5
1921.....	178.2	154.6	165.0	202.5	185.7	98.6	205.4	184.7	171.8	171-8
1922.....	148.4	135.4	174.7	166.4	151.8	98.9	188.4	166.4	152.0	152-0
1923.....	144.2	134.1	200.9	176.8	168.0	96.8	183.8	164.8	153.0	153-0
1924.....	153.6	129.5	202.5	165.8	161.0	96.3	183.4	161.8	155.2	155-2
1925.....	173.3	141.5	193.3	159.0	151.6	105.6	176.6	157.1	160.3	160-3
1926.....	172.2	141.1	171.8	156.5	145.1	101.6	176.1	157.8	156.2	156-2
1927.....	169.3	143.8	161.0	154.2	139.6	93.0	169.9	155.1	152.6	152-6
1928.....	160.1	152.5	162.4	154.5	135.2	93.5	162.9	150.4	150.6	150-6
1929.....	157.7	153.8	156.9	147.0	136.0	100.8	163.6	150.5	149.3	149-3
1930.....	133.8	139.8	140.5	138.8	132.2	82.0	160.8	146.4	135.3	135-3
1931.....	98.0	104.3	126.1	123.8	126.8	65.6	152.3	136.8	112.6	112-6
1932.....	94.4	84.2	119.7	108.1	125.2	59.9	150.6	132.4	104.2	104-2
1933.....	102.1	83.8	119.7	98.3	123.9	65.3	148.6	128.3	104.8	104-8
1934.....	114.7	94.8	125.2	102.4	126.2	65.3	151.4	128.1	111.8	111-8
1933.....										
January.....	87.0	80.7	116.7	99.4	123.9	57.8	151.4	129.2	99.7	99-7
February.....	87.1	78.5	116.5	98.8	123.6	59.3	149.3	128.9	99.2	99-2
March.....	89.2	82.4	116.3	98.1	123.3	60.8	149.3	129.1	100.4	100-4
April.....	97.5	84.0	115.1	92.8	123.3	61.5	147.7	128.8	102.0	102-0
May.....	105.0	82.7	118.4	93.1	122.6	65.7	146.5	128.1	104.2	104-2
June.....	105.9	82.5	120.1	96.6	123.8	69.1	145.6	127.5	105.4	105-4
July.....	120.0	83.8	121.3	98.0	124.1	71.0	146.0	128.0	110.1	110-1
August.....	113.5	84.2	122.3	98.9	123.9	69.1	146.7	128.8	108.6	108-6
September.....	107.6	85.5	123.2	99.8	124.1	68.6	149.7	128.6	107.6	107-6
October.....	101.9	85.8	122.7	100.8	124.4	66.5	150.0	127.8	106.1	106-1
November.....	105.0	89.6	121.8	100.8	124.9	67.3	149.9	127.8	107.6	107-6
December.....	104.0	89.9	123.2	100.8	125.8	67.6	151.1	127.5	107.8	107-8
1934.....										
January.....	110.9	93.0	124.9	101.9	125.7	68.1	151.4	127.2	110.4	110-4
February.....	113.0	99.6	127.8	102.0	126.4	67.9	151.8	127.0	112.6	112-6
March.....	113.3	93.3	128.0	102.2	126.5	67.1	151.8	127.8	112.6	112-6
April.....	111.1	95.7	127.8	102.5	126.5	66.8	150.9	128.8	111.4	111-4
May.....	112.3	93.0	127.5	102.8	126.8	65.5	150.6	129.2	111.1	111-1
June.....	116.1	94.7	126.8	103.6	127.0	65.1	150.7	129.2	112.5	112-5
July.....	118.0	93.1	125.2	103.0	126.4	64.2	151.6	129.1	112.5	112-5
August.....	120.5	92.6	123.7	102.4	126.4	64.0	151.6	128.6	112.8	112-8
September.....	118.1	95.1	123.4	102.2	125.7	63.1	151.6	128.9	112.3	112-3
October.....	114.7	95.7	122.7	102.0	125.8	63.2	151.6	127.0	111.4	111-4
November.....	114.5	94.1	122.5	101.6	125.8	64.1	151.4	126.7	111.1	111-1
December.....	114.9	93.4	122.8	100.9	125.9	64.7	151.6	126.9	111.1	111-1

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## WHOLESALE PRICES, 1934

From 67.1 in 1933, a general index number of wholesale prices advanced to 71.6 in 1934. During 1934, it was highest in August at 72.2, and lowest in January at 70.7. Throughout the year different price groups continued to move gradually closer towards relationships existing prior to the prolonged decline which commenced in 1929. The position of major commodity groups relative to the average of all commodities, is shown below for the past two Decembers.

	1933	1934
All Commodities.....	100.0	100.0
Producers' Goods.....	94.0	94.7
Consumers' Goods.....	106.0	103.5
Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	84.4	88.7
Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Materials.....	104.6	102.5
Building Materials.....	116.7	115.2
Canadian Farm Products.....	76.0	82.4

It will be seen that the groups which were above 100.0 in 1933, are slightly closer to 100.0 in 1934. In other words, these groups are less out of line with the average of all commodity prices than they were a year ago. The chief reason contributing to this change has been the continued rise in primary product prices, which in turn has boosted the general wholesale level. Indexes for Canadian Farm Products and Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials which represent primary products almost exclusively, have moved much closer to the average index for all commodities during 1934, than they have been since 1930. This tendency is favourable to an improvement in the purchasing power of primary producing groups, which have been unable in the past few years to buy the same volume of manufactured products as they did before 1930. The beneficial effect of this development upon business is self-evident.

The following comparison of prices in 1933 and 1934 does not show gains for primary products uniformly greater than those for manufactured products, but on the average their advances have been appreciably larger. Non-ferrous metals, wool, butter, and eggs were the main exceptions to the rule of higher prices among primary products.

## VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

An index for Vegetable Products mounted from 64.4 in January 1934, to 70.0 in August, and then fell back to 66.7 in December. This movement was influenced largely by fluctuations in prices for grains, milled products and fresh fruits. The 1934 annual average index of 66.6 was 6.9 points above the 1933 index of 59.3.

*Fruits.*—A sharp increase in quotations for oranges and lemons temporarily disturbed the level of prices in this group during June, but by the end of the year former levels had been substantially restored. This was revealed by monthly indexes of 77.9 in January, 93.3 in June and 75.5 in December. Prices for domestic fresh fruits were appreciably higher than in 1933 due in part, to lower production. Apples, the most important crop in this division, averaged \$2.26 per barrel as compared with \$1.92 in 1933, while production declined from 5,473,233 to 3,890,643 barrels. An index for canned fruit prices fluctuated narrowly between 69.2 and 67.3 during 1934.

*Grains.*—After advancing from 47.5 in January to 63.1 in August, an index for grains declined moderately to 58.5 in December. The group averaged 54.9 for 1934 as compared with 44.3 for the preceding year.

Grain crops in western Canada suffered severely in their early stages as drought, high winds unseasonable temperatures and insect pests caused irreparable damage during the month of May. Early in June, generous rains were received throughout the wheat belt and prospect improved steadily until the critical month of July was reached. Again absence of moisture and excessive heat caused damage to crops and stimulated grasshopper damage. The areas which suffered most severely were the south-western part of Manitoba, southern and central Saskatchewan and east-central Alberta. As in the previous year, production was concentrated in the northerly areas of the Prairie Provinces.



Unremunerative prices, abandonment and grasshopper control measures contributed to a substantial reduction in wheat acreage in 1934—a decrease of about 2 million acres as compared with the previous year. The area sown to wheat in Canada in 1934 amounted to 23,985,000 acres as compared with 25,991,100 acres in the previous year and 27,182,100 acres in 1932. Little change occurred in the acreage devoted to other field crops.

Wheat production in Canada in 1934 was estimated at 275,849,000 bushels as compared with 281,892,000 bushels harvested in 1933. The average yield per acre in 1934 amounted to 11.5 bushels as compared with the long-time average of 17.1 bushels per acre. The small crop harvested in 1934 was partially offset by a large carry-over of wheat on July 31, 1934. On that date, a total of 193 million bushels of wheat was in store or on farms in Canada. The carry-over was the second largest on record and only slightly less than the carry-over of 212 million bushels on July 31, 1933.

Even with a small crop, Canada faced a difficult marketing problem in 1934-35. The carry-over on July 31, (193 million bushels) along with the new crop (276 million bushels) constituted a total supply of 469 million bushels. Domestic requirements were tentatively estimated at 106 million bushels, leaving a surplus of 363 million bushels for export and carry-over at the end of 1934-35.

The world wheat situation seemed to favour Canada at the commencement of the cereal year 1934-35. With world import requirements estimated at from 575 to 600 million bushels, it appeared that Canada would make a substantial reduction in her stocks during 1934-35. World demand for wheat was over-estimated, however, and early in 1935 it became apparent that total demand would not exceed 540 to 550 million bushels, and this estimated reduction in demand affected the Canadian position. The crop year 1934-35 will see a reduction in the volume of unsold wheat in Canada but not as large a reduction as anticipated earlier in the crop year.

The disastrous growing season in 1934 also affected the United States where both spring and winter wheat crops were abnormally small. In addition, the drought in the United States greatly curtailed supplies of feed grains and a serious feed shortage developed in that country. This situation had repercussions in Canada and created a strong demand for feed grains and low grade wheat during December 1934 and the early part of 1935. Canadian exports of wheat, oats and barley to the United States increased sharply in 1934-35 as compared with the previous crop year.

The movement in prices closely resembled that in the preceding year. Fluctuations were narrow during the first four months, but markets commenced to move forward sharply in May when prospects of serious crop damage became apparent. This movement reached a climax in August when it became known that the United States crop had suffered less than had been anticipated. Following a moderate reaction which left prices substantially higher than at the beginning of the year, markets were relatively stable during the final quarter.

Prices of wheat at Winnipeg were such that the 1934 wheat crop, although small in volume, exceeded in value any crop produced since 1929. The average cash price for No. 1 Manitoba Northern wheat amounted to 74.8c. per bushel as compared with 61.0c. in 1933.

Other grains also moved materially higher. No. 3 C.W. barley advanced from 35.2c. in 1933 to 46.4c. per bushel in 1934; No. 1 C.W. flax mounted from \$1.19 to \$1.50 per bushel; No. 2 C.W. oats rose from 29.5c. to 38.6c. per bushel; and No. 2 C.W. rye averaged 53.8c. per bushel in 1934 as compared with 44.2c. in 1933.

*Flour and other Milled Products.*—Movements in grain prices were reflected in this index which advanced from 64.2 in January to 73.5 in August, and then, after reacting to 70.1 in October, closed the year at 71.8. Production of flour was well maintained despite the higher level of prices which affected exports adversely. They dropped from 5,570,424 barrels in 1933 to 5,053,732 barrels in 1934, and exports of bran, shorts, and middlings were correspondingly lower.

No. 1 patent Manitoba spring flour, Montreal rate points, mounted from \$5.09 in 1933 to \$5.50 per barrel of 2-98's jute in 1934. Rolled oats per 90 pound sack at Toronto averaged \$2.70 in 1933 and \$2.94 in the following year. Manitoba bran, ex track Montreal, advanced sharply from \$18.32 to \$23.88 per ton.

A weighted average of wholesale bread prices based upon quotations from eight representative Canadian cities was 5.73c. in 1934 as compared with 5.65c. per pound in 1933.

*Vegetable Oils.*—Fluctuations within this group largely offset each other, leaving the index for 1934 at 56.3, or almost upon a par with the 1933 number of 56.1. Declines for coconut and peanut oil were practically equal in effect to gains for linseed, olive, and chinawood oil. Cottonseed oil averaged 8.2c. per pound at Montreal, exactly the same as for 1933.

*Rubber.*—Further increases in raw rubber prices and a moderate advance in automobile tire quotations in August were responsible for the rise in an index of rubber and its products from 53.4 in 1933 to 55.7 in 1934. A second restriction agreement involving British, French, and Dutch producing interests was signed on April 29. This provided a stimulus to prices which continued upward until September. The rise was gradual, due partly to uncertainty regarding the effectiveness of control over Dutch native production, and to the liberal quotas that were allowed. There appeared to be no prospect of a precipitous rise such as that which followed the Stevenson scheme of 1922. In fact prices declined slightly in the final quarter of the year. Shipments of plantation rubber increased from 814,700 tons in 1933 to approximately 975,000 tons in 1934, and year-end stocks also were over 40,000 tons higher at 578,645 tons on December 31, 1934. World consumption was estimated at 926,000 tons as compared with 813,600 tons in 1933.

Ceylon plantation ribbed smoked sheets, New York basis, rose from 6.4c. per pound in 1933 to 12.8c. in 1934, and plantation first latex crepe sheets similarly moved higher from 7.1c. to 14.1c. per pound. Balloon tires, 5.25-21, averaged \$11.92 in 1934 as against \$11.63 in 1933.

*Sugar.*—Rising sugar prices reached a peak in February and subsequently moved lower, with the exception of Cuban raws which benefited from reductions in the United States tariff, first from 2c. to 1.5c. per pound and then to 0.9c. per pound on September 4. World production according to B. W. Dyer and Co., increased from 24.9 million tons in 1932-33 to 26.3 millions in 1933-34. Consumption in 1934 was roughly 500,000 tons greater at 26.6 million tons and year-end stock estimates were slightly lower. Large quantities on hand and a lower rate of consumption than had been anticipated, served to cloud the outlook for the coming year.

An average price for Cuban raw sugar, 96° centrifugal, c. and f. New York, was \$1.66 per cwt. as compared with \$1.31 in 1933. Corresponding averages for B.W.I. raw sugar at Montreal were \$1.97 in 1934 and \$2.09 per cwt. in 1933. A reduction in the Canadian excise tax on refined sugar in April from 2c. to 1c. per pound was largely responsible for the drop in standard granulated sugar at Montreal from \$5.82 to \$5.56 per cwt.

*Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.*—A sharp increase in tea prices and a less pronounced rise in cocoa bean quotations were sufficient to effect an advance in the index for this group from 63.6 in 1933 to 71.7 in 1934. In order to combat a declining tendency apparent in tea prices during the closing months of the year, the International Tea Committee further reduced export quotas by 5 p.c. to 82½ p.c. of the basic figure of 807.7 million pounds. An average of Ceylon and India Pekoe tea at Toronto advanced from 33.8c. in 1933 to 43.7c. per pound in 1934.

Coffee prices, after a period of unsteadiness at the beginning of the year, responded to renewed destruction activity on the part of the Brazilian government. The total amount removed from the market approached 33,000,000 bags at the end of 1934. The National Coffee Department of Brazil repeatedly reiterated that it would continue action to maintain coffee prices. With consumption showing improvement and an abnormally small Brazilian crop forecast for 1934-35, the immediate outlook was more favourable than for some years past. Green Santos coffee, good quality, at Toronto declined from an average of 17.4c. in 1933 to 16.1c. per pound in 1934, while green Jamaica coffee likewise moved lower from 16.5c. to 15.5c. per pound.

An appreciable increase in cocoa consumption from 535,000 to 583,000 tons more than offset a slight rise in production which was placed at 595,000 tons in 1934. Green cocoa beans, Estates Trinidad, at Toronto advanced from 5.9c. in 1933 to 7.6c. per pound in 1934.

*Tobacco.*—An index of tobacco prices again moved slightly lower from 43.4 in 1933 to 41.4 in 1934. This occurred in spite of a decline in production which was estimated at 38.1 million pounds as compared with 44.9 millions in 1933. Imports of unmanufactured tobacco were almost one million pounds less at 8.6 million pounds, but exports dropped sharply from 13.6 million to 7.7 million pounds.

Price movements were mixed. An average of Ontario burley prices paid to producers fell from 10.8c. to 9.0c. per pound, while other types registered appreciable gains. Quotations for high grade light cigarette tobacco averaged 27.5c. per pound as compared with 23.3c. in 1933.

*Vegetables.*—Sharp reductions in potato prices in central and western Canada were chiefly responsible for a reduction in this index from 53.7 in 1933 to 45.7 in 1934. The potato crop amounted to roughly 47 million cwt. as compared with 43 million cwt. in 1933, while exports remained of small proportions. Canada Grade "A" potatoes at St. John declined from an average of 98.7c. per cwt. to 91.9c. per cwt., while Ontario potatoes at Toronto dropped from \$1.03 to 63.1c. per 90 pound bag. British Columbia standard grade onions advanced from \$1.40 to \$1.61 per cwt. Canned tomatoes, 2½'s standard f.o.b. factory, fell from 94c. to 83c. per dozen tins.

*Miscellaneous Vegetable Products.*—This index which reflects price movements of rice, tapioca, turpentine, starch, hay and straw advanced sharply from 59.2 to 71.4. The feed shortage in Canada and the United States was responsible for a pronounced rise in hay prices. Other changes within this group were of minor consequence.

## ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

An advance in the index for Animals and Their Products from 59.4 in 1933 to 67.2 in 1934 was due mainly to marked increases in prices for meats of all kinds, and to a lesser extent to higher quotations for fish, livestock, milk and its products, and eggs. Furs and leather products showed little change from averages in 1933.

*Livestock.*—A general upturn occurred in livestock prices in 1934, and the index rose from 55.3 in 1933 to 69.4. Cattle markets showed strength during the first half of the year but about mid-summer the upward tendency was checked. Liquidation occurred due to drought conditions, and poorly finished offerings became common. Despite later recovery in the feed situation, demand for store cattle remained considerably below last year's level. Marketings at the principal stock yards totalled 700,817 head as against 604,077 head in 1933. The general level of calf prices was much the same as 1933 but averages for 1934 were slightly above those in the previous year. Lambs also moved upward, while a decline in production was indicated by sales of sheep and lambs at stockyards which aggregated 459,275 in 1934 compared with 471,351 in 1933. Outstanding gains were shown in hog prices. Steady demand from the United Kingdom was the chief supporting factor; at no time were supplies reported burdensome and quality of offerings showed an improvement. The number of hogs marketed at stock yards fell from 1,044,196 in 1933 to 964,311 in the succeeding year.

Good and choice steers advanced from \$4.63 to \$5.51 per cwt. at Toronto and from \$3.67 to \$4.18 per cwt. at Winnipeg. Good veal calves moved up from \$6.20 to \$6.61 per cwt. at Toronto and from \$4.84 to \$4.97 per cwt. at Winnipeg. Good handyweight lambs averaged \$6.17 and \$6.99 per cwt. at Montreal, and \$5.32 and \$6.11 per cwt. at Winnipeg. Bacon hogs rose from \$5.88 to \$8.72 per cwt. at Montreal and from \$5.54 to \$8.61 per cwt. at Toronto. This same grade was \$2.92 per cwt. higher at Winnipeg at \$7.73 per cwt.

*Fishery Products.*—The index for fishery products advanced from 62.9 in 1933 to 70.9 in the following year. Prices averaged higher for most grades except smoked and salt herring and some of the cheaper grades of salmon. The wholesale selling price of salt spring mackerel advanced from \$4.73 to \$6.58 per barrel, f.o.b. Maritime points, with the catch showing a drop from 263,316 cwt. in 1933 to 190,818 cwt. in 1934. Dry shore cod fish averaged \$4.49 per quintal to fishermen in 1934, against \$3.33 per quintal in 1933, although the catch rose from 1,561,647 cwt. to 1,714,059 cwt. Quotations for sockeye salmon advanced from \$14.41 in 1933 to \$15.17 per case, but coho fell from \$9.08 to \$8.58 per case. Marketings of salmon totalled 1,694,808 cwt. in 1934, an increase of more than 16 p.c. over the previous year's figure.

*Furs.*—Despite losses in prices of beaver, marten and lynx, the index for furs advanced from 55.7 in 1933 to 56.9 in 1934, while the number of pelts taken rose from 4,503,558 to 6,063,391 during the same period. Price changes as shown by fur auction sales, for some of the more important skins were as follows:—Silver fox, ¾-¾ silver, moved up from \$39.25 to \$40.83 and mink, 1 Pt 11 Dark, from \$9.64 to \$11.64 per pelt. Beaver 1 and 11 extra large and large dropped from \$11.79 to \$10.85 and lynx 1 and 11 extra large and large from \$18.92 to \$17.94 per skin for these respective years.

*Milk and its Products.*—Prices paid to producers for fresh milk in 1934 averaged higher than in 1933, while production was placed at 16,295,952,700 pounds in 1934 as compared with 16,048,724,900 pounds in the previous year. An index for milk and its products averaged 64.7 as



against 60.2 in 1933. Prices for fresh milk at larger centres were:—Montreal \$1.42 in 1933 and \$1.58 per 100 pounds in 1934 and Winnipeg \$1.53 and \$1.57 per 100 pounds, delivered at railway station. At Toronto quotations moved up from \$1.32 to \$1.55 per 8 gallon can, delivered at dairy.

Production of creamery butter at 233,047,500 pounds was about 13,800,000 pounds greater than in 1933, and prices were also slightly higher. The jobbing price of No. 1 creamery prints at Montreal rose from 23.3c. to 24.3c. and from 23.5 c. to 24.7c. per pound at Toronto. At Winnipeg, No. 1 creamery prints averaged 21.8c. and 23.2c. per pound in 1933 and 1934 respectively. The factory make of cheese declined from 111,146,500 pounds in 1933 to 99,754,500 pounds in 1934, and prices averaged about 11 p.c. higher. Large, coloured, new cheese at Toronto advanced from 10.8c. to 12.8c. per pound. New cheese at Montreal remained unchanged at 10.4c. per pound.

*Hides and Skins.*—Gains in prices of sheep skins were largely responsible for the advance in this group from 56.4 in 1933 to 57.7 in 1934. Sheep skins, city cured, rose from 80.8c. in 1933 to 92.2c. per hide in 1934, and country cured grades advanced from 47.1c. to 68.9c. per skin. City cured calf skins dropped from 10.3c. to 8.5c. per pound. Minor changes occurred in leather prices, as indicated by gun metal calf, which moved up from 31.3c. to 32.1c. per pound.

*Leather Manufactured.*—The index for boots and shoes changed from 89.4 in 1933 to 87.3 in 1934. Men's shoes averaged \$3.55 per pair. Women's shoes declined slightly from \$2.28 to \$1.97 per pair f.o.b. factory.

*Fats, etc.*—General advances brought the index up to 57.8 in 1934 compared with 54.4 in 1933. Average prices of lard per pound in tierces during 1933 and 1934 at various centres were:—Montreal 8.4c. and 8.9c.; Toronto 10.1c. and 10.6c.; Winnipeg 9.8c. and 10.6c. and Vancouver 10.6c. and 12.0c. respectively. Tallow at Toronto rose fractionally from 4.5c. to 4.7c. per pound.

*Eggs.*—A rise in values of all grades of eggs brought the index up from 53.2 in 1933 to 60.2 in the succeeding year. Production at 223,107,000 dozen in 1934 was slightly greater than the 1933 figure of 222,254,000 dozen.

Grade A Large eggs averaged 31.5c. in 1934 against 28.0c. per dozen at Montreal in 1933, and 29.7c. against 26.1c. per dozen at Toronto. At Winnipeg this same grade rose from 20.3c. in 1933 to 24.9c. per dozen in 1934, and at Vancouver from 24.5c. to 26.2c. per dozen.

## FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

Advances in the cotton and woollen groups were of more consequence than declines in real and artificial silk and the index for Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products rose from 69.7 in 1933 to 72.9 in 1934.

*Cotton.*—The index for raw cotton stood at 66.1 in January, rose to 72.3 in February, and despite interruptions during the next three months reached a high point for the year of 74.0 in August. Later losses brought the index to 72.9 at the close of 1934.

The further gain in cotton prices was attributed principally to the curtailment of United States production, together with the withdrawal of large quantities from American markets because of the 12c. loan to farmers. Production at 9,731,000 bales in 1934 was the smallest reported since 1921, being appreciably lower than the 1933 figure of 13,047,000 bales. Unsettled conditions in the United States textile industry during the summer caused a slackening in demand and shipments to other countries were reduced owing to the fact that prices were virtually pegged around the 12c. level. World consumption of American cotton totalled 11,788,000 bales in 1934, as against 14,465,000 bales during the previous twelve month period. Visible supplies fell from 9,237,000 bales on December 29, 1933, to 6,817,000 bales on December 28, 1934.

Raw cotton upland middling at New York rose from 9.4c. in 1933 to 12.2c. per pound (Canadian funds) in 1934.

*Cotton Fabrics.*—A gradual rise in quotations for cotton fabrics changed the index from 77.0 in January to 79.3 in December. Annual averages for 1933 and 1934 were 77.6 and 78.7 respectively.

Black denim 2.40 yards to the pound rose from 37.7c. to 41.8c. per pound, f.o.b. works. Shirting, 4.00 yards to the pound averaged 53.2c. and 57.2c. per pound f.o.b. works for 1933

and 1934. Apron gingham 4·20 yards to the pound advanced from 65·8c. to 69·5c. per pound, f.o.b. works.

*Wool.*—Quotations for raw wool averaged higher than in 1933, and the index rose from 47·0 in 1933 to 61·3 in 1934.

Canadian wool prices were influenced largely by the behaviour of quotations in the primary world markets. At no time during 1934 were stocks in consumers' hands reported large, but domestic sales continued to be restricted with mills buying only to meet immediate requirements. The Canadian clip as shown by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 19,544,000 pounds was about 276,000 pounds greater than in 1933 but exports of wool in grease dropped from 10,433,775 pounds to 4,193,514 pounds.

Raw wool, eastern bright, low, medium or  $\frac{1}{4}$  blood staple or 50's rose from 13·7c. to 18·1c. per pound. Western domestic  $\frac{3}{8}$  blood or 56's, and  $\frac{1}{2}$  blood or 50's-60's were 4·5c. and 4·2c. per pound higher at 19·0c. and 19·9c. per pound respectively.

*Flax, Hemp and Jute.*—The index for raw jute advanced from 43·4 in 1933 to 54·7 in 1934. Manila Hemp "I" first current averaged 3·8c. as against 4·4c. per pound, and Mexican sisal averaged 3·5c. and 3·6c. (Canadian funds) per pound for these respective years.

*Silk and Its Products.*—After a slight rise in February the index for raw silk gradually declined to 17·4 in September, but by December had mounted to 22·2. The index for the year of 21·0 was 7·2 points lower than that for 1933.

Lower silk prices in the New York markets reflected the spring reduction in rayon prices and less active demand on the part of the United States. After advancing in February following the devaluation of the American dollar, prices moved steadily downward till September. With the settlement of the strike in the textile industry on September 27, consumption increased and prices became firmer. Statistics showed that deliveries to mills in the United States fell from 469,000 bales in 1933 to 462,000 in the following year. World stocks were reported at 229,000 bales at the end of 1934 as compared with 257,000 bales at the close of the previous year.

Raw silk, special grand XX 85 p.c. 13-15 deniers quoted on a New York basis, averaged \$1.54 per pound. Raw silk special grand XX 85 p.c. 20-22 deniers averaged \$1.31 per pound. Quotations given are in Canadian funds.

## WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER

Advances in the prices of hardwoods, pine and fir lumber and wood pulp were of more importance than declines in the prices of newsprint and cedar lumber, so that the index for the wood products group rose from 62·8 in 1933 to 65·3 in the following year.

*Newsprint and Wood Pulp.*—Despite a sharp increase in consumption, newsprint prices moved to the lowest level since 1908. In 1934 the tonnage sold was almost as great as that of 1929, but the income derived therefrom was only about one half as large. Production in Canadian mills rose from 2,009,026 tons in 1933 to 2,597,642 tons in 1934, and exports mounted from 36,762,098 cwt. to 47,992,470 cwt. in these respective years. Stocks on hand in Canadian and American mills on December 31, 1934, were reported at 42,794 tons as against 58,261 tons in 1933. Exports of wood pulp at 12,112,818 cwt. in 1934 were 57,368 cwt. less than in 1933.

Newsprint paper rolls declined from \$1.71 in 1933 to \$1.66 per 100 pounds carlots, f.o.b. mill in 1934. Unbleached sulphite, newsgrade, averaged \$38.86 in 1934 as compared with \$35.29 per ton in 1933. Ground wood pulp moved up slightly from \$20.43 to \$20.90 per ton, f.o.b. mill.

*Lumber and Timber.*—Although prices were still low, the lumber trade showed signs of recovery in 1934. Stocks in retail yards throughout Canada were well cleared away, and logging operations were on a somewhat larger scale. Despite labour troubles in British Columbia which extended intermittently from January to early May, about 20 p.c. more timber was scaled in that province than in the previous year. Reduced freight rates to eastern Canada encouraged rail shipments, while export demand proved of material benefit to the industry. The United States market was practically closed to Canadian lumber but shipments to the United Kingdom showed an appreciable gain. Foreign shipments of boards and planks from Canada totalled 1,367,603 M bd. ft. in 1934 as against 1,017,837 M bd. ft. in 1933.

Canadian white pine "C" selects and better 1" thick averaged \$79.58 in 1934 as against \$75.00 per M bd. ft. f.o.b. mill in 1933. Cedar shingles No. 1, dropped from \$2.64 to \$2.01 per M, f.o.b. mill, carlots. No. 1 common fir timber 3" and 4" x 4" - 12" x 12' - 40' averaged \$17.25 compared with \$13.75 per M bd. ft., f.o.b. mill in 1933.

*Furniture.*—A steady decline in furniture prices brought the index down from 66.4 in January to 64.9 in December. The 1934 average was 65.7 as compared with 63.9 in the previous year.

### IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS

The index for Iron and Its Products moved up from 85.4 in 1933 to 87.0 in 1934, with higher prices recorded for practically all descriptions except pig iron.

*Iron and Steel.*—Firm prices and higher output featured the Canadian iron and steel industry in 1934. Production of pig iron at 406,995 long tons was about 79 p.c. greater than in 1933, and the output of steel ingots and castings at 759,070 long tons was 85 p.c. larger. Purchases for railway and building trade needs continued low, although in the latter case a slight gain was recorded. A broad demand originated from greater activity in various other industries with manufacturing of automobiles and agricultural implements and the mining industries furnishing the bulk of orders. The total value of iron and steel products exported rose from \$22,182,952 in 1933 to \$37,402,314 in the following twelve months.

Foundry pig iron No. 1 averaged \$20.51 in 1933 and \$20.46 per gross ton, f.o.b. seller's works in 1934.

*Rolling Mill Products.*—Reductions in the prices of steel rails were offset by gains for steel sheets and tinplate and the index for this group at 90.9 was the same as in 1933.

Open hearth steel rails fell from \$45.67 in 1933 to \$43.33 per gross ton, f.o.b. plant in 1934. Steel sheets, galvanized, No. 24 U.S.G. rose from \$3.54 to \$3.81 per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal. Tinplate, standard coke, averaged \$5.93 in 1934 as compared with \$5.65 per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal in 1933.

*Hardware.*—Some improvement was recorded in the hardware trade, and the value of business transacted increased about 20 p.c. during 1934.

Range boilers, 30 gallon, standard, rose from \$7.17 to \$7.43 in eastern Canada. Chopping axes advanced from \$10.70 to \$12.09 per dozen f.o.b. mill.

### NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Gains for silver and tin were offset by declines for copper, lead and zinc, and the index for the Non-Ferrous Metals remained unchanged at 64.3.

*Copper.*—Canadian quotations for copper followed much the same course as the export price in the United States market, rising slightly in February, declining to a low point in October and rallying again towards the close of the year. The most outstanding development in the copper situation was the adoption of a code in the United States for the curtailment of output and the regulation of prices. Statistics showed that world consumption of refined and blister copper rose from 1,242,183 tons in 1933 to 1,577,000 tons in 1934 with consumption in countries outside the United States reported the highest on record. World production advanced from 1,114,740 tons in 1933 to 1,278,000 tons in 1934. Canadian output reached a record of 182,445 tons in 1934 which was some 30,000 tons greater than the previous high of 1930.

Copper, electrolytic domestic, dropped from \$8.68 in 1933 to \$8.22 per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal in 1934. Copper sheet fell from 17.5c. to 16.4c. per pound, carlots or less, f.o.b. Montreal.

*Lead and Its Products.*—A minor gain in lead prices in February was unsustained and quotations dropped continuously during the next eight months, but rallied again towards the close of the year. Production showed a tendency to increase in many countries, stimulated to some extent by the United States silver policy. The Canadian output of 173,135 tons was about 30 p.c. greater than in 1933. World consumption mounted from 1,180,000 long tons in 1933 to 1,325,000 long tons in the following year.

Domestic lead declined from \$3.71 to \$3.41 per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal. Lead pipe averaged 10.5c. in 1933 and 11.3c. per pound net at Montreal in 1934.



*Silver.*—Fluctuations in silver prices in the New York market in 1934 reflected speculative interest, which in turn was influenced by the United States buying policy. On June 19, the United States Silver Purchase Act was passed which raised prices close to the 50c. level, and shortly afterward legislation was enacted restricting exports. Subsequently the delivery to the government of practically all silver was required.

World production of silver rose from 169,400,000 ounces in 1933 to 185,600,000 ounces in the following year. Of this amount, Canadian mines contributed 16,441,000 ounces which was about 1,253,000 ounces more than in 1933. World consumption was estimated at 436,200,000 fine ounces in 1934, compared with 267,900,000 fine ounces in the previous year.

Fine silver at New York averaged 47·4c. in 1934 and 37·6c. (Canadian funds) per ounce in 1933.

*Tin.*—Higher tin prices were ascribed mainly to the rigid control of world output in 1934. At the beginning of the year, production quotas of countries bound by agreement were about 40 p.c. of basic allocations. Later this figure was revised upward to 50 p.c. for a period of six months as from April 1. Soon after this, there was announced the formation of a buffer tin pool for the purpose of withdrawing 8,280 tons from the market. A seasonal decline in consumption during the summer, caused the quota figure to be reduced again to 40 p.c. from October until the end of the year.

World output in 1934 at 120,624 tons was 25,465 tons greater than in 1933 while consumption at 116,700 tons was approximately 9,600 tons less. Visible stocks exclusive of pool holdings were reported at 12,792 tons in December 1934 as against 23,812 tons at the end of 1933.

Tin ingots, Straits, rose from 45·7c. in 1933 to 56·9c. per pound, f.o.b. Toronto, in 1934.

*Zinc and Its Products.*—Zinc prices declined almost steadily for the first three-quarters of 1934. The fall was accentuated from July onward owing to reports of difficulties encountered by the cartel which finally dissolved in December. Production quotas remained about 50 p.c. of actual output for the first seven months but later were revised upward to 60 p.c. Many producers still continued to exceed their allowances and world output increased about 140,000 long tons to a total of 1,135,000 long tons. Of this gain about 50,000 tons were credited to Canada where the production stood at 149,290 tons in 1934. The estimated increase in world consumption was between 120,000 and 150,000 tons.

Zinc, domestic, prime, western or g.o.b. grades declined from \$4.49 to \$4.06 per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal. Zinc sheet, base price, per pound in 1-10 casks, f.o.b. Montreal, averaged 5·2c. in 1933 and 5·5c. in 1934.

## NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Higher prices for coal, glass, petroleum products and asbestos were of more consequence than reductions for clay products and cement, and the index for the Non-Metallic group rose from 84·4 in 1933 to 86·0 in 1934.

*Building Brick.*—An increase in building as indicated by contracts awarded was reflected in the Canadian production of building brick which rose from 67,457 M in 1933 to 81,616 M in 1934. Quotations for brick averaged lower.

Hollow building blocks 12" x 12" x 4" dropped from \$95.83 to \$92.50 per M, f.o.b. plant.

*Coal.*—Mainly on account of higher prices for imported bituminous coal, the index rose from 87·5 to 90·0. Canadian output advanced from 11,903,344 tons in 1933 to 13,795,649 tons in 1934. Coal made available for consumption was over 4,000,000 tons more than in 1933 at 27,302,971 tons. Increasing demand for domestic coal from the central provinces resulted in the movement to these areas rising from 1,932,000 tons in 1933 to 2,300,000 tons in the following year.

American bituminous coal, run-of-mine, rose from \$5.35 to \$5.73 and slack from \$4.85 to \$5.13 per ton ex yard Montreal. Anthracite, egg, declined from \$12.39 to \$12.12 per gross ton f.o.b. Toronto, carlots.

*Coke.*—Generally lower quotations caused the index to decline from 94·2 in 1933 to 93·4 in 1934. Apparent consumption in Canada rose from 2,411,040 tons in 1933 to 3,189,602 tons in the following year. Of these amounts 1,772,164 and 2,266,757 tons in 1933 and 1934 respectively were produced in Canada.

Metallurgical coke fell from \$7.13 to \$6.00 per ton, f.o.b. plant, British Columbia. By-product coke, f.o.b. plant, Nova Scotia, averaged \$5.71 in 1934 as compared with \$5.50 per ton in the previous year.

*Petroleum and Its Products.*—Higher crude oil prices were chiefly instrumental in bringing the index for this group to 76.3 in 1934 as against 74.8 in the preceding year.

Consumption of petroleum products paralleled a rise in production and imports. Canadian output mounted from 1,145,333 barrels in 1933 to 1,417,368 barrels in the following year, while imports of crude petroleum, .7900 specific gravity, for these years increased from 954,392,366 gallons to 1,072,327,425 gallons.

Mid-continent crude oil advanced from \$2.53 to \$2.73 per barrel, f.o.b. Sarnia, and Salt Creek crude oil from \$2.78 to \$2.95 per barrel, f.o.b. Regina. Fuel oil was  $\frac{1}{2}$ c. higher at 8.0c. per gallon, tank cars, f.o.b., Toronto.

*Lime.*—An advance of over 8 p.c. in lime prices brought the index for this group up from 94.8 in 1933 to 102.1 in 1934. Production at 367,317 tons showed a rise of more than 13 p.c. over the previous year.

Quicklime, grey, moved up from \$8.15 to \$8.50 per ton, f.o.b. works (Ontario). Hydrated lime, f.o.b. works, Ontario, averaged \$13.25 in 1934 as against \$11.92 per ton in 1933.

*Cement.*—The index for cement changed from 105.5 in 1933 to 105.2 in the following year.

Slightly lower prices obtained at Vancouver, although sales in all provinces showed gains. For Canada, total sales moved up from 3,007,432 barrels in 1933 to 3,783,226 barrels in 1934.

Quotations at Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Regina were unchanged at \$1.70, \$2.10, \$2.68, and \$3.35 respectively. At Vancouver, the price fell from \$2.60 to \$2.49 per barrel, exclusive of sacks and discount.

*Asbestos.*—Firm prices featured the asbestos market. Mine output at 155,980 tons was over 2,000 tons less than in 1933 but exports including sand and waste were 9,247 tons greater at 158,244 tons.

Asbestos spinning stocks were \$10.00 higher at \$120.00 per ton. Mill board and paper stocks rose from \$30.00 to \$32.50 per ton, f.o.b. mine.

## CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

Losses in the inorganic, organic, coal tar and drug groups were of more consequence than gains for paint materials, fertilizers, dyestuffs and tanning materials, causing the index for Chemicals and Allied Products to decline from 81.3 in 1933, to 81.2 in the following year.

*Inorganic Chemicals.*—Reductions in prices of sodium sulphate, caustic soda and calcium chloride were the main causes for the index falling from 90.2 in 1933 to 89.5 in the following year.

Sodium sulphate (Glaubers' Salt) was quoted at 81.7c. per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. works in Quebec as against \$1.00 in 1933. Calcium chloride, flake, averaged \$2.62 less at \$29.38 per ton, carlots, at Montreal and Toronto.

*Organic Chemicals.*—A gain of 1.6 points advanced the index for this group to 74.3 in 1934.

Refined glycerine averaged 11.4c. in 1933 as against 13.8c. per pound, at Toronto in 1934. Cream of tartar 98 p.c. was 1.8c. higher at 25.5c. per lb. at Toronto. Denatured alcohol (Cologne Spirits) rose from 39.6c. to 40.0c. per proof gallon in bond, f.o.b. Toronto and Montreal.

*Dyeing and Tanning Materials.*—Advances for direct black, methylene blue, quebracho and logwood extracts, more than offset declines for creosote oil, benzol and auromine, and the index moved up from 103.5 in 1933 to 107.2 in the following year.

Methylene blue advanced from 86.3c. to 95.0c. per lb. in 100 pound kegs, f.o.b. warehouse. Quebracho extract liquid was quoted at \$3.82 in 1933 and \$4.20 in 1934 and logwood extract at \$10.42 and \$11.92 per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots, f.o.b. Montreal.

*Paint Materials.*—At 70.0 in 1934, the index for this subgroup was 1.4 points higher than in 1933. A steady but moderate improvement in demand for paint materials was apparent throughout 1934 and the selling value of products at works rose from \$14,896,693 in 1933 to \$17,435,344 in the following year.

Shellac, dry, T.N. at New York, averaged 10.6c. more at 24.3c. per pound (Canadian funds). Genuine red lead moved up from \$6.50 to \$6.75 per 100 pounds, less carlots, f.o.b. Montreal.

*Fertilizers.*—Price gains were common and this index mounted from 73.8 in 1933 to 75.9 in 1934. The value of Canadian output was over \$1,000,000 greater at \$5,398,561.

Dried blood advanced from \$50.42 to \$57.48 and tankage from \$32.05 to \$41.45 per ton, carlots, or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Ontario. Basic slag, 16 p.c., f.o.b. Quebec, averaged \$20.67 in 1934 as against \$17.19 per ton in the previous year.

**TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934**

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS</b>									
Fruit, Fresh, Dried and Canned.....			56.9		54.8		59.3		66.6
Fruits, Fresh, Domestic.....			93.9		90.2		76.7		81.4
Fruits, Fresh.....			108.1		95.9		74.4		
Bananas.....	per pound	.064	88.6	.065	88.3	.054	74.8	.053	80.3
Bananas (a).....	7 hands	1.292	77.5	1.206	72.3	1.233	74.0	2.971	85.7
Lemons, 300's.....	per bunch	4.942	114.7	6.116	141.9	6.594	153.0	5.377	124.8
Oranges, 96's-360's.....	per case	5.122	83.5	5.392	87.9	4.596	72.4	4.929	77.6
<b>Fruits, Dried</b>									
Evaporated apples.....	per pound	.116	89.6	.099	76.6	.088	68.1		
Currants, fine filiatra, Greek.....	"	.130	102.0	.130	102.0	.130	102.0		
Currants, Australian, 2 Crown.....	"							.112	
Raisins, Thompson's seedless.....	"	.120	107.2	.124	111.0	.120	107.2	.117	104.6
Raisins, Australian, 3 Crown.....	"	.115	87.7	.136	104.3	.114	87.3	.118	90.4
Prunes, California 50's-60's (b).....	"	.079	67.1	.077	64.7	.090	76.1	.109	
<b>Fruits, Canned</b>									
Peaches, 2's, heavy syrup, standard (c).....	per dozen	1.675	83.8	1.575	78.8	1.580	79.0	1.604	
Cherries, 2's, heavy syrup, red, pitted (c).....	"	1.588	79.4	1.404	70.2	1.280	64.0	1.288	
Raspberries, 2's, heavy syrup, red (c).....	"	2.715	92.0	2.110	71.5	1.760	59.3	1.833	62.1
Corn Syrup.....	case							3.825	
Orange Marmalade.....	4 lb. tins							.428	
Strawberry Jam.....	"							.633	
<b>Grains</b>									
Barley, No. 3 C.W.....	per bushel	.308	49.6	.349	56.2	.352	56.7	.464	74.7
Barley, No. 4 C.W.....	"	.288	49.2	.325	55.5	.327	55.9	.444	75.9
Barley, Ontario, good malting.....	"	.355	57.5	.377	61.0	.364	58.9	.486	78.7
Barley, No. 6.....	"	.258	46.8	.287	52.0	.304	55.1	.410	74.4
Corn, American yellow, No. 2.....	"	.761	91.2	.755	90.4	.842	100.8	1.035	124.0
Corn, American yellow, No. 3.....	"	.751	91.5	.746	90.8	.830	101.0	1.028	125.1
Flax, No. 1 C.W.....	"	1.001	50.3	.820	41.2	1.187	59.6	1.498	75.2
Flax, No. 2 C.W.....	"	.986	50.5	.780	40.0	1.147	58.8	1.458	74.7
Flax, No. 3 C.W.....	"	.840	46.9	.615	34.3	1.002	55.9	1.353	75.5
Oats, No. 2 C.W.....	"	.290	52.9	.291	53.1	.295	53.8	.386	70.4
Oats, No. 3 C.W.....	"	.262	55.2	.266	56.0	.271	57.1	.357	75.2
Oats, Ontario.....	"	.248	54.9	.252	55.8	.275	60.9	.364	80.5
Oats, No. 1 feed Western.....	"	.244	53.6	.252	55.4	.263	57.8	.347	76.2
Oats, No. 2 feed Western.....	"	.224	52.6	.237	55.7	.244	57.3	.322	78.0
Peas, No. 2 white, Ontario.....	"	1.013	82.7	1.038	84.7	1.083	88.4	1.175	95.9
Rye, No. 2 C.W.....	"	.342	36.9	.368	39.7	.422	47.7	.538	58.0
Rye, No. 3 C.W.....	"	.315	36.1	.340	39.0	.413	47.3	.501	57.4
Rye, rejected.....	"	.295	34.7	.330	38.8	.398	46.8	.478	56.2
Rye, No. 2 Ontario.....	"	.363	41.7	.390	44.8	.371	42.6	.502	57.7
Wheat, No. 2 Ontario.....	"	.573	43.8	.475	36.3	.673	51.5	.881	67.4
Wheat, No. 1 Manitoba North-ern.....	"	.587	39.3	.556	37.2	.610	40.8	.748	50.0
Wheat, No. 2 Manitoba North-ern.....	"	.551	38.2	.525	36.4	.588	40.8	.715	49.6
Wheat, No. 3 Manitoba North-ern.....	"	.506	36.3	.498	35.7	.570	40.9	.694	49.8

(a) Per 100 pounds in 1934.

(b) Previous to 1934, 60's-70's.

(c) Squats in 1934.



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Flour and Other Milled Products			55.4		56.0		58.3		68.3
Flour, spring, No. 1 patent, Montreal.....	per 2 98's jute	5.029	57.0	4.812	54.6	5.090	57.7	5.500	62.4
Flour, No. 1 patent, at Winnipeg.....	per bbl.							4.758	
Flour, spring, No. 2 patent, Montreal.....	per 2-98's jute	4.359	52.4	4.212	50.6	4.480	53.8	4.975	59.8
Flour, No. 2 patent, at Winnipeg.....	per bbl.							4.458	
Flour, Ontario.....	"	2.892	49.5	2.428	41.5	2.974	50.9	3.923	67.2
Oatmeal.....	per 98 lb. sack	2.704	75.3	2.791	77.7	2.980	83.0	3.238	90.1
Rolled oats.....	per 90 lb. sack	2.458	74.9	2.533	77.2	2.700	82.2	2.942	89.6
Corn Meal.....	per 98's jute							2.679	
Malt.....	per bushel	.786	72.1	.817	75.0	.810	74.3	.955	87.6
Gluten Meal.....	per ton	20.750	53.1	19.667	50.3	19.330	49.5	25.000	64.0
Bran, Manitoba.....	"	18.950	64.1	19.366	65.5	18.320	61.9	23.879	80.7
Shorts, Manitoba.....	"	19.920	63.2	20.669	65.6	19.380	61.5	24.918	79.1
<b>Bakery Products.</b>									
Bread, plain white, Halifax.....	per pound	.060	81.9	.060	81.9	.060	81.9	.060	81.9
Bread, plain white, St. John.....	"	.063	78.8	.063	78.8	.063	78.8	.059	73.8
Bread, plain white, Montreal.....	"	.057	77.2	.057	77.2	.057	77.2	.060	81.9
Bread, plain white, Toronto.....	"	.060	90.1	.060	90.1	.060	90.1	.050	83.3
Bread, plain white, Winnipeg.....	"	.050	83.3	.050	83.3	.050	83.3	.048	66.7
Bread, plain white, Regina.....	"	.056	77.8	.056	77.8	.049	67.6	.043	60.9
Bread, plain white, Calgary.....	"	.057	80.9	.057	80.9	.047	67.2	.053	79.6
Bread, plain white, Vancouver.....	"	.053	78.8	.049	73.6	.051	76.6	.053	79.6
Biscuits, soda.....	"	.117	88.6	.112	84.7	.114	86.4	.115	87.1
<b>Vegetable Oils.</b>									
Cottonseed oil, refined.....	per pound	.112	79.6	.095	67.7	.082	58.4	.082	58.4
Linseed oil, raw.....	per gallon	.632	64.3	.532	54.1	.640	65.1	.747	76.0
Cocanut oil (Manila).....	per cwt.	4.923	49.1	4.671	46.6	4.260	42.5	3.445	34.4
Olive oil (Italian) (a).....	per 128 fluid ozs.	1.761	78.8	1.715	76.7	1.560	69.8	1.610	85.1
Peanut oil, oriental crude.....	per cwt.	5.250	53.8	5.275	54.0	4.950	50.7	4.138	42.4
Chinawood oil.....	per pound	.070	64.0	.069	52.9	.074	57.1	.087	67.1
Soya Bean oil, crude.....	per cwt.							5.375	
Palm oil, crude.....	"							3.292	
<b>Rubber and Its Products.</b>									
Rubber, raw, plantation, Ceylon, ribbed smoked sheets.....	per pound	.063	12.9	.039	8.0	.064	13.1	.128	26.2
Rubber, raw, plantation, standard latex thick crepe.....	"	.066	13.4	.048	9.7	.071	14.4	.141	28.5
Rubber, raw, upriver, fine, Para.....	"	.082	18.9	.069	15.9	.086	19.8	.105	24.2
Rubbers, men's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	per pair	.673	65.4	.673	65.4	.687	66.7	.686	66.6
Rubbers, women's regular No. 1 standard grade.....	"							.598	
Rubber tires, balloon, 4-40-21.....		6.640	45.1	6.798	46.2	7.070	48.1	.255	49.3
Rubber tires, balloon, 5-25-21.....		10.960	42.3	11.230	43.3	11.630	44.9	11.921	46.0
Tubes, 4-40-21.....								1.255	
Tubes, 5-25-21.....								1.836	
<b>Sugar and Its Products and Glucose.</b>									
Sugar, raw, 96° centrifugal.....	per cwt.	1.389	54.5	1.074	42.2	1.309	51.4		
Sugar, granulated, Montreal.....	"	4.552	76.4	4.378	73.5	5.823	97.7	5.557	93.3
Sugar, granulated, Vancouver.....	"							5.392	
Sugar, yellow, No. 1, Montreal.....	"	4.270	76.6	4.094	73.4	5.538	99.3	5.272	94.5
Sugar, yellow, No. 3, Vancouver.....	"							5.023	
Glucose, 44° Beaume.....	"	3.763	95.3	3.633	92.0	4.508	114.1	4.681	118.5
Molasses, Barbados, extra fancy.....	per gallon	.403	85.9	.334	71.2	.390	83.1	.434	92.5
Sugar, raw, preferential, B.W.I. Sugar, raw, Vancouver.....	per cwt.							1.973	40.0
								2.416	

(a) Previous to 1934—per gallon.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1913-1934—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices .....			67.9		66.7		63.6		71.7
Cocoa beans, green, Estates Trinidad .....	per pound	.074	51.6	.066	46.3	.059	41.2	.076	53.0
Cocoa beans, Ceylon, good .....	"	.150	67.4	.130	58.4	.108	48.4		
Cocoa beans, Grenada .....	"							.066	
Cocoa beans, Jamaica .....	"							.059	
Cocoa beans, Accra, good, fermented .....	"	.072	62.9	.070	60.6	.067	58.4	.072	62.8
Chocolate liquor, cheapest grade .....	"	.220	121.4	.190	104.8	.130	71.7	.110	60.7
Chocolate liquor, best grade .....	"	.265	96.1	.240	87.0	.190	68.9	.170	61.6
Cocoa butter, imported .....	"	.136	49.2	.109	39.2	.120	43.3	.134	48.4
Coffee, green, Santos, good quality .....	"	.151	55.2	.183	67.3	.174	63.9	.161	59.8
Coffee, green, Rio, good quality .....	"	.142	61.0	.165	70.8	.180	77.3		
Coffee, green, Bogota, good quality .....	"	.248	71.3	.245	70.6	.212	61.0	.208	59.9
Coffee, green, Jamaica, good quality .....	"	.137	54.8	.168	67.3	.165	66.0	.155	62.0
Coffee, green, Kenya, best .....	"							.253	
Coffee, green, African, medium .....	"							.201	
Tea, Pekoe, Ceylon and India .....	"	.328	61.7	.325	61.0	.338	63.5	.437	82.1
Tea, Japan, choice to medium .....	"	.510	93.2	.485	88.6	.450	82.2	.450	82.2
Black pepper .....	"	.221	60.6	.208	57.0	.186	51.1	.204	56.0
<b>Vegetables</b>									
Potatoes, Canada "A", Charlottetown .....	per 90-lb. bag	.448	26.9	.338	20.3	.556	33.4	.564	33.9
Potatoes, Halifax .....	"	.788	33.2	.717	30.2	.960	40.4	.933	39.3
Potatoes, Canada "A", Saint John .....	per cwt.	.762	25.7	.674	22.7	.987	33.2	.919	30.9
Potatoes, Quebec whites .....	per 90-lb. bag	.715	30.3	.548	23.2	.790	42.1	.701	37.4
Potatoes, Ontario .....	"	.786	28.9	.600	22.1	1.030	37.9	.631	23.2
Potatoes, Manitoba .....	per cwt.	.548	41.5	.571	43.3	.980	74.2	.612	46.4
Potatoes, Canada "B", Vancouver .....	"	.738	36.7	.542	27.0	.810	40.3	.775	38.5
Onions, Ontario .....	"	2.060	84.8	2.084	85.8	1.835	75.5	1.664	68.5
Onions, British Columbia .....	"	2.395	118.0	2.106	103.7	1.397	68.8	1.613	79.5
Turnips, Toronto .....	per 75-lb. bag	.672	83.7	.488	71.5	.420	61.5		
Carrots, Toronto .....	per 75-lb. bag	.537	80.1	.770	115.0	.542	80.9		
Parsnips, Toronto .....	per bag	1.171	157.4	.718	96.5	.789	106.0		
Canned corn, 2's standard, Ontario .....	per dozen	.909	79.1	.789	68.6	.850	73.9	.804	69.9
Canned peas, 2's standard, No. 4 .....	"	.779	60.7	.844	65.8	1.005	78.3	1.063	82.9
Canned tomatoes, 2½'s standard .....	"	.882	71.3	.857	69.3	.940	76.0	.883	67.3
Baked beans, 18 ounce tins .....	"							1.113	
<b>Tobacco</b>									
Tobacco, Quebec, cigar, high grade .....	per pound	.060	20.0	.140	46.7	.178	59.2		
Tobacco, Ontario, burley .....	"	.120	54.5	.100	45.5	.108*	48.9*	.090*	50.0*
Tobacco, light cigarette, high grade .....	"	.300	51.7	.240	41.4	.233	40.1	.275	47.4
Tobacco, light pipe .....	"	.250	50.0	.250	50.0	.209	41.8	.214	42.8
Tobacco, mahogany pipe .....	"	.220	48.9	.220	48.9	.164	36.4	.160	35.6
Tobacco, dark pipe .....	"	.180	51.4	.180	51.4	.083	23.6	.084	24.0
Tobacco, dark type, air cured, high grade .....	"	.140-.160	53.6	.080-.120	35.7	.089	31.8	.093	33.0
Tobacco, dark type, fired, high grade .....	"	.180-.200	63.3	.100-.150	41.7	.110	36.7	.113	37.5
Tobacco, No. 1, Quebec leaf .....	"							.113	

\*New price source in 1934. Prices in 1933 and 1934 not comparable but indexes are.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.									
Miscellaneous			75.2		63.4		59.2		71.4
Hay, timothy, No. 2, Quebec	per ton	12.208	84.4	9.063	62.7	10.000	69.2	12.833	88.8
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Quebec	"	9.167	73.6	7.000	56.2	8.320	66.8	11.000	88.3
Hay, timothy, No. 2—good No. 2, Ontario	"	14.096	84.7	12.189	73.2	9.522	57.2	16.078	96.6
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Ontario	"	12.740	85.3	10.531	70.5	7.828	52.4	14.271	95.5
Hay, alfalfa, Ontario	"	20.708	114.3	12.178	67.2	9.800	54.1	16.542	98.8
Hay, Saskatoon	"	12.600	61.5	11.833	57.7	11.167	54.5	12.479	88.8
Hay, Edmonton	"	10.583	59.5	10.667	59.9	9.625	54.1	6.167	41.1
Straw, wheat, Montreal	"	6.642	110.0	5.000	82.8	4.250	70.4		
Straw, oat, Montreal	"	6.729	95.4	5.042	71.5	5.325	75.5	7.478	106.1
Straw, wheat, baled, Toronto	"	7.808	74.7	7.438	71.2	6.438	61.6	9.820	94.0
Straw, oat, baled, Toronto	"	7.433	73.3	6.875	67.8	5.917	58.3	8.606	84.8
Straw, wheat, Edmonton	"	6.250	70.8	4.333	49.1	2.841	32.2	2.875	32.5
Straw, oat, Edmonton	"	6.250	59.5	4.333	41.3	3.000	28.6	3.167	30.2
Rosin	per barrel	9.650	54.6	8.079	45.7	7.260	41.1	8.133	46.1
Turpentine	per gallon	.734	53.8	.806	59.1	.790	57.9	.829	60.7
Starch, laundry	per pound	.080	100.0	.078	97.0	.076	95.0	.080	100.0
Vinegar, pure spirit, XXX grade	per gallon	.340	100.0	.250	73.5	.259	76.2	.272	80.0
Rice, Rangoon "B"	per cwt.	3.292	76.0	3.100	71.6	2.892	66.8	2.862	66.1
Rice, Japan	"	4.125	58.1	4.209	59.2	3.919	55.2	3.353	47.2
Rice, Chinese Paking	"	3.775	71.7	3.675	69.8	3.269	62.1	3.392	64.5
Rice, Blue Rose	"							5.212	
Tapioca, Singapore, medium pearl	per pound	.062	93.8	.058	87.3	.064	97.1	.070	106.2
Tapioca, Penang	"	.053	90.1	.055	90.7	.062	101.8	.068	111.7
ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.									
Fishery Products			73.9		59.7		59.4		67.2
Dry shore cod fish	per quintal	4.375	79.5	3.448	62.5	3.330	60.5	4.489	81.6
Salt herring	per barrel	5.823	137.0	3.750	88.2	2.940	69.2	2.750	64.7
Mackerel, salt, spring	"	8.417	63.8	6.250	47.4	4.730	35.9	6.583	
Smoked herring	per 20 lb. box	1.813	90.7	1.833	91.6	1.750	87.5	1.688	84.4
Dry salt herring	per ton (2,100 lb.)	21.980	69.8	13.000	41.3	16.250	51.6	20.500	65.1
Smoked finnan haddie	per pound	.087	97.1	.080	89.3	.077	85.9	.094	104.9
Smoked filets, cod	"	.122	93.3	.092	70.1	.077	58.9	.106	81.0
Stripped cod	"	.113	80.7	.100	71.4	.090	64.3	.097	69.3
Haddock, fresh	"	.053	89.6	.043	72.7	.043	72.7	.051	86.2
Whitefish (fresh and frozen)	"	.106	77.8	.103	75.5	.109	80.0	.120	88.1
Halibut, No. 1	per cwt.	9.067	60.2	6.275	41.6	6.475	43.0	7.110	47.2
Salmon, canned, sockeye	per case	15.160	81.0	14.268	76.2	14.410	77.0	15.169	81.0
Salmon, canned, coho	"	10.320	75.5	9.596	70.2	9.080	66.4	8.579	62.8
Salmon, canned, pink	"	5.380	71.7	4.657	62.1	4.690	62.5	5.198	69.3
Salmon, canned, chums	"	4.680	75.6	4.067	65.7	3.850	62.2	4.509	72.8
Lobsters, canned	"	19.125	63.8	16.396	54.7	16.080	53.6	21.375	71.3
Furs.									
Beaver	per skin	17.642	66.8	14.095	51.3	11.793	55.7	10.852	56.9
Weasel	"	1.121	52.2	.682	31.8	.583	27.1	.774	36.0
Red fox	"	11.161	77.3	7.594	52.6	7.375	51.1	8.000	55.4
Silver fox	"	43.122	56.7	34.934	45.9	39.250	51.6	40.828	53.7
White fox	"	26.979	73.9	19.750	54.1	24.300	66.6	24.350	66.7
Marten	"	11.009	63.0	9.362	53.5	12.542	71.7	11.900	68.1
Mink	"	12.631	73.2	8.276	47.9	9.643	55.9	11.638	67.4
Lynx	"	24.833	107.4	18.250	78.9	18.917	81.8	17.938	77.6
Muskrat, spring	"	1.068	50.1	1.198	56.2	.760	35.6	1.158	54.3
Muskrat, fall and winter	"	.738	47.1	.565	36.1	.430	27.4	.831	53.0
Hides and Skins.									
Beef hides, country cured	per pound	.048	53.5	.031	37.0	.041	56.4	.046	57.7
Packer hides, native steers	"	.083	61.6	.057	42.6	.095	70.5	.094	34.6
Packer hides, native cows	"							.080	
Calf skins, city cured	"	.087	56.1	.045	29.2	.103	34.8	.085	28.7
Sheep skins, city cured	per skin	.596	31.6	.583	30.9	.808	69.5	.922	79.3
Sheep skins, country cured	"	.396	28.4	.450	32.3	.471	90.1	.689	131.7
Leather (Unmanufactured).									
Sole leather, green hide crops	per pound	.363	91.9	.298	77.3	.304	78.8		77.7
Sole leather, dry hide sides	"	.338	99.2	.273	80.0	.270	79.0		
Packer Crops, No. I and II	"							.305	79.1
Packer Crops, No. III	"							.285	
Packer Bends, No. I and II	"							.336	
Packer Bends, No. III	"							.309	
Shoulders	"							.234	
Bellies	"							.183	
Box sides, B	per foot	.225	85.7	.195	74.3	.209	79.6	.206	78.5
Harness leather, No. 1	per pound	.380	85.7	.360	81.2	.365	82.3	.358	80.8
Gun metal calf, M No. 1	per foot	.368	91.0	.318	78.7	.313	77.4	.321	79.4



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(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Leather (Manufactured).....			95.6		90.6		89.4		87.3
Men's shoes (goodyear welt).....	per pair	3.683	95.7	3.390	89.0	3.337	87.7		
Men's shoes (stitch downs).....	"	2.195	88.7	2.029	82.0	1.973	79.7		
Women's shoes.....	"	2.383	96.3	2.309	93.3	2.284	92.3	1.966	85.6
Men's shoes.....								3.549	87.5
<b>Live Stock.....</b>									
Steers, Toronto, over 1,050 lbs.....	per cwt.	6.292	85.8	5.511	75.2	4.630	65.2	5.506	75.1
Steers, Winnipeg, over 1,050 lbs.....	"	5.875	89.7	4.589	76.6	3.670	61.3	4.180	69.8
Calves, good veal, Toronto.....	"	8.236	70.0	6.407	54.4	6.200	52.7	6.609	56.2
Calves, good veal, Winnipeg.....	"	7.020	94.1	5.167	69.3	4.840	64.9	4.973	66.7
Hogs, bacon, Montreal.....	"	7.578	56.0	4.888	36.1	5.880	43.4	8.724	64.7
Hogs, bacon, Toronto.....	"	7.513	56.4	4.696	35.3	5.540	41.6	8.608	64.6
Hogs, bacon, Winnipeg.....	"	6.480	53.2	3.963	32.6	4.810	39.5	7.728	58.9
Lambs, good handyweight, Montreal.....	"	7.948	67.1	5.962	50.2	6.170	52.1	6.985	58.9
Lambs, good handyweight, Toronto.....	"	8.962	68.7	6.769	51.9	6.920	53.0	7.622	58.4
Lambs, good handyweight, Winnipeg.....	"	7.164	66.0	5.443	50.2	5.320	49.0	6.108	56.3
<b>Meats and Poultry.....</b>									
Meats, Fresh.....			72.3		53.4		52.5		67.9
Beef, carcass, good steer beef, Montreal.....	per pound		76.2		60.7		55.6		65.4
Beef, carcass, good steer beef, Toronto.....	"	-117	84.8	-106	76.8	-089	64.5	-099	71.7
Beef, carcass, good steer beef, Winnipeg.....	"	-123	92.5	-110	82.7	-094	70.7	-092	80.0
Beef, carcass, good steer beef, Vancouver.....	"	-111	89.4	-094	75.8	-079	63.6	-076	61.2
Beef, carcass, good cow beef, Montreal.....	"	-120	93.8	-113	88.4	-089	69.6	-096	75.1
Beef, carcass, good cow beef, Toronto.....	"	-089	78.1	-081	71.1	-067	59.1	-074	65.3
Beef, carcass, good cow beef, Winnipeg.....	"	-092	86.5	-078	72.6	-066	61.9	-063	72.4
Beef, carcass, good cow beef, Vancouver.....	"	-082	84.8	-065	67.3	-048	49.5	-047	48.5
Veal, good veal carcass, Montreal.....	"	-095	94.2	-082	81.5	-063	62.5	-071	70.4
Veal, good veal carcass, Toronto.....	"	-125	73.5	-099	58.5	-094	55.3	-098	57.6
Veal, good veal carcass, Winnipeg.....	"	-130	66.5	-105	53.8	-093	47.7	-099	50.8
Lamb, good, Montreal.....	"	-132	83.8	-098	62.5	-086	54.6	-089	56.5
Lamb, good, Toronto.....	"	-172	79.1	-128	58.9	-142	65.3	-145	66.7
Lamb, good, Winnipeg.....	"	-189	74.7	-134	52.9	-139	54.9	-149	58.8
Lamb, good, Vancouver.....	"	-174	69.8	-130	52.0	-133	53.2	-138	55.2
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Montreal.....	"	-198	67.8	-148	50.7	-148	50.7	-154	52.8
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Toronto.....	"	-118	54.2	-076	35.0	-089	40.9	-127	58.2
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Winnipeg.....	"	-121	58.5	-079	38.1	-090	43.6	-124	60.1
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Vancouver.....	"	-122	59.3	-065	31.6	-079	38.3	-120	58.5
Pork carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Toronto.....	"	-120	56.6	-085	40.3	-097	45.7	-134	63.2
Pork carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Winnipeg.....	"	-118	55.5	-083	38.8	-093	43.7	-132	62.0
Pork carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Vancouver.....	"	-122	59.4	-068	33.1	-084	41.0	-126	61.5
Fowl, dressed.....	"	-192	83.9	-133	58.0	-111	48.4	-118	51.5
<b>Meats, Prepared.....</b>									
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.....	per pound		65.8		44.2		49.8		73.7
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.....	"	-190	56.0	-112	33.0	-132	38.9	-234	69.0
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.....	"	-203	61.5	-134	40.6	-158	47.9	-267	80.9
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.....	"	-216	60.4	-136	38.1	-173	48.4	-270	75.5
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.....	"	-263	64.3	-147	36.0	-181	44.3	-275	67.4
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.....	"	-207	64.0	-128	39.6	-148	45.8	-211	65.3
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.....	"	-218	68.4	-145	45.4	-161	50.4	-224	70.2
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.....	"	-228	70.7	-141	43.8	-160	49.6	-222	68.8
Mess pork, barrelled, Montreal.....	per barrel	-234	66.9	-160	45.7	-163	46.6	-218	62.3
Mess pork, barrelled, Toronto.....	"	26.000	65.4	16.000	40.3	16.580	41.7	21.333	53.7
Mess pork, barrelled, Winnipeg.....	"	27.083	76.0	21.333	59.9	21.130	59.3	25.958	72.9
Mess pork, barrelled, Vancouver.....	"	30.500	77.2	21.333	54.0	25.500	64.6	28.458	72.0
		33.920	71.4	22.210	46.8	19.040	40.1	22.417	47.2

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Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Milk and Its Products.....			73.5		59.2		60.2		64.7
Milk, Charlottetown.....	per gallon	.193	96.7	.147	73.4	.128	64.0	.127	63.5
Milk, Halifax.....	"	.270	110.9	.246	101.1	.234	96.1	.220	90.4
Milk, St. John.....	"	.228	85.8	.200	75.5	.165	62.3	.200	75.5
Milk, Montreal.....	per cwt.	1.899	80.7	1.488	63.2	1.420	60.3	1.575	66.9
Milk, Quebec.....	per gallon	.182	74.2	.138	56.1	.142	58.0	.150	61.2
Milk, Ottawa.....	per cwt.	2.118	86.4	1.358	55.4	1.400	57.1	1.537	62.7
Milk, Toronto.....	per 8 gallon can	1.620	80.5	1.222	60.7	1.318	65.5	1.551	77.1
Milk, Hamilton.....	per gallon	.198	74.5	.162	61.1	.160	60.4	.188	70.9
Milk, Winnipeg.....	per cwt.	1.904	88.0	1.377	63.7	1.530	70.8	1.570	72.6
Milk, Saskatoon.....	per pound	.645	103.1	.463	74.1	.463	74.1	.467	74.7
	butter fat								
Milk, Regina.....	per gallon	.254	110.3	.176	76.5	.176	76.5	.175	76.1
Milk, Calgary.....	per cwt.	2.033	85.0	1.567	65.5	1.688	70.6	1.883	78.7
Milk, Edmonton.....	"	1.891	81.1	1.642	70.4	1.608	68.9	1.788	76.6
Milk, Vancouver.....	per pound	.547	73.8	.400	54.0	.453	61.1	.430	58.0
	butter fat								
Milk, Victoria.....	per gallon	.270	116.1	.223	95.5	.207	88.8	.193	82.8
Condensed milk.....	per case	8.100	100.0	8.100	100.0	8.100	100.0	8.100	100.0
Evaporated milk.....	"	4.642	91.0	4.433	86.9	3.810	74.7	3.600	70.6
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Montreal.....	per pound	.269	68.8	.226	57.9	.233	59.7	.243	62.3
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Toronto.....	"	.271	65.3	.227	54.7	.235	56.6	.247	59.5
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Winnipeg.....	"	.272	68.7	.220	55.6	.218	55.1	.232	58.6
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Regina.....	"	.278	71.7	.212	54.6	.226	58.2	.238	61.3
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Calgary.....	"	.278	73.6	.228	60.1	.225	59.5	.234	61.9
Butter, No. 1 prints, Vancouver (A).....	"	.148	42.6	.120	34.7	.136	39.3	.104	28.8
Butter, dairy prints, Toronto.....	"	.140	70.9	.112	57.0	.104	52.8	.104	52.8
Cheese, new, large, at Montreal.....	"	.208	81.1	.173	67.6	.158	69.5	.154	67.8
Cheese, old, large, at Montreal.....	"								
Cheese, large, coloured, new, at Toronto.....	"	.131	62.1	.101	47.9	.108	51.2	.128	50.4
<b>Oils and Fats.....</b>									
Lard, Montreal.....	per pound	.104	60.0	.075	45.1	.084	48.6	.089	51.4
Lard, Toronto.....	"	.107	60.8	.093	52.4	.101	57.0	.106	60.0
Lard, Winnipeg.....	"	.100	53.4	.085	45.4	.098	52.3	.106	56.4
Lard, Vancouver.....	"	.116	58.6	.094	47.5	.106	53.7	.120	60.8
Tallow.....	"	.046	52.0	.042	47.7	.045	51.1	.047	53.4
<b>*Eggs.....</b>									
Fresh, Grade A large, Halifax.....	per dozen	.352	70.1	.298	60.6	.272	53.2	.324	60.2
Fresh, Grade A large, St. John.....	"	.333	71.3	.282	60.4	.267	57.2	.309	66.2
Fresh, Grade A large, Montreal.....	"	.343	73.8	.304	65.4	.280	60.2	.315	67.7
Fresh, Grade A large, Toronto.....	"	.316	68.4	.280	60.6	.261	56.5	.297	64.3
Fresh, Grade A large, Winnipeg.....	"	.295	70.1	.220	52.3	.203	48.2	.249	59.1
Fresh, Grade A large, Saskatoon.....	"	.228	56.2	.175	43.1	.182	44.8	.212	52.2
Fresh, Grade A large, Calgary.....	"	.250	60.5	.218	52.8	.203	49.2	.232	56.2
Fresh, Grade A large, Vancouver.....	"	.267	67.8	.238	60.4	.245	62.2	.262	66.5
Fresh, Grade B, Halifax.....	per dozen	.314	73.2	.271	63.2	.228	53.1	.245	57.1
Fresh, Grade B, St. John.....	"	.302	71.6	.251	59.5	.171	40.5	.225	53.3
Fresh, Grade B, Montreal.....	"	.297	72.1	.258	62.6	.221	53.6	.227	55.1
Fresh, Grade B, Toronto.....	"	.277	68.1	.243	59.7	.209	51.4	.229	56.3
Fresh, Grade B, Winnipeg.....	"	.264	69.7	.192	50.7	.170	44.9	.207	54.6
Fresh, Grade B, Saskatoon.....	"	.204	55.1	.149	40.3	.155	41.9	.185	50.0
Fresh, Grade B, Calgary.....	"	.226	60.4	.193	51.6	.165	44.1	.188	50.3
Fresh, Grade B, Vancouver.....	"	.240	66.3	.214	59.1	.216	59.7	.236	65.2
Fresh, Grade C, Halifax.....	per dozen	.242	72.7	.208	62.5	.185	55.6	.213	64.0
Fresh, Grade C, St. John.....	"	.232	67.8	.188	54.9	.162	47.3	.192	56.1
Fresh, Grade C, Montreal.....	"	.218	64.5	.192	58.8	.173	51.2	.204	60.4
Fresh, Grade C, Toronto.....	"	.195	60.7	.166	51.7	.164	51.1	.214	66.7
Fresh, Grade C, Winnipeg.....	"	.189	62.8	.141	46.8	.120	39.9	.176	58.5
Fresh, Grade C, Saskatoon.....	"	.164	54.5	.118	39.2	.125	41.5	.162	53.8
Fresh, Grade C, Calgary.....	"	.164	54.8	.134	44.8	.116	38.8	.161	50.5
Fresh, Grade C, Vancouver.....	"	.191	59.5	.189	58.9	.247	76.9		
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.....</b>									
Raw Cotton.....			73.4		69.7		69.7		72.9
Raw cotton, upland middling.....	per pound	.088	50.3	.073	41.7	.004	53.7	.122	69.8
Raw cotton, middling, 1" to 1-1/16".....	"	.099	51.0	.085	43.7	.106	54.6	.138	71.1

\*Previous to November, 1933: Eggs fresh extras, firsts, seconds.

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Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Concluded.									
Yarn and Thread			80.3		79.0		82.3		85.5
Cotton thread, 6 cord	per gross	10.460	89.9	10.560	90.7	10.440	89.7	10.480	90.0
Cotton yarn, 10's, white, single hosiery cops.	per pound	.229	62.2	.209	56.8	.251	68.2	.303	82.3
Cotton yarns, 24's, hosiery cones (A)	"							.349	
Cotton yarns, 20's, white cop. (A)	"							.333	
Cotton yarns, 30's, white cop. (A)	"							.373	
Cotton Fabrics			79.4		76.5		77.6		78.7
Cottonades, 8 oz. cloth, 2.00 yds. to lb.	per pound	.385	66.1	.383	65.8	.399	68.5	.432	74.2
Denim, black, 2.40 yds. to lb.	"	.372	69.3	.365	67.9	.377	70.2	.418	77.8
Denim, blue, 2.40 yds. to lb.	"	.376	66.0	.372	65.3	.395	69.3	.403	70.7
Ticking, 2.00 yds. to lb.	"	.427	70.6	.415	68.6	.423	69.9	.453	74.9
Shirting, 4.00 yds. to lb.	"	.528	76.5	.497	72.0	.532	77.1	.572	82.9
Flannelette, about 5.00 yds. to lb.	"	.522	68.2	.501	65.5	.500	65.3	.516	67.4
Dress gingham, 6.50-7.5 yds. to lb.	"	.959	88.3	.929	85.5	.975	89.8	.959	88.3
Apron gingham, 4.20 yds. to lb.	"	.669	83.8	.635	79.5	.658	82.5	.695	87.1
Cotton blankets, 12/4 (3½ lbs. per pr.)	"	.483	89.4	.461	85.3	.471	87.2	.502	92.9
Pillow cotton, 42" wide (A)	per yard							.227	
Wide cotton duck, 60", No. 1 (A)	"							1.001	
Bleached flannelette, about 4.50 yds. to lb.	per pound	.534	74.5	.496	69.1	.475	66.2	.481	67.1
Bleached flannelette, about 5.75 yds. to lb.	"	.536	72.8	.517	70.3	.497	67.5	.507	68.9
Napped sheeting, 72", unbleached	"	.444	76.0	.423	72.4	.402	68.8	.425	72.8
Grey cotton	per yard	.087	67.5	.080	62.5	.089	69.4	.098	76.4
Bleached cotton	"	.086	81.0	.081	76.1	.087	82.0	.094	88.6
Cotton sheeting, 8/4	"	.219	76.2	.206	71.7	.215	74.8	.229	79.7
Print	"	.117	87.2	.115	85.7	.128	90.7	.136	96.4
Gingham, Canadian, 6.37 yds. to lb.	"	.160	95.2	.165	97.9	.174	103.5	.175	104.1
Knit Cotton Goods									
Men's cotton underwear, Balbriggan	per dozen								
Men's cotton combinations (A)	pr.	3.838	85.3	3.600	80.0	3.500	77.8	3.688	82.0
Men's cotton combinations, 34-44 (A)	"							9.250	
								7.296	
Miscellaneous Cotton Products									
Sash cord, Hercules, No. 8	per pound	.482	93.9	.493	96.0	.540	105.2	.434	109.1
Miscellaneous Fibres and Their Products									
Flax fibre	per pound	.187	61.9		49.9		48.4		51.5
Linen thread, 3 cord, best quality	per dozen	.825	78.9	.180	76.0	.180	76.0		
Raw jute, first marks	per cwt.	5.791	87.4	.825	87.4	.888	89.8	.960	97.1
Hessian, 10½ oz. 40" wide	per 100 yards	6.329	53.3	5.264	48.4	4.720	43.4	4.271	54.7
			55.9	5.604	49.5	5.730	50.7	6.146	54.3
Manila hemp, "I", 12½ per cent, fair current	per pound	.054	36.5	.045	30.4	.044	29.7	.038	25.7
Mexican sisal	"	.039	43.4	.028	31.2	.035	39.0	.036	40.1
Binder twine, sisal, 500 feet	"	.094	71.3	.064	48.6	.059	44.8	.075	56.9
Rope, Manila	"	.178	65.4	.163	60.0	.138	50.6	.144	52.9
Linen huck towelling, 18" (A)	per yard							.395	
Jute Bags, No. 98 (A)	per 1000 bags							104.354	
Burlap bags, No. 100 (A)	"							101.771	
Raw Silk			42.5		29.8		28.2		21.0
Silk, raw, grand double extra	per pound	3.017	45.4	2.051	30.9	1.924	29.0		
Silk, raw, crack double extra	"	2.632	40.9	1.874	29.1	1.798	27.9		
Silk, raw, extra	"	2.548	41.0	1.831	29.5	1.771	27.5		
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c., 13/15 denier (A)	"							1.536	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 13/15 denier (A)	"							1.418	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 13/15 denier (A)	"							1.362	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 13/15 denier (A)	"							1.325	
Silk, raw, XX, 73 p.c., 13/15 denier (A)	"							1.297	
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c., 20/22 denier (A)	"							1.313	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 20/22 denier (A)	"							1.286	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 20/22 denier (A)	"							1.264	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 20/22 denier (A)	"							1.245	

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Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Silk Thread and Yarn.....	per dozen	615	68.1	550	69.9	600	62.8	600	63.9
Silk spool, 50 yds., letter "A".....	per dozen	10.25	85.4	10.375	76.4	9.330	66.7	9.500	66.7
Silk machine twist, 16 oz.....	per pound		67.2		69.6		62.6		63.7
Silk Hosiery.....	per dozen		75.9		74.3		66.5		65.9
Hosiery, men's, pure silk.....	per dozen	5.343	76.3	5.260	75.1	5.860	75.6	5.888	76.0
Hosiery, women's, pure silk.....	"	11.588	75.7	11.313	73.9	9.540	62.3	5.921	
Silk Fabrics.....	per yard		54.8		57.0		51.5		49.4
Canton crepe, 38".....	"	573	59.3	564	58.4	850	53.7		
Flat crepe, 37½".....	"	498	49.5	471	46.8	704	42.8		
Rayon taffeta, 27".....	"	289	64.7	335	75.0	253	68.7		
Rayon dress crepe, 38".....	"	393	55.4	427	60.2	550	53.7		
Crepe de Chine (A).....	"							456	
Flat crepe (A).....	"							729	
Georgette, 3 thread (A).....	"							679	
Faille (A).....	"							1.017	
Artificial Silk and Its Products.....	per pound		65.8		64.4				56.1
Rayon yarn, 150 deniers (*).....	"	829	54.4	815	53.4	813	53.3	763	
Rayon yarn, 100 deniers (A).....	"							888	
Rayon yarn, 150 deniers, weaving (A).....	"							671	
Rayon yarn, 100 deniers, bright weaving (A).....	"							808	
Hosiery, women's, artificial silk.....	per dozen	3.613	94.1	3.520	91.7	4.790	79.8	4.220	70.3
Raw Wool.....	per pound		44.1		31.7		47.0		61.3
Raw wool, eastern bright, ½ blood.....	"	143	46.8	103	33.5	137	44.8	181	59.2
Raw wool, western domestic, semi-bright, ½ blood.....	"	126	42.5	090	30.3	145	48.9	190	64.1
Raw wool, western domestic, semi-bright, ½ blood.....	"	127	40.2	094	29.6	157	49.7	199	63.0
Yarns, Wool.....	per pound		67.9		67.7		69.3		88.8
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36, 58's.....	"	751	68.0	739	66.9	720	65.2	1.002	90.7
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36, 58's.....	"	786	65.2	766	63.6	770	63.9	1.099	91.2
Worsted cloth yarn, 2/24, 58's (A).....	"							1.006	
Worsted cloth yarn, 2/24, 60's (A).....	"							1.069	
Worsted cloth yarn, fine, 2/45, 64's.....	"	902	58.7	971	63.2	990	64.4	1.217	79.7
Worsted cloth yarn, 4 ply, 8's, 46's.....	"	713	86.9	654	79.7	700	85.3	833	101.4
Hosiery and Knit Goods.....	per dozen		87.9		81.5		81.5		91.5
Hosiery, men's, woollen.....	per dozen	3.990	87.7	3.664	80.5	2.680	81.0	3.229	97.0
Men's cashmere, half hose (A).....	dozen pair							4.750	
Knitted woollen underwear, men's.....	per dozen	15.500	88.8	15.063	86.3	14.630	83.8	15.454	88.8
Men's woollen combinations (A).....	"							32.000	
Men's woollen shirts and drawers (A).....	"							20.000	
Wool Blankets.....	per pound	851	86.8	762	77.8	663	67.7	816	83.7
Cloth.....	per yard		74.0		70.0		73.9		79.9
Woollen cloth, fine grade.....	"	1.942	73.3	1.750	66.0	1.870	70.6	2.063	77.7
Woollen cloth, coarse grade, 46's top.....	"	1.203	80.6	1.200	80.4	1.290	86.5	1.383	92.5
Serge, Botany, 64's top, 16-17 oz.....	"	1.916	69.7	1.831	66.6	1.770	69.6	1.915	75.7
Serge, Botany, 64's top, 13-14 oz.....	"	1.589	75.7	1.511	72.0	1.510	75.1	1.642	81.1
Flannel, White, 32" per yard (A).....	"							621	
Suiting, Fancy, Worsted, 13 oz. (A).....	"							1.983	
Carpets.....	per square		91.6		93.0		85.4		88.8
Carpets, Wilton, 9' x 12' (B).....	"	46.167	92.1	46.960	93.7	35.270	85.4	38.513	88.8
Carpets, Axminster, 9' x 12'.....	"	27.099	90.3	27.370	91.2	23.850	85.5	24.700	88.8
Wood, Wood Products and Paper.....	per cord		79.1		69.1		62.8		65.5
Newsprint and Wrapping Paper.....	per ton		77.7		68.2		55.3		53.3
Newsprint paper rolls.....	cwt.	2.510	77.2	2.170	66.8	1.710	52.6	1.660	51.1
Paper, Manila, No. 1.....	"	5.400	82.9	5.400	82.9	5.320	81.7	5.363	82.2

\*New price series, not comparable with earlier years. Spliced to make indexes comparable.

(A) New item. No index comparison possible.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Con.									
Lumber and Timber.....			77.4		68.8		70.8		78.6
Canadian white pine.....			89.1		82.2		81.4		87.2
"C" selects and better, 1" thick.....	per M feet board measure	83.750	72.8	78.333	68.1	75.000	65.2	79.583	69.2
"C" selects and better, 5/4" and thicker.....	"	95.000	70.4	89.583	66.4	90.000	66.7		
No. 1 and No. 2 common, 1" thick.....	"	40.583	101.5	37.667	94.2	37.330	93.3		
No. 1 and No. 2, 3/4" thick and thicker.....	"	42.583	101.4	39.667	94.4	39.330	93.6		
No. 3 common, all thicknesses.....	"	29.833	106.5	23.667	84.5	23.420	83.6		
No. 1 Cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 10/16 (A).....	per M feet board measure								
No. 2 Cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 10/16 (A).....	"							89.583	
No. 1 and 2 Common, 1 x 8-8/16 (A).....	"							66.583	
No. 3 Common, 1 x 8-6/16 (A).....	"							44.750	
No. 4 Common, 1 x 4/9-6/16 (A).....	"							31.917	
No. 5 Common, 1 x 4/9-8/16 (A).....	"							26.583	
No. 6 Common, 1 x 4 and up, 6/16 (A).....	"							22.667	
Lath, No. 1.....	per M	5.458	54.4	4.833	48.1	4.750	47.3	14.750	
								4.750	47.3
Spruce.....			73.8		59.4		60.4		74.2
Quebec spruce deals, 2" x 4", 8/16'.....	per M feet board measure	25.167	81.4	18.542	60.0	19.420	62.8	25.545	82.6
Quebec spruce lumber, 3" x 8", 8/16'.....	"	31.167	86.7	25.542	71.0	25.000	69.5	30.727	85.5
Lath, spruce, Quebec, 1 1/2" x 4'.....	per M	4.021	60.3	3.646	54.7	3.380	50.7	3.750	56.2
Lath, Maritime, No. 1, 1 1/2" x 4'.....	"	2.188	43.1	2.708	53.3	2.310	46.5	2.250	44.3
Merchantable sawn spruce deals, 3" x 3" and up.....	per M feet board measure	17.750	81.1	13.292	60.8	13.920	63.6	18.208	83.2
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 3" to 2" x 6".....	"	13.963	63.5	10.408	47.3	11.790	53.6	13.833	62.9
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 7".....	"	15.764	65.7	13.814	57.6	14.290	63.5	16.354	72.7
Hardwoods.....			81.1		71.8		67.2		71.2
Maple, hard, 4/4" f.a.s.....	per M feet board measure	77.917	87.4	61.667	69.2	45.000	61.7	54.000	
Maple, soft, C. and B.....	"	48.250	96.5	41.667	33.3	40.000	80.0	40.000	80.0
Oak, red, plain, f.a.s.....	"	77.833	70.9	74.000	67.0	75.000	67.9	75.000	67.9
Birch, C. and B.....	"	51.500	84.2	46.667	76.3	42.000	68.7	47.333	77.4
Hemlock.....			80.4		77.5		68.3		72.4
Hemlock, 2" mill run.....	per M feet board measure	20.083	80.3	19.500	78.0	17.250	69.0	18.292	73.2
Hemlock, 2" culls.....	"	15.250	81.0	13.417	71.3	11.330	60.2	12.000	63.7
Fir.....			72.5		64.6		69.4		85.2
No. 1 common fir timber, 3" x 4" to 4" x 12", 12'-40'.....	per M feet board measure	13.708	79.5	12.000	69.6	13.750	79.7	17.250	100.0
No. 1 common fir timber, 6" x 6", 12" x 12", 12'-40'.....	"	13.875	77.3	13.750	76.6	14.500	80.7	17.333	96.5
Clear Fir, No. 1 and 2, D4S, 1 x 6 (A).....	"							49.292	
Drop siding, 1" x 6", No. 2 and better.....	"	19.667	67.8	17.000	58.6	19.670	67.8	25.000	86.2
Flooring, fir, 1" x 4", No. 1 and 2 f.g.....	"	16.188	62.3	14.458	55.6	14.250	54.8	14.500	55.8
Clear fir casing, No. 1 and 2, 1 x 5 (A).....	"							53.729	
No. 1 common fir dimension, 2" x 4", 12' - 14'.....	"	11.292	75.9	9.083	61.1	9.290	62.5	13.000	87.4
B.C. Cedar.....			71.5		69.4		81.7		69.0
No. 1 common cedar boards, 1" x 8", 10".....	per M feet board measure	12.667	71.9	13.417	76.1	14.250	80.9	15.083	85.6
No. 1 common cedar shiplap, 1 x 8 (A).....	"	28.000	85.5	24.000	73.3	25.170	76.9	24.460	
Bevel siding, 1 1/2" x 6".....	"							28.833	88.0
Clear cedar bungalow siding, 1 1/2 x 10-8' x 18' (A).....	"							53.792	
Shingles, XXX, 3 x 6/2, clear.....	per M	2.142	67.5	2.146	67.6	2.640	83.1	2.013	63.4

(A) New item. No index comparison possible. (B) New price series in 1934.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER— <i>Conc.</i>									
Pulp.....			84.0		71.3		67.3		70.9
Sulphite pulp, unbleached, newsgrade.....	per ton	44.096	82.4	37.755	70.6	35.290	66.0	38.863	72.6
Sulphite pulp, bleached.....	"	65.000	81.3	55.000	68.8	52.500	65.6	55.000	68.8
Groundwood pulp, No. 1.....	"	25.519	86.0	21.554	72.6	20.428	68.9	20.896	70.4
Furniture (composite).....			88.1		71.8		63.9		65.7
Matches—silent 4's, non-poisonous.....	per case	10.201	73.8	10.488	75.8	10.540	76.2	10.540	76.2
IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....			87.4		86.3		85.4		87.0
Pig Iron and Steel Billets.....			86.9		86.9		83.0		82.8
Pig iron, No. 1, foundry.....	per gross ton	22.100	86.9	22.100	86.9	20.510	80.6	20.455	80.4
Pig iron, malleable.....	"	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2
Pig iron, basic.....	"	18.000	82.4	18.000	82.4	18.000	82.4		
Steel billets, mild, 4 x 4 and larger.....	"	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5
Rolling Mill Products.....			90.7		90.9		90.9		90.9
Steel bars, structural grade.....	per cwt.	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5
Merchant bars, mild steel.....		2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8
Steel rails, open hearth.....	per gross ton	47.000	98.3	47.000	98.3	45.670	95.6	43.333	90.7
Steel tank plates.....	100 pounds	1.696	89.3	1.799	94.7	1.765	92.9	1.758	92.5
*Light cold rolled sheets, No. 20, U.S.G.....	"	3.257	75.8	3.184	74.1	2.703	62.9	2.888	67.2
Structural shapes, open hearth.....	"	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0
Steel sheets, galvanized, No. 24, U.S.G.....	"	3.792	77.2	3.571	72.7	3.540	72.1	3.808	77.5
†Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 24, U.S.G. (B).....	"	3.282	82.8	3.627	91.5	3.470	91.0	3.383	
†Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 10, U.S.G. (B).....	"	2.811	86.5	2.890	88.9	2.710	85.8	3.150	
Iron boiler plate, 3/4" (A).....	per pound net								.036
Galvanized corrugated iron sheets, No. 28 gauge (A).....	per 100 square ft.								4.758
Steel sheets, black, No. 10 gauge (A).....	cwt.								3.375
Mild steel tank plates, quality, 3/4" to 1" thick (A).....	"								3.150
†Tin plate, standard coke.....	per box	5.440	94.9	5.440	94.9	5.650	102.3	5.825	
PIPE.....			89.9		89.9		89.0		89.0
Pipe, cast iron 4".....	per ton	50.000	90.9	50.000	90.9	48.000	87.3	48.000	87.3
Steel pipe, butt-weld, black, 1".....	per foot	.073	89.6	.073	89.6	.073	89.6	.073	89.6
HARDWARE.....			90.1		88.3		86.7		87.3
Tools and hand implements.....			91.4		88.8		82.7		85.4
Hammers, plain face.....	per dozen	10.760	79.7	10.720	79.4	10.720	79.4	10.720	79.4
Axes, chopping.....	"	11.388	75.9	10.400	69.3	10.700	71.3	12.093	80.6
Shovels and spades, plain back.....	"	12.313	94.4	12.000	92.0	11.000	84.3	11.292	86.5
Other Hardware.....			89.7		88.2		88.1		88.2
Wash tubs, No. 1.....	per dozen	12.500	97.9	11.248	88.1	10.650	83.4	10.820	84.7
Pails, galvanized, No. 12.....	"	4.100	90.3	3.475	76.5	3.400	75.2	3.520	77.5
Boilers, range, 30 gallon.....	each	8.250	72.2	6.948	73.2	7.170	75.6	7.433	78.3
Chain, 3/4" bright coil.....	cwt.	8.550	96.6	8.550	96.6	8.550	96.6	8.550	96.6
Machine bolts, 7/16" diameter, 6" long (A).....	"								4.200
Square nuts, hot pressed and forged (A).....	"								10.400
Wire cloth, painted screen.....	per 100 square ft.	1.900	93.3	1.900	93.3	1.900	93.3	1.900	93.3
Wire nails, base.....	per keg	2.858	87.8	2.800	86.0	2.800	86.0	2.800	86.0
Screws, wood, No. 6.....	per gross	.173	92.5	.173	92.5	.173	92.5	.173	92.5
Steel thumb latches, No. 2.....	per dozen	1.130	71.5	1.199	75.9	1.208	76.5	1.245	78.3
Bright steel safety hasps.....	"	.678	81.7	.681	83.3	.700	84.3	.663	79.9
Flat barn door track.....	per 100 ft.	7.193	86.2	7.676	91.9	7.738	92.7	7.924	94.3
Screen door hinges, No. 20.....	per gross	12.330	83.9	12.660	86.1	12.720	86.5	12.720	86.5
WIRE.....			84.2		82.8		81.8		86.1
Wire, barbed, galvanized.....	cwt.	3.619	84.2	3.500	81.4	3.500	81.4	3.733	86.1
Wire, galvanized, No. 9.....	"	3.533	85.1	3.450	83.1	3.330	80.2	3.450	83.1
Wire, annealed, No. 9.....	"	3.254	83.4	3.250	83.3	3.250	83.3	3.500	89.9

\*Previous to 1934, Automobile Body Plates, No. 20.

†Previous to July 1931, Steel Sheets, Black.

‡Previous to 1934, per box (100 pounds).

(A) New item. No index comparison possible.

(B) New price series in 1934; not comparable with earlier years.



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded</b>									
Scrap, Iron and Steel.....			56.8		43.9		40.7		55.6
Steel scrap, heavy melting, charging box size.....	per gross ton	8.875	61.1	6.834	47.1	6.875	47.3	9.208	63.4
Steel scrap, heavy melting, over charging box size.....	"	7.375	56.8	4.917	37.9	5.250	40.4	7.458	57.5
Scrap, turnings and borings.....		5.625	45.6	4.000	32.4	4.000	32.4	6.375	51.7
Scrap, No. 1, machinery cast iron.....	per net ton	11.542	60.2	10.500	54.8	7.580	39.5	9.833	51.3
Scrap, No. 2, machinery cast iron.....	"	8.500	50.0	7.292	42.9	5.580	32.8	7.125	41.9
<b>Miscellaneous</b>									
Car axles.....	per ton	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0
<b>NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>									
Aluminium and Its Products.....			64.6		59.0		64.3		64.3
Aluminium sheet.....	per pound	.238						.270	80.4
Aluminium, virgin, 98-99 p.c.....	"	.238	88.0	.260	96.1	.250	92.4	.214	79.1
Antimony, Chinese, 99 p.c.....	per cwt.	6.921	40.9	6.258	37.0	6.958	41.1	8.625	51.0
<b>Copper, Brass, and Their Products</b>									
Copper, electrolytic, domestic.....	per cwt.	10.006	63.5	7.516	47.7	8.684	55.1	8.220	52.1
Copper sheets.....	per pound	.237	96.9	.212	86.6	.175	86.0	.164	80.8
Electrolytic copper wire bars.....	per cwt.	8.683	62.1	6.612	47.3	7.892	56.4	8.578	61.3
Copper wire, solid bare.....	per pound	.131	67.4	.116	60.1	.127	65.4	.130	67.2
Brass sheets, yellow.....	"	.168	80.6	.146	70.1	.152	73.0	.157	75.4
Brass valves.....	each							1.428	
<b>Lead and Its Products</b>									
Lead, domestic.....	per cwt.	4.168	51.5		43.8		46.2		42.8
Lead, foreign.....	per cwt.		51.1	3.511	43.1	3.705	45.4	3.409	41.8
Lead pipe.....	per pound	.096	63.9	.101	67.0	.105	69.7	.113	75.0
Silver.....	per ounce	.300	48.4	.317	51.1	.376	60.7	.474	76.5
Tin Ingots, 99.25%.....	per pound							.555	
Tin Ingots, Straits.....	"	.281	42.0	.294	44.0	.457	68.3	.569	85.0
<b>Zinc and Its Products</b>									
Zinc, domestic.....	per cwt.	3.961	44.9	3.724	42.2	4.488	50.9	4.059	46.0
Zinc sheets*.....	per pound	.063	61.9	.053	52.8	.052	62.1	.055	65.5
Solder.....									
Solder, 50-50.....	"	.179	46.0	.169	43.6	.258	66.4	.318	81.9
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>									
Clay and Allied Material Products (a).....			86.5		85.5		84.4		86.0
Brick, soft mud process, common.....	per M	19.125	100.5		100.5		100.2		95.7
Brick, stiff mud process, wire cut.....		24.750	107.1	18.875	105.7	19.000	106.4	19.000	106.4
Brick, stiff mud process, No. 1.....	per M	22.625	102.5	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5
Brick, common, plastic.....	"	17.714	98.4	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8
Brick, dry press, No. 1, Quebec.....	"	27.154	106.6	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1
Brick, dry press face, Toronto.....	"	24.667	89.3	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6
Brick, sand-lime (A).....	"	12.000	106.8	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2
Hollow blocks, building tile.....	"	110.000	80.0	12.333	82.2	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7
Stucco (mixing plant) (B).....	per ton		99.1	105.000	94.6	95.830	86.3	92.500	83.3
Sewer pipe, vitrified, 6" (B).....	per foot							11.950	
Pottery.....			83.4		84.6		84.2		87.7
Cups and saucers, No. 1.....	per dozen	1.079	79.9	1.100	81.5	1.070	79.3	1.100	81.5
Dinner sets, printed.....	per set	14.750	92.2	14.806	92.5	13.330	96.8	14.250	103.5
<b>Coal</b>									
Coal, U.S. anthracite, egg.....	gross ton	13.278	93.1		91.0		87.5		90.0
Coal, U.S. bituminous, run of mine.....	per ton	5.713	97.9	12.997	95.8	12.389	91.4	12.117	89.4
Coal, U.S. bituminous, slack.....	"	5.213	88.3	5.654	87.4	5.354	86.4	5.733	92.0
Coal, bituminous, run of mine, N.S.....	"	6.000	84.5	5.154	83.6	4.854	82.5	5.125	87.1
Coal, Welsh anthracite, No. 1 buck-wheat (B).....	per gross ton		98.6	5.813	95.6	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3
Coal, Welsh cobbles (B).....	"							8.883	
Coal, western domestic double screened, lump, Drumheller.....	"	4.017						12.750	
Coal, western domestic, screened, D. Lethbridge.....	"	5.042	95.6	4.000	95.2	3.775	89.9	3.513	72.3
			92.7	4.813	88.5	4.670	85.9	4.250	78.2

(a) Previous to 1934—Bricks, Building.

\* New price series in 1933.

(B) New item. No index comparison possible.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
<b>Coal—Con.</b>									
Coal, western domestic, screened, lump, Edmonton.....	"	3-333	93-0	2-958	82-6	2-770	77-3	2-783	77-7
Coal, domestic, run of mine, B.C.....	"	4-270	100-0	4-270	100-0	3-760	88-1	3-500	82-0
Coal, domestic, slack, B.C.....	"	3-600	97-6	3-600	97-6	3-300	89-4	3-000	81-3
Coal, domestic, screened, lump, B.C. (bunker coal).....	per gross ton	6-896	95-1	6-513	89-8	6-430	88-7		
Coal, domestic, slack, B.C. (bunker coal).....	"	4-000	100-0	3-488	87-2	3-190	79-8	7-155	
Coal, house lump, B.C. (B).....	"							3-401	
Coal, washed slack, B.C. (B).....	"							10-230	107-7
Coal tar, crude.....	per barrel	9-663	101-7	9-966	104-9	10-230	107-7		
Coke.....			100-8		99-8		94-2		93-4
Coke, by-product, N.S.....	per ton	7-500	111-2	7-000	103-8	5-50	81-5	5-708	84-6
Coke, metallurgical, Ont.....	"	7-500	103-4	7-417	102-3	7-00	96-6	7-000	96-6
Coke, by-product, Ont.....	"	7-500	100-0	7-417	98-9	7-00	93-3	7-000	93-3
Coke, metallurgical, B.C.....	"	7-400	100-0	7-400	100-0	7-133	96-4	6-000	81-1
Coke, for domestic use, B.C.....	"	8-300	100-0	8-300	100-0	7-933	95-6	7-542	90-9
Manufactured gas (B).....	per 10,000 feet							12-154	98-0
<b>Glass and Its Products.....</b>									
Window glass, 16 oz. 40 U.L.....	per box	4-470	96-4	4-321	93-2	4-256	91-8	4-464	96-3
Window glass, 21 oz. 60 U.L.....	"	8-280	96-4	8-004	93-2	7-883	91-8	9-792	114-0
Plate glass, 3'-4', super.....	per square foot	473	53-2	525	59-1	525	59-1	525	59-1
Plate glass, 10'-12', super.....	"	701	54-2	800	61-8	800	61-8	800	61-8
Plate glass, 25'-50', super.....	"	811	57-2	1-006	71-0	1-006	71-0	1-006	71-0
Tumblers.....	per gross	3-750	82-4	4-054	89-1	4-180	91-9	4-408	96-9
<b>Petroleum and Its Products.....</b>									
Crude Oil.....			73-0		74-6		74-8		76-3
Crude oil, mid-continent.....	per barrel	2-367	62-9	2-920	77-5	2-825	67-5	2-725	72-2
Crude oil, Salt Creek.....	"	2-578	64-5	3-167	79-2	2-780	69-5	2-946	70-6
Gasoline.....			69-7		73-0		70-7		70-8
Halifax.....	per gallon	191	67-6	200	70-8	184	65-1	186	65-8
Montreal.....	"	178	70-5	176	69-8	168	66-5	180	71-3
Toronto.....	"	169	66-9	179	71-0	173	68-5	163	66-4
Winnipeg.....	"	188	66-2	202	71-0	198	69-7	217	76-6
Regina.....	"	229	71-6	242	75-5	238	74-4	230	71-9
Calgary.....	"	204	69-7	217	74-1	209	71-4	225	76-9
Vancouver.....	"	195	88-6	200	90-9	202	91-8	208	94-5
Coal Oil.....			74-2		75-5		75-6		78-6
Halifax.....	per gallon	211	81-8	220	85-3	210	81-4	209	81-0
Montreal.....	"	189	82-9	166	72-7	157	68-9	170	74-6
Toronto.....	"	179	78-5	175	76-6	163	71-5	175	76-8
Winnipeg.....	"	162	64-2	172	68-0	182	72-1	202	80-0
Regina.....	"	198	70-7	212	75-6	222	79-3	215	76-8
Calgary.....	"	173	65-8	187	71-1	197	74-9	210	79-8
Vancouver.....	"	223	97-0	230	100-0	232	100-9	240	104-3
Fuel oil, Toronto.....	"	071	75-1	068	72-2	075	79-6	080	84-9
Lubricating oil, Toronto.....	"	293	93-0	294	93-2	293	93-0	293	93-0
<b>Asphalt.....</b>									
Asphalt, Montreal.....	per ton							14-300	88-6
Asphalt, Toronto.....	"							17-600	95-3
Salt.....			114-6		114-6		114-4		110-8
Salt, vacuum, fine.....	per barrel	1-910	136-4	1-910	136-4	1-870	133-6	1-750	125-0
Salt, vacuum, coarse.....	"	2-270	113-0	2-270	113-0	2-270	113-0	2-270	113-0
Salt, dairy.....	"	3-120	104-0	3-120	104-0	3-120	104-0	3-120	104-0
Salt, table.....	per barrel of 80 bags	4-405	118-1	4-405	118-1	4-410	118-2	4-160	111-5
Sulphur.....	per gross ton	24-482	104-2	26-700	113-6	23-701	100-9	21-729	92-5
Plaster.....			95-4		95-8		98-1		104-1
Hard wall plaster, neat, N.B.....	per ton	8-954	94-3	9-235	97-2	9-350	98-4	9-592	101-0
Hard wall plaster, neat, Ontario.....	"	10-583	94-1	10-250	91-1	10-660	94-8	11-950	106-2
Plaster of Paris.....	per barrel	4-788	100-8	4-938	104-0	5-000	105-3	5-000	105-3

(B) New item. No index comparison possible.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Lime.....			96.3		91.7		94.8		102.1
Quick lime, high calcium.....	per ton	6-521	85.2	6-438	84.2	6-000	78.4	6-000	78.4
Quick lime, grey.....	"	7-875	98.4	7-500	93.8	8-150	101.9	8-500	106.3
Hydrated lime, in paper bags.....	"	8-000	92.7	8-000	92.7	8-000	92.7	8-000	92.7
Hydrated lime, finishing.....	"	12-250	98.0	11-500	92.0	11-920	95.4	13-250	106.0
Cement.....			102.3		105.3		105.5		105.2
Portland cement, Montreal.....	per barrel	1-635	109.7	1-690	113.3	1-700	114.0	1-700	114.0
Portland cement, Toronto.....	"	2-035	104.2	2-090	107.0	2-100	107.5	2-100	107.5
Portland cement, Winnipeg.....	"	2-640	86.6	2-670	87.5	2-680	87.9	2-680	87.9
Portland cement, Regina.....	"	3-310	89.5	3-340	90.3	3-350	90.5	3-350	90.5
Portland cement, Vancouver.....	"	2-571	87.4	2-726	92.7	2-597	88.3	2-491	84.7
Sand and Gravel.....			94.2		87.5		87.3		91.2
Sand, concrete, Montreal.....	per ton	1-250	111.1	1-250	111.1	1-250	111.1	1-250	111.1
Sand, concrete, Toronto.....	"	1-221	90.4	1-054	78.1	1-000	74.1	1-000	74.1
Sand, concrete, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1-150	100.0	1-150	100.0	1-150	100.0	1-150	100.0
Sand, concrete, Vancouver.....	"	.892	81.1	.758	68.9	.875	79.5	1-000	90.9
Gravel, pit run, Montreal.....	per ton	1-200	96.0	1-125	90.0	1-040	83.2	1-000	80.0
Gravel, pit run, Toronto.....	"	1-509	86.2	1-443	82.5	1-430	81.7	1-632	93.3
Gravel, pit run, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1-150	100.0	1-150	100.0	1-150	100.0	1-150	100.0
Gravel, pit run, Vancouver.....	"	.892	81.1	.758	68.9	.875	79.5	1-000	90.9
Crushed Stone.....			87.5		84.7		75.2		81.8
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Montreal.....	per ton	1-250	89.3	1-158	82.7	.690	49.3	.600	42.9
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Toronto.....	"	1-618	87.5	1-610	87.0	1-600	86.5	1-829	98.9
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Vancouver.....	per cubic yard	.863	69.0	.608	48.6	1-030	82.4	1-130	90.4
Building Stone.....			66.4		64.8		64.4		64.7
Stanstead granite, base stock blocks.....	per cubic foot	1-250	125.0	.821	82.1	.780	78.0	.750	75.0
Stanstead granite, die stock blocks.....	"	1-750	116.7	1-240	82.7	1-030	68.7	1-250	83.3
Dolomite, silver grey, rough blocks.....	"	.800	64.0	.800	64.0	.800	64.0	.800	64.0
*Asbestos and Its Products.....			78.2		71.2		72.7		77.6
Asbestos, crude, No. 1.....	per ton	466-670	92.6	450-000	89.3	450-000	89.3	450-000	89.3
Asbestos, crude, No. 2.....	"	241-670	83.5	200-000	69.1	200-000	69.1	200-000	69.1
Spinning stocks.....	"	135-000	73.0	110-000	59.5	110-000	59.5	120-000	64.9
Shingle stock.....	"	65-000	100.0	60-000	92.3	60-000	92.3	60-000	92.3
Mill board and paper stocks.....	"	30-000	66.7	30-000	66.7	30-000	66.7	32-500	72.2
Fillers, floatts and other short fibre.....	"	10-667	71.1	10-000	66.7	11-330	75.5	12-000	80.0
Asbestos, pipe covering, 3 ply.....	per foot							.551	91.4
Asbestos, mill board.....	per cwt.							9-000	116.1
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.....</b>									
Inorganic Chemicals.....			86.7		83.9		81.3		81.2
Ammonia, anhydrous.....	per pound	.165	101.5	.165	101.5	.165	101.5	.165	89.5
Arsenic oxide (white arsenic).....	"	.040	124.7	.042	130.6	.041	128.5	.035	101.5
Nitric acid, 36".....	per cwt.	7-750	96.9	7-750	96.9	7-750	96.9	7-750	96.9
Hydrochloric acid (muriatic), 18".....	per cwt.	25-000	104.2	25-000	104.2	25-000	104.2	25-000	104.2
Sodium sulphate (Glauber's salt).....	per ton	1-000	100.0	1-000	100.0	1-000	100.0	.817	81.7
Sodium bicarbonate, 99.8 p.c. pure.....	per cwt.	2-850	116.3	3-283	134.0	3-000	122.4	3-000	122.4
Bleaching powder, 35 p.c. available chlorine.....	per cwt.	1-750	102.2	1-750	102.2	1-750	102.2	1-750	102.2
Soda ash, 58 p.c. light.....	per cwt.	1-625	86.8	1-655	88.4	1-680	89.7	1-680	89.7
Caustic soda, 76-77 p.c.....	per cwt.	2-800	97.4	2-790	97.0	3-475	97.0	3-350	93.5
Calcium carbide.....	per ton	87-000	100.2	87-000	100.2	87-000	100.2	87-000	100.2
Grey acetate of lime.....	per cwt.	2-488	76.6	2-500	76.9	2-500	76.9	3-333	102.6
Alum, lump.....	"	2-550	98.1	2-283	87.8	1-920	88.1	2-116	97.1
Borax, commercial.....	"	3-938	77.8	3-928	77.6	3-560	70.3	3-500	69.1
Copper sulphate (blue vitriol) crystals.....	"	4-325	87.7	3-508	71.1	3-630	73.6	3-693	74.9
Magnesium sulphate (Epsom salts).....	per ton	25-000	100.0	25-000	100.0	25-000	100.0	25-000	100.0
Sulphuric acid, 66° Beaumé.....	per ton	16-000	114.3	16-000	114.3	16-000	114.3	16-000	114.3
Chlorine, liquid.....	per pound	.093	100.0	.093	100.0	.093	100.0	.093	100.0
Sodium cyanide, 98.99 p.c.....	"	.190	79.2	.162	79.2	.153	75.7	.153	75.7
Sodium bichromate.....	"	.085	102.3	.082	98.6	.077	92.3	.087	104.3
Sal ammoniac (ammonium chloride) grey.....	"	.050	78.9	.044	68.4	.048	75.3	.043	67.5
Calcium chloride, flake.....	per ton	30-000	83.3	30-750	85.4	32-000	88.9	29-375	81.6
Aluminium sulphate.....	per cwt.	1-463	83.6	1-500	85.7	1-500	85.7	1-535	87.7

\*Previous to 1934 Asbestos Crude.



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Concluded

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1931		1932		1933		1934	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Con.									
Organic Chemicals.....		\$	75.4	\$	74.9	\$	72.7	\$	74.3
Acetic acid, 99 p.c. glacial, crystal.....	per pound	.120	100.0	.120	100.0	.120	100.0	.120	100.0
Alcohol, methyl, 97 p.c.....	per gallon	.846	97.2	.850	97.7	.700	80.5	.654	75.2
Alcohol, denatured.....	"	.429	78.0	.450	81.8	.396	72.0	.400	72.7
Cream of tartar, 98 p.c.....	per pound	.235	123.7	.235	123.7	.237	124.7	.255	134.2
Formaldehyde.....	"	.077	67.2	.083	72.9	.083	72.9	.070	61.5
Glycerine, refined.....	"	.124	44.5	.112	40.4	.114	41.1	.138	49.7
Ethylene glycol.....	"	.390	104.7	.390	104.7	.390	104.7		
Coal Tar Products.....			99.5		96.8		92.2		90.4
Creosote oil, crude.....	per imperial gallon	.165	106.5	.153	98.7	.141	91.0	.140	90.0
Benzol, pure.....	"	.313	89.2	.330	94.1	.330	94.1	.319	90.9
Tanning and Dying Materials.....			93.5		98.9		103.5		107.2
Dyeing Materials.....			88.0		98.0		101.5		103.3
Direct black (oxydiamine black).....	per pound	.217	74.2	.236	80.6	.289	98.8	.300	102.6
Sulphur black (katigen, deep black).....	"	.187	85.0	.206	93.5	.205	93.2	.205	93.2
Nigrosine water, soluble.....	"	.361	92.6	.399	102.3	.400	102.6	.400	102.6
Methylene blue.....	per cwt.	.763	72.7	.828	78.8	.863	82.2	.950	90.5
Indigo, synthetic, 20 p.c. paste.....	per pound	.112	106.7	.135	128.6	.135	128.6	.135	128.6
Auramine O, yellow.....	"	.703	74.7	.764	81.1	.780	82.8	.778	82.6
Alkali blue.....	"	1.858	95.3	2.023	103.7	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3
Tanning Materials.....			100.3		99.9		105.9		112.0
Quebracho extract, liquid.....	per cwt.	3.858	110.2	3.500	100.0	3.820	109.1	4.200	120.0
Hemlock extract, liquid.....	"	4.542	93.5	4.850	99.8	5.030	103.5	5.134	105.6
Logwood extract, liquid.....	"	9.263	95.3	9.729	100.1	10.420	107.2	11.917	122.6
Explosives.....									83.4
Gunpowder.....	per 25 pound keg							8.459	100.7
Dynamite, 40% Gelatine.....	per cwt.							12.604	82.8
Paint Materials.....			75.4		70.2		68.6		70.0
Shellac.....	per pound	.174	47.2	.127	34.4	.137	37.1	.243	65.9
White lead, basic carbonate.....	per cwt.	9.433	84.2	8.143	72.7	8.410	75.1	7.800	69.6
Zinc oxide.....	"	6.771	97.9	6.679	96.6	6.304	91.2	6.249	90.4
Red lead, 85 p.c.....	"	7.833	76.5	6.500	63.5	6.500	63.5	6.750	65.9
Lithopone.....	"	4.792	91.3	5.113	97.4	4.933	94.0	4.456	84.9
Litharge.....	per pound	.072	57.7	.063	50.1	.057	45.6	.058	46.4
Lamp black, pure dry.....	"	.091	65.2	.090	64.3	.103	73.6	.105	75.0
Carbon black.....	"	.075	63.5	.076	64.8	.071	60.4	.080	68.1
Putty, pure linseed oil.....	per cwt.	3.325	72.6	3.200	69.8	3.200	69.8	3.075	64.1
Paint Prepared.....									78.6
Paint, pure white.....	per gallon							3.550	77.8
Paint, coloured.....	"							3.350	79.5
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals.....			94.2		85.8		72.9		74.9
Acid, citric.....	per pound	.402	111.4	.221	83.3	.185	69.7	.200	75.4
Acid, tartaric, crystals.....	"	.312	124.8	.260	104.0	.210	84.0	.263	105.2
Chloroform, U.S.P.....	"	.330	77.6	.330	77.6	.330	77.6	.376	88.5
*Ether, commercial.....	"	.213	99.1	.210	97.7	.208	96.7	.180	93.0
Potassium iodide.....	"	4.088	94.5	3.925	90.8	3.025	69.9	1.948	45.0
Hydrogen peroxide, 10 vol.....	"	.050	81.6	.050	81.6	.050	81.6	.050	81.6
Camphor, refined, slabs.....	"	.640	62.4	.585	57.1	.545	53.2	.653	63.7
Quinine.....	per ounce	.442	84.2	.460	87.6	.480	91.4	.547	104.2
Castor oil.....	per pound	.124	80.0	.117	75.3	.090	55.1	.090	58.1
Iodine, crude.....	"	4.800	107.0	4.633	103.2	3.600	80.2	1.850	45.0
Fertilizers.....			82.6		72.3		73.8		75.9
Muriate of potash.....	per ton	41.333	107.5	46.979	122.2	48.880	127.1	48.000	127.4
Dried blood.....	"	69.583	87.0	46.167	59.0	48.880	61.1	57.483	71.9
Superphosphate.....	"	13.177	71.2	13.333	72.1	14.350	77.6	18.333	85.3
Basic slag.....	"	14.604	80.2	14.500	79.7	17.190	94.5	20.667	113.3
Sulphate of potash.....	"	52.083	101.1	54.313	105.4	55.440	107.6	54.000	104.8
Tankage.....	"	46.250	115.6	30.754	76.9	32.050	80.1	41.454	103.8
Bone meal.....	"	44.667	117.5	39.406	103.7	40.440	106.4	37.611	99.0
Cyanamid.....	"	45.000	90.0	35.000	70.0	35.880	71.8	35.500	71.0
Sulphate of ammonia.....	"	39.000	52.0	32.794	43.7	34.650	46.2	40.510	54.0
Nitrate of soda.....	"	50.750	74.9	51.875	76.6	47.710	70.4	44.250	65.3
Industrial Gases.....			91.4		88.7		88.7		88.7
Acetylene.....	per 100 cubic feet	2.830	94.3	2.750	91.7	2.750	91.7	2.750	91.7
Oxygen.....	"	1.633	81.7	1.575	78.8	1.575	78.8	1.575	78.8
Soap.....			92.6		92.6		92.6		87.1
Soap, common laundry.....	per case	5.000	92.6	5.000	92.6	5.000	92.6	4.800	88.9
Soap, toilet.....	per case							5.650	

\*Previous to 1934 ether anaesthetic.

(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.....	64.4	65.6	65.8	64.5	65.2	67.4	68.5	70.0	68.6	66.6	66.5	66.7
Fruits—												
Fresh, Dried and Canned.....	77.9	76.4	76.1	78.1	79.3	93.3	88.7	85.5	84.6	82.3	79.5	75.5
Fruits, Fresh.....	77.2	75.6	75.1	77.9	79.5	98.7	92.7	88.5	87.1	84.4	80.4	75.3
Fruits, Dried.....	89.1	88.8	88.8	88.2	88.2	86.7	85.7	85.6	85.7	83.5	84.4	83.6
Fruits, Canned.....	69.1	69.1	69.2	69.2	68.9	67.3	67.3	67.6	68.6	68.5	68.9	68.9
Grains.....	47.5	48.7	49.1	48.0	51.2	56.3	59.2	63.1	61.2	57.3	58.0	58.5
Flour and other Milled Products.....	64.2	66.6	66.6	63.4	62.4	68.3	71.1	73.5	71.0	70.1	70.9	71.8
Bakery Products.....	83.3	83.3	83.3	82.6	82.1	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7
Vegetable Oils.....	56.2	55.4	54.8	54.1	54.7	54.5	53.4	54.9	58.1	59.9	58.6	60.0
Rubber and Its Products.....	54.0	54.5	54.7	55.1	55.7	55.5	55.9	57.5	57.3	56.9	55.8	55.5
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose.....	107.1	107.5	107.2	103.5	103.0	88.2	87.8	86.1	85.9	83.6	83.3	83.3
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.....	67.5	70.1	71.5	71.1	72.3	73.1	73.1	72.9	72.5	72.3	72.2	71.4
Vegetables.....	55.7	58.2	58.3	56.6	50.8	49.5	46.4	43.7	40.0	37.7	34.9	35.1
Tobacco.....	39.0	39.0	39.0	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2
Miscellaneous.....	65.2	67.7	69.5	70.6	71.2	75.6	74.0	71.5	73.3	72.6	73.3	72.5
ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....	65.9	70.6	70.4	67.8	65.9	67.1	66.0	65.6	67.4	67.8	66.7	66.2
Fishery Products.....	68.8	69.1	68.3	68.2	68.1	68.9	68.4	70.5	75.0	77.3	74.6	70.7
Furs.....	61.7	62.6	62.6	59.4	59.4	59.4	54.5	54.5	47.5	47.5	47.5	50.7
Hides and Skins.....	57.8	66.3	65.4	72.4	61.9	62.8	48.5	46.0	45.7	50.8	55.0	65.7
Leather (unmanufactured).....	83.9	82.5	80.8	80.8	78.2	77.5	77.5	75.4	74.4	74.0	73.6	73.9
Leather (manufactured).....	89.3	89.1	89.1	88.0	87.8	87.8	86.5	86.5	86.2	86.1	85.8	85.8
Live Stock.....	68.8	75.4	76.2	74.4	74.4	72.7	69.0	66.6	64.9	62.0	60.7	66.1
Meats and Poultry.....	56.9	67.3	69.9	68.3	69.9	72.4	72.8	71.0	71.6	66.9	63.7	63.3
Meats, Fresh.....	61.9	67.1	69.8	68.8	70.2	72.9	69.2	63.2	63.2	60.4	59.0	60.1
Meats, Canned, Cured, etc.....	55.3	70.4	72.4	69.8	72.0	75.5	80.7	83.3	84.7	77.4	72.7	70.6
Milk and Its Products.....	62.7	69.1	71.9	69.1	62.0	62.5	60.0	59.6	61.0	64.5	64.7	65.4
Oils and Fats.....	55.9	54.8	54.8	51.6	51.3	50.4	51.1	56.6	68.0	67.1	64.2	64.5
Eggs.....	69.0	81.9	57.0	46.3	47.8	51.4	54.1	54.3	63.8	71.2	73.0	65.5
FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.....	72.7	74.4	74.5	74.4	74.2	73.8	72.9	72.0	71.8	71.4	71.3	71.5
Cotton, Raw.....	66.1	72.3	71.3	68.8	66.4	69.6	73.7	74.0	71.5	69.9	69.6	72.9
Cotton Yarn and Thread.....	82.1	82.4	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2
Cotton Fabrics.....	77.0	78.2	78.4	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.6
Cotton Knit Goods.....	77.8	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.7	81.3	81.3	81.3
Sash Cord.....	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1
Flax, Hemp and Jute Products.....	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.5	52.3	52.2	50.9	50.7	50.7	50.6	50.3	50.3
Silk.....	23.4	25.8	22.8	21.2	23.3	20.1	19.3	18.7	17.4	19.0	20.4	22.2
Silk, Thread and Yarn.....	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9
Silk Hosiery.....	66.4	66.4	66.4	66.4	65.6	65.6	65.6	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.0
Silk Fabrics.....	52.0	52.0	52.0	51.7	51.7	51.3	51.3	46.1	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2
Artificial Silk Products.....	61.0	61.0	61.0	58.8	61.0	61.0	51.7	51.7	51.7	51.7	51.7	50.8
Wool, Raw.....	80.9	79.2	76.8	74.3	69.0	59.2	55.5	51.5	50.2	46.6	47.4	44.9
Wool Yarn.....	90.5	96.9	95.9	96.8	95.0	92.2	87.0	84.0	82.5	80.3	81.8	79.9
Wool Hosiery and Knit Goods.....	90.2	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.1
Wool Blankets.....	78.6	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7
Wool Cloth.....	82.9	84.7	84.7	85.1	85.6	83.1	78.3	76.2	74.6	73.3	73.3	73.3
Carpets.....	81.7	81.7	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5
WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....	65.1	65.2	65.3	65.5	65.7	66.2	65.8	65.4	65.3	65.2	64.9	64.5
News Print and Wrapping Paper.....	53.8	53.8	53.8	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0
Lumber and Timber.....	77.3	77.6	77.9	78.6	79.0	80.8	79.8	79.2	79.0	78.8	77.7	76.8
Canadian White Pine.....	83.8	86.0	86.0	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9
Spruce.....	69.5	71.7	71.0	73.3	73.8	73.2	76.4	76.4	75.6	74.9	74.2	71.5
Hardwoods.....	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2
Hemlock.....	71.4	71.4	71.4	71.4	71.4	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2
Fir.....	81.3	84.7	84.0	88.4	87.6	88.9	87.4	85.0	85.0	85.0	81.6	80.8
B.C. Cedar.....	84.5	72.2	72.2	66.9	66.9	67.4	66.7	66.4	66.4	66.4	66.0	66.5
Pulp.....	72.0	72.3	72.2	71.3	71.6	71.3	71.2	70.2	70.0	69.8	69.5	69.3
Furniture (composite).....	66.4	66.4	66.2	66.2	66.2	66.2	65.1	65.0	65.0	65.0	64.9	64.9
Matches.....	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2
IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....	86.6	87.1	87.2	87.2	87.4	87.5	87.1	87.1	86.6	86.7	86.7	86.8
Pig Iron and Steel Billets.....	81.6	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0
Rolling Mill Products.....	91.2	91.3	90.6	90.7	91.1	91.1	91.0	91.0	90.6	90.9	90.8	91.1
Pipe.....	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0
Total Hardware.....	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	87.0	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6
Tools and Hand Implements.....	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	83.9	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0
Other Hardware.....	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2
Wire.....	85.7	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8
Scrap Iron and Steel.....	52.0	54.6	61.4	61.4	61.4	61.4	56.5	55.3	50.9	50.9	50.9	50.9
Miscellaneous.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRO-DUCTS.....	67.0	66.8	66.0	65.7	64.5	64.1	63.2	63.0	62.1	62.2	63.1	63.7
Aluminium.....	84.8	79.3	80.7	80.4	80.4	80.4	80.4	79.6	79.6	79.9	79.6	80.4
Antimony.....	42.8	42.8	42.8	44.3	45.8	45.2	45.8	49.3	50.2	53.2	70.0	78.3
Brass, Copper and Products.....	61.1	61.4	59.4	60.5	59.9	59.8	57.3	55.6	54.0	53.3	54.0	55.0
Lead and Its Products.....	47.7	48.0	47.1	45.1	42.3	41.5	40.7	40.9	39.8	39.2	40.6	40.6
Silver.....	71.6	73.6	74.2	72.8	71.2	72.3	73.9	77.3	77.8	82.8	85.5	86.6
Tin Ingots.....	82.3	81.8	84.8	86.7	83.3	79.9	81.4	86.3	78.8	78.6	78.4	78.8
Zinc and Its Products.....	53.9	52.8	51.0	49.6	47.4	45.5	43.7	43.4	42.0	40.7	41.2	41.6
Solder.....	78.5	78.5	81.1	84.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4

TABLE VI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
IN CANADA, 1934—Concluded

(GROUPS OF THE CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>												
Clay and Allied Material Products	86-0	83-2	86-2	85-7	85-5	85-6	86-1	86-1	86-1	86-1	86-0	86-1
Pottery	100-7	100-7	100-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	92-5	92-5	92-5	92-5	88-4	88-4
Coal	86-7	86-7	86-7	86-7	88-2	88-2	88-2	88-2	88-2	88-2	88-2	88-2
Coke	88-8	88-7	88-6	87-2	89-2	89-7	90-7	91-1	91-3	91-5	91-4	91-6
Manufactured Gas	93-6	93-6	93-6	93-6	93-6	93-6	93-6	93-2	93-2	93-2	93-2	93-2
Coal Tar	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0
Glass and Its Products	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7	107-7
Petroleum Products	82-3	82-3	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4
Crude Oil	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	75-7	75-5	75-5	75-0	75-0	74-8	74-8	74-8
Gasoline	73-0	73-3	72-8	72-8	72-8	72-3	72-5	71-1	71-1	71-4	71-4	71-4
Kerosene	74-6	74-6	74-6	74-6	69-9	69-5	69-5	68-7	68-7	68-4	68-4	68-4
Asphalt	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6	78-6
Salt	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6	88-6
Sulphur	113-6	113-6	113-6	113-6	113-6	113-6	113-6	113-6	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2
Plaster	91-9	93-0	92-2	91-8	94-0	93-3	93-0	92-0	91-3	92-1	91-7	93-1
Lime	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	104-3	104-3	104-3	107-1	107-1
Cement	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1	102-1
Sand and Gravel	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2	105-2
Crushed Stone	88-8	91-4	91-4	91-4	91-4	91-4	91-4	91-4	91-4	91-4	91-4	91-4
Building Stone	71-4	80-5	80-5	80-5	80-5	80-5	84-8	84-8	84-8	84-8	84-8	84-8
Asbestos and Its Products	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7	64-7
	73-8	73-8	73-8	73-8	73-8	73-8	81-3	81-3	81-3	81-3	81-3	81-3
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS</b>												
Inorganic Chemicals	80-6	80-5	81-0	81-6	81-9	81-9	81-8	81-5	81-7	80-5	80-3	80-4
Organic Chemicals	90-4	89-5	89-5	89-4	89-5	89-5	89-4	89-2	89-4	89-4	89-0	89-0
Coal Tar Products	73-0	73-5	73-5	73-1	74-5	74-5	74-5	74-5	74-5	75-6	75-6	75-6
Dyeing and Tanning Materials	91-6	91-6	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5	88-2	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5
Dyeing Materials	108-2	108-2	108-2	108-0	107-5	107-5	107-5	107-5	106-1	105-4	105-4	105-9
Tanning Materials	103-6	103-6	103-6	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1
Explosives	113-9	113-9	113-9	113-9	112-8	112-8	112-8	112-8	109-8	108-3	108-2	109-4
Paint Materials	84-3	84-3	84-3	84-3	84-3	84-3	84-3	82-7	82-7	82-7	81-1	81-1
Paints, Prepared	67-7	68-2	68-8	70-2	71-7	71-7	71-3	70-9	70-5	69-4	69-0	69-6
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals	75-2	75-2	75-2	79-8	79-8	79-8	79-8	79-8	79-8	79-8	79-8	79-8
Fertilizers	73-1	72-8	74-9	74-9	75-7	75-7	75-4	74-4	75-9	75-2	75-2	75-3
Industrial Gases	76-2	76-7	79-7	75-3	75-4	75-4	74-6	74-6	75-8	75-8	75-8	75-8
Soap	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7	88-7
	88-9	88-9	88-9	88-9	88-9	88-9	88-9	88-9	88-9	81-7	81-7	81-7

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH USED

Purpose classification index numbers for the years 1890 to 1913 have recently been constructed and are included for the first time in this report together with later indexes of the same classification. The main divisions, viz., Consumers' Goods and Producers' Goods are shown for the entire period in Chart II. Both groups contain a representation of primary as well as manufactured products and their movements are broadly similar. The large representation of primary products among producers' materials, however, causes the fluctuations of the Producers' Goods index to be slightly wider than those for the Consumers' Goods group.

From 1890 to 1913 there is little in the behaviour of price group relationships to attract special attention. The gradual decline in the first six years of this period, and the subsequent rise still in progress when the Great War began, failed to produce any serious problems related to price disequilibrium. Interest in prices during these years was concentrated for the most part upon broader problems such as the effect of gold discoveries upon general price levels, and the interaction of cyclical movements in prices and business conditions.

During the war years, however, the relationships of prices were complicated by the unequal reactions of price groups to inflationary stimuli and to the deflationary forces which followed later. The index for Producers' Goods which had trailed along below the Consumers' Goods index from 1890 to 1913, reversed its position in 1914, and reached a post-war peak in 1920, appreciably higher than that for Consumers' Goods. When readjustment followed, the decline for Producers' Goods was of greater magnitude than that for Consumers' Goods, and from 1921 to the present the Producers' Goods index has reverted to its former position. In 1931 and 1932, it declined so rapidly that the gap between these two series assumed abnormal proportions judged upon the basis of their historical relationships. It was in these years that the failure of producers' prices to resist decline as did consumers' prices, created so serious a shortage of purchasing power in the hands of farmers and other primary producers. The correctional movement commencing in 1933 has been very gradual, and the relative position of these two sets of prices was still abnormal at the end of 1934.



TABLE VII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1934

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)  
(1926=100)

Groups		I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
		All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
							All	Building and Construc- tion	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	(1890-1912)	76	45	31	112	8	104	34	70
	1913-1925	98	74	24	146	15	131	32	99
	1926-1933	204	116	88	351	22	329	97	232
	1934-	236	126	110	402	24	378	111	267
1890		52.0	51.4	52.4	54.3	47.2	55.1	49.1	56.1
1891		52.4	52.2	52.5	54.6	47.1	55.4	46.9	56.8
1892		50.9	48.3	52.6	50.9	47.8	51.2	47.5	51.8
1893		51.4	49.4	52.8	50.3	48.0	50.5	46.9	51.1
1894		49.5	47.0	51.1	45.5	46.1	45.4	46.8	45.2
1895		48.2	45.3	50.2	46.2	45.6	46.3	44.8	46.6
1896		46.9	41.6	50.4	43.0	45.5	42.7	44.6	42.4
1897		47.5	43.7	50.0	45.5	45.1	45.5	41.5	46.2
1898		47.9	46.3	49.0	48.3	44.2	48.7	42.3	49.8
1899		47.9	46.5	48.9	47.2	44.1	47.5	44.8	48.0
1900		50.0	46.8	52.1	50.9	46.8	51.3	50.2	51.5
1901		52.2	47.2	55.5	51.6	51.1	51.7	48.6	52.2
1902		54.2	49.9	57.1	53.8	53.0	53.9	50.2	54.5
1903		56.1	52.3	58.6	53.3	54.9	53.1	54.1	52.9
1904		55.8	52.4	58.0	55.3	53.6	55.5	55.7	55.5
1905		55.5	54.0	56.5	56.4	50.9	57.0	55.2	57.3
1906		55.0	53.5	56.0	56.1	50.1	56.8	58.0	56.6
1907		58.1	57.6	58.5	59.8	52.1	60.6	60.1	60.7
1908		59.9	59.4	60.2	61.1	54.1	61.9	65.0	61.4
1909		53.7	58.9	58.6	63.9	53.2	65.1	63.5	65.4
1910		58.8	59.0	58.7	63.9	52.2	65.2	62.0	65.7
1911		59.5	60.8	58.7	61.9	52.1	63.0	65.1	62.7
1912		62.4	65.8	60.1	66.7	53.9	68.1	64.9	68.7
1913		62.0	61.8	62.2	67.7	55.1	69.1	67.0	69.5
1914		62.1	65.0	60.1	70.1	52.4	72.1	62.8	74.2
1915		62.8	68.7	58.8	77.1	51.2	80.0	60.5	84.6
1916		72.2	81.2	66.2	89.7	55.7	93.5	69.5	99.1
1917		90.5	109.1	78.1	120.6	65.3	126.7	87.4	136.0
1918		102.7	119.0	91.9	133.3	81.9	139.0	100.7	148.1
1919		115.2	127.9	106.7	139.8	90.7	145.2	117.8	151.6
1920		136.1	150.8	126.3	164.8	108.6	171.0	144.0	177.3
1921		108.9	105.1	111.5	113.3	113.8	113.3	122.7	110.8
1922		96.9	90.2	101.4	98.8	104.1	98.2	108.7	95.8
1923		94.7	91.2	97.0	97.6	102.5	97.1	111.9	93.7
1924		94.2	90.4	96.8	99.4	102.7	99.0	106.6	97.5
1925		97.0	97.7	96.5	104.9	99.2	105.5	102.9	106.2
1926		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927		95.7	99.4	93.3	98.5	101.1	98.2	96.1	98.6
1928		95.6	99.6	92.9	96.7	93.7	97.0	97.4	96.9
1929		94.7	100.0	91.1	96.1	94.6	96.3	99.0	95.9
1930		89.3	93.1	86.8	82.5	92.9	81.3	90.8	79.7
1931		76.2	70.4	80.0	67.1	90.0	64.6	81.9	61.7
1932		71.3	61.5	77.8	62.4	88.7	59.5	77.2	56.5
1933		71.1	63.8	76.0	63.1	86.0	60.5	78.3	57.5
1934		74.1	69.7	77.0	67.8	88.9	65.5	82.5	62.6
1933									
January		69.7	59.3	76.6	57.8	87.7	54.5	75.7	50.9
February		68.7	58.0	75.8	58.1	87.0	54.9	74.7	51.5
March		69.3	59.8	75.7	59.5	87.1	56.4	75.1	53.2
April		70.2	63.7	74.6	60.0	87.3	57.0	74.8	54.0
May		70.8	64.3	75.1	63.2	84.9	60.8	75.6	58.3
June		70.4	63.9	74.8	64.6	84.8	62.4	78.9	59.6
July		72.2	67.7	75.2	69.2	84.8	67.5	80.8	65.2
August		72.1	66.6	75.9	66.8	84.9	64.8	80.7	62.1
September		72.7	65.7	77.3	65.6	85.6	63.4	80.8	60.4
October		72.1	64.7	77.1	63.4	85.4	60.9	81.0	57.5
November		73.0	67.1	77.0	64.3	85.4	62.0	80.7	58.8
December		73.3	67.4	77.3	64.3	87.2	61.8	80.6	58.6
1934									
January		74.3	69.6	77.5	66.0	87.9	63.6	81.9	60.5
February		75.9	73.0	77.8	67.0	87.9	64.7	82.3	61.7
March		75.9	72.8	78.0	67.1	87.9	64.8	82.2	61.8
April		74.6	70.5	77.4	66.6	87.9	64.2	82.9	61.0
May		73.8	68.8	77.1	67.2	89.1	64.8	83.1	61.7
June		74.1	69.7	77.1	68.8	89.2	66.5	83.9	63.6
July		73.8	69.4	76.7	69.1	89.7	66.8	83.2	64.0
August		73.5	69.0	76.5	69.8	89.6	67.6	82.8	65.0
September		73.9	69.6	76.7	68.9	89.5	66.6	82.7	63.9
October		73.6	69.3	76.4	67.7	89.5	65.3	82.4	62.4
November		73.1	68.4	76.2	67.9	89.4	65.5	81.8	62.7
December		72.9	67.9	76.2	68.3	89.6	65.9	81.4	63.3

# CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE, 1890-1934 1913=100

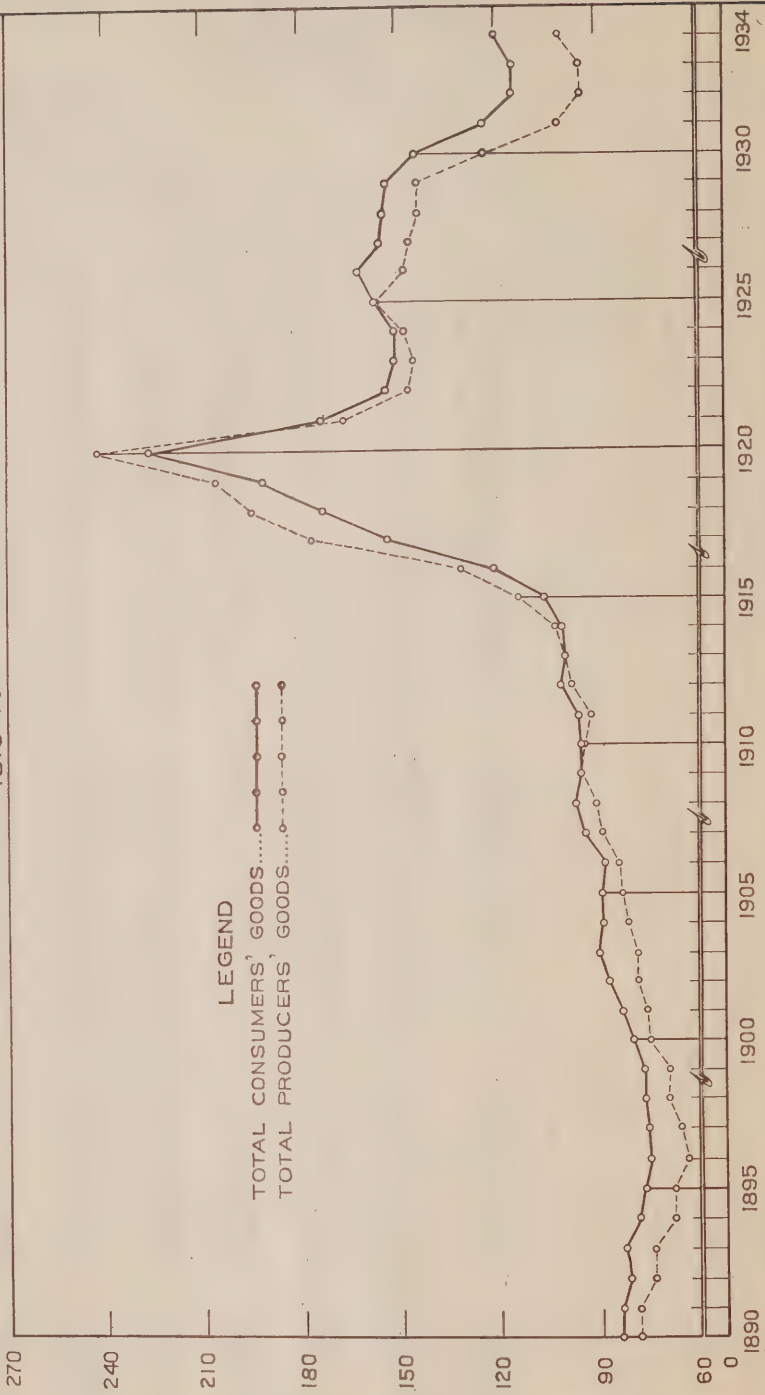


TABLE VIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN  
CANADA, 1890-1934  
(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)  
(1913=100)

Groups		I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
		All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
							All	Building Construc- tion	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	1890-1912	76	45	31	112	8	104	34	70
	1913-1925	98	74	24	146	15	131	32	99
	1926-1933	204	116	88	351	22	329	97	232
	1934	236	126	110	402	24	378	111	267
1890		83.7	83.1	84.3	79.1	85.6	78.6	73.3	80.7
1891		84.4	84.5	84.4	78.8	85.5	78.3	70.0	81.7
1892		81.6	78.1	84.6	74.4	86.7	73.5	70.9	74.5
1893		82.6	80.0	84.9	73.5	87.1	72.5	70.0	73.5
1894		79.3	76.0	82.2	67.7	83.6	66.4	69.9	65.0
1895		77.3	73.3	80.7	68.1	82.8	67.0	66.9	67.0
1896		74.7	67.3	81.1	64.0	82.6	62.6	66.5	61.0
1897		75.9	70.7	80.4	66.4	81.8	65.2	62.0	66.5
1898		77.0	74.9	78.8	69.9	80.2	69.1	63.2	71.6
1899		77.1	75.3	78.6	69.2	80.1	68.4	66.8	69.1
1900		80.0	75.8	83.7	75.1	85.0	74.3	74.9	74.1
1901		83.3	76.4	89.2	75.7	92.8	74.3	72.5	75.1
1902		86.6	80.7	91.8	78.7	96.1	77.4	74.9	78.4
1903		89.8	84.7	94.2	79.1	99.6	77.5	80.7	76.1
1904		89.3	84.8	93.2	82.0	97.2	80.8	83.2	79.9
1905		89.2	87.4	90.8	83.2	92.3	82.5	82.4	82.5
1906		88.4	86.6	90.0	83.5	91.0	82.9	86.5	81.4
1907		93.7	93.2	94.0	88.6	94.6	88.1	89.7	87.4
1908		96.5	96.1	96.8	91.4	98.1	90.9	97.0	88.3
1909		94.7	95.3	94.2	94.5	96.5	94.3	94.8	94.1
1910		94.9	95.5	94.4	94.1	94.8	94.0	92.5	94.6
1911		96.2	98.4	94.3	92.4	94.5	92.2	97.1	90.2
1912		101.2	106.5	96.7	98.3	97.8	98.3	96.8	98.9
1913		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914		101.4	105.1	96.7	103.4	95.1	104.3	93.8	106.8
1915		103.9	111.2	94.5	113.5	92.9	115.8	90.3	121.7
1916		120.4	131.4	106.5	131.9	101.0	135.3	103.7	142.6
1917		154.1	176.5	125.6	177.0	118.6	183.4	130.5	195.7
1918		172.9	192.5	147.8	196.1	148.7	201.2	150.3	213.1
1919		191.7	207.0	171.6	205.8	164.6	210.1	175.8	218.1
1920		226.3	244.0	203.1	242.7	197.1	247.5	214.9	255.1
1921		174.0	170.0	179.2	167.9	206.5	163.9	183.2	159.4
1922		153.6	146.0	163.1	146.8	189.0	142.2	162.2	137.7
1923		151.3	147.6	155.9	145.0	186.1	140.6	167.0	134.7
1924		150.5	146.3	155.7	147.6	186.4	143.4	159.1	140.2
1925		156.9	158.2	155.2	155.5	180.1	152.8	153.5	152.7
1926		161.2	161.9	160.8	148.5	181.5	144.8	149.2	143.8
1927		154.4	160.9	150.0	146.3	183.5	142.2	143.4	141.8
1928		154.2	161.3	149.4	143.5	170.1	140.5	145.3	139.3
1929		152.7	161.9	146.5	142.6	171.7	139.4	147.7	137.9
1930		144.0	150.7	139.6	122.8	168.6	117.7	135.5	114.6
1931		122.8	114.0	128.6	100.5	163.4	93.5	122.2	88.7
1932		114.9	99.6	125.1	93.7	161.0	86.2	115.2	81.2
1933		114.6	103.3	122.2	94.5	156.1	87.6	116.8	82.7
1934		119.4	112.8	123.8	101.5	161.4	94.8	123.1	90.0
1933									
January		112.3	96.0	123.2	86.9	159.2	78.9	112.9	73.2
February		110.7	93.9	121.9	87.3	157.9	79.5	111.5	74.1
March		111.7	96.8	121.7	89.3	158.1	81.7	112.0	76.5
April		113.2	103.1	120.0	90.1	158.4	82.5	111.6	77.7
May		114.1	104.1	120.8	94.6	154.1	88.0	112.8	83.8
June		113.6	103.5	120.3	96.8	153.9	90.4	117.7	85.7
July		116.4	109.6	120.9	103.3	153.9	97.7	120.6	93.8
August		116.3	107.8	122.0	99.8	154.1	93.8	120.4	89.3
September		117.1	106.4	124.3	98.2	155.4	91.8	120.6	86.9
October		116.3	104.7	124.0	94.9	155.0	88.2	120.9	82.7
November		117.7	108.6	123.8	96.3	155.0	89.8	120.4	84.6
December		118.2	109.1	124.3	96.4	158.3	89.5	120.3	84.3
1934									
January		119.8	112.7	124.6	98.8	159.5	92.1	122.2	87.0
February		122.3	118.2	125.1	100.3	159.5	93.7	122.8	88.7
March		122.4	117.9	125.4	100.4	159.5	93.8	122.6	88.9
April		120.3	114.1	124.5	99.7	159.5	93.0	123.7	87.7
May		119.0	111.4	124.0	100.6	161.7	93.8	124.0	88.7
June		119.5	112.8	124.0	102.9	161.9	96.3	125.2	91.5
July		118.9	112.4	123.3	103.3	162.8	96.7	124.1	92.0
August		118.5	111.7	123.0	104.4	162.6	97.9	123.5	93.5
September		119.1	112.7	123.3	103.0	162.4	96.4	123.4	91.9
October		118.6	112.2	122.9	101.4	162.4	94.6	122.9	89.7
November		117.8	110.7	122.5	101.6	162.3	94.8	122.0	90.2
December		117.5	109.9	122.5	102.1	162.6	95.4	121.4	91.0



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(1926=100)

Commodities	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COM-MODITIES .....	64.0	65.5	70.4	84.3	114.	3127.4	134.0	155.9	110.0	97.3	98.0	99.4	102.6	100.0
I. CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUP A AND B).....	62.0	62.1	62.8	72.2	90.5	102.7	115.2	136.1	108.9	96.9	94.7	94.2	97.0	100.0
A. Foods, Beverages and Tobacco.....	61.8	65.0	68.7	81.2	109.1	119.0	127.9	150.8	105.1	90.2	91.2	90.4	97.7	100.0
Beverages.....	41.2	41.4	48.4	50.8	58.7	79.5	89.9	103.0	72.5	81.2	92.2	91.7	101.4	100.0
Breadstuffs.....	57.8	64.0	75.4	82.9	123.7	129.5	125.1	151.0	108.0	86.1	78.4	84.6	106.6	100.0
Chocolate.....	90.7	92.5	94.3	101.6	98.0	94.3	119.4	166.2	99.0	89.6	88.9	87.1	94.3	100.0
Fish.....	64.4	62.9	63.9	68.5	85.7	110.8	114.3	111.7	91.3	91.9	83.7	92.5	98.3	100.0
Fruits.....	62.6	63.5	70.0	74.4	92.0	110.8	138.7	156.1	136.8	135.3	117.2	109.5	116.7	100.0
Meats, poultry and lard	66.1	68.2	66.9	78.5	107.4	132.2	135.1	138.4	101.5	92.5	87.2	80.9	95.4	100.0
Milk and milk products	71.1	71.0	77.4	85.0	105.9	117.2	135.5	143.6	116.8	96.7	103.2	97.4	101.0	100.0
Sugar, refined.....	70.3	81.3	104.4	120.7	133.4	146.4	166.8	287.0	149.9	112.1	161.3	140.0	105.0	100.0
Vegetables.....	35.0	43.4	36.9	73.6	116.4	81.3	85.9	150.8	59.5	50.1	55.2	64.2	62.0	100.0
Eggs.....	72.3	72.0	69.0	83.1	106.9	122.4	142.9	154.1	115.5	96.8	94.1	105.3	112.7	100.0
Tobacco.....	46.2	49.9	54.4	54.4	57.4	71.5	94.3	104.9	95.4	95.4	95.4	100.0	100.0	100.0
Miscellaneous.....	66.2	65.8	65.9	79.1	105.8	140.9	164.4	187.9	123.7	113.5	106.4	106.4	98.8	100.0
B. Other Consumers' Goods.	62.2	60.1	58.8	66.2	78.1	91.9	106.7	126.3	111.5	101.4	97.0	96.8	96.5	100.0
Clothing (boots, etc.)..	65.6	69.1	70.6	84.3	102.3	118.7	152.4	170.5	122.1	106.2	106.9	102.5	99.7	100.0
Household equipment.	61.2	57.5	55.3	60.8	70.9	84.0	93.2	113.2	108.3	100.1	94.1	95.2	95.7	100.0
Furniture.....	51.3	52.7	53.7	55.0	74.3	96.9	125.8	165.9	127.9	113.1	116.1	100.4	99.9	100.0
Glassware and pottery.	31.1	31.0	37.4	63.2	69.7	76.9	104.8	152.6	143.6	118.5	93.9	83.9	95.6	100.0
Miscellaneous.....	61.6	57.8	55.4	60.9	70.8	83.9	92.8	112.3	107.7	99.7	93.8	95.3	95.6	100.0
II. PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUP C AND D).....	67.7	70.1	77.1	89.7	120.6	133.3	139.8	164.8	113.3	98.8	97.6	99.4	104.9	100.0
C. Producers' Equipment...	55.1	52.4	51.2	55.7	65.3	81.9	90.7	108.6	113.8	104.1	102.5	102.7	99.2	100.0
Tools.....	49.0	48.1	47.4	57.7	80.0	99.9	106.1	129.6	121.5	97.8	104.8	105.4	100.1	100.0
Light, heat and power equipment and sup- plies.....	55.0	52.3	51.0	54.8	63.6	79.7	88.8	106.8	113.5	104.1	102.1	102.2	98.9	100.0
Miscellaneous.....	59.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
D. Producers' Materials....	69.1	72.1	80.0	93.5	126.7	139.0	145.2	171.0	113.3	98.2	97.1	99.0	105.5	100.0
Building and construc- tion materials.....	67.0	62.8	60.5	69.5	87.4	100.7	117.8	144.0	122.7	108.7	111.9	106.6	102.9	100.0
Lumber.....	67.4	61.4	56.8	62.2	74.6	87.9	111.1	139.1	121.3	108.0	112.1	104.9	100.6	100.0
Painters' materials....	57.5	58.7	68.9	91.7	126.2	152.0	174.3	180.4	99.6	102.0	113.9	113.3	116.6	100.0
Miscellaneous.....	67.1	67.0	69.2	85.9	116.2	128.2	129.1	152.8	129.2	111.2	111.4	110.4	107.2	100.0

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(1926=100)

Commodities	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
<i>Manufacturers' Materials..</i>	69.5	74.2	84.6	99.1	136.0	148.1	151.6	177.3	110.8	95.8	93.7	97.5	106.2	100.0
For textile and clothing industries.....	58.5	56.9	58.8	79.0	113.1	160.4	167.8	181.5	92.0	104.0	122.1	122.6	114.7	100.0
For the fur industry...	27.5	18.9	13.8	22.8	38.0	65.2	122.5	131.3	72.7	84.1	79.2	62.4	69.2	100.0
For the leather industry.....	108.8	110.8	121.2	144.8	191.3	17.84	231.3	203.2	127.9	112.0	107.6	101.2	111.4	100.0
For metal working industry.....	89.2	84.5	95.8	129.3	157.1	156.0	138.0	153.3	108.8	100.9	106.6	102.8	104.6	100.0
For chemical using industry.....	62.4	71.3	79.0	118.4	154.4	170.2	114.8	130.2	115.3	101.3	97.3	95.4	94.5	100.0
For meat packing industry.....	87.6	96.3	95.0	105.6	145.8	170.4	157.9	163.5	100.1	98.1	88.5	86.5	100.4	100.0
For milling and other industries.....	61.1	70.1	88.2	97.3	149.7	154.4	160.0	171.5	108.5	84.7	76.4	87.9	110.2	100.0
Miscellaneous producers' materials.....	65.7	71.0	80.8	91.8	116.6	124.3	137.9	150.1	122.7	99.5	101.4	98.9	102.5	100.0

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(1913=100)

Commodities	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
<b>TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.....</b>	100.0	102.3	109.9	131.6	178.5	199.0	209.2	243.5	171.8	152.0	153.0	155.2	160.3	156.2
<b>I. CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B)....</b>	100.0	101.4	103.9	120.4	154.1	172.9	191.7	226.3	174.0	153.6	151.3	150.5	156.9	161.2
<b>A. Foods, Beverages and Tobacco.....</b>	100.0	105.1	111.2	131.4	176.5	192.5	207.0	244.0	170.0	146.0	147.6	146.3	158.2	161.9
Beverages.....	100.0	100.5	117.4	123.2	142.5	192.9	218.2	250.1	176.0	197.0	223.7	222.5	246.0	242.7
Breadstuffs.....	100.0	110.7	130.4	143.5	214.0	224.0	216.4	261.2	186.8	149.0	135.7	146.3	184.4	172.9
Chocolate.....	100.0	102.0	104.0	112.0	108.0	104.0	131.6	183.2	109.2	98.8	98.0	96.0	104.0	110.3
Fish.....	100.0	97.6	99.3	106.3	133.0	172.0	177.5	173.5	141.8	142.7	129.9	143.7	152.7	155.3
Fruits.....	100.0	101.5	111.9	118.9	146.9	177.0	221.6	249.4	218.6	216.1	187.2	174.9	186.4	159.8
Meats, poultry and lard	100.0	103.2	101.2	118.7	162.5	200.0	204.4	209.4	153.5	140.0	131.9	122.4	144.3	151.3
Milk and milk products	100.0	99.9	108.8	119.6	149.0	164.9	190.6	202.0	164.3	136.0	145.1	137.0	142.0	140.7
Sugar, refined.....	100.0	115.6	148.5	171.7	189.7	208.2	237.2	408.3	213.3	159.5	229.5	199.2	149.4	142.3
Vegetables.....	100.0	124.0	105.3	210.4	332.6	232.3	245.4	431.1	170.1	143.1	157.7	183.3	177.0	285.5
Eggs.....	100.0	99.6	95.5	115.0	147.8	169.3	197.6	213.1	159.7	133.9	130.1	145.7	155.9	138.4
Tobacco.....	100.0	108.0	117.8	117.7	124.2	154.7	204.1	227.0	206.5	206.5	206.5	216.5	216.5	216.5
Miscellaneous.....	100.0	99.4	99.5	119.5	159.8	212.9	248.4	283.8	186.9	171.5	160.7	160.7	149.3	151.1

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Commodities	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
<i>B. Other Consumers' Goods.</i>	100.0	96.7	94.5	106.5	125.6	147.8	171.6	203.1	179.2	163.1	155.9	155.7	155.2	160.8
Clothing (boots, etc.)..	100.0	105.3	107.6	128.5	155.9	180.9	232.3	259.9	186.2	161.9	163.0	156.2	152.0	152.4
Household equipment.	100.0	94.0	90.3	99.4	115.9	137.2	152.3	185.0	176.9	163.5	153.7	155.6	156.3	163.5
Furniture.....	100.0	102.8	104.7	107.3	144.9	188.8	245.3	323.4	249.4	220.5	226.4	195.7	194.8	194.8
Glassware and pottery.	100.0	99.7	120.2	203.1	224.2	247.2	336.9	490.6	461.6	381.0	301.8	269.8	307.3	321.3
Miscellaneous.....	100.0	93.9	90.0	98.8	115.0	136.2	150.6	182.3	174.8	161.9	152.3	154.7	155.2	162.4
<i>II. PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUP C AND D)....</i>	100.0	103.4	113.5	131.9	177.0	196.1	205.8	242.7	167.9	146.8	145.0	147.6	155.5	148.5
<i>C. Producers' Equipment...</i>	100.0	95.1	92.9	101.0	118.6	148.7	164.6	197.1	206.5	189.0	186.1	186.4	180.1	181.5
Tools.....	100.0	98.1	96.8	117.8	163.3	203.9	216.6	264.5	248.0	199.5	213.8	215.0	204.2	204.2
Light, heat and power equipment and sup- plies.....	100.0	95.0	92.7	99.7	115.6	144.9	161.5	194.1	206.4	189.2	185.6	185.8	179.9	181.7
Miscellaneous.....	100.0	96.8	97.1	133.2	192.0	244.5	242.3	268.6	260.5	180.8	194.3	198.1	183.3	169.5
<i>D. Producers' Equipment..</i>	100.0	104.3	115.8	135.3	183.4	201.2	210.1	247.5	163.9	142.2	140.6	143.4	152.8	144.8
Building and construc- tion materials.....	100.0	93.8	90.3	103.7	130.5	150.3	175.8	214.9	183.2	162.2	167.0	159.1	153.5	149.2
Lumber.....	100.0	91.1	84.3	92.3	110.7	130.4	164.9	206.4	179.9	160.3	166.3	155.6	149.3	148.4
Painters' materials....	100.0	102.1	119.8	159.4	219.5	264.3	303.2	313.7	173.3	177.4	198.0	197.0	202.7	174.0
Miscellaneous.....	100.0	99.8	103.2	128.0	173.2	191.0	192.4	227.7	192.6	165.7	166.0	164.5	159.7	149.1
<i>Manufacturers' Materials..</i>	100.0	106.8	121.7	142.6	195.7	213.1	218.1	255.1	159.4	137.7	134.7	140.2	152.7	143.0
For textile and cloth- ing industry.....	100.0	97.3	100.5	135.1	193.3	274.2	286.8	310.2	157.3	177.7	208.8	209.5	196.0	170.0
For the fur industry....	100.0	68.9	50.0	82.9	138.1	237.1	445.6	477.5	264.4	305.9	288.0	226.9	251.6	364.0
For the leather indus- try.....	100.0	101.8	111.4	133.1	175.8	164.0	212.6	186.8	117.6	102.9	98.9	93.0	102.4	91.1
For metal working industry.....	100.0	94.7	107.4	145.0	176.1	174.9	154.7	171.9	122.0	113.1	119.5	115.2	117.3	112.2
For chemical using industry.....	100.0	114.2	126.6	189.7	247.4	272.7	184.0	208.7	184.8	162.4	156.0	152.9	151.4	160.0
For meat packing industry.....	100.0	109.9	108.5	120.6	166.4	194.5	180.2	186.6	114.3	112.0	101.0	98.8	114.6	114.4
For milling and other industries.....	100.0	114.7	144.4	159.2	245.0	252.7	261.8	280.7	177.6	138.6	125.0	143.9	180.4	163.0
Miscellaneous produ- cers' materials.....	100.0	108.1	123.0	139.7	177.4	189.2	209.9	228.5	186.7	151.4	154.3	150.6	156.0	152.2



TABLE XIA—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1913-1934

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of commodities		1931	1932	1933	1934
	1931-33	1934				
TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.....	502	567	72.1	66.7	67.1	71.6
CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B).....	204	236	76.2	71.3	71.1	74.1
A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco.....	116	126	70.4	61.5	63.8	69.7
Beverages.....	8	9	69.4	69.5	66.6	75.2
Flour and other milled products.....	5	12	57.3	56.0	58.3	68.3
Bakery products.....	2	2	82.2	81.8	81.7	82.8
Fish.....	16	16	75.7	63.9	62.9	70.9
Fruits, apples.....	3	4	108.1	95.9	74.4	.....
Fruits, fresh.....	4	4	85.6	88.3	78.7	82.7
Fruits, dried.....	5	5	84.3	94.9	85.6	86.6
Fruits, canned.....	3	6	85.9	74.3	68.7	68.5
Meats, fresh.....	6	6	76.6	60.7	55.6	65.4
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	3	3	65.8	44.2	49.8	73.7
Poultry.....	1	1	83.9	58.0	48.4	51.5
Milk and its products.....	12	12	73.3	59.2	60.2	64.7
Sugar and its products.....	3	8	74.4	73.9	97.8	93.9
Vegetables.....	(15)	(13)	.....	.....	.....	.....
Potatoes.....	7	7	31.8	26.0	44.4	33.9
Onions.....	2	2	94.6	91.1	73.5	72.3
Roots.....	3	3	95.4	82.1	71.8	.....
Vegetables, canned.....	3	4	70.5	68.2	76.1	73.4
Eggs.....	5	3	70.1	60.6	53.2	60.2
Tobacco.....	8	8	50.3	44.6	43.4	41.4
Miscellaneous.....	17	18	66.2	58.4	60.4	61.3
B. Other Consumers' Goods.....	88	110	80.0	77.8	76.0	77.0
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and under- wear).....	41	52	79.7	76.9	76.2	77.4
Household equipment and supplies.....	47	58	80.3	78.5	75.9	76.7
Coal.....	.....	.....	97.2	94.3	89.5	89.6
Coke.....	.....	.....	100.1	99.0	93.4	93.0
Coal oil, gas, fuel oil and lubricating oil.....	.....	.....	73.0	74.6	74.8	76.3
Drugs and pharmaceuticals.....	.....	.....	94.2	85.8	72.9	74.9
*Rubber tires and tubes.....	.....	.....	44.5	45.5	47.3	48.6
PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D).....	351	402	67.1	62.4	63.1	67.8
C. Producers' Equipment.....	22	24	90.0	88.7	86.0	88.9
Tools.....	3	3	91.4	88.8	82.7	85.4
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies.....	17	17	90.2	88.9	86.1	89.3
Explosives.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	83.4
Miscellaneous.....	2	2	84.5	84.5	83.4	84.0
D. Producers' Materials.....	329	378	64.6	59.5	60.5	65.5
Building and construction materials.....	97	111	81.9	77.2	78.3	82.5
Lumber.....	27	33	77.4	68.8	70.8	78.6
Painters' materials.....	11	13	69.1	63.5	66.2	75.0
Miscellaneous.....	59	65	89.4	88.7	88.4	88.2
Manufacturers' Materials.....	232	267	61.7	56.5	57.5	62.6
For textile and clothing industries.....	47	64	70.9	68.2	69.2	71.3
For the fur and leather industries.....	19	24	78.0	63.2	68.0	67.7
For the metal working industries.....	35	41	68.9	64.1	68.1	68.5
For chemical using industries.....	44	43	90.4	91.7	90.0	89.6
For meat packing industries.....	4	4	76.0	61.2	55.3	69.4
For milling and other industries.....	23	23	40.6	39.3	44.3	54.9
Miscellaneous Producers' Materials.....	60	68	70.4	62.0	57.3	59.7
For farm materials.....	.....	.....	75.0	64.7	61.8	74.9
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.....	.....	.....	79.2	68.9	58.2	57.9
For rubber working industries.....	.....	.....	13.7	9.5	14.3	27.1
Other producers' materials.....	.....	.....	59.1	53.9	56.9	58.2

\*Previous to 1934: Rubber Tires.

TABLE XIB—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1934(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of com- mod- ities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.</b>	567	70.7	72.1	72.1	71.3	71.1	72.0	72.0	72.2	71.9	71.3	71.1	71.1
<b>CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B)</b>	236	74.3	75.9	75.9	74.6	73.8	74.1	73.8	73.5	73.9	73.6	73.1	72.9
<b>A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco...</b>	126	69.6	73.0	72.8	70.5	68.8	69.7	69.4	69.0	69.6	69.3	68.4	67.9
Beverages.....	9	71.0	73.2	74.3	74.2	75.7	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.3	76.0	75.6	75.6
Flour and other milled pro- ducts.....	12	64.2	66.6	66.6	63.4	62.4	68.3	71.1	73.5	71.0	70.1	70.9	71.8
Bakery products.....	2	83.3	83.3	83.3	82.6	82.1	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7
Fish.....	16	68.8	69.1	68.3	68.2	68.1	68.9	68.4	70.5	75.0	77.3	74.6	70.7
Fruits, fresh.....	4	77.2	75.6	75.1	77.9	79.5	98.7	92.7	88.5	87.1	8.4	80.4	75.3
Fruits, dried.....	5	89.1	88.8	88.8	88.2	88.2	86.7	85.7	85.6	85.7	83.5	84.4	83.6
Fruits, canned.....	6	69.1	69.1	69.2	69.2	68.9	67.3	67.3	67.6	68.6	68.5	68.9	68.9
Meats, fresh.....	6	61.9	67.1	69.8	68.8	70.2	72.9	69.2	63.2	63.2	60.4	58.0	60.1
Meats, canned, cured or other- wise prepared.....	3	55.3	70.4	72.4	69.8	72.0	75.5	80.7	83.3	84.7	77.4	72.7	70.6
Poultry.....	1	51.0	52.4	57.2	56.7	56.7	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.4	49.7	43.6	43.6
Milk and its products.....	12	67.2	69.1	71.9	69.1	62.0	62.5	60.0	59.6	61.0	64.5	64.7	65.4
Sugar and its products.....	8	107.1	107.5	107.2	103.5	103.0	88.2	87.8	86.1	85.9	83.6	83.3	83.3
<b>Vegetables.....</b>	(13)												
Potatoes.....	7	48.0	51.8	50.7	48.8	41.2	38.8	31.7	28.8	27.0	23.8	20.4	20.6
Onions.....	2	70.8	73.1	79.1	75.0	72.4	73.7	91.9	85.1	65.2	61.7	59.9	59.7
Vegetables, canned.....	4	74.6	72.7	74.0	74.0	73.0	74.3	74.6	74.6	72.0	73.3	72.0	72.0
Eggs.....	3	69.0	81.9	57.0	46.3	47.8	51.4	54.1	54.3	63.8	71.2	73.0	65.5
Tobacco.....	8	39.0	39.0	39.0	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2
Miscellaneous.....	18	61.4	59.9	59.9	57.5	56.9	56.8	56.5	59.6	66.5	67.1	65.3	66.3
<b>B. Other Consumers' Goods.....</b>	110	77.5	77.8	78.0	77.4	77.1	77.1	76.7	76.5	76.7	76.4	76.2	76.2
Clothing (boots, shoes, rub- ber, hosiery and under- wear).....	52	77.8	78.7	78.9	78.7	78.7	78.3	77.1	76.2	76.2	75.9	75.9	75.8
Household equipment and supplies.....	58	77.3	77.1	77.4	76.5	75.9	76.2	76.4	76.8	77.1	76.7	75.5	76.5
Coal.....	90	89.5	89.7	87.0	87.4	88.5	88.5	89.4	90.1	90.7	91.0	90.8	90.9
Coke.....	93.2	93.2	93.2	93.2	93.2	93.2	93.2	93.2	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7
Coal oil, gas, fuel oil and lubri- cating oil.....	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.6	75.7	75.5	75.5	75.5	75.0	75.0	74.8	74.8	74.8
Drugs and pharmaceuticals...	73.1	72.8	74.9	74.9	74.9	75.7	75.7	75.4	74.4	75.9	75.2	75.2	75.3
Rubber tires and tubes.....	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	50.1	50.1	50.1	48.9	48.9
<b>PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D)</b>	402	66.0	67.0	67.1	66.6	67.2	68.8	69.1	69.8	68.9	67.7	67.9	68.5
<b>C. Producers' Equipment.....</b>	24	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9	89.1	89.2	89.7	89.6	89.5	89.5	89.4	89.4
Tools.....	3	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	83.9	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0
Light, heat and power equip- ment and supplies.....	17	88.3	88.3	88.3	88.2	89.5	89.5	90.1	90.0	89.9	89.9	89.8	90.0
Explosives.....	2	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	82.7	82.7	82.7	81.1	81.1
Miscellaneous.....	2	82.5	82.5	82.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5
<b>D. Producers' Materials.....</b>	378	63.6	64.7	64.8	64.2	64.8	66.5	66.8	67.6	66.6	65.3	65.5	65.5
Building and construction materials.....	111	81.9	82.3	82.2	82.9	83.1	83.9	83.2	82.8	82.7	82.4	81.8	81.1
Lumber.....	33	77.3	77.6	77.9	78.6	79.0	80.8	79.8	79.2	79.0	78.8	77.7	76.6
Painters' materials.....	13	72.7	73.3	73.4	76.6	76.6	76.6	76.0	75.5	75.4	75.1	74.7	74.4
Miscellaneous.....	65	88.7	89.1	88.5	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.2	88.0	88.0	87.7	87.4	87.7
<b>Manufacturers' Materials.....</b>	267	60.5	61.7	61.8	61.0	61.7	63.6	64.0	65.0	63.9	62.4	62.7	63.3
For textile and clothing in- dustries.....	64	71.8	73.1	73.4	73.4	73.2	72.4	71.1	69.9	69.8	69.4	69.2	69.0
For the fur and leather in- dustries.....	24	72.6	73.4	72.4	72.3	69.5	69.2	65.6	64.1	61.2	61.7	62.0	63.3
For metal working industries. For chemical using industries.	41	70.5	70.5	70.0	69.8	68.9	68.6	67.7	67.5	66.6	66.7	67.4	67.7
For meat packing industries. For milling and other indus- tries.....	43	90.1	89.7	89.6	89.5	89.7	89.8	89.6	89.5	89.4	89.5	89.3	89.0
For meat packing industries. For milling and other indus- tries.....	4	68.8	75.4	76.2	74.4	74.4	72.7	69.0	66.6	64.9	62.0	60.7	66.6
Miscellaneous Producers' Ma- terials.....	23	47.5	48.7	49.1	48.0	51.2	56.3	59.2	63.1	61.2	57.3	58.0	58.0
For farm materials.....	68	58.3	59.4	59.5	58.5	58.3	60.1	60.7	61.1	60.4	60.2	60.3	60.0
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.....	68.1	73.3	75.4	72.9	70.1	75.6	76.6	77.3	77.1	75.6	77.3	77.3	79.0
For rubber working industries Other producers' materials...	58.1	58.2	58.2	58.1	58.2	58.1	58.1	57.9	57.8	57.8	57.8	57.7	57.7
	20.3	22.7	24.0	26.3	29.5	28.8	30.6	31.7	30.8	28.3	26.2	26.2	26.2
	56.8	57.7	57.2	55.2	55.5	58.6	59.8	60.9	59.2	59.4	59.1	59.1	58.8

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE

Weighted wholesale price index numbers classified according to origin and degree of manufacture are now available from 1890 to the present time. The broad movements of (a) raw and partly manufactured, (b) fully and chiefly manufactured, and (c) Canadian farm products during the past forty-five years may be observed from Chart III. The violent shifts in price levels since the beginning of the Great War stand out in clear contrast to the minor fluctuations of the preceding twenty-four years. Throughout the whole period, the relatively sensitive behaviour of farm product prices is clearly evident. The index for this group fluctuates more widely than that of raw and partly manufactured materials chiefly because of the presence of ferrous metals and non-metallic minerals among the latter. Price movements for such commodities are characteristically more rigid than those for most other commodity groups.

Despite moderate recovery in prices during 1933 and 1934, it may be seen that indexes are still close to levels occupied early in the first decade of the century. Recovery has been most pronounced in primary products, but there still remains a substantial measure of dislocation between primary product and manufactured product prices. Correction of this condition seems likely to take longer than it did following the post-war decline in commodity prices, for recently manufactured product prices have reflected in part the rising levels of primary product markets. In 1924 and 1925, however, recovery in the farm products index, due largely to better grain prices, was not accompanied by any appreciable rise in manufactured products.

Details of index numbers of wholesale commodity prices classified according to origin and degree of manufacture may be found in tables XII and XIII following.





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178.01	175.31	224.61	108.41	155.21	164.91	158.61	238.41	153.81	207.51	127.61	134.51	133.01	122.61	134.11	124.91	154.01	162.11	153.71
1917.	180.31	227.91	227.61	225.01	285.41	184.51	234.01	173.51	211.91	132.51	177.51	172.01	135.51	164.21	141.31	163.61	174.31	167.11
1918.	180.31	227.91	227.61	225.01	285.41	184.51	234.01	173.51	211.91	132.51	177.51	172.01	135.51	164.21	141.31	163.61	174.31	167.11
1919.	203.91	247.61	224.61	239.91	206.11	206.11	252.81	199.31	233.11	182.41	181.81	177.51	167.31	193.11	172.41	164.11	171.61	167.41
1920.	204.16	247.61	224.61	239.91	206.11	214.41	295.31	195.81	258.81	199.91	174.61	173.51	234.21	271.21	241.61	194.91	201.01	195.61
1921.	168.11	179.21	174.31	238.81	211.21	163.71	150.21	177.81	164.81	114.61	149.61	141.91	194.21	275.41	202.41	173.81	178.71	175.61
1922.	168.11	179.21	174.31	238.81	211.21	163.71	150.21	177.81	164.81	114.61	149.61	141.91	194.21	275.41	202.41	173.81	178.71	175.61
1923.	148.51	156.01	147.71	139.11	132.91	130.41	142.11	135.61	138.71	127.61	150.71	142.71	158.31	199.11	166.41	161.41	153.41	158.01
1924.	142.81	139.11	143.81	139.91	163.41	146.61	135.71	130.01	127.61	127.61	130.91	129.91	158.81	208.61	176.81	164.71	151.51	157.91
1925.	148.61	157.31	153.11	171.51	151.31	133.31	142.91	146.61	126.21	139.11	150.01	143.71	156.21	204.01	165.81	158.81	150.81	156.21
1926.	158.01	160.21	172.21	170.71	125.31	138.31	142.91	174.11	137.21	160.51	120.01	152.71	149.71	196.21	159.01	158.91	143.21	151.71
1927.	156.71	158.91	171.21	167.01	171.71	136.91	147.41	142.01	139.81	132.91	103.41	155.31	149.31	185.31	156.51	156.11	141.31	149.31
1928.	156.61	158.91	169.51	161.81	165.31	157.01	141.21	143.21	137.21	162.21	122.91	155.41	144.81	184.41	165.91	147.71	133.41	139.81
1929.	152.61	146.61	154.41	156.81	152.71	144.01	149.61	164.31	158.41	158.41	116.31	169.91	165.41	148.01	166.01	142.71	129.41	139.81
1930.	152.81	143.51	153.21	151.51	152.31	157.01	144.01	150.31	162.61	158.81	123.01	177.31	162.61	150.01	162.71	156.81	130.81	137.01
1931.	128.81	134.71	140.31	128.81	142.01	131.81	136.21	124.21	127.71	110.41	160.81	146.31	135.71	160.11	148.71	134.61	127.31	130.51
1932.	97.01	115.41	75.31	97.31	105.11	105.51	106.31	77.31	86.11	89.41	126.81	116.71	118.51	145.81	133.11	124.11	120.71	120.71
1933.	86.21	107.71	70.21	112.11	92.81	80.01	86.61	72.91	75.81	71.41	103.81	98.71	103.91	126.71	116.61	120.21	119.71	119.91
1934.	99.51	113.31	92.81	123.41	109.31	90.41	97.51	87.91	79.81	71.41	106.91	97.31	104.11	107.01	105.11	118.01	119.31	118.71
1935.	99.51	113.31	92.81	123.41	109.31	90.41	97.51	87.91	92.61	76.61	122.71	110.21	113.91	104.01	108.61	121.01	121.31	121.21

## CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS

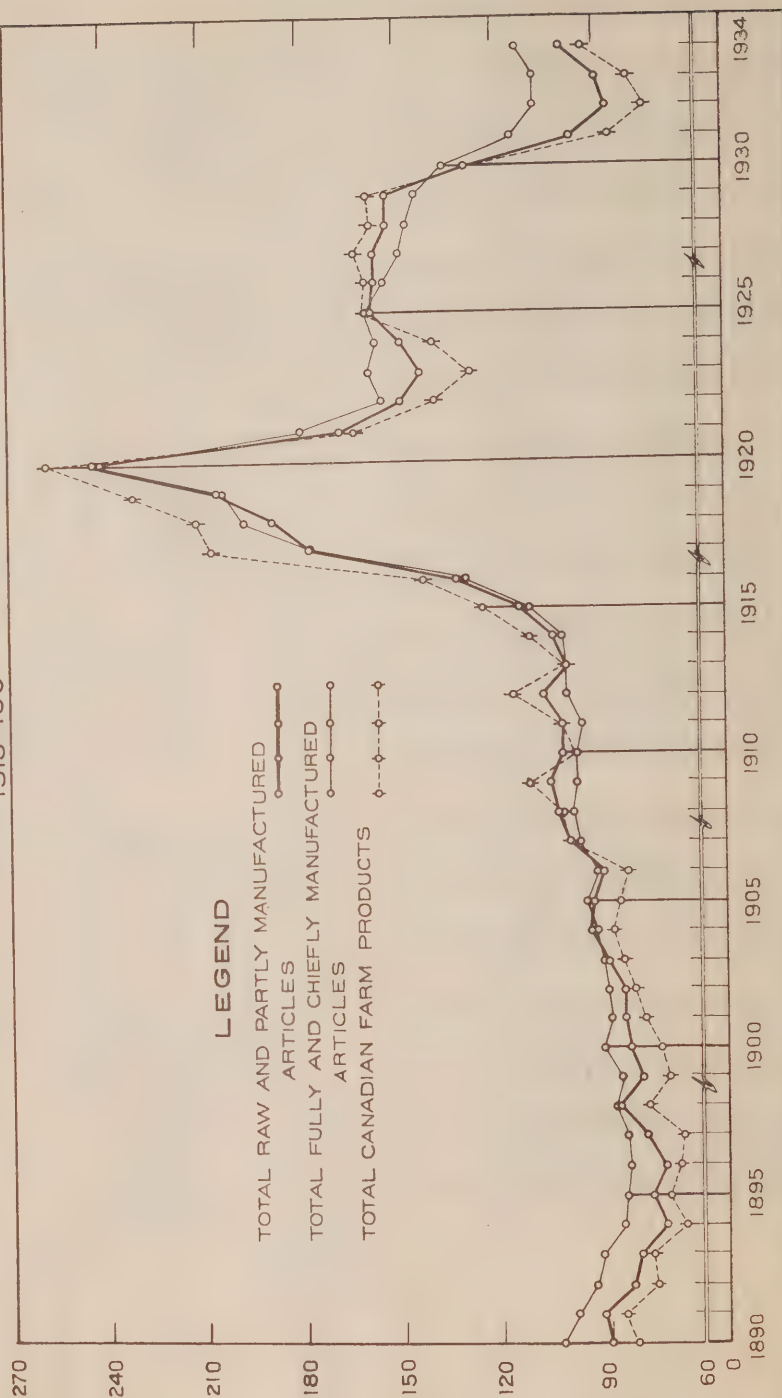
CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE 1890-1934  
1913=100

TABLE XIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1913-1926

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
<b>I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (Domestic and Foreign).....</b>	59.2	65.2	75.6	87.6	124.5	134.7	142.5	176.4	106.6	91.2	93.1	96.6	104.0	100.0
(A) Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—														
(a) Raw and partly manufactured materials...	58.4	65.9	77.8	90.2	131.2	132.7	144.8	176.9	101.8	86.3	83.6	89.4	100.6	100.0
Fruits, fresh, domestic	67.5	76.3	77.2	91.3	114.1	105.4	147.2	152.8	133.7	143.9	122.3	112.9	132.9	100.0
Fruits, fresh, foreign...	63.2	58.7	67.4	65.7	75.0	124.7	133.3	158.1	144.0	136.4	121.2	115.3	115.2	100.0
Fruits, dried.....	53.5	51.6	66.0	64.8	90.7	84.9	137.1	160.1	130.7	118.4	101.8	90.5	90.8	100.0
Grains.....	60.8	69.6	87.6	94.2	149.5	153.4	159.8	170.8	109.0	84.3	75.7	87.4	110.1	100.0
Malt.....	84.3	115.0	92.1	102.6	148.2	175.2	154.9	179.3	113.4	100.9	95.9	111.4	115.8	100.0
Rubber, raw.....	141.8	111.7	121.9	135.6	134.4	107.8	102.1	71.8	35.2	36.7	61.0	54.2	148.9	103.9
Sugar, raw.....	77.2	99.2	133.6	163.1	176.6	173.8	193.2	397.1	149.7	130.2	180.6	145.8	102.4	100.0
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	44.2	43.7	51.8	54.1	61.5	81.8	93.1	104.1	71.6	80.2	89.8	90.6	100.5	100.0
Tobacco.....	55.4	44.9	44.9	59.8	80.0	144.2	154.0	169.1	61.3	75.0	75.0	70.9	73.5	100.0
Vegetables.....	32.2	41.9	34.8	72.7	113.9	74.8	82.0	153.1	55.3	45.5	51.4	58.5	57.0	100.0
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	70.7	76.9	85.3	83.9	85.8	110.7	145.9	171.2	117.1	112.0	88.9	93.5	92.1	100.0
Cotton.....	69.3	59.0	51.8	73.9	117.0	162.7	197.9	228.4	88.1	120.2	162.2	156.8	133.7	100.0
Flax, hemp and jute products.....	45.3	43.5	72.0	100.6	153.3	250.4	268.9	310.8	149.4	102.3	90.4	91.2	117.4	100.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles...	59.9	64.6	73.7	85.4	118.8	136.5	140.5	175.9	110.7	95.3	101.2	102.7	106.9	100.0
Evaporated apples.....	48.9	61.7	51.6	64.3	100.0	133.4	127.4	137.4	93.4	117.4	85.0	101.1	106.7	100.0
Flour and milled products.....	60.1	66.8	79.8	86.8	131.0	134.3	132.3	159.9	109.1	86.6	79.0	84.9	106.7	100.0
Bakery products.....	52.3	58.4	61.5	69.2	96.9	110.7	103.9	121.8	100.4	84.6	81.0	87.2	104.0	100.0
Vegetable oils.....	62.2	55.0	63.4	90.1	132.5	173.5	210.2	191.6	90.7	100.8	109.3	169.2	110.7	100.0
Rubbers.....	78.0	74.8	75.7	76.8	95.2	105.8	103.5	120.0	108.1	95.2	104.8	111.0	95.8	100.0
Sugar products and glucose.....	70.2	80.9	103.4	119.4	134.2	146.8	166.9	283.1	147.5	111.1	158.9	139.0	105.4	100.0
Chocolate.....	90.7	92.5	94.3	101.6	98.0	94.3	119.4	166.2	99.0	89.6	88.9	87.1	94.3	100.0
Tobacco.....	46.2	49.9	54.4	54.4	57.4	71.5	94.3	104.9	95.4	95.4	95.4	100.0	100.0	100.0
Canned vegetables.....	69.7	63.0	62.8	87.2	149.8	162.3	135.0	128.5	111.5	107.1	102.8	133.5	123.6	100.0
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	60.1	63.8	65.3	73.1	80.6	88.6	119.7	154.8	91.2	103.6	112.4	107.5	109.9	100.0
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	65.5	62.6	57.3	72.5	121.0	156.0	148.0	138.0	114.8	86.1	79.8	85.8	100.1	100.0
Shellac.....	42.6	46.6	48.9	55.3	96.7	113.1	132.9	199.0	103.8	122.6	136.8	136.8	106.8	100.0
Alcohol.....	79.9	77.6	77.6	96.4	164.4	192.2	211.1	371.3	145.7	116.1	111.8	100.0	100.0	100.0
Yarn and thread.....	63.3	61.2	53.2	79.6	116.9	168.4	164.9	195.2	96.0	105.4	147.2	129.5	115.8	100.0
Fabrics.....	55.2	55.1	53.4	71.0	99.8	146.3	158.8	185.5	99.5	106.9	118.7	120.9	109.8	100.0
Men's hosiery.....	36.1	60.2	61.9	65.3	68.8	79.1	111.7	131.7	112.5	95.2	106.6	106.8	100.4	100.0
Sash cord.....	57.1	56.1	49.8	67.7	96.8	136.5	143.6	191.4	106.3	104.9	131.4	140.5	116.5	100.0
Flax, hemp and jute products.....	65.7	56.8	77.1	102.6	130.8	195.3	162.3	155.2	74.9	93.0	88.6	96.8	111.0	100.0
(B) ANIMAL.....	70.1	70.7	73.7	86.1	112.5	129.0	142.6	146.0	108.2	95.9	95.7	90.9	100.5	100.0
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials...	73.0	75.6	75.0	86.4	113.3	133.2	146.4	146.8	104.7	95.3	90.8	91.5	100.4	100.0
Livestock.....	79.0	80.6	80.5	93.4	133.5	154.9	151.4	152.4	93.6	98.3	81.9	78.2	98.4	100.0
Furs.....	27.5	18.9	13.8	22.8	38.0	65.2	122.5	131.3	72.7	84.1	79.2	62.4	69.2	100.0
Hides and skins.....	130.4	136.3	152.3	192.2	201.1	162.3	311.8	211.8	85.4	116.4	106.5	98.3	119.2	100.0
Meats.....	68.9	73.7	70.0	80.8	108.7	135.5	137.0	142.1	98.9	90.5	85.8	84.0	94.0	100.0
Poultry.....	63.2	61.9	61.1	75.5	85.3	110.7	136.8	136.8	125.7	125.4	118.7	86.3	91.4	100.0
Milk.....	74.1	75.4	76.0	80.0	101.7	118.0	136.2	144.1	124.6	98.4	98.8	99.7	99.6	100.0
Silk, raw.....	59.9	60.3	54.3	80.1	91.0	105.2	142.1	153.4	97.5	118.5	137.8	98.7	103.1	100.0
Wool.....	60.1	72.3	101.6	124.4	188.3	235.1	186.1	84.7	36.9	78.3	108.8	120.1	129.0	100.0
Miscellaneous.....	72.3	72.0	69.0	83.1	106.9	122.4	142.9	154.1	115.5	96.8	94.1	105.3	112.8	110.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles...	67.8	67.0	72.7	85.8	111.8	125.7	139.7	145.4	111.0	96.3	99.4	90.4	100.5	100.0
Oils, fats, etc.....	79.4	74.2	71.4	94.5	145.6	174.1	176.7	162.2	97.2	88.4	93.7	93.9	106.6	100.0
Leather, manufactured	82.0	83.2	86.8	103.9	133.4	138.7	173.5	177.0	124.9	110.3	107.9	102.7	101.5	100.0
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	58.8	57.0	58.9	71.7	101.0	121.3	124.5	127.7	104.4	94.4	86.3	72.4	97.0	100.0
Milk products.....	69.4	68.6	78.0	87.5	108.0	116.7	134.8	143.0	112.6	95.6	105.3	96.0	101.7	100.0
Yarn, woollen.....	53.8	53.8	61.9	91.5	134.5	188.3	172.2	158.0	102.8	65.9	80.7	80.8	97.1	100.0
Silk and its products.....	51.6	52.0	52.0	57.7	63.3	78.5	98.9	139.0	106.6	114.8	123.6	108.2	102.3	100.0
Cloth, hosiery and underwear.....	45.4	46.5	49.8	66.1	96.2	137.0	161.8	193.4	122.3	100.4	105.9	105.2	105.0	100.0
Glycerine.....	73.9	84.0	88.6	190.5	225.6	230.0	85.1	108.1	80.4	71.0	73.8	75.0	79.7	100.0



TABLE XIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1913-1926—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS—														
(a) Field (grains, etc.)....	56.4	65.4	76.9	88.8	134.5	132.0	142.6	166.5	100.3	81.4	73.3	82.7	98.2	100.0
(b) Animal.....	77.0	78.3	79.5	91.4	118.4	133.6	153.5	150.8	109.5	99.0	95.1	97.2	105.6	100.0
(c) Total.....	64.1	70.2	77.9	89.8	128.5	132.6	146.7	160.6	103.7	88.0	81.5	88.1	101.0	100.0
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN.....	65.9	63.9	65.0	69.8	87.2	111.7	115.8	114.1	91.2	91.7	85.4	92.9	97.8	100.0
(a) Raw and partly manufactured.....	78.7	72.5	73.7	81.0	100.4	120.0	127.8	133.7	90.2	90.3	99.6	95.9	94.4	100.0
Fish, fresh.....	78.7	72.5	73.7	81.0	100.4	120.0	127.8	133.7	90.2	90.3	99.6	95.9	94.4	100.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured.....	61.2	60.7	61.8	65.7	82.3	108.6	111.3	106.9	91.6	92.2	80.1	91.8	99.1	100.0
Dried and prepared fish.....	89.4	93.9	95.6	103.0	132.7	190.3	184.2	146.3	102.5	106.8	84.9	125.4	120.0	100.0
Canned fish.....	49.3	46.7	47.5	49.9	61.2	74.4	80.5	90.2	86.4	86.1	78.1	77.6	90.4	100.0
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN.....	60.1	58.4	56.1	61.8	76.9	89.7	107.9	151.3	136.9	106.8	112.8	107.6	103.3	100.0
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured.....	67.0	61.8	57.4	68.0	82.1	90.8	112.1	156.9	123.4	106.0	113.1	104.7	100.3	100.0
Lumber and timber.....	67.4	61.4	56.8	62.2	74.6	87.9	111.1	139.1	121.3	108.0	112.1	104.9	100.6	100.0
Fully, Chemical and Mechanical.....	64.2	65.3	62.3	110.7	137.4	112.5	110.7	287.8	139.5	91.6	120.7	103.6	97.9	100.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured.....	54.0	55.5	54.9	56.4	72.4	88.7	104.3	146.4	148.7	107.5	112.6	110.2	105.9	100.0
Newsprint, paper rolls.....	56.9	58.5	57.8	59.1	76.4	90.2	104.7	151.8	154.9	108.1	113.8	111.4	106.2	100.0
Furniture.....	51.3	52.7	53.7	55.0	74.3	96.9	125.8	165.9	127.9	113.1	116.1	100.4	99.9	100.0
Matches.....	30.4	31.6	30.4	34.0	39.2	73.9	95.8	98.6	100.3	100.7	101.0	100.0	103.4	100.0
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN.....	67.9	64.9	68.9	85.5	107.7	115.2	114.3	134.6	117.8	106.4	106.6	104.6	101.7	100.0
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured.....	64.1	61.5	68.4	83.1	98.7	104.6	105.2	124.9	111.1	103.5	105.6	101.8	101.9	100.0
Scrap iron.....	106.5	115.4	105.6	159.8	235.4	297.1	153.5	203.6	125.6	107.6	144.1	129.3	110.1	100.0
Smelted products.....	78.1	72.9	94.7	150.3	202.9	183.9	159.7	224.9	133.5	123.6	134.3	107.4	103.3	100.0
Coal and its products.....	47.0	46.3	46.2	48.2	59.3	72.5	83.0	100.1	111.3	100.9	102.6	102.6	100.6	100.0
Aluminium.....	99.9	77.5	136.8	250.7	214.7	138.9	134.5	138.2	108.3	81.5	96.2	102.9	104.2	100.0
Antimony.....	60.1	61.7	203.3	175.6	143.9	89.4	65.7	67.7	41.8	43.4	54.5	76.9	125.2	100.0
Electrolytic copper.....	98.7	84.9	118.7	193.6	198.6	168.5	133.0	135.5	102.5	100.7	105.9	96.1	101.6	100.0
Lead.....	56.9	54.7	70.0	104.0	136.0	112.0	79.0	108.1	69.9	75.8	87.2	98.5	111.0	100.0
Silver.....	96.0	88.8	80.7	105.5	132.6	158.3	178.7	168.9	102.1	109.5	105.1	107.4	111.6	100.0
Tin ingots.....	69.5	56.6	61.2	68.6	93.5	144.1	89.7	90.7	56.4	54.3	71.0	79.6	88.5	100.0
Zinc (Spelter).....	64.8	59.3	171.8	165.1	109.4	98.9	95.5	113.4	76.3	82.7	93.8	89.6	102.8	100.0
Metallic nickel.....	127.7	127.7	127.7	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	117.6	100.8	100.8	84.0	84.0	100.8	100.0
Miscellaneous non-metallic minerals.....	77.4	79.6	79.7	82.7	100.5	124.1	137.9	154.9	161.5	145.7	130.3	118.5	96.3	100.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured.....	70.9	67.7	69.3	87.4	115.0	123.6	121.7	142.5	123.2	108.8	107.4	106.9	101.5	100.0
Cast iron pipe.....	60.9	60.0	69.1	81.8	118.1	145.4	140.1	183.9	139.3	108.3	115.9	118.1	107.5	100.0
Hardware.....	60.5	58.6	62.9	97.9	137.9	144.4	120.3	149.8	125.2	106.0	113.5	111.0	105.9	100.0
Rolling mill products.....	67.2	66.5	69.9	93.7	143.4	146.9	132.9	150.8	122.0	98.2	108.9	109.6	104.0	100.0
Tools and hand implements.....	49.3	48.4	47.8	56.8	79.4	99.4	105.7	129.7	121.1	97.0	104.8	105.5	100.0	100.0
Wire.....	60.2	59.2	65.6	92.8	128.0	139.7	145.7	159.3	137.4	108.0	113.1	119.1	103.8	100.0
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	58.9	58.0	61.7	74.3	96.5	118.2	121.3	128.2	121.9	99.8	101.6	102.3	100.0	100.0
Brass sheets.....	83.3	135.4	128.4	204.8	185.7	172.8	171.4	183.9	146.4	122.9	107.6	99.4	98.6	100.0
Copper products.....	94.9	83.2	107.3	177.5	193.8	170.8	135.6	139.9	97.9	95.0	103.6	95.4	100.6	100.0
Lead pipe.....	39.6	46.0	55.1	80.8	107.2	93.5	80.4	98.5	75.6	76.3	85.6	92.3	103.0	100.0
Zinc sheet.....	62.1	66.8	167.0	199.7	192.6	159.2	108.6	122.0	95.6	84.1	95.3	92.5	99.2	100.0
Solder.....	70.8	58.3	63.1	72.1	96.8	131.8	85.6	94.4	58.3	57.9	72.2	81.0	91.6	100.0
Clay products.....	58.7	49.0	45.7	48.8	62.9	61.8	71.3	92.5	91.8	92.2	94.2	100.0	100.0	100.0
Pottery.....	30.3	30.5	36.9	63.1	69.5	76.4	104.4	152.8	143.6	118.5	93.9	83.6	95.5	100.0
Coke.....	54.9	48.5	48.3	50.1	65.0	75.2	90.4	101.5	113.5	113.5	113.5	111.8	100.7	100.0
Glass products.....	99.7	102.6	142.9	156.1	205.0	329.8	368.1	445.4	181.0	158.2	163.3	137.3	113.7	100.0
Petroleum and its products.....	88.7	77.9	70.7	84.9	103.3	111.9	113.6	140.0	123.5	114.6	95.4	97.4	91.3	100.0
Lime, plaster and cement.....	87.6	87.6	87.5	110.9	120.5	141.4	145.1	169.2	173.4	154.8	139.8	134.5	125.0	100.0
Coal tar.....	42.1	42.1	42.1	42.1	42.1	54.6	68.4	78.1	89.5	89.5	92.7	94.9	96.5	100.0
Paints, pigments, etc.....	59.1	60.1	67.7	92.4	118.3	122.8	122.6	146.6	109.7	98.2	104.4	106.4	112.6	100.0
Soap.....	71.3	71.3	71.3	71.7	92.3	123.6	137.4	165.3	125.6	112.9	112.6	108.9	100.0	100.0
Miscellaneous inorganic chemicals.....	64.6	67.5	69.7	77.7	118.4	112.2	111.8	125.9	127.8	110.4	102.5	99.5	99.1	100.0
Sulphuric acid.....	57.8	64.4	73.3	82.2	104.5	126.7	110.1	119.1	112.4	104.5	104.5	104.0	100.0	100.0

TABLE XV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICE OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1913-1926

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Commodities	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
<b>I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN.....</b> (Domestic and Foreign)	100-0	100-6	125-4	146-0	209-4	225-0	239-2	291-2	177-6	152-9	153-4	161-3	175-7	171-7
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)</b>														
(a) Raw and Partly Manu- factured Material....	100-0	112-8	133-3	154-5	224-6	227-2	247-9	302-9	174-3	147-7	143-2	153-1	172-2	171-2
Fruits, fresh domestic.....	100-0	113-0	114-4	135-3	169-0	156-2	218-1	226-3	198-0	213-2	181-2	167-2	186-9	148-2
Fruits, fresh, foreign.....	100-0	92-9	106-6	104-0	118-6	197-3	210-9	250-1	227-8	215-8	191-7	182-4	182-3	158-3
Fruits, dried.....	100-0	96-4	123-3	121-2	169-5	158-6	256-3	299-3	244-3	221-4	190-3	169-7	186-9	186-9
Grains.....	100-0	114-4	144-1	154-9	245-9	252-3	262-8	280-9	179-2	138-7	124-5	143-8	181-1	164-4
Malt.....	100-0	136-4	109-3	121-7	175-8	207-8	183-8	212-7	134-5	119-7	113-8	132-1	137-4	118-6
Rubber, raw.....	100-0	78-8	86-0	95-6	94-8	76-0	72-0	50-6	24-8	25-9	43-0	38-2	105-0	70-5
Sugar, raw.....	100-0	128-5	173-1	211-3	228-7	225-1	250-2	514-4	193-9	168-7	233-9	188-8	132-6	129-6
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	100-0	98-8	117-1	122-5	139-1	185-0	210-6	335-6	162-1	181-5	203-1	205-0	227-3	226-5
Tobacco.....	100-0	81-0	81-0	107-9	144-4	260-3	278-0	305-2	110-7	135-4	135-4	128-0	132-6	180-5
Vegetables.....	100-0	130-0	108-1	125-7	353-7	232-2	254-7	475-4	171-8	141-2	159-5	181-8	176-9	311-0
Miscellaneous vege- table products.....	100-0	108-8	120-6	118-6	121-3	156-6	206-3	242-1	165-6	158-4	125-8	132-3	130-3	141-4
Cotton.....	100-0	85-2	74-8	106-7	168-9	234-8	285-6	329-6	127-2	173-5	234-1	226-3	193-0	144-4
Flax, hemp and jute products.....	100-0	96-1	158-9	222-1	338-5	552-8	593-5	686-0	329-7	225-9	199-5	201-3	259-2	220-7
<b>(b) Fully and Chiefly Manu- factured Articles....</b>	100-0	107-9	123-0	142-5	198-4	227-9	234-6	293-6	184-8	159-1	168-9	171-5	178-5	167-0
Evaporated apples.....	100-0	126-2	105-6	131-5	204-4	272-9	260-6	281-0	191-0	240-1	173-9	206-8	218-3	204-6
Flour and milled pro- ducts.....	100-0	111-1	132-7	144-5	218-0	223-4	220-1	266-0	181-5	144-1	131-4	141-2	177-6	166-4
Bakery products.....	100-0	111-7	117-6	132-3	185-2	211-7	198-7	232-9	192-0	161-8	154-9	166-7	198-8	191-1
Vegetable oils and by- products.....	100-0	88-4	102-0	144-9	213-1	278-9	337-9	308-1	145-8	162-0	175-7	175-6	177-9	160-8
Rubbers.....	100-0	95-9	97-1	98-4	122-0	135-7	132-7	153-9	138-6	122-0	134-4	142-3	122-8	128-2
Sugar products and glucose.....	100-0	115-3	147-3	170-1	191-2	209-1	237-8	403-3	210-1	158-2	226-4	198-0	150-2	142-5
Chocolate.....	100-0	102-0	104-0	112-0	108-0	104-0	131-6	183-2	109-2	98-8	98-0	96-0	104-0	110-3
Tobacco.....	100-0	108-0	117-8	117-7	124-2	154-7	204-1	227-0	206-5	206-5	206-5	216-5	216-5	216-5
Canned vegetables.....	100-0	90-4	89-7	125-1	214-9	232-8	193-7	184-4	159-9	153-7	147-5	191-6	177-3	143-5
Miscellaneous vege- table products.....	100-0	106-1	108-7	121-6	134-1	147-4	199-1	257-5	151-7	172-3	187-0	178-9	182-8	166-5
Miscellaneous fibre pro- ducts.....	100-0	95-5	87-5	110-7	184-8	238-1	225-9	210-7	175-3	131-5	121-8	131-0	152-9	152-7
Shellac.....	100-0	109-3	114-8	129-7	226-9	265-4	311-9	467-1	243-7	287-9	321-2	321-2	250-8	234-6
Alcohol.....	100-0	97-1	97-1	120-7	205-8	240-6	264-2	464-7	182-3	145-3	139-9	125-2	125-2	125-2
Yarn and thread.....	100-0	96-7	82-5	125-8	184-7	266-1	260-5	308-4	151-7	166-5	232-6	204-6	183-0	157-9
Fabrics.....	100-0	99-8	96-8	128-7	180-8	265-1	287-6	336-1	180-2	193-7	215-0	219-1	198-9	181-0
Men's hosiery.....	100-0	166-7	171-4	181-0	190-5	219-0	309-9	364-7	311-5	263-8	295-2	295-8	278-1	276-7
Sash cord.....	100-0	98-3	87-3	118-6	168-5	239-0	251-5	335-2	186-1	183-7	230-2	246-0	204-0	175-1
Flax, hemp and jute products.....	100-0	86-5	117-4	156-1	199-1	297-3	247-1	236-3	114-0	141-6	134-9	147-3	168-9	152-2
<b>B. ANIMAL.....</b>	100-0	101-9	105-0	121-3	158-6	184-5	201-5	208-5	156-2	135-6	135-7	130-7	142-9	142-0
<b>(a) Raw and Partly Manu- factured Materials....</b>	100-0	103-6	102-8	118-4	155-2	182-4	200-5	201-1	143-4	130-6	124-4	125-3	137-6	136-9
Livestock.....	100-0	102-0	101-9	118-2	169-0	196-1	191-7	192-9	118-5	124-4	103-7	99-0	124-5	126-6
Furs.....	100-0	68-9	50-0	82-9	138-1	237-1	445-6	477-5	264-4	305-9	288-0	226-9	251-6	364-0
Hides and skins.....	100-0	104-5	116-8	147-4	154-2	124-5	199-1	162-4	65-5	89-3	81-7	75-4	91-4	76-7
Meats.....	100-0	106-9	103-0	117-3	157-7	196-7	198-8	206-3	143-5	131-3	124-5	121-9	136-4	145-1
Fowl.....	100-0	98-0	96-6	119-5	134-9	175-2	216-5	216-4	198-9	198-4	187-8	136-5	144-6	158-3
Milk.....	100-0	101-8	102-5	108-0	137-3	159-3	183-8	194-4	168-1	132-8	133-4	134-5	134-4	134-9
Silk, raw.....	100-0	100-7	90-6	133-8	151-9	175-7	237-3	256-1	162-7	197-8	230-0	164-7	172-1	167-0
Wool.....	100-0	120-3	169-0	207-0	313-3	391-1	208-6	140-9	61-4	130-2	181-0	199-9	214-6	166-5
Miscellaneous.....	100-0	99-6	95-5	115-0	147-8	169-3	197-6	213-1	159-7	133-9	130-1	145-7	156-0	138-4
<b>(b) Fully and Chiefly Manu- factured Articles....</b>	100-0	98-7	107-3	126-5	164-9	185-4	206-1	214-4	163-7	142-1	146-6	133-3	148-3	147-4
Oils, fats, etc.....	100-0	93-4	89-9	119-0	183-4	219-3	222-5	204-3	122-4	111-3	118-0	118-2	124-3	126-0
Leather manufactured.....	100-0	101-5	105-9	126-7	162-7	169-2	211-6	215-8	152-3	134-5	131-6	125-2	123-8	121-9
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise pre- pared.....	100-0	96-9	100-2	122-0	171-7	206-3	211-8	217-1	177-5	160-6	146-8	123-1	164-9	170-2
Milk products.....	100-0	98-9	112-4	126-1	155-6	168-1	194-3	206-1	162-3	137-8	151-8	138-4	146-6	144-0
Yarn, woollen.....	100-0	100-0	115-0	170-0	250-0	350-0	320-0	293-6	191-0	122-4	150-0	150-2	158-5	186-0
Silk and its products... Cloth, hosiery and underwear.....	100-0	100-8	100-8	111-8	122-7	152-2	191-7	269-3	206-5	222-5	239-6	209-7	198-2	193-8
Glycerine.....	100-0	102-4	109-7	145-5	211-8	301-8	356-4	436-9	269-3	221-1	233-3	231-8	231-3	220-4
	100-0	113-6	119-9	257-8	305-3	311-2	115-2	146-3	108-8	96-1	96-8	101-5	107-9	135-4

TABLE XV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICE OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1913-1926—Concluded.(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1913=100)

Commodities	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926
<b>C. CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS</b>														
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	100-0	116-0	136-4	157-5	238-4	234-0	252-8	295-3	177-8	144-3	130-0	146-6	174-1	177-4
(b) Animal.....	100-0	101-7	103-2	118-7	153-8	173-5	199-3	195-8	142-2	128-6	123-5	126-2	137-2	129-8
(c) Total.....	100-0	110-8	124-3	143-3	207-5	211-9	233-1	258-8	164-8	138-5	127-6	139-1	160-5	159-6
<b>II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN</b>														
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured.....	100-0	97-6	99-3	106-3	133-0	172-0	177-5	173-5	141-9	142-7	129-9	143-7	152-7	155-3
Fish, fresh.....	100-0	92-1	93-7	102-9	127-6	152-5	162-4	169-9	114-6	114-7	126-5	121-8	120-0	127-1
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured.....	100-0	92-1	93-7	102-9	127-6	152-5	162-4	169-9	114-6	114-7	126-5	121-8	120-0	127-1
Dried and prepared fish.....	100-0	92-1	93-7	102-9	127-6	152-5	162-4	169-9	114-6	114-7	126-5	121-8	120-0	127-1
Canned fish.....	100-0	92-1	93-7	102-9	127-6	152-5	162-4	169-9	114-6	114-7	126-5	121-8	120-0	127-1
<b>III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN</b>														
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured.....	100-0	94-4	88-9	102-1	124-9	141-3	172-4	241-6	202-4	166-4	176-8	165-8	159-0	156-5
Lumber and timber.....	100-0	92-3	85-7	101-5	122-6	135-5	167-3	234-2	184-2	158-3	168-8	156-3	149-7	149-3
Pulp, chemical and mechanical.....	100-0	91-1	84-3	92-3	110-7	130-4	164-9	206-4	179-9	160-3	166-3	155-6	149-3	148-4
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured.....	100-0	101-7	97-1	172-4	214-0	175-2	172-5	448-3	217-3	142-7	188-0	161-4	152-5	155-8
Newsprint paper rolls.....	100-0	102-8	101-6	104-5	134-1	164-2	193-1	271-2	275-4	199-1	208-6	204-0	196-2	185-3
Furniture.....	100-0	102-8	101-6	103-9	134-2	158-5	184-0	266-7	272-2	189-0	200-0	195-8	186-7	175-6
Matches.....	100-0	102-8	104-7	107-3	144-9	188-8	245-3	323-4	340-4	220-5	226-4	195-7	194-8	194-8
<b>IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN</b>														
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured.....	100-0	96-0	99-8	121-6	153-7	167-1	167-4	195-6	175-4	158-0	157-9	156-2	151-7	149-3
Scrap iron.....	100-0	96-0	106-7	129-6	154-0	163-6	164-1	164-9	173-4	161-4	164-7	158-8	158-9	156-1
Smelted products.....	100-0	108-4	99-2	150-0	221-0	279-0	144-1	191-2	117-9	101-0	135-3	121-4	103-4	93-9
Coal and its products.....	100-0	98-5	121-2	192-4	259-8	235-5	204-5	288-0	170-9	158-3	171-9	137-5	132-3	128-1
Aluminum.....	100-0	98-5	98-2	105-5	126-2	154-3	176-5	213-0	236-9	214-6	218-3	218-2	214-0	212-9
Antimony.....	100-0	77-6	136-9	251-0	214-9	139-0	134-6	138-3	108-4	81-6	96-3	103-0	104-3	100-1
Electrolytic copper.....	100-0	102-6	138-2	292-1	239-5	148-7	109-3	112-7	69-5	92-6	90-7	127-9	208-3	166-5
Lead.....	100-0	86-0	123-0	196-1	201-2	170-7	134-8	137-4	103-9	102-0	108-3	97-4	102-9	101-3
Silver.....	100-0	96-2	123-0	182-7	239-1	196-8	139-9	190-0	122-9	133-2	153-2	173-1	195-0	175-8
Tin ingots.....	100-0	92-5	84-1	109-9	138-1	164-9	186-1	175-9	106-4	114-1	109-5	111-9	116-2	104-2
Zinc (spelter).....	100-0	81-5	88-0	98-7	134-6	207-3	124-8	130-5	81-1	78-1	102-1	114-6	127-4	143-9
Metallic nickel.....	100-0	91-5	265-1	254-8	168-8	152-6	147-3	175-0	117-7	127-6	144-8	138-2	158-7	154-4
Miscellaneous non-metallic minerals.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	92-1	92-1	92-1	92-1	92-1	78-9	78-9	65-8	65-8	78-9	78-3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured.....	100-0	95-5	97-7	123-3	162-1	174-3	171-6	201-0	173-8	153-4	151-5	150-8	143-2	141-0
Cast iron pipe.....	100-0	98-5	113-4	134-3	194-0	238-8	230-1	302-0	228-8	177-9	190-3	194-0	176-6	164-2
Hardware.....	100-0	96-9	103-9	161-9	227-9	238-6	208-8	247-6	207-0	175-2	182-4	184-4	175-1	165-3
Rolling mill products.....	100-0	98-9	104-0	139-4	213-4	218-6	197-8	224-4	181-5	146-2	167-1	163-1	154-7	148-8
Tools and hand implements.....	100-0	98-2	96-9	115-2	161-0	201-7	214-4	263-0	245-7	196-7	212-6	213-9	203-0	203-0
Wire.....	100-0	98-4	108-9	154-2	212-6	232-1	242-1	264-6	228-3	179-4	187-8	197-8	172-4	166-1
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	100-0	98-5	104-7	126-1	163-8	200-6	205-9	217-7	206-9	169-5	172-5	173-7	169-8	169-8
Brass sheets.....	100-0	162-5	154-2	245-8	222-9	207-5	205-8	220-8	175-8	147-5	129-2	119-3	118-4	120-1
Copper products.....	100-0	87-7	113-1	187-0	204-2	180-0	142-9	147-4	103-2	100-1	109-2	100-5	106-0	105-4
Lead pipe.....	100-0	116-1	139-1	204-0	270-6	236-1	203-1	248-7	190-9	192-8	216-1	233-0	260-1	252-5
Zinc sheet.....	100-0	107-6	269-0	321-5	310-1	256-3	174-8	196-5	154-0	135-4	153-4	149-0	159-7	161-0
Solder.....	100-0	82-4	89-1	101-9	136-7	186-2	120-9	138-3	82-3	81-8	102-0	114-4	129-4	101-0
Clay products.....	100-0	83-4	77-9	83-2	107-1	105-2	121-5	157-5	156-4	157-0	160-5	170-5	170-5	170-5
Pottery.....	100-0	100-8	121-8	208-2	229-5	252-1	344-7	504-4	473-9	391-0	309-9	276-0	315-3	330-1
Coke.....	100-0	88-3	87-9	91-2	118-4	136-9	164-6	184-9	206-7	206-7	206-7	203-6	183-5	182-1
Glass products.....	100-0	102-9	143-3	156-6	205-6	330-8	369-2	446-7	181-5	158-7	163-8	137-7	114-0	100-3
Petroleum and its products.....	100-0	87-8	79-7	95-7	116-5	126-1	128-1	157-8	139-2	129-2	107-6	109-8	102-9	112-8
Lime, plaster and cement.....	100-0	100-0	99-9	126-6	137-5	161-4	165-6	193-2	198-0	176-7	159-6	153-5	142-7	114-1
Coal tar.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	129-7	162-5	185-4	212-5	212-5	220-3	223-3	229-2	237-5
Paints, pigments, etc.....	100-0	101-7	114-5	156-4	200-1	207-8	207-5	248-1	185-6	166-1	176-7	180-1	190-5	189-3
Soap.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-5	129-4	173-4	192-7	231-9	176-2	158-4	157-9	152-7	140-3	140-3
Miscellaneous inorganic chemicals.....	100-0	104-5	107-9	120-3	183-3	173-7	173-0	194-9	197-9	170-9	158-6	154-1	153-4	154-9
Sulphuric acid.....	100-0	111-5	126-9	142-3	180-8	219-2	190-4	206-1	194-5	180-8	180-8	180-0	173-1	173-1



TABLE XVI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1931-1934

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	59.4	58.7	58.0	56.8	55.4	53.8	54.6	54.7	54.2	52.2	52.2	51.0
1933.....	51.2	50.6	52.1	53.0	56.0	57.6	62.9	60.9	59.9	57.5	59.3	58.9
1934.....	61.1	62.8	62.3	61.5	62.3	64.6	64.7	65.3	64.8	64.5	64.3	64.3
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	71.3	70.7	71.5	70.9	70.4	69.4	69.5	70.3	69.3	68.8	68.3	67.8
1933.....	67.2	66.8	67.8	69.6	70.4	70.2	72.4	71.7	71.5	71.2	71.7	72.0
1934.....	73.1	74.6	75.1	74.0	73.0	73.0	73.1	73.4	73.5	72.8	72.4	72.5
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	43.0	43.8	43.8	43.5	43.4	40.5	42.5	42.7	40.3	37.8	37.3	34.4
1933.....	35.1	35.8	38.3	40.7	46.5	48.8	58.6	53.5	49.4	44.4	46.3	45.3
1934.....	49.0	50.6	51.0	50.2	52.1	56.4	58.1	60.2	58.4	55.2	55.1	55.2
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	68.1	68.2	68.8	68.7	67.9	66.5	66.5	67.1	66.6	65.9	66.0	65.3
1933.....	64.6	64.2	64.7	70.2	73.2	72.5	77.3	75.0	74.1	72.7	73.3	73.2
1934.....	74.5	75.4	75.5	74.1	73.6	73.0	73.6	74.3	73.8	73.1	73.0	73.3
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	56.5	56.9	57.3	57.1	56.6	54.5	55.4	55.8	54.5	52.9	52.8	51.0
1933.....	51.0	51.1	52.5	56.6	60.9	61.6	68.7	65.1	62.7	59.6	60.8	60.3
1934.....	62.7	64.0	64.2	63.1	63.7	65.3	66.4	67.8	66.7	64.8	64.7	64.9
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	68.9	65.3	64.3	60.7	57.6	57.4	57.4	57.2	59.4	57.7	56.6	57.6
1933.....	57.9	55.0	55.9	56.2	57.7	57.4	58.5	59.9	62.2	62.0	65.3	65.1
1934.....	66.1	69.6	67.1	65.8	65.1	65.8	63.3	61.7	63.4	67.9	67.9	67.8
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	63.1	61.2	63.5	61.4	59.2	58.2	59.0	61.2	63.3	62.8	60.6	59.7
1933.....	59.2	58.9	62.3	63.8	61.9	61.9	63.0	63.3	63.0	63.1	64.0	65.4
1934.....	67.6	72.0	73.9	71.7	68.8	69.6	69.3	69.5	70.7	68.9	67.7	67.6
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	65.6	63.0	63.8	61.1	58.5	57.9	58.3	59.5	61.6	60.6	58.9	58.8
1933.....	58.6	57.2	59.5	60.5	60.1	59.9	61.0	61.8	62.7	62.6	64.6	65.3
1934.....	66.9	71.0	71.0	69.1	67.2	68.0	66.7	66.1	67.5	68.5	67.8	67.7
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
<b>Field (grains, etc.)—</b>												
1932.....	42.7	44.3	45.1	45.4	45.5	41.5	42.6	42.3	39.5	36.8	36.3	33.4
1933.....	34.8	35.8	37.8	40.7	46.9	49.4	60.8	55.1	49.5	44.1	46.7	45.3
1934.....	48.0	49.4	49.8	48.8	51.1	55.7	57.7	60.7	59.0	55.3	55.7	56.1
<b>Animal—</b>												
1932.....	68.5	66.1	65.2	61.7	58.0	57.8	57.8	58.5	60.4	58.6	57.2	58.1
1933.....	58.3	54.7	56.1	56.3	58.3	57.7	58.9	60.6	63.2	63.0	67.7	67.4
1934.....	68.4	72.2	68.8	67.4	66.8	66.0	63.7	62.9	65.0	70.3	70.4	70.8
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	52.3	52.5	52.6	51.5	50.2	47.6	48.3	48.4	47.3	45.0	44.1	42.6
1933.....	43.6	42.9	44.6	46.5	51.2	52.5	60.1	57.2	54.6	51.2	54.6	53.6
1934.....	55.6	57.9	56.9	55.8	57.0	59.6	59.9	61.5	61.2	60.9	61.2	61.6
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	65.5	61.5	58.3	59.5	59.0	50.7	50.4	48.6	54.4	55.6	56.5	54.5
1933.....	54.5	44.6	49.6	46.6	48.1	54.8	56.5	59.2	63.3	67.5	71.0	58.9
1934.....	59.8	60.4	58.7	56.6	56.6	58.3	53.4	60.6	69.0	74.6	65.9	53.8
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	71.1	69.4	69.5	67.4	67.9	66.1	66.7	64.5	63.2	63.7	65.0	62.1
1933.....	60.8	61.2	61.8	63.0	62.7	62.3	63.6	67.7	67.7	68.9	69.0	69.7
1934.....	71.9	72.6	72.2	72.7	72.7	73.2	74.2	74.5	77.7	78.1	77.7	76.7
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	69.6	67.3	66.5	65.3	65.5	61.9	62.3	60.2	60.8	61.5	62.7	60.0
1933.....	59.1	56.7	58.5	58.6	58.7	60.3	61.7	65.4	66.5	68.5	69.5	66.8
1934.....	68.6	69.3	68.5	68.3	68.3	69.2	68.6	70.7	75.3	77.1	74.5	70.5

TABLE XVI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1931-1934—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1932.....	74.4	74.3	73.5	72.5	69.9	68.6	66.9	66.4	67.3	67.4	67.6	66.2
1933.....	66.0	65.2	65.2	64.4	64.8	69.7	71.5	72.8	74.0	74.7	74.4	74.4
1934.....	75.7	76.0	76.2	76.4	76.8	77.9	77.2	76.5	76.3	76.1	75.2	74.5
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1932.....	72.9	72.8	72.7	72.5	72.4	72.3	72.2	72.2	62.1	62.0	62.0	61.9
1933.....	61.8	61.6	61.3	55.3	55.2	55.1	55.2	55.3	55.3	56.0	56.1	56.2
1934.....	56.2	56.2	56.2	56.3	56.4	56.4	56.0	56.0	55.9	55.9	55.9	55.9
Total—												
1932.....	73.6	73.5	73.1	72.5	71.2	70.6	69.7	69.5	64.5	64.5	64.6	63.9
1933.....	63.8	63.3	63.1	59.5	59.7	61.9	62.8	63.5	64.0	64.7	64.6	64.7
1934.....	65.3	65.4	65.5	65.7	65.9	66.4	65.9	65.6	65.4	65.3	64.9	64.6
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1932.....	80.6	79.8	77.7	77.3	75.8	75.8	75.6	76.3	76.4	75.8	76.3	77.1
1933.....	75.8	75.6	75.9	74.9	74.1	74.4	75.7	75.0	76.5	75.9	76.2	77.3
1934.....	77.9	78.0	77.9	77.1	77.3	77.3	77.5	77.5	77.1	77.3	77.6	77.8
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1932.....	85.1	84.5	84.4	84.6	85.4	85.4	85.1	85.0	85.0	84.9	84.6	84.6
1933.....	84.2	83.3	83.4	83.6	83.7	84.2	84.3	84.7	85.8	86.1	86.1	86.1
1934.....	86.4	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.0	86.0	85.9	85.7	85.6	85.6	85.5	85.6
Total—												
1932.....	83.1	82.4	81.4	81.3	81.1	81.1	80.9	81.1	81.2	80.8	80.9	81.2
1933.....	80.4	79.9	80.0	79.7	79.4	79.8	80.5	80.4	81.6	81.5	81.7	82.2
1934.....	82.6	82.7	82.7	82.3	82.1	82.1	82.1	82.0	81.8	81.9	82.0	82.2

TABLE XVII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1931-1934

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	93.1	92.0	90.9	89.0	86.8	84.3	85.6	85.7	84.9	82.3	81.8	79.9
1933.....	80.2	79.3	81.6	83.1	87.8	90.3	98.6	95.4	93.9	90.1	92.9	92.3
1934.....	95.7	98.4	97.6	96.4	97.6	101.2	101.4	102.3	101.5	101.1	100.8	100.8
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1932.....	110.0	109.1	110.3	109.4	108.6	107.1	107.2	108.5	106.9	106.2	105.4	104.6
1933.....	103.7	103.1	104.6	107.4	108.6	108.3	111.7	110.6	110.3	109.9	110.6	111.1
1934.....	112.8	115.1	115.9	114.2	112.6	112.6	112.8	113.3	113.4	112.3	111.7	111.9
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1932.....	73.6	75.0	75.0	74.5	74.3	69.3	72.8	73.1	69.0	64.7	63.9	58.9
1933.....	60.1	61.3	66.6	69.7	79.6	83.5	100.3	91.6	84.6	76.0	79.3	77.6
1934.....	83.9	86.6	87.3	85.9	89.2	96.6	99.5	103.1	100.0	94.5	94.3	94.5
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1932.....	113.7	113.9	114.9	114.7	113.4	111.1	111.1	112.1	111.2	110.1	110.2	109.1
1933.....	107.9	107.2	108.0	117.2	122.2	121.1	129.1	125.3	123.7	121.4	122.4	122.2
1934.....	124.4	125.9	126.1	123.7	122.9	121.9	122.9	124.1	123.2	122.1	121.9	122.4
Total—												
1932.....	95.2	96.0	96.5	96.2	95.4	91.8	93.4	94.1	91.7	89.2	88.8	85.9
1933.....	85.9	86.0	88.9	95.3	102.6	103.8	115.8	109.8	105.7	100.5	102.5	101.6
1934.....	105.7	107.8	108.2	106.3	107.4	110.2	112.1	114.4	112.5	109.4	109.2	109.5

TABLE XVII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1913-1934—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1932.....	94.3	89.4	88.0	83.1	78.9	78.6	78.6	78.3	81.3	79.0	77.5	78.9
1933.....	79.3	75.3	76.5	76.9	79.0	78.6	80.1	82.0	85.2	84.9	89.4	89.1
1934.....	90.5	95.3	91.9	90.1	89.1	90.1	86.7	84.5	86.8	93.0	93.0	92.8
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1932.....	93.0	90.2	93.6	90.5	87.3	85.8	87.0	90.2	93.3	92.6	89.3	88.0
1933.....	87.3	86.8	91.8	94.0	91.2	91.2	92.9	93.3	92.9	93.0	94.3	96.4
1934.....	99.6	106.1	108.9	105.7	101.4	102.6	102.1	102.4	104.2	101.6	99.8	99.6
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	93.6	89.9	91.2	87.3	83.7	82.7	83.4	85.0	88.1	86.7	84.2	84.1
1933.....	83.8	81.8	85.2	86.6	85.9	85.7	87.4	88.4	89.6	89.5	92.2	93.2
1934.....	95.7	101.4	101.5	98.9	96.1	97.2	95.4	94.6	96.7	97.9	96.9	96.7
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
Field (grains, etc.)—												
1932.....	75.7	78.6	80.0	80.5	80.7	73.6	75.6	75.0	70.1	65.3	64.4	59.3
1933.....	61.7	63.5	67.1	72.2	83.2	87.6	107.9	97.7	87.8	78.2	82.8	80.4
1934.....	85.2	87.6	88.3	86.6	60.7	98.8	102.4	107.7	104.7	98.1	98.8	99.5
Animal—												
1932.....	88.9	85.8	84.6	80.1	75.3	75.0	75.0	75.9	78.4	76.1	74.2	75.4
1933.....	75.7	71.0	72.8	73.1	75.7	74.9	76.5	78.7	82.0	81.8	87.9	87.5
1934.....	88.8	93.7	89.3	87.5	86.7	85.7	82.7	81.6	84.4	91.2	91.4	91.9
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	80.6	81.3	81.7	80.4	78.7	74.1	75.4	75.3	73.2	69.3	68.1	65.3
1933.....	66.9	66.3	69.2	72.5	80.4	82.9	96.2	90.6	85.6	79.5	84.7	83.1
1934.....	86.6	89.9	88.7	86.9	89.2	93.9	95.0	97.9	97.1	95.5	96.0	96.7
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1932.....	83.3	78.2	74.1	75.6	75.0	64.4	64.1	61.8	69.1	70.7	71.8	69.3
1933.....	69.3	56.7	63.0	59.2	61.1	69.7	71.8	75.2	80.5	85.8	90.2	74.9
1934.....	76.0	76.8	74.6	71.9	71.9	74.1	71.8	77.0	87.7	94.8	83.8	68.4
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1932.....	116.2	113.4	113.6	110.1	110.9	108.0	109.9	105.4	103.3	104.1	106.2	101.5
1933.....	99.3	100.0	101.0	102.9	102.5	101.8	103.9	110.6	110.6	112.6	112.7	113.9
1934.....	117.5	118.6	118.0	118.8	118.8	119.6	121.2	121.7	127.0	127.6	127.0	125.3
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	107.3	103.9	102.9	100.8	101.2	96.2	96.9	93.6	94.1	95.1	96.9	92.8
1933.....	91.2	88.3	90.7	91.1	91.3	93.1	95.2	101.0	102.5	105.3	106.6	103.4
1934.....	106.3	107.3	106.3	106.1	106.1	107.3	106.8	109.6	116.4	118.7	115.3	109.9
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1932.....	111.1	110.9	109.7	108.2	104.4	102.4	99.9	99.1	100.5	100.6	100.9	98.8
1933.....	98.5	97.3	97.3	96.1	96.7	104.1	106.7	108.7	110.5	111.5	111.1	111.1
1934.....	113.0	113.5	113.8	114.1	114.7	116.3	115.3	114.2	113.9	113.6	112.3	111.2
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1932.....	135.1	134.9	134.7	134.3	134.2	134.0	133.8	133.8	115.1	114.9	114.9	114.7
1933.....	114.5	114.1	113.6	102.5	102.3	102.1	102.3	102.5	102.5	103.8	104.0	104.1
1934.....	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.3	104.5	104.5	103.8	103.8	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	123.9	123.7	123.1	122.1	120.3	119.3	118.0	117.6	108.3	108.2	108.4	107.3
1933.....	107.0	106.3	106.0	99.5	99.7	103.0	104.4	105.4	106.2	107.4	107.3	107.4
1934.....	108.3	108.5	108.6	108.9	109.3	110.0	109.2	108.7	108.4	108.3	107.7	107.1
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1932.....	125.8	124.6	121.3	120.7	118.3	118.3	118.0	119.1	119.3	118.3	119.1	120.4
1933.....	118.3	118.0	118.5	116.9	115.7	116.1	118.2	117.1	119.4	118.5	118.9	120.7
1934.....	121.6	121.8	121.6	120.4	120.7	120.7	121.0	121.0	120.4	120.7	121.1	121.4
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1932.....	120.0	119.1	119.0	119.3	120.4	120.4	120.0	119.9	119.9	119.7	119.3	119.3
1933.....	118.7	117.5	117.6	117.9	118.0	118.7	118.9	119.4	121.0	121.4	121.4	121.4
1934.....	121.8	122.0	122.0	122.0	121.3	121.3	121.1	120.8	120.7	120.7	120.6	120.7
<b>Total—</b>												
1932.....	122.6	121.6	120.0	119.9	119.5	119.5	119.1	119.5	119.6	119.1	119.2	119.8
1933.....	118.5	117.7	118.0	117.5	117.0	117.5	118.6	118.4	120.3	120.1	120.3	121.1
1934.....	121.7	121.9	121.8	121.3	121.0	121.0	121.1	120.9	120.6	120.7	120.8	121.0



## TABLE XVIII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1930-1934

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)					
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	67.4	44.0	41.0	45.3	54.2
Fruits, fresh, domestic.....	121.2	108.1	95.9	74.4	.....
Fruits, fresh.....	111.0	85.6	88.3	78.7	82.7
Fruits, dried.....	82.0	84.1	95.3	86.0	86.6
Grains.....	66.0	40.6	39.3	44.3	54.9
Rubber, raw.....	25.4	13.7	9.5	14.3	27.1
Sugar, raw.....	59.6	54.5	42.2	51.4	41.1
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	80.7	67.9	66.8	63.6	71.7
Tobacco.....	68.1	50.3	44.6	43.4	41.4
Vegetables.....					
Potatoes.....	77.5	31.8	26.0	44.4	33.9
Onions.....	113.4	94.6	91.1	73.5	72.3
Roots.....	186.4	95.4	82.1	71.8	.....
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	85.4	74.4	62.2	57.4	77.1
Cotton, raw.....	77.3	50.3	41.7	53.7	70.4
Miscellaneous fibres.....	65.8	51.2	44.9	46.0	30.7
Pharmaceuticals.....	89.1	81.1	78.5	66.7	70.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	84.0	69.5	67.1	71.2	73.9
Evaporated apples.....	93.9	89.6	76.6	68.1	.....
Canned fruit.....	96.9	85.9	74.3	68.7	68.5
Flour and milled products.....	81.4	57.3	56.0	58.3	68.3
Bakery products.....	98.2	82.2	81.8	81.7	82.8
Vegetable oils.....	84.7	63.7	56.1	56.1	56.3
Rubbers.....	79.1	65.3	65.4	66.7	67.1
*Tires and tubes.....	53.9	44.5	45.5	47.3	48.6
Sugar products and glucose.....	81.1	77.2	73.9	97.8	93.8
Chocolate and cocoa butter.....	109.9	89.7	78.3	62.3	57.6
Canned vegetables.....	97.4	70.5	68.2	76.1	73.4
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	82.3	81.2	72.1	72.3	76.0
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	74.4	63.2	50.5	48.7	55.6
Cotton yarn and thread.....	94.7	80.3	79.0	82.3	85.5
Sash cord.....	103.6	93.9	90.0	105.2	109.1
Cotton fabrics.....	87.6	79.5	76.5	77.6	78.7
Cotton knit goods.....	91.8	85.3	80.0	77.8	81.1
Chemicals.....	104.0	86.6	87.4	77.3	80.9
Soap.....	100.0	92.6	92.6	92.6	87.1
(c) Total.....	76.3	57.7	55.1	59.3	64.8
(B) ANIMAL					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	103.7	76.8	59.9	59.0	66.0
Live stock.....	111.4	76.0	61.2	55.3	69.4
Furs.....	113.8	66.8	51.3	55.7	56.9
Hides and skins.....	84.8	53.5	37.0	56.4	57.7
Meats.....	111.6	76.2	60.7	55.6	65.4
Poultry.....	99.7	83.9	58.0	48.4	51.5
Milk.....	102.8	83.1	63.9	64.8	71.2
Eggs.....	100.2	70.1	60.6	53.2	60.2
Silk, raw.....	57.3	42.5	29.8	28.2	21.0
Wool, raw.....	56.1	44.1	31.7	47.0	61.3
Shellac.....	67.5	47.2	34.4	37.1	65.9
Fertilizers.....	133.7	115.0	84.8	87.8	100.8
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	89.4	71.6	61.1	62.5	69.8
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	95.4	65.8	44.2	49.8	73.7
Oils, fats, etc.....	87.3	58.4	49.8	54.4	57.8
Leather.....	103.3	91.9	78.1	79.3	77.7
Boots and shoes.....	99.2	95.6	90.6	89.4	87.3
Milk, condensed and evaporated.....	100.0	95.9	94.0	88.5	87.2
Butter.....	85.4	65.8	54.2	56.0	59.2
Cheese.....	96.4	65.9	51.7	52.5	58.1
Silk and its products.....	66.2	60.2	61.6	55.5	53.9
Spool and machine twist.....	79.4	68.1	69.9	62.8	63.9
Silk fabrics.....	59.6	54.8	57.0	51.5	49.4
Silk hosiery.....	83.9	75.9	74.3	66.5	65.9
Wool products.....	86.2	78.3	74.2	76.0	82.8
Wool yarns.....	80.2	67.9	67.7	69.3	88.5
Wool cloth.....	82.1	74.0	70.0	73.9	79.9
Wool blankets.....	95.2	86.8	77.8	67.7	83.3

\*Previous to 1934: Tires.

## TABLE XVIII.B.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1934

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)												
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	49.0	50.6	51.0	50.2	52.1	56.4	58.1	60.2	58.4	55.2	55.1	55.2
Fruits, fresh.....	77.2	75.6	75.1	77.9	79.5	98.7	92.7	88.5	87.1	84.4	80.4	75.3
Fruits, dried.....	89.1	88.8	88.8	88.2	88.2	86.7	85.7	85.6	85.7	83.5	84.4	83.6
Grains.....	47.5	48.7	49.1	48.0	51.2	56.3	59.2	63.1	61.2	57.3	58.0	58.5
Rubber, raw.....	20.3	22.7	24.0	26.3	29.5	28.8	30.6	31.7	30.8	28.3	26.2	26.3
Sugar, raw.....	44.4	48.2	46.8	41.8	40.7	41.4	41.2	40.3	37.7	37.6	36.7	36.4
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	67.5	70.1	71.5	71.1	72.3	73.1	73.1	72.9	72.5	72.3	72.2	71.4
Tobacco.....	39.0	39.0	39.0	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2
Vegetables.....												
Potatoes.....	48.0	51.8	50.7	48.8	41.2	38.8	31.7	28.8	27.0	23.8	20.4	20.6
Onions.....	70.8	73.1	79.1	75.0	72.4	73.7	91.9	85.1	65.2	61.7	59.9	59.7
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	69.5	72.0	74.3	75.9	76.8	82.4	80.7	77.5	79.7	78.6	79.4	78.4
Cotton, raw.....	66.1	72.3	71.3	68.8	66.4	69.6	73.7	74.0	71.5	69.9	69.6	72.9
Miscellaneous fibres.....	33.5	33.8	33.9	33.1	31.8	31.1	30.3	29.6	29.5	28.8	28.8	28.2
Pharmaceuticals.....	69.4	69.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.4	69.4	69.4	69.4
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	74.5	75.4	75.5	74.1	73.6	73.0	73.6	74.3	73.8	73.1	73.0	73.3
Canned fruits.....	69.1	69.1	69.2	69.2	68.9	67.3	67.3	67.6	68.6	68.5	68.9	68.9
Flour and milled products.....	64.2	66.6	66.6	63.4	62.4	68.3	71.1	73.5	71.0	70.1	70.9	71.8
Bakery products.....	83.3	83.3	83.3	82.6	82.1	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7	82.7
Vegetable oils.....	56.2	55.4	54.8	54.1	54.7	54.5	53.4	54.9	58.1	59.9	58.6	60.0
Rubbers.....	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1
Tires and tubes.....	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	50.1	50.1	50.1	48.9	48.9
Sugar products and glucose.....	107.4	107.2	107.1	104.0	103.7	87.6	87.2	85.6	85.8	83.3	83.2	83.2
Chocolate and cocoa butter.....	56.6	57.7	58.7	57.9	57.9	58.2	58.2	58.2	57.1	57.1	57.1	56.1
Canned vegetables.....	74.6	72.7	74.0	74.0	73.0	74.3	74.6	74.6	72.0	73.3	72.0	72.0
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	75.6	79.2	78.7	77.9	76.8	75.0	73.4	73.3	73.7	70.0	76.4	76.0
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	55.0	57.2	58.3	58.3	57.2	56.1	55.0	55.0	55.0	54.8	52.6	52.6
Cotton yarn and thread.....	82.1	82.4	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2
Sash cord.....	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1
Cotton fabrics.....	77.0	78.2	78.4	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.6	78.7	79.4	79.4	79.3	79.3
Cotton knit goods.....	77.8	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3
Chemicals.....	80.5	80.5	80.5	80.5	80.8	80.8	80.7	80.7	81.2	81.3	81.3	81.3
Soap.....	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	81.7	81.7	81.7
(c) Total.....	62.7	64.0	64.2	63.1	63.7	65.3	66.4	67.8	66.7	64.8	64.7	64.9
(B) ANIMAL												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	66.1	69.6	67.1	65.8	65.1	65.8	63.3	61.7	63.4	67.9	67.9	67.8
Live stock.....	68.8	75.4	76.2	74.4	74.4	72.7	69.0	66.6	64.9	62.0	60.7	66.1
Furs.....	61.7	62.6	62.6	59.4	59.4	59.4	54.5	54.5	47.5	47.5	47.5	50.7
Hides and skins.....	57.8	66.3	65.4	72.4	61.9	62.8	48.5	46.0	45.7	50.8	55.0	55.7
Meats.....	61.9	67.1	69.8	68.8	70.2	72.9	69.2	63.2	63.2	60.4	59.0	60.1
Poultry.....	51.0	52.4	57.2	56.7	56.7	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.4	49.7	43.6	43.6
Milk.....	70.4	70.4	69.4	69.5	68.0	66.3	66.3	66.3	68.8	78.3	78.6	78.6
Eggs.....	69.0	81.9	57.0	46.3	47.8	51.4	54.1	54.3	63.8	71.2	73.0	65.5
Silk, raw.....	23.4	25.8	22.8	21.9	21.3	20.1	19.3	18.7	17.4	19.0	20.4	22.2
Wool, raw.....	80.9	79.2	76.8	74.3	69.0	59.2	55.5	51.5	50.2	46.6	47.4	44.9
Shellac.....	57.7	58.5	58.0	55.8	73.2	75.3	71.0	70.2	69.9	64.8	62.1	62.9
Fertilizers.....	86.1	92.4	108.8	108.8	108.8	108.8	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	67.6	72.0	73.9	71.7	68.8	69.6	69.3	69.5	70.7	68.9	67.7	67.6
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	55.3	70.4	72.4	69.8	72.0	75.5	80.7	83.3	84.7	77.4	72.7	70.6
Oils, fats, etc.....	55.9	54.8	54.8	51.6	51.3	50.4	51.1	56.6	68.0	67.1	64.2	64.5
Leather.....	83.9	82.5	80.8	80.8	78.2	77.5	77.5	75.4	74.4	74.0	73.6	73.9
Boots and shoes.....	89.3	89.1	89.1	88.0	87.8	87.8	86.5	86.5	86.2	86.1	85.8	85.8
Milk, condensed and evaporated.....	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2
Butter.....	67.5	69.9	76.1	68.6	55.0	56.5	51.6	50.9	52.2	53.2	54.3	56.0
Cheese.....	59.5	60.2	63.9	64.6	56.9	58.5	58.8	58.2	58.2	57.4	55.8	56.0
Silk and its products.....	55.9	55.9	55.9	55.7	55.5	55.2	55.2	51.6	51.7	51.7	51.7	51.5
Spool and machine twist.....	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9
Silk fabrics.....	52.0	52.0	52.0	51.7	51.7	51.3	51.3	46.1	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2
Silk hosiery.....	66.4	66.4	66.4	66.4	65.6	65.6	65.6	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.0
Wool products.....	84.2	86.0	86.4	86.7	87.0	85.2	81.9	80.8	79.7	78.7	78.8	78.4
Wool yarns.....	90.5	96.9	95.9	96.8	95.0	92.2	87.0	84.0	82.5	80.3	81.8	79.9
Wool cloth.....	82.9	84.7	84.7	85.1	85.6	83.1	78.3	76.2	74.6	73.3	73.3	73.3
Wool blankets.....	78.6	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7

## TABLE XVIII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1930-1934

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)— <i>Concluded</i>					
(B) ANIMAL— <i>Con.</i>					
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles— <i>Con.</i>					
Wool products— <i>Con.</i>					
Wool carpets.....	92.4	91.6	93.0	85.4	88.5
Wool hosiery and knit goods.....	97.3	87.9	81.5	81.5	91.3
Glycerine.....	48.6	44.5	40.4	41.1	49.7
(c) Total.....	95.6	73.9	60.6	61.0	68.2
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS					
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	70.0	43.6	41.1	45.8	53.8
(b) Animal.....	102.9	77.6	60.7	59.7	67.7
(c) Total.....	82.3	56.3	48.4	51.0	59.0
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	88.9	70.3	56.2	56.2	60.3
Fish, salt.....	87.7	72.2	52.1	39.7	28.4
Fish, fresh.....	86.8	70.0	56.9	59.1	65.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	98.4	77.6	66.6	65.4	75.1
Dried or prepared fish.....	102.7	84.7	67.1	64.9	78.7
Canned fish.....	96.1	73.9	66.4	65.6	73.2
(c) Total.....	95.3	75.6	63.8	62.9	71.1
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	90.9	79.4	69.6	69.7	76.3
Lumber and timber.....	90.1	77.4	68.8	70.8	78.0
Camphor.....	73.3	62.4	57.1	53.2	63.7
Woodpulp.....	92.9	84.0	71.3	67.3	70.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	86.4	78.7	68.9	57.2	56.1
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	85.3	77.7	68.2	55.3	53.9
Furniture.....	99.9	88.1	71.8	63.9	65.7
Matches.....	72.7	73.8	75.8	76.2	76.2
Artificial silk products.....	66.7	65.8	64.4	60.9	56.1
Alcohol, methyl.....	88.6	97.2	97.7	80.5	75.2
Formaldehyde.....	76.7	67.2	72.9	72.9	61.5
Tanning extracts.....	102.9	100.3	99.9	105.9	112.0
(c) Total.....	88.5	79.0	69.2	63.0	65.5
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	86.1	77.9	77.0	75.6	77.5
Pig iron.....	88.6	86.9	86.9	83.0	82.8
Scrap.....	77.2	56.8	43.9	40.7	55.6
Non-ferrous metals.....	77.0	64.4	60.9	65.5	64.9
Non-metallic minerals.....	91.8	86.2	87.4	82.3	85.7
Chemicals.....	84.3	78.9	80.2	77.6	76.6
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	90.3	85.1	84.9	84.6	86.0
Pipe.....	90.5	89.9	89.9	89.0	89.0
Rolling mill products.....	93.4	90.7	90.9	90.9	90.9
Wire and wire goods.....	89.3	84.2	82.8	81.8	86.7
Hardware.....	92.0	88.6	88.3	86.7	87.3
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	99.2	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
Non-ferrous metal products.....	95.1	69.4	57.5	64.2	67.6
Non-metallic mineral products.....	87.9	81.6	82.8	82.3	84.9
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	92.0	88.9	86.3	86.1	84.4
(c) Total.....	88.4	81.9	81.4	80.6	82.5



## TABLE XVIII.B.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1934

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)— <i>Concluded</i>												
(B) ANIMAL— <i>Con.</i>												
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles— <i>Con.</i>												
Wool products— <i>Con.</i>												
Wool carpets.....	81.7	81.7	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5
Wool hosiery and knit goods.....	90.2	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.1
Glycerine.....	45.0	46.8	46.8	46.8	50.5	50.5	50.5	50.5	50.5	53.3	53.3	53.3
(c) Total.....	66.9	71.0	71.0	69.1	67.2	68.0	66.7	66.1	67.5	68.5	67.8	67.7
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS												
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	48.0	49.4	49.8	48.8	51.1	55.7	57.7	60.7	59.0	55.3	55.7	56.1
(b) Animal.....	68.4	72.2	68.8	67.4	66.8	66.0	63.7	62.9	65.0	70.3	70.4	70.8
(c) Total.....	55.6	57.9	56.9	55.8	57.0	59.6	59.9	61.5	61.2	60.9	61.2	61.6
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	59.8	60.4	58.7	56.6	56.6	58.3	53.4	60.6	69.0	74.6	65.9	53.8
Fish, salt.....	33.7	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.4	24.4	37.4	37.4	37.4
Fish, fresh.....	64.4	66.8	64.7	62.3	62.3	64.3	58.5	67.0	76.9	81.2	70.9	56.7
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	71.9	72.6	72.2	72.7	72.7	73.2	74.2	74.5	77.7	78.1	77.7	76.7
Dried or prepared fish.....	71.4	74.0	74.0	75.8	75.8	75.8	79.3	79.3	79.3	81.3	80.4	78.9
Canned fish.....	72.2	71.8	71.2	71.1	71.1	71.8	71.6	72.0	76.9	76.5	76.3	75.5
(c) Total.....	68.6	69.3	68.5	68.3	68.3	69.2	68.6	70.7	75.3	77.1	74.5	70.5
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	75.7	76.0	76.2	76.4	76.8	77.9	77.2	76.5	76.3	76.1	75.2	74.5
Lumber and timber.....	77.3	77.6	77.9	78.6	79.0	80.8	79.8	79.2	79.0	78.8	77.7	76.8
Camphor.....	53.2	53.2	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9
Woodpulp.....	72.0	72.3	72.2	71.3	71.6	71.3	71.2	70.2	70.0	69.8	69.5	69.3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	56.2	56.2	56.2	56.3	56.4	56.4	56.0	56.0	55.9	55.9	55.9	55.9
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	53.8	53.8	53.8	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	5.40	5.40
Furniture.....	66.4	66.4	66.2	66.2	66.2	66.2	65.1	65.0	65.0	65.0	64.9	64.9
Matches.....	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2
Artificial silk products.....	61.0	61.0	61.0	58.8	61.0	61.0	51.7	51.7	51.7	51.7	51.7	50.8
Alcohol, methyl.....	80.5	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7
Formaldehyde.....	72.9	72.9	72.9	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1
Tanning extracts.....	113.9	113.9	113.9	113.9	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	109.8	108.3	108.2	109.4
(c) Total.....	65.3	65.4	65.5	65.7	65.9	66.4	65.9	65.6	65.4	65.3	64.9	64.6
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	77.9	78.0	77.9	77.1	77.3	77.3	77.5	77.5	77.1	77.3	77.6	77.8
Pig iron.....	81.6	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0
Scrap.....	52.0	54.6	61.4	61.4	61.4	61.4	56.5	55.3	50.9	50.9	50.9	50.9
Non-ferrous metals.....	68.1	67.7	67.1	66.4	64.9	64.3	63.5	63.5	62.7	62.9	63.8	64.1
Non-metallic minerals.....	84.8	84.9	84.7	83.8	85.1	85.4	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.7	86.7	86.8
Chemicals.....	76.8	77.3	78.3	75.5	75.5	75.5	75.5	75.3	77.5	77.6	77.5	77.8
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	86.4	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.0	86.0	85.9	85.7	85.6	85.6	85.5	85.6
Pipe.....	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0
Rolling mill products.....	91.2	91.3	90.6	90.7	91.1	91.1	91.0	91.0	90.6	90.9	90.8	91.1
Wire and wire goods.....	85.7	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8
Hardware.....	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	87.0	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
Non-ferrous metal products.....	65.7	66.1	65.4	67.5	67.4	69.4	69.2	68.4	67.6	67.6	67.8	68.9
Non-metallic mineral products.....	85.9	86.1	86.2	86.1	84.7	84.6	84.4	84.2	84.2	84.1	83.9	83.9
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	84.3	83.9	84.3	84.7	84.6	84.7	84.6	84.4	84.5	84.4	84.2	84.3
(c) Total.....	82.6	82.7	82.7	82.3	82.1	82.1	82.1	82.0	81.8	81.9	82.0	82.1

# WHOLESALE PRICES

## TABLE OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1934

### I. VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—

Fruits, fresh  
Fruits, dried  
Fruits, canned  
Grains  
Flour and milled products  
Bakery products  
Vegetable oils  
Rubber and its products  
Sugar and its products and glucose  
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices  
Tobacco  
Vegetables  
Miscellaneous

### II. ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Fishery products  
Furs  
Hides and skins  
Leather, unmanufactured  
Leather, manufactured  
Live stock  
Meats and poultry  
Milk and its products  
Fats, etc.  
Eggs

### III. FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—

Cotton, raw  
Cotton yarn and thread  
Cotton fabrics  
Knit goods (cotton)  
Miscellaneous cotton manufactures  
Miscellaneous fibres and their products  
Silk and its products  
Artificial silk and its products  
Wool and yarns  
Woollen hosiery, underwear and cloth  
Carpets

### IV. WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—

Newsprint paper rolls  
Lumber  
Pulp  
Furniture  
Matches

### V. IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—

Pig iron and steel billets  
Rolling mill products  
Iron and steel  
Pipe  
Hardware  
Wire  
Metal scrap  
Miscellaneous

### VI. NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Aluminium  
Antimony  
Copper and its products  
Brass sheets  
Lead and its products  
Nickel ingots  
Silver  
Tin ingots  
Zinc and its products  
Solder

### VII. NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Bricks  
Pottery  
Coal and its products  
Glass and its products  
Petroleum and its products  
Asphalt  
Salt  
Sulphur  
Building supplies

### VIII. CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—

Inorganic chemicals  
Organic chemicals  
Coal tar products  
Dying and tanning materials  
Explosives  
Paint materials  
Prepared paints  
Drugs and pharmaceutical chemicals  
Fertilizers  
Industrial gases  
Miscellaneous

NOTE.—Price quotations shown are those prevailing at the middle of the month except where otherwise specified. All quotations are given in Canadian funds.

(1926=100 for all indexes shown in this table. Commodities without indexes have been added in 1934)

GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

FRUITS

BANANAS

Price per 100 pounds in bunches of 7 hands, f.o.b. track, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-600	75-0	July.....	\$ 2-900	83-6
Feb.....	3-200	92-3	Aug.....	2-900	83-6
March.....	3-100	89-4	Sept.....	2-900	83-6
April.....	3-400	98-1	Oct.....	2-800	80-8
May.....	2-800	80-8	Nov.....	2-650	76-4
June.....	3-000	86-5	Dec.....	3-400	98-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$2-971; Index—85-7					

BANANAS

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-055	83-3	July.....	\$ 0-055	88-3
Feb.....	0-055	83-3	Aug.....	0-055	83-3
March.....	0-055	83-3	Sept.....	0-050	75-8
April.....	0-055	83-3	Oct.....	0-050	75-8
May.....	0-055	83-3	Nov.....	0-045	68-2
June.....	0-055	83-3	Dec.....	0-050	75-8
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-053; Index—80-3					

LEMONS, 300's

Price per box at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-980	115-5	July.....	\$ 5-710	132-5
Feb.....	4-740	110-0	Aug.....	6-440	149-4
March.....	4-460	103-5	Sept.....	6-000	139-2
April.....	4-520	104-9	Oct.....	6-560	152-2
May.....	5-160	119-7	Nov.....	5-390	125-1
June.....	6-220	144-3	Dec.....	4-340	100-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$5-377; Index—124-8					

ORANGES

Price per case at Toronto (average of sizes predominant on the market)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-545	71-6	July.....	\$ 5-909	93-1
Feb.....	4-118	64-9	Aug.....	5-341	84-1
March.....	4-159	65-5	Sept.....	5-405	85-1
April.....	4-295	67-7	Oct.....	5-068	79-8
May.....	4-659	73-4	Nov.....	5-056	79-6
June.....	6-406	100-9	Dec.....	4-182	65-9
Average, 1934: Price—\$4-929; Index—77-6					

CURRENTS, AUSTRALIAN, 2 CROWN, 56's

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-128	—	July.....	\$ 0-098	—
Feb.....	0-128	—	Aug.....	0-095	—
March.....	0-128	—	Sept.....	0-095	—
April.....	0-128	—	Oct.....	0-095	—
May.....	0-128	—	Nov.....	0-098	—
June.....	0-128	—	Dec.....	0-100	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-112					

CURRENTS, AUSTRALIAN, 3 CROWN, 56's

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-138	123-3	July.....	\$ 0-100	89-4
Feb.....	0-130	116-2	Aug.....	0-100	89-4
March.....	0-130	116-2	Sept.....	0-100	89-4
April.....	0-130	116-2	Oct.....	0-100	89-4
May.....	0-130	116-2	Nov.....	0-105	93-8
June.....	0-130	116-2	Dec.....	0-108	96-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-117; Index—104-6					

RAISINS, THOMPSON SEEDLESS

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-115	88-1	July.....	\$ 0-118	90-4
Feb.....	0-115	88-1	Aug.....	0-118	90-4
March.....	0-115	88-1	Sept.....	0-118	90-4
April.....	0-115	88-1	Oct.....	0-120	91-9
May.....	0-115	88-1	Nov.....	0-123	94-2
June.....	0-115	88-1	Dec.....	0-123	94-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-118; Index—90-4					

FRUITS—Continued

RAISINS, UNCLEANED, AUSTRALIAN, 3 CROWN SULTANAS, 56's

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-115	—	July.....	\$ 0-108	—
Feb.....	0-115	—	Aug.....	0-108	—
March.....	0-115	—	Sept.....	0-105	—
April.....	0-113	—	Oct.....	0-103	—
May.....	0-113	—	Nov.....	0-103	—
June.....	0-108	—	Dec.....	0-100	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-109					

PRUNES, 50's-60's (25 Lb. Box)

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-108	—	July.....	\$ 0-110	—
Feb.....	0-108	—	Aug.....	0-110	—
March.....	0-108	—	Sept.....	0-115	—
April.....	0-108	—	Oct.....	0-105	—
May.....	0-108	—	Nov.....	0-105	—
June.....	0-108	—	Dec.....	0-105	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-108					

CANNED PEACHES, STANDARD 2's SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-500	—	July.....	\$ 1-550	—
Feb.....	1-500	—	Aug.....	1-550	—
March.....	1-550	—	Sept.....	1-750	—
April.....	1-550	—	Oct.....	1-725	—
May.....	1-550	—	Nov.....	1-750	—
June.....	1-525	—	Dec.....	1-750	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-604					

\*Nominal.

CANNED CHERRIES, STANDARD 2's SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-250	—	July.....	\$ 1-300	—
Feb.....	1-250	—	Aug.....	1-300	—
March.....	1-250	—	Sept.....	1-300	—
April.....	1-200	—	Oct.....	1-300	—
May.....	1-200	—	Nov.....	1-450	—
June.....	1-200	—	Dec.....	1-450	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-288					

CANNED RASPBERRIES, STANDARD 2's, SQUATS, HEAVY SYRUP

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-850	—	July.....	\$ 1-850	—
Feb.....	1-850	—	Aug.....	1-850	—
March.....	1-850	—	Sept.....	1-850	—
April.....	1-850	—	Oct.....	1-850	—
May.....	1-750	—	Nov.....	1-850	—
June.....	1-750	—	Dec.....	1-850	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-833					

CORN SYRUP

Price per case (24—2 lb. tins) to retail, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-750	—	July.....	\$ 3-750	—
Feb.....	3-750	—	Aug.....	3-850	—
March.....	3-750	—	Sept.....	3-950	—
April.....	3-750	—	Oct.....	3-950	—
May.....	3-750	—	Nov.....	3-950	—
June.....	3-750	—	Dec.....	3-950	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-825					

ORANGE MARMALADE

Price per 4 pound tin, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-440	—	July.....	\$ 0-420	—
Feb.....	0-440	—	Aug.....	0-420	—
March.....	0-440	—	Sept.....	0-420	—
April.....	0-440	—	Oct.....	0-420	—
May.....	0-440	—	Nov.....	0-420	—
June.....	0-420	—	Dec.....	0-420	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-428					



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## FRUITS—Concluded

## STRAWBERRY JAM

Price per 4 pound tin, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-650	—	July.....	\$ 0-620	—
Feb.....	650	—	Aug.....	620	—
March.....	650	—	Sept.....	620	—
April.....	650	—	Oct.....	620	—
May.....	650	—	Nov.....	620	—
June.....	630	—	Dec.....	620	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-633					

## GRAINS

## BARLEY, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-388	62-4	July.....	\$ 0-459	73-9
Feb.....	400	64-4	Aug.....	566	91-1
March.....	397	63-9	Sept.....	585	94-2
April.....	369	59-4	Oct.....	516	83-1
May.....	381	61-3	Nov.....	519	83-5
June.....	436	70-2	Dec.....	549	88-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-464; Index—74-7					

## BARLEY, No. 4 CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-369	63-1	July.....	\$ 0-441	75-4
Feb.....	390	66-7	Aug.....	555	94-9
March.....	384	65-6	Sept.....	564	96-4
April.....	358	61-2	Oct.....	489	83-6
May.....	362	61-9	Nov.....	489	83-6
June.....	418	71-4	Dec.....	511	87-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-444; Index—75-9					

## BARLEY, No. 6 CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-339	61-5	July.....	\$ 0-394	71-5
Feb.....	369	66-9	Aug.....	506	91-8
March.....	363	65-8	Sept.....	509	92-3
April.....	337	61-1	Oct.....	445	80-7
May.....	333	60-4	Nov.....	460	83-4
June.....	381	69-1	Dec.....	481	87-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-410; Index—74-4					

## BARLEY, ONTARIO, GOOD MALTING

Price per bushel at Toronto—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-423	68-5	July.....	\$ 0-456	73-8
Feb.....	452	73-2	Aug.....	551	89-2
March.....	452	73-2	Sept.....	615	99-5
April.....	452	73-2	Oct.....	469	75-9
May.....	460	74-5	Nov.....	435	70-4
June.....	490	79-3	Dec.....	480	77-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-486; Index—78-7					

\* Nominal.

## CORN, AMERICAN, YELLOW, No. 2

Price per bushel at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-899	107-7	July.....	\$ 1-005	120-4
Feb.....	895	107-2	Aug.....	1-130	135-3
March.....	889	106-5	Sept.....	1-163	139-3
April.....	876	104-9	Oct.....	1-184	141-8
May.....	899	107-7	Nov.....	1-190	142-5
June.....	976	116-9	Dec.....	1-313	157-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-035; Index—124-0					

## CORN, AMERICAN YELLOW, No. 3

Price per bushel at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-889	108-2	July.....	\$ 0-998	121-5
Feb.....	885	107-7	Aug.....	1-125	136-9
March.....	879	107-0	Sept.....	1-155	140-6
April.....	871	106-0	Oct.....	1-179	143-5
May.....	891	108-5	Nov.....	1-185	144-2
June.....	974	118-6	Dec.....	1-303	158-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-028; Index—125-1					

## GRAINS—Continued

## FLAX, No. 1, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 1-480	74-3	July.....	\$ 1-698	80-2
Feb.....	1-506	75-6	Aug.....	1-627	81-7
March.....	1-496	75-1	Sept.....	1-616	76-7
April.....	1-497	75-2	Oct.....	1-336	67-1
May.....	1-573	79-0	Nov.....	1-342	67-4
June.....	1-612	80-9	Dec.....	1-401	70-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-498; Index—75-2					

## FLAX, No. 2, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 1-440	73-8	July.....	\$ 1-558	79-9
Feb.....	1-466	75-1	Aug.....	1-587	81-4
March.....	1-456	74-6	Sept.....	1-476	75-7
April.....	1-455	74-6	Oct.....	1-296	66-4
May.....	1-533	78-6	Nov.....	1-302	66-7
June.....	1-572	80-6	Dec.....	1-362	69-8
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-458; Index—74-7					

## FLAX, No. 3, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 1-360	75-9	July.....	\$ 1-458	81-3
Feb.....	1-386	77-3	Aug.....	1-482	82-7
March.....	1-375	76-7	Sept.....	1-355	75-6
April.....	1-363	76-0	Oct.....	1-166	65-1
May.....	1-433	79-9	Nov.....	1-168	65-2
June.....	1-472	82-1	Dec.....	1-222	68-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-353; Index—75-5					

## OATS, No. 2, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-335	61-1	July.....	\$ 0-388	70-8
Feb.....	337	61-5	Aug.....	436	79-5
March.....	336	61-3	Sept.....	457	83-3
April.....	324	59-1	Oct.....	415	75-7
May.....	346	63-1	Nov.....	442	80-6
June.....	378	68-9	Dec.....	442	80-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-386; Index—70-4					

## OATS, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-314	66-1	July.....	\$ 0-358	75-4
Feb.....	317	66-8	Aug.....	409	86-1
March.....	314	66-1	Sept.....	425	89-5
April.....	297	62-6	Oct.....	385	81-1
May.....	319	67-2	Nov.....	397	83-0
June.....	356	75-0	Dec.....	393	82-8
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-357; Index—75-2					

## OATS, No. 1 FEED, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-307	67-5	July.....	\$ 0-349	76-7
Feb.....	312	68-6	Aug.....	406	89-0
March.....	310	68-1	Sept.....	410	90-4
April.....	294	64-6	Oct.....	365	80-0
May.....	312	68-6	Nov.....	374	82-2
June.....	349	76-7	Dec.....	374	82-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-347; Index—76-2					

## OATS, No 2 FEED, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-293	68-9	July.....	\$ 0-339	79-9
Feb.....	299	70-3	Aug.....	395	92-1
March.....	295	69-3	Sept.....	402	94-0
April.....	282	66-3	Oct.....	347	81-1
May.....	303	71-2	Nov.....	347	81-1
June.....	337	79-2	Dec.....	345	81-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-332; Index—78-0					

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## GRAINS—Continued

## OATS, ONTARIO, GOOD SOUND HEAVY

Price per bushel in carlots, f.o.b., outside points—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-315	69-7	July.....	\$ 0-379	83-9
Feb.....	* 315	69-7	Aug.....	365	80-8
March.....	* 315	69-7	Sept.....	365	80-8
April.....	* 315	69-7	Oct.....	333	73-7
May.....	* 315	69-7	Nov.....	315	69-7
June.....	425	94-0	Dec.....	366	81-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-364; Index—80-5

\*Nominal.

## PEAS, No. 2, WHITE, ONTARIO

Price per bushel, f.o.b., shipping point

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-100	89-8	July.....	\$ 1-300	106-1
Feb.....	1-200	98-0	Aug.....	1-100	89-8
March.....	1-200	98-0	Sept.....	1-100	89-8
April.....	1-200	98-0	Oct.....	1-100	89-8
May.....	1-300	106-1	Nov.....	1-100	89-8
June.....	1-300	106-1	Dec.....	1-100	89-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-175; Index—95-9

## RYE, No. 2, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-458	49-4	July.....	\$ 0-579	62-4
Feb.....	466	50-2	Aug.....	687	74-1
March.....	461	49-7	Sept.....	660	71-2
April.....	441	47-6	Oct.....	557	60-1
May.....	464	50-0	Nov.....	559	60-3
June.....	534	57-6	Dec.....	589	63-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-538; Index—58-0

## RYE, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-419	48-0	July.....	\$ 0-530	60-8
Feb.....	426	48-8	Aug.....	656	75-2
March.....	415	47-6	Sept.....	639	73-3
April.....	400	45-9	Oct.....	532	61-0
May.....	424	48-6	Nov.....	532	61-0
June.....	487	55-8	Dec.....	559	64-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-501; Index—57-4

## RYE, CANADA WESTERN, REJECTED

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-399	46-9	July.....	\$ 0-510	60-0
Feb.....	406	47-8	Aug.....	623	73-9
March.....	394	46-3	Sept.....	607	71-4
April.....	380	44-7	Oct.....	502	59-1
May.....	409	48-1	Nov.....	502	59-1
June.....	471	55-4	Dec.....	529	62-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-478; Index—56-2

## RYE, No. 2, ONTARIO

Price per bushel at Toronto—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-438	50-3	July.....	\$ 0-490	56-3
Feb.....	486	55-8	Aug.....	551	63-3
March.....	* 486	55-8	Sept.....	563	64-7
April.....	* 486	55-8	Oct.....	516	59-3
May.....	* 486	55-8	Nov.....	460	52-8
June.....	490	56-3	Dec.....	527	60-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-502; Index—57-7

\*Nominal.

## WHEAT, No. 1, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-650	43-5	July.....	\$ 0-820	54-8
Feb.....	656	43-9	Aug.....	860	57-5
March.....	664	44-4	Sept.....	823	55-0
April.....	655	43-8	Oct.....	782	52-3
May.....	706	47-2	Nov.....	796	53-2
June.....	771	51-6	Dec.....	792	53-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-748; Index—50-0

## GRAINS—Concluded

## WHEAT, No. 2, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-620	43-0	July.....	\$ 0-789	54-7
Feb.....	626	43-4	Aug.....	824	57-1
March.....	635	44-0	Sept.....	790	54-8
April.....	625	43-3	Oct.....	744	51-6
May.....	676	46-9	Nov.....	754	52-3
June.....	737	51-1	Dec.....	756	52-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-715; Index—49-6

## WHEAT, No. 3, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-594	42-6	July.....	\$ 0-769	55-2
Feb.....	617	44-3	Aug.....	812	58-3
March.....	620	44-5	Sept.....	771	55-3
April.....	610	43-8	Oct.....	720	51-7
May.....	652	46-8	Nov.....	731	52-5
June.....	710	51-0	Dec.....	725	52-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-694; Index—49-8

## WHEAT

Weighted average price of Manitoba Northern Wheat

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-620	43-0	July.....	\$ 0-792	54-9
Feb.....	633	43-9	Aug.....	832	57-7
March.....	639	44-3	Sept.....	794	55-1
April.....	630	43-7	Oct.....	748	51-9
May.....	677	47-0	Nov.....	760	52-7
June.....	738	51-2	Dec.....	756	52-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-718; Index—49-8

## WHEAT, No. 2, ONTARIO

Price per bushel, f.o.b. shipping point—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-739	56-5	July.....	\$ 0-897	68-6
Feb.....	822	62-9	Aug.....	900	68-9
March.....	840	64-3	Sept.....	950	72-7
April.....	805	61-6	Oct.....	933	71-4
May.....	844	64-6	Nov.....	915	70-0
June.....	995	76-1	Dec.....	933	71-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-881; Index—67-4

## FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS

## FLOUR, MANITOBA, FIRST PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute, carlots delivered Montreal rate points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-400	61-2	July.....	\$ 5-800	65-8
Feb.....	5-400	61-2	Aug.....	5-000	68-0
March.....	5-400	61-2	Sept.....	5-500	62-4
April.....	5-200	59-0	Oct.....	5-500	62-4
May.....	5-200	59-0	Nov.....	5-500	62-4
June.....	5-700	64-6	Dec.....	5-400	61-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-500; Index—62-4

## FLOUR, MANITOBA, FIRST PATENT

Price per barrel, carlots, delivered to dealers at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-700	—	July.....	\$ 5-000	—
Feb.....	4-700	—	Aug.....	5-000	—
March.....	4-600	—	Sept.....	4-800	—
April.....	4-500	—	Oct.....	4-900	—
May.....	4-500	—	Nov.....	4-900	—
June.....	4-700	—	Dec.....	4-800	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-758

## FLOUR, MANITOBA, SECOND PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute, carlots, delivered Montreal rate points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-800	57-7	July.....	\$ 5-300	63-7
Feb.....	4-800	57-7	Aug.....	5-400	64-9
March.....	4-800	57-7	Sept.....	5-100	61-3
April.....	4-600	55-3	Oct.....	5-100	61-3
May.....	4-600	55-3	Nov.....	5-100	61-3
June.....	5-100	61-3	Dec.....	5-000	60-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-975; Index—59-8

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## FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS—Continued

## FLOUR, MANITOBA, SECOND PATENT

Price per barrel, carlots, delivered to dealers at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4.400	—	July.....	\$ 4.700	—
Feb.....	4.400	—	Aug.....	4.700	—
March.....	4.300	—	Sept.....	4.500	—
April.....	4.200	—	Oct.....	4.600	—
May.....	4.200	—	Nov.....	4.600	—
June.....	4.400	—	Dec.....	4.500	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$4.458					

## FLOUR, ONTARIO, 90 PER CENT PATENT

Price per barrel, sea board, in bulk—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 3.242	55.4	July.....	\$ 4.225	72.3
Feb.....	3.444	58.9	Aug.....	4.181	71.5
March.....	3.535	60.5	Sept.....	4.235	72.4
April.....	3.450	59.0	Oct.....	4.150	71.0
May.....	4.150	71.0	Nov.....	4.088	69.9
June.....	4.480	76.6	Dec.....	3.950	67.6
Average, 1934: Price—\$3.928; Index—67.2					

## OATMEAL

Price per 98 pound sack, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 3.300	91.9	July.....	\$ 3.360	93.5
Feb.....	3.140	87.4	Aug.....	3.410	94.9
March.....	3.030	84.3	Sept.....	3.630	101.0
April.....	2.750	76.5	Oct.....	3.300	91.9
May.....	2.970	82.7	Nov.....	3.300	91.9
June.....	3.190	88.8	Dec.....	3.470	96.6
Average, 1934: Price—\$3.238; Index—90.1					

## ROLLED OATS

Price per 90 pound sack at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 3.000	91.4	July.....	\$ 3.050	92.9
Feb.....	2.850	86.8	Aug.....	3.100	94.4
March.....	2.750	83.8	Sept.....	3.300	100.5
April.....	2.500	76.1	Oct.....	3.000	91.4
May.....	2.700	82.2	Nov.....	3.000	91.4
June.....	2.900	88.3	Dec.....	3.150	95.9
Average, 1934: Price—\$2.942; Index—89.6					

## CORN MEAL

Price per 98 pound sack at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 2.500	—	July.....	\$ 2.500	—
Feb.....	2.550	—	Aug.....	2.900	—
March.....	2.550	—	Sept.....	2.900	—
April.....	2.550	—	Oct.....	2.900	—
May.....	2.350	—	Nov.....	2.900	—
June.....	2.500	—	Dec.....	3.050	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$2.679					

## MALT

Price per bushel of 36 pounds, carlots to manufacturers, f.o.b. Ontario points

Jan.....	\$ 0.850	78.0	July.....	\$ 0.895	82.1
Feb.....	.845	77.5	Aug.....	.985	90.4
March.....	.850	78.0	Sept.....	1.150	105.5
April.....	.825	75.7	Oct.....	1.090	100.0
May.....	.820	75.2	Nov.....	1.110	101.8
June.....	.885	81.2	Dec.....	1.150	105.5
Average, 1934: Price—\$0.955; Index—87.6					

## GLUTEN MEAL

Price per ton, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 25.000	64.0	July.....	\$ 22.000	56.3
Feb.....	25.000	64.0	Aug.....	26.000	66.5
March.....	25.000	64.0	Sept.....	28.000	71.6
April.....	25.000	64.0	Oct.....	28.000	71.6
May.....	22.000	56.3	Nov.....	25.000	64.0
June.....	22.000	56.3	Dec.....	27.000	69.1
Average, 1934: Price—\$25.000; Index—64.0					

## FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS—Concluded

## BRAN, MANITOBA

Price per ton, including bags, ex track Montreal—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 20.050	67.8	July.....	\$ 24.330	82.3
Feb.....	23.750	80.3	Aug.....	26.520	89.7
March.....	24.790	83.8	Sept.....	25.000	84.5
April.....	22.610	76.4	Oct.....	23.940	80.9
May.....	19.480	65.9	Nov.....	25.450	86.0
June.....	22.750	76.9	Dec.....	28.090	95.0
Average, 1934: Price—\$23.879; Index—80.7					

## SHORTS, MANITOBA

Price per ton including bags, ex track Montreal—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 20.930	66.4	July.....	\$ 25.330	80.4
Feb.....	25.750	81.7	Aug.....	27.130	86.1
March.....	26.130	82.9	Sept.....	26.000	82.5
April.....	23.570	74.8	Oct.....	24.940	79.2
May.....	20.250	64.3	Nov.....	26.450	83.9
June.....	23.710	75.3	Dec.....	29.090	92.3
Average, 1934: Price—\$24.918; Index—79.1					

## BAKERY PRODUCTS

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Halifax

Jan.....	\$ 0.060	81.9	July.....	\$ 0.060	81.9
Feb.....	.060	81.9	Aug.....	.060	81.9
March.....	.060	81.9	Sept.....	.060	81.9
April.....	.060	81.9	Oct.....	.060	81.9
May.....	.060	81.9	Nov.....	.060	81.9
June.....	.060	81.9	Dec.....	.060	81.9
Average, 1934: Price—\$0.060; Index—81.9					

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Saint John

Jan.....	\$ 0.063	78.8	July.....	\$ 0.060	75.0
Feb.....	.063	78.8	Aug.....	.060	75.0
March.....	.063	78.8	Sept.....	.060	75.0
April.....	.047	58.8	Oct.....	.060	75.0
May.....	.047	58.8	Nov.....	.060	75.0
June.....	.060	75.0	Dec.....	.060	75.0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0.059; Index—73.8					

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0.060	81.9	July.....	\$ 0.060	81.9
Feb.....	.060	81.9	Aug.....	.060	81.9
March.....	.060	81.9	Sept.....	.060	81.9
April.....	.060	81.9	Oct.....	.060	81.9
May.....	.060	81.9	Nov.....	.060	81.9
June.....	.060	81.9	Dec.....	.060	81.9
Average, 1934: Price—\$0.060; Index—81.9					

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.060	90.1	July.....	\$ 0.060	90.1
Feb.....	.060	90.1	Aug.....	.060	90.1
March.....	.060	90.1	Sept.....	.060	90.1
April.....	.060	90.1	Oct.....	.060	90.1
May.....	.060	90.1	Nov.....	.060	90.1
June.....	.060	90.1	Dec.....	.060	90.1
Average, 1934: Price—\$0.060; Index—90.1					

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0.050	83.3	July.....	\$ 0.050	83.3
Feb.....	.050	83.3	Aug.....	.050	83.3
March.....	.050	83.3	Sept.....	.050	83.3
April.....	.050	83.3	Oct.....	.050	83.3
May.....	.050	83.3	Nov.....	.050	83.3
June.....	.050	83.3	Dec.....	.050	83.3
Average, 1934: Price—\$0.050; Index—83.3					



## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## BAKERY PRODUCTS—Concluded

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

## Price per pound at Regina

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-048	66-7	July.....	\$ 0-048	66-7
Feb.....	-048	66-7	Aug.....	-048	66-7
March.....	-048	66-7	Sept.....	-048	66-7
April.....	-048	66-7	Oct.....	-048	66-7
May.....	-048	66-7	Nov.....	-048	66-7
June.....	-048	66-7	Dec.....	-048	66-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-048; Index—66-7

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

## Price per pound at Calgary

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-040	68-0	July.....	\$ 0-040	56-7
Feb.....	-048	68-0	Aug.....	-040	56-7
March.....	-048	68-0	Sept.....	-040	56-7
April.....	-048	68-0	Oct.....	-040	56-7
May.....	-040	56-7	Nov.....	-040	56-7
June.....	-040	56-7	Dec.....	-040	56-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-043; Index—60-9

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

## Price per pound at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-053	79-6	July.....	\$ 0-053	79-6
Feb.....	-053	79-6	Aug.....	-053	79-6
March.....	-053	79-6	Sept.....	-053	79-6
April.....	-053	79-6	Oct.....	-053	79-6
May.....	-053	79-6	Nov.....	-053	79-6
June.....	-053	79-6	Dec.....	-053	79-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-053; Index—79-6

## BISCUITS, SODA

## Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-114	86-4	July.....	\$ 0-114	86-4
Feb.....	-114	86-4	Aug.....	-114	86-4
March.....	-114	86-4	Sept.....	-114	86-4
April.....	-114	86-4	Oct.....	-114	86-4
May.....	-114	86-4	Nov.....	-114	86-4
June.....	-114	86-4	Dec.....	-124	93-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-115; Index—87-1

## VEGETABLE OILS

## COTTON SEED OIL, REFINED

## Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-080	57-0	July.....	\$ 0-078	55-6
Feb.....	-080	57-0	Aug.....	-080	57-0
March.....	-080	57-0	Sept.....	-085	60-5
April.....	-080	57-0	Oct.....	-085	60-5
May.....	-080	57-0	Nov.....	-085	60-5
June.....	-080	57-0	Dec.....	-085	60-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-082; Index—58-4

## LINSEED OIL, RAW

## Price per gallon, 6 to 10 barrels, at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-750	76-3	July.....	\$ 0-770	78-3
Feb.....	-750	76-3	Aug.....	-750	76-3
March.....	-750	76-3	Sept.....	-750	76-3
April.....	-750	76-3	Oct.....	-730	74-3
May.....	-770	78-3	Nov.....	-710	72-2
June.....	-770	78-3	Dec.....	-710	72-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-747; Index—76-0

## COCONUT OIL, MANILA, CRUDE

## Price per 100 pounds at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-750	37-4	July.....	\$ 2-900	29-0
Feb.....	-3-620	36-1	Aug.....	-3-300	32-9
March.....	-3-400	33-9	Sept.....	-3-320	33-1
April.....	-3-250	32-4	Oct.....	-3-750	37-4
May.....	-3-250	32-4	Nov.....	-3-750	37-4
June.....	-3-250	32-4	Dec.....	-3-800	37-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-445; Index—34-4

## VEGETABLE OILS—Concluded

## OLIVE OIL

## Price per 128 fluid ounces, in 768 fluid ounce tins, at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-520	80-3	July.....	\$ 1-630	86-1
Feb.....	-1-520	80-3	Aug.....	-1-630	86-1
March.....	-1-620	85-6	Sept.....	-1-630	86-1
April.....	-1-620	85-6	Oct.....	-1-630	86-1
May.....	-1-630	86-1	Nov.....	-1-630	86-1
June.....	-1-630	86-1	Dec.....	-1-630	86-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-610; Index—85-1

## PEANUT OIL, ORIENTAL, CRUDE

## Price per 100 pounds in bulk at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-000	41-0	July.....	\$ 3-500	35-8
Feb.....	-3-750	38-4	Aug.....	-3-900	39-9
March.....	-3-650	37-4	Sept.....	-4-660	47-7
April.....	-3-400	34-8	Oct.....	-5-300	54-3
May.....	-3-500	35-8	Nov.....	-5-000	51-2
June.....	-3-500	35-8	Dec.....	-5-500	56-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-138; Index—42-4

## CHINAWOOD OIL

## Price per pound in tank cars, delivered at Canadian centres

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-078	60-1	July.....	\$ 0-091	70-2
Feb.....	-084	64-8	Aug.....	-092	70-9
March.....	-079	60-9	Sept.....	-100	77-1
April.....	-090	69-4	Oct.....	-087	67-1
May.....	-086	66-3	Nov.....	-085	65-5
June.....	-089	68-6	Dec.....	-088	67-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-087; Index—67-1

## SOYA BEAN OIL, CRUDE

## Price per 100 pounds in bulk, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-500	—	July.....	\$ 5-000	—
Feb.....	-6-000	—	Aug.....	-5-000	—
March.....	-5-500	—	Sept.....	-5-000	—
April.....	-5-500	—	Oct.....	-5-000	—
May.....	-5-500	—	Nov.....	-5-500	—
June.....	-5-000	—	Dec.....	-6-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-375

## PALM OIL, CRUDE

## Price per 100 pounds in bulk at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-750	—	July.....	\$ 2-800	—
Feb.....	-3-500	—	Aug.....	-2-850	—
March.....	-3-400	—	Sept.....	-3-250	—
April.....	-3-250	—	Oct.....	-3-600	—
May.....	-3-200	—	Nov.....	-3-400	—
June.....	-3-000	—	Dec.....	-3-500	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-292

## RUBBER AND ITS PRODUCTS

## RAW RUBBER, CEYLON, PLANTATION RIBBED SMOKED SHEETS

## Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-093	19-1	July.....	\$ 0-144	29-5
Feb.....	-105	21-5	Aug.....	-151	30-9
March.....	-111	22-7	Sept.....	-150	30-7
April.....	-120	24-6	Oct.....	-137	28-1
May.....	-139	28-5	Nov.....	-127	26-0
June.....	-134	27-5	Dec.....	-128	26-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-128; Index—26-2

## RAW RUBBER, PLANTATION STANDARD THICK LATEX CREPE

## Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-106	21-5	July.....	\$ 0-160	32-4
Feb.....	-119	24-1	Aug.....	-166	33-6
March.....	-125	25-3	Sept.....	-159	32-2
April.....	-140	28-3	Oct.....	-146	29-5
May.....	-152	30-8	Nov.....	-134	27-1
June.....	-151	30-6	Dec.....	-134	27-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-141; Index—28-5

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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## RUBBER AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## RAW RUBBER, UPRIVER, FINE PARA

Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-089	20-5	July.....	\$ 0-116	26-7
Feb.....	-096	22-1	Aug.....	-114	26-3
March.....	-101	23-3	Sept.....	-106	24-4
April.....	-105	24-2	Oct.....	-101	23-3
May.....	-121	27-9	Nov.....	-097	22-4
June.....	-114	26-3	Dec.....	-096	22-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-105; Index—24-2

## RUBBERS, MEN'S REGULAR NO. 1, STANDARD GRADE

Price per pair at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-686	66-6	July.....	\$ 0-686	66-6
Feb.....	-686	66-6	Aug.....	-686	66-6
March.....	-686	66-6	Sept.....	-686	66-6
April.....	-686	66-6	Oct.....	-686	66-6
May.....	-686	66-6	Nov.....	-686	66-6
June.....	-686	66-6	Dec.....	-686	66-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-686; Index—66-6

## RUBBERS, WOMEN'S REGULAR NO. 1, STANDARD GRADE

Price per pair at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-598	—	July.....	\$ 0-598	—
Feb.....	-598	—	Aug.....	-598	—
March.....	-598	—	Sept.....	-598	—
April.....	-598	—	Oct.....	-598	—
May.....	-598	—	Nov.....	-598	—
June.....	-598	—	Dec.....	-598	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-598

## RUBBER TIRES, BALLOON, 4-40-21

Price f.o.b. factory (sales tax included)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-140	48-5	July.....	\$ 7-150	48-6
Feb.....	7-140	48-5	Aug.....	7-500	51-0
March.....	7-140	48-5	Sept.....	7-500	51-0
April.....	7-140	48-5	Oct.....	7-500	51-0
May.....	7-150	48-6	Nov.....	7-275	49-5
June.....	7-150	48-6	Dec.....	7-275	49-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$7-255; Index—49-3

## RUBBER TIRES, BALLOON, 5-25-21

Price f.o.b. factory (sales tax included)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 11-730	45-2	July.....	\$ 11-750	45-3
Feb.....	11-730	45-2	Aug.....	12-326	47-5
March.....	11-730	45-2	Sept.....	12-326	47-5
April.....	11-730	45-2	Oct.....	12-326	47-5
May.....	11-750	45-3	Nov.....	11-954	46-1
June.....	11-750	45-3	Dec.....	11-954	46-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$11-921; Index—46-0

## RUBBER TUBES, 4-40-21

Price f.o.b. factory (sales tax included)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-230	—	July.....	\$ 1-230	—
Feb.....	1-230	—	Aug.....	1-289	—
March.....	1-230	—	Sept.....	1-289	—
April.....	1-230	—	Oct.....	1-289	—
May.....	1-230	—	Nov.....	1-289	—
June.....	1-230	—	Dec.....	1-289	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-255

## RUBBER TUBES, 5-25-21

Price f.o.b. factory (sales tax included)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-803	—	July.....	\$ 1-803	—
Feb.....	1-803	—	Aug.....	1-881	—
March.....	1-803	—	Sept.....	1-881	—
April.....	1-803	—	Oct.....	1-881	—
May.....	1-803	—	Nov.....	1-881	—
June.....	1-803	—	Dec.....	1-881	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-836

## SUGAR AND ITS PRODUCTS AND GLUCOSE

## RAW SUGAR, B.W.I. PREFERENTIAL

Price per cwt., c.i.f. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-150	43-6	July.....	\$ 1-975	40-0
Feb.....	2-380	48-2	Aug.....	1-950	39-1
March.....	2-280	46-2	Sept.....	1-800	36-5
April.....	1-950	39-5	Oct.....	1-800	36-5
May.....	1-950	39-5	Nov.....	1-713	34-7
June.....	2-000	40-5	Dec.....	1-725	34-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-973; Index—40-0

## RAW SUGAR

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-560	—	July.....	\$ 2-420	—
Feb.....	2-670	—	Aug.....	2-330	—
March.....	2-660	—	Sept.....	2-235	—
April.....	2-610	—	Oct.....	2-220	—
May.....	2-400	—	Nov.....	2-280	—
June.....	2-400	—	Dec.....	2-220	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-415

## GRANULATED SUGAR, STANDARD

Price per cwt. at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6-370	106-9	July.....	\$ 5-180	86-9
Feb.....	6-370	106-9	Aug.....	5-085	85-4
March.....	6-370	106-9	Sept.....	5-085	85-4
April.....	6-180	103-7	Oct.....	4-895	82-2
May.....	6-180	103-7	Nov.....	4-895	82-2
June.....	5-180	86-9	Dec.....	4-895	82-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-557; Index—93-3

## GRANULATED SUGAR, STANDARD

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6-320	—	July.....	\$ 4-940	—
Feb.....	6-300	—	Aug.....	4-760	—
March.....	6-300	—	Sept.....	4-760	—
April.....	6-100	—	Oct.....	4-750	—
May.....	6-000	—	Nov.....	4-760	—
June.....	4-950	—	Dec.....	4-760	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-392

## SUGAR, NO. 1 YELLOW (LIGHT)

Price per cwt. at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6-085	109-1	July.....	\$ 4-895	87-8
Feb.....	6-085	109-1	Aug.....	4-800	86-1
March.....	6-085	109-1	Sept.....	4-800	86-1
April.....	5-895	105-7	Oct.....	4-610	82-7
May.....	5-895	105-7	Nov.....	4-610	82-7
June.....	4-895	87-8	Dec.....	4-610	82-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-272; Index—94-5

## SUGAR, NO. 3, YELLOW

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-850	—	July.....	\$ 4-630	—
Feb.....	5-830	—	Aug.....	4-450	—
March.....	5-830	—	Sept.....	4-450	—
April.....	5-630	—	Oct.....	4-450	—
May.....	5-630	—	Nov.....	4-450	—
June.....	4-630	—	Dec.....	4-450	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-023

## GLUCOSE, 44° BEAUMÉ

Price per 100 pounds, delivered Toronto and Western Ontario points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-028	127-3	July.....	\$ 4-263	107-9
Feb.....	5-028	127-3	Aug.....	4-475	113-3
March.....	4-763	120-6	Sept.....	4-687	118-7
April.....	4-763	120-6	Oct.....	4-687	118-7
May.....	4-763	120-6	Nov.....	4-475	113-3
June.....	4-763	120-6	Dec.....	4-475	113-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-681; Index—118-5

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

SUGAR AND ITS PRODUCTS AND  
GLUCOSE—Concluded

## MOLASSES, BARBADOS, EXTRA FANCY

Price per gallon, f.o.b. cars, Saint John

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.455	96.9	July.....	\$ 0.428	91.1
Feb.....	.435	92.7	Aug.....	.428	91.1
March.....	.435	92.7	Sept.....	.435	91.7
April.....	.428	91.1	Oct.....	.438	93.2
May.....	.423	91.1	Nov.....	.438	93.2
June.....	.428	91.1	Dec.....	.438	93.2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.434; Index—92.5

## TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, ESTATES TRINIDAD

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.062	42.9	July.....	\$ 0.082	56.9
Feb.....	.082	56.9	Aug.....	.075	52.3
March.....	.085	59.3	Sept.....	.073	50.9
April.....	.080	55.8	Oct.....	.075	52.3
May.....	.075	52.3	Nov.....	.075	52.3
June.....	.080	55.8	Dec.....	.068	47.5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.076; Index—53.0

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, GRENADA

Price per pound, c.i.f. Canadian Atlantic seaboard

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.054	—	July.....	\$ 0.070	—
Feb.....	.068	—	Aug.....	.069	—
March.....	.070	—	Sept.....	.068	—
April.....	.068	—	Oct.....	.065	—
May.....	.066	—	Nov.....	.060	—
June.....	.070	—	Dec.....	.059	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.066

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, JAMAICA

Price per pound, c.i.f. Canadian Atlantic seaboard

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.049	—	July.....	\$ 0.064	—
Feb.....	.055	—	Aug.....	.064	—
March.....	.063	—	Sept.....	.060	—
April.....	.065	—	Oct.....	.060	—
May.....	.061	—	Nov.....	.055	—
June.....	.061	—	Dec.....	.054	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.059

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, GOOD FERMENTED ACCRA

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.068	59.3	July.....	\$ 0.078	68.0
Feb.....	.073	63.6	Aug.....	.070	61.0
March.....	.076	66.3	Sept.....	.068	59.3
April.....	.075	65.4	Oct.....	.070	61.0
May.....	.074	64.5	Nov.....	.068	59.3
June.....	.078	68.0	Dec.....	.068	59.3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.072; Index—62.8

UNSWEETENED CHOCOLATE LIQUOR, GUARANTEED PURE,  
CHEAPEST GRADE

Price per pound net, in 10 pound cakes

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.110	60.7	July.....	\$ 0.110	60.7
Feb.....	.110	60.7	Aug.....	.110	60.7
March.....	.110	60.7	Sept.....	.110	60.7
April.....	.110	60.7	Oct.....	.110	60.7
May.....	.110	60.7	Nov.....	.110	60.7
June.....	.110	60.7	Dec.....	.110	60.7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.110; Index—60.7

UNSWEETENED CHOCOLATE LIQUOR, GUARANTEED PURE,  
BEST GRADE

Price per pound net, in 10 pound cakes

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.170	61.6	July.....	\$ 0.170	61.6
Feb.....	.170	61.6	Aug.....	.170	61.6
March.....	.170	61.6	Sept.....	.170	61.6
April.....	.170	61.6	Oct.....	.170	61.6
May.....	.170	61.6	Nov.....	.170	61.6
June.....	.170	61.6	Dec.....	.170	61.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.170; Index—61.6

## TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES—Continued

## COCOA BUTTER, IMPORTED

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.125	45.1	July.....	\$ 0.140	50.5
Feb.....	.135	48.7	Aug.....	.140	50.5
March.....	.145	52.3	Sept.....	.130	46.9
April.....	.138	49.6	Oct.....	.130	46.9
May.....	.138	49.6	Nov.....	.130	46.9
June.....	.140	50.5	Dec.....	.120	43.3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.134; Index—48.4

## GREEN COFFEE, SANTOS, GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.148	54.3	July.....	\$ 0.170	62.4
Feb.....	.148	54.3	Aug.....	.170	62.4
March.....	.148	54.3	Sept.....	.170	62.4
April.....	.148	54.3	Oct.....	.170	62.4
May.....	.160	58.7	Nov.....	.170	62.4
June.....	.170	62.4	Dec.....	.163	59.8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.161; Index—59.1

## GREEN COFFEE, JAMAICA, GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.145	58.0	July.....	\$ 0.160	64.0
Feb.....	.145	58.0	Aug.....	.160	64.0
March.....	.145	58.0	Sept.....	.160	64.0
April.....	.145	58.0	Oct.....	.160	64.0
May.....	.155	62.0	Nov.....	.160	64.0
June.....	.160	64.0	Dec.....	.160	64.0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.155; Index—62.0

## GREEN COFFEE, BOGOTA, GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.188	54.1	July.....	\$ 0.220	63.3
Feb.....	.188	54.1	Aug.....	.220	63.3
March.....	.188	54.1	Sept.....	.220	63.3
April.....	.188	54.1	Oct.....	.220	63.3
May.....	.210	60.4	Nov.....	.220	63.3
June.....	.220	63.3	Dec.....	.210	60.4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.208; Index—59.9

## GREEN COFFEE, KENYA, BEST

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.205	—	July.....	\$ 0.280	—
Feb.....	.230	—	Aug.....	.280	—
March.....	.230	—	Sept.....	.280	—
April.....	.240	—	Oct.....	.250	—
May.....	.280	—	Nov.....	.230	—
June.....	.280	—	Dec.....	.250	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.253

## GREEN COFFEE, AFRICAN, MEDIUM

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.180	—	July.....	\$ 0.220	—
Feb.....	.180	—	Aug.....	.220	—
March.....	.200	—	Sept.....	.220	—
April.....	.180	—	Oct.....	.200	—
May.....	.220	—	Nov.....	.170	—
June.....	.220	—	Dec.....	.200	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.201

## TEA, JAPAN, CHOICE TO MEDIUM

Price per pound, delivered at warehouse, duty paid

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.450	82.2	July.....	\$ 0.450	82.2
Feb.....	.450	82.2	Aug.....	.450	82.2
March.....	.450	82.2	Sept.....	.450	82.2
April.....	.450	82.2	Oct.....	.450	82.2
May.....	.450	82.2	Nov.....	.450	82.2
June.....	.450	82.2	Dec.....	.450	82.2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.450; Index—82.2



## GROUP 1.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES—Concluded

## TEA, PEKOE, CEYLON AND INDIA

Price per pound, delivered at warehouse, duty paid

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.410	77.0	July.....	\$ 0.440	82.6
Feb.....	.430	80.8	Aug.....	.440	82.6
March.....	.440	82.6	Sept.....	.440	82.6
April.....	.440	82.6	Oct.....	.440	82.6
May.....	.440	82.6	Nov.....	.440	82.6
June.....	.440	82.6	Dec.....	.440	82.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.437; Index—82.1

## BLACK PEPPER

Price per pound, bulk, in barrels at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.190	52.2	July.....	\$ 0.210	57.7
Feb.....	.190	52.2	Aug.....	.210	57.7
March.....	.190	52.2	Sept.....	.210	57.7
April.....	.200	54.9	Oct.....	.220	60.4
May.....	.200	54.9	Nov.....	.220	60.4
June.....	.210	57.7	Dec.....	.200	54.9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.204; Index—56.0

## VEGETABLES

## ONIONS, ONTARIO, STANDARD GRADE

Price per cwt. at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1.750	72.0	July.....	\$ 2.190	90.1
Feb.....	1.780	73.3	Aug.....	1.900	78.2
March.....	1.940	79.8	Sept.....	1.420	58.4
April.....	1.790	73.7	Oct.....	1.400	57.6
May.....	1.563	64.3	Nov.....	1.340	55.1
June.....	1.563	64.3	Dec.....	1.330	54.7

Average, 1934: Price—\$1.604; Index—68.5

## ONIONS, B.C., STANDARD GRADE

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1.380	68.0	July.....	\$ 1.950	96.1
Feb.....	1.480	72.9	Aug.....	*2.063	101.6
March.....	1.570	77.3	Sept.....	*1.650	81.3
April.....	1.590	78.3	Oct.....	1.450	71.4
May.....	1.860	91.6	Nov.....	1.450	71.4
June.....	1.950	96.1	Dec.....	1.450	71.4

Average, 1934: Price—\$1.613; Index—79.5

\*Estimated.

## POTATOES, CANADA GRADE "A"

Price per 90 pound bag at Charlottetown

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.633	38.0	July.....	\$ 0.667	40.1
Feb.....	.770	46.3	Aug.....	.750	45.1
March.....	*.770	46.3	Sept.....	.400	24.0
April.....	.757	45.5	Oct.....	.333	20.0
May.....	.567	34.1	Nov.....	.310	18.6
June.....	.533	32.0	Dec.....	.277	16.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.564; Index—33.9

\*Nominal.

## POTATOES, WHITES, CANADA GRADE "A"

Price per 90 pound bag at Halifax

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1.100	46.4	July.....	\$ 1.000	42.1
Feb.....	1.250	52.6	Aug.....	1.000	42.1
March.....	1.250	52.6	Sept.....	.750	31.6
April.....	1.250	52.6	Oct.....	.600	25.2
May.....	1.000	42.1	Nov.....	.500	21.0
June.....	1.000	42.1	Dec.....	.500	21.0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.933; Index—39.3

## POTATOES, CANADA GRADE "A"

Price per cwt. at Saint John

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1.150	38.7	July.....	\$ 0.804	27.1
Feb.....	1.340	45.1	Aug.....	.938	31.6
March.....	1.325	44.6	Sept.....	.721	24.3
April.....	1.275	42.9	Oct.....	.588	19.8
May.....	1.000	33.7	Nov.....	.538	18.1
June.....	.806	27.1	Dec.....	.538	18.1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.919; Index—30.9

## VEGETABLES—Continued

## POTATOES, QUEBEC WHITES

Price per 80 pound bag at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.960	51.2	July.....	\$ 0.560	29.0
Feb.....	1.100	58.7	Aug.....	.500	26.7
March.....	1.080	57.6	Sept.....	.420	22.4
April.....	1.040	55.5	Oct.....	.388	20.7
May.....	.840	44.8	Nov.....	.380	20.3
June.....	.725	38.7	Dec.....	.421	22.5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.701; Index—37.4

## POTATOES, ONTARIO

Price per 90 pound bag at Toronto—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1.096	40.3	July.....	\$ 0.848	31.2
Feb.....	1.125	41.4	Aug.....	.596	21.9
March.....	1.125	41.4	Sept.....	.628	23.1
April.....	*1.075	39.5	Oct.....	*.514	18.9
May.....	*.940	34.6	Nov.....	.387	14.2
June.....	*.940	34.6	Dec.....	.375	13.8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.631; Index—23.2

\*Estimated.

## POTATOES, MANITOBA

Prices per cwt. at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.767	58.1	July.....	\$ 0.500	37.9
Feb.....	.756	57.3	Aug.....	.622	47.1
March.....	.722	54.7	Sept.....	.622	47.1
April.....	.722	54.7	Oct.....	.589	44.6
May.....	.622	47.1	Nov.....	.456	34.5
June.....	.567	43.0	Dec.....	.403	30.5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.612; Index—46.4

## POTATOES, WHITE, CANADA "B"

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1.070	53.2	July.....	\$ 0.580	28.8
Feb.....	1.080	53.7	Aug.....	.560	27.8
March.....	1.010	50.2	Sept.....	.630	31.3
April.....	.900	44.8	Oct.....	.530	26.4
May.....	.890	44.3	Nov.....	.490	24.4
June.....	1.080	53.7	Dec.....	.480	23.9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.775; Index—38.5

## CANNED CORN, STANDARD 2'S

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.850	73.9	July.....	\$ 0.825	71.7
Feb.....	.800	69.6	Aug.....	.825	71.7
March.....	.800	69.6	Sept.....	.800	69.6
April.....	.800	69.6	Oct.....	.800	69.6
May.....	.775	67.4	Nov.....	.775	67.4
June.....	.825	71.7	Dec.....	.775	67.4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.804; Index—69.9

## CANNED PEAS, No. 4, STANDARD 2'S

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1.100	85.7	July.....	\$ 1.050	81.8
Feb.....	1.100	85.7	Aug.....	1.050	81.8
March.....	1.100	85.7	Sept.....	1.050	81.8
April.....	1.100	85.7	Oct.....	1.050	81.8
May.....	1.050	81.8	Nov.....	1.025	79.9
June.....	1.050	81.8	Dec.....	1.025	79.9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1.063; Index—82.9

## CANNED TOMATOES, STANDARD 2 1/2'S

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.850	68.7	July.....	\$ 0.888	71.4
Feb.....	.800	64.6	Aug.....	.888	71.7
March.....	.850	68.7	Sept.....	.800	64.6
April.....	.850	68.7	Oct.....	.800	64.6
May.....	.850	68.7	Nov.....	.775	62.6
June.....	.875	70.7	Dec.....	.775	62.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.833; Index—67.3

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## VEGETABLES—Concluded

## BAKED BEANS, 18 OUNCE TINS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario and Quebec)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-100	—	July.....	\$ 1-100	—
Feb.....	1-100	—	Aug.....	1-100	—
March.....	1-100	—	Sept.....	1-100	—
April.....	1-100	—	Oct.....	1-150	—
May.....	1-100	—	Nov.....	1-150	—
June.....	1-100	—	Dec.....	1-150	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-113					

## TOBACCO

## TOBACCO, ONTARIO BURLEY, BARN RUN

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-090

## TOBACCO, WARNE OR FLUE CURED, LIGHT

## CIGARETTE, HIGH GRADE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-275; Index—47-4

## TOBACCO, WARNE OR FLUE CURED, LIGHT PIPE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-214; Index—42-8

## TOBACCO, WARNE OR FLUE CURED, DARK PIPE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-084; Index—24-0

## TOBACCO, WARNE OR FLUE CURED, MAHOGANY PIPE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-160; Index—35-6

## TOBACCO, DARK TYPE, AIR CURED, HIGH GRADE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-093; Index—33-0

## TOBACCO, DARK TYPE, FIRED

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-113; Index—37-5

## TOBACCO, No. 1 QUEBEC LEAF

Farmers' price per pound (Quebec)

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-113

## MISCELLANEOUS

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALEd, No. 2

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 12-500	86-5	July.....	\$ 13-000	89-9
Feb.....	12-500	86-5	Aug.....	12-000	83-0
March.....	13-000	89-9	Sept.....	12-500	86-5
April.....	14-000	96-8	Oct.....	12-500	86-5
May.....	14-000	96-8	Nov.....	12-500	86-5
June.....	13-000	89-9	Dec.....	12-500	86-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$12-833; Index—88-8					

## MISCELLANEOUS—Continued

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALEd, No. 3

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 10-500	84-3	July.....	\$ 11-000	88-3
Feb.....	10-500	84-3	Aug.....	10-000	80-3
March.....	11-000	88-3	Sept.....	10-500	84-3
April.....	12-000	96-3	Oct.....	10-500	84-3
May.....	13-000	104-4	Nov.....	10-500	84-3
June.....	12-000	96-3	Dec.....	10-500	84-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$11-000; Index—88-3					

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALEd, RANGE No. 2—Good No. 2

Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 12-125	72-8	July.....	\$ 19-000	114-1
Feb.....	12-625	75-8	Aug.....	18-188	109-3
March.....	13-375	80-4	Sept.....	18-625	111-9
April.....	13-250	79-6	Oct.....	17-750	106-6
May.....	13-875	83-4	Nov.....	17-750	106-6
June.....	19-250	115-7	Dec.....	17-125	102-9
Average, 1934: Price—\$16-078; Index—96-6					

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALEd, No. 3

Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 10-500	70-3	July.....	\$ 18-000	120-5
Feb.....	10-750	72-0	Aug.....	15-750	105-4
March.....	11-750	78-7	Sept.....	16-250	108-8
April.....	12-250	82-0	Oct.....	15-500	103-8
May.....	12-500	83-7	Nov.....	15-500	103-8
June.....	17-750	118-8	Dec.....	14-750	98-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$14-271; Index—95-5					

## HAY, ALFALFA, BALEd

\*Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 13-000	—	July.....	\$ 18-000	—
Feb.....	13-000	—	Aug.....	19-000	—
March.....	13-000	—	Sept.....	20-000	—
April.....	13-000	—	Oct.....	19-000	—
May.....	13-500	—	Nov.....	20-000	—
June.....	18-000	—	Dec.....	19-000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$16-542					

\*New Source.

## PRAIRIE HAY

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Saskatoon

Jan.....	\$ 12-000	—	July.....	\$ 12-500	—
Feb.....	12-000	—	Aug.....	12-500	—
March.....	12-250	—	Sept.....	13-000	—
April.....	12-500	—	Oct.....	12-500	—
May.....	12-500	—	Nov.....	12-500	—
June.....	13-000	—	Dec.....	12-500	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$12-479					

## PRAIRIE HAY

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

Jan.....	\$ 6-000	—	July.....	\$ 6-000	—
Feb.....	6-000	—	Aug.....	6-000	—
March.....	6-000	—	Sept.....	6-000	—
April.....	6-000	—	Oct.....	6-000	—
May.....	6-000	—	Nov.....	7-000	—
June.....	6-000	—	Dec.....	7-000	—
Average, 1934: Price \$6-167					

## STRAW, OAT, BALEd

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 7-500	106-4	July.....	\$ 7-300	103-5
Feb.....	7-250	102-8	Aug.....	6-600	94-9
March.....	8-500	120-6	Sept.....	6-500	92-2
April.....	8-880	126-0	Oct.....	8-000	113-5
May.....	7-950	112-8	Nov.....	7-100	100-7
June.....	7-060	100-1	Dec.....	7-000	99-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$7-478; Index—106-1					

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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Concluded

### MISCELLANEOUS—Continued

#### STRAW, WHEAT, Baled

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....*	7-250	69-4	July.....	\$ 10-250	98-1
Feb.....	10-500	100-5	Aug.....	10-060	96-3
March.....	10-500	100-5	Sept.....	10-000	95-7
April.....	10-000	95-7	Oct.....	10-000	95-7
May.....	9-600	91-9	Nov.....	9-800	93-8
June.....	9-880	94-5	Dec.....	10-000	95-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$9-820; Index—94-0

\*Nominal.

#### STRAW, OAT, Baled

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....*	6-000	59-1	July.....	\$ 8-500	83-8
Feb.....	9-500	93-6	Aug.....	8-690	85-6
March.....	9-500	93-6	Sept.....	8-750	86-2
April.....	9-250	91-2	Oct.....	8-630	85-1
May.....	9-200	90-7	Nov.....	8-000	78-8
June.....	9-250	91-2	Dec.....	8-000	78-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$8-606; Index—84-8

\*Nominal.

#### STRAW, WHEAT, Baled

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-750	31-1	July.....	\$ 2-750	31-1
Feb.....	2-750	31-1	Aug.....	2-750	31-1
March.....	2-750	31-1	Sept.....	2-750	31-1
April.....	2-750	31-1	Oct.....	2-750	31-1
May.....	2-750	31-1	Nov.....	3-500	39-6
June.....	2-750	31-1	Dec.....	3-500	39-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-875; Index—32-5

#### STRAW, OAT, Baled

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-000	28-6	July.....	\$ 3-000	28-6
Feb.....	3-000	28-6	Aug.....	3-000	28-6
March.....	3-000	28-6	Sept.....	3-000	28-6
April.....	3-000	28-6	Oct.....	3-000	28-6
May.....	3-000	28-6	Nov.....	4-000	38-1
June.....	3-000	28-6	Dec.....	4-000	38-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-167; Index—30-2

#### ROSIN, WATER WHITE

Price per barrel of 280 pounds, Montreal and Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-750	43-9	July.....	\$ 7-650	43-3
Feb.....	8-400	47-6	Aug.....	8-000	45-3
March.....	8-400	47-6	Sept.....	8-250	46-7
April.....	8-250	46-7	Oct.....	8-250	46-7
May.....	8-300	47-0	Nov.....	8-150	46-1
June.....	7-950	45-0	Dec.....	8-250	46-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$8-133; Index—46-1

#### TURPENTINE

Price per gallon, 10 barrel lots, ex dock, New York, with charges added to give approximate price ex store, Montreal.

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-831	60-9	July.....	\$ 0-759	55-6
Feb.....	.954	69-9	Aug.....	.738	54-1
March.....	.935	68-5	Sept.....	.729	53-4
April.....	.911	66-7	Oct.....	.804	53-9
May.....	.871	63-8	Nov.....	.819	60-0
June.....	.812	59-5	Dec.....	.807	59-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-829; Index—60-7

#### STARCH, LAUNDRY

Price per pound, freight paid in 5 case lots

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-078	97-5	July.....	\$ 0-078	97-5
Feb.....	.078	97-5	Aug.....	.080	100-0
March.....	.078	97-5	Sept.....	.083	103-8
April.....	.078	97-5	Oct.....	.083	103-8
May.....	.078	97-5	Nov.....	.083	103-8
June.....	.078	97-5	Dec.....	.083	103-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-080; Index—10-0

### MISCELLANEOUS—Concluded

#### VINEGAR, PURE SPIRIT, XXX GRADE

Price per gallon, ex factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-272	80-0	July.....	\$ 0-272	80-0
Feb.....	.272	80-0	Aug.....	.272	80-0
March.....	.272	80-0	Sept.....	.272	80-0
April.....	.272	80-0	Oct.....	.272	80-0
May.....	.272	80-0	Nov.....	.272	80-0
June.....	.272	80-0	Dec.....	.272	80-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-272; Index—80-0

#### RICE, RANGOON B (CLEANED OR POLISHED)

Price per cwt., duty paid, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-074	71-0	July.....	\$ 2-756	63-7
Feb.....	3-074	71-0	Aug.....	2-756	63-7
March.....	3-074	71-0	Sept.....	2-756	63-7
April.....	3-074	71-0	Oct.....	2-756	63-7
May.....	2-756	63-7	Nov.....	2-756	63-7
June.....	2-756	63-7	Dec.....	2-756	63-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-862; Index—66-1

#### RICE, JAPAN, MONARCH

Price per cwt., ton lots to jobbers, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-975	56-0	July.....	\$ 3-106	43-7
Feb.....	3-975	56-0	Aug.....	3-106	43-7
March.....	3-975	56-0	Sept.....	3-106	43-7
April.....	3-286	46-3	Oct.....	3-106	43-7
May.....	3-286	46-3	Nov.....	3-106	43-7
June.....	3-106	43-7	Dec.....	3-106	43-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-353; Index—47-2

#### RICE, CHINA, PAKLING

Price per cwt., ton lots to jobbers, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-392	64-5	July.....	\$ 3-392	64-5
Feb.....	3-392	64-5	Aug.....	3-392	64-5
March.....	3-392	64-5	Sept.....	3-392	64-5
April.....	3-392	64-5	Oct.....	3-392	64-5
May.....	3-392	64-5	Nov.....	3-392	64-5
June.....	3-392	64-5	Dec.....	3-392	64-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-392; Index—64-5

#### RICE, BLUE ROSE (CLEANED OR POLISHED)

Price per cwt., duty paid, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-618	—	July.....	\$ 4-770	—
Feb.....	5-618	—	Aug.....	4-770	—
March.....	5-512	—	Sept.....	5-035	—
April.....	5-512	—	Oct.....	5-035	—
May.....	5-300	—	Nov.....	5-035	—
June.....	5-300	—	Dec.....	5-035	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-212

#### TAPIOCA, SINGAPORE, MEDIUM PEARL

Price per pound, 10 bags or upwards, spot, ex warehouse Saint John

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-070	106-2	July.....	\$ 0-070	106-2
Feb.....	.070	106-2	Aug.....	.070	106-2
March.....	.070	106-2	Sept.....	.070	106-2
April.....	.070	106-2	Oct.....	.070	106-2
May.....	.070	106-2	Nov.....	.070	106-2
June.....	.070	106-2	Dec.....	.070	106-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-070; Index—106-2

#### TAPIOCA, PENANG, MEDIUM PEARL

Price per pound, 10 bags or upwards, spot, ex warehouse Saint John

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-068	111-7	July.....	\$ 0-068	111-7
Feb.....	.068	111-7	Aug.....	.068	111-7
March.....	.068	111-7	Sept.....	.068	111-7
April.....	.068	111-7	Oct.....	.068	111-7
May.....	.068	111-7	Nov.....	.068	111-7
June.....	.068	111-7	Dec.....	.068	111-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-068; Index—111-7



## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

## FISH

## DRY SHORE COD FISH

Price paid to fishermen per quintal at Halifax

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-000	72-7	July.....	\$ 4-750	86-4
Feb.....	4-000	72-7	Aug.....	4-750	86-4
March.....	*4-000	72-7	Sept.....	4-750	86-4
April.....	4-250	77-3	Oct.....	4-750	86-4
May.....	4-250	77-3	Nov.....	4-750	86-4
June.....	4-250	77-3	Dec.....	4-875	88-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-489; Index—81-6

\*Nominal.

## SALT HERRING

(FOR WEST INDIES TRADE)

Price paid to fishermen per barrel at Halifax

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-750	64-7	July.....	\$ 2-750	64-7
Feb.....	2-750	64-7	Aug.....	*2-750	64-7
March.....	2-750	64-7	Sept.....	*2-750	64-7
April.....	*2-750	64-7	Oct.....	*2-750	64-7
May.....	*2-750	64-7	Nov.....	*2-750	64-7
June.....	*2-750	64-7	Dec.....	*2-750	64-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-750; Index—64-7

\*Nominal.

## SALT SPRING MACKEREL

Wholesale selling price per barrel, f.o.b.

Maritime points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-000	—	July.....	\$ 5-500	—
Feb.....	5-500	—	Aug.....	5-500	—
March.....	5-500	—	Sept.....	5-500	—
April.....	5-500	—	Oct.....	9-000	—
May.....	5-500	—	Nov.....	9-000	—
June.....	5-500	—	Dec.....	9-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$6-583

## SMOKED HERRING

Price per 20 pound box, carlots, f.o.b. Halifax

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-750	87-5	July.....	\$ 1-750	87-5
Feb.....	1-750	87-5	Aug.....	1-750	87-5
March.....	1-750	87-5	Sept.....	1-750	87-5
April.....	1-750	87-5	Oct.....	1-500	75-0
May.....	1-750	87-5	Nov.....	1-500	75-0
June.....	1-750	87-5	Dec.....	1-500	75-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-688; Index—84-4

## DRY SALT HERRING

Price per ton of 2,100 pounds net f.a.s.

Vancouver (100 lbs. extra to allow for shrinkage)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 13-000	41-3	July.....	\$ *15-000	47-6
Feb.....	15-000	47-6	Aug.....	*15-000	47-6
March.....	15-000	47-6	Sept.....	*15-000	47-6
April.....	*15-000	47-6	Oct.....	30-000	95-2
May.....	*15-000	47-6	Nov.....	23-000	88-9
June.....	*15-000	47-6	Dec.....	22-000	69-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$20-500; Index—65-1

\*Nominal.

## SMOKED FINNAN HADDIE

Price per pound, f.o.b. Atlantic Coast

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-090	100-4	July.....	\$ 0-100	111-6
Feb.....	100	111-6	Aug.....	100	111-6
March.....	100	111-6	Sept.....	100	111-6
April.....	100	111-6	Oct.....	0-080	89-3
May.....	100	111-6	Nov.....	0-080	89-3
June.....	100	111-6	Dec.....	0-080	89-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-094; Index—104-9

## SMOKED FILLETS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Atlantic Coast

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-110	84-1	July.....	\$ 0-110	84-1
Feb.....	110	84-1	Aug.....	110	84-1
March.....	110	84-1	Sept.....	110	84-1
April.....	110	84-1	Oct.....	0-095	72-6
May.....	110	84-1	Nov.....	0-095	72-6
June.....	110	84-1	Dec.....	0-095	72-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-106; Index—81-0

## FISH—Continued

## STRIPPED COD

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-090	64-3	July.....	\$ 0-100	71-4
Feb.....	100	71-4	Aug.....	100	71-4
March.....	100	71-4	Sept.....	100	71-4
April.....	100	71-4	Oct.....	0-090	64-3
May.....	100	71-4	Nov.....	0-090	64-3
June.....	100	71-4	Dec.....	0-095	67-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-097; Index—69-3

## FRESH HADDOCK (HEADS ON)

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-050	84-5	July.....	\$ 0-055	93-0
Feb.....	0-055	93-0	Aug.....	0-055	93-0
March.....	0-055	93-0	Sept.....	0-055	93-0
April.....	0-055	93-0	Oct.....	0-050	84-5
May.....	0-055	93-0	Nov.....	0-045	76-1
June.....	0-055	93-0	Dec.....	0-025	42-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-051; Index—86-2

## WHITEFISH

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-100	73-4	July.....	\$ 0-100	73-4
Feb.....	105	77-1	Aug.....	130	95-4
March.....	120	88-1	Sept.....	140	102-8
April.....	110	80-7	Oct.....	160	117-4
May.....	110	80-7	Nov.....	140	102-8
June.....	120	88-1	Dec.....	100	73-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-120; Index—88-1

## HALIBUT, No. 1 CANADIAN

Price per 100 pounds to fishing vessels, Prince Rupert

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ *8-100	53-8	July.....	\$ 6-100	40-5
Feb.....	*8-100	53-8	Aug.....	6-500	43-1
March.....	6-500	43-1	Sept.....	8-600	57-1
April.....	6-500	43-1	Oct.....	8-800	58-4
May.....	6-500	43-1	Nov.....	7-600	50-4
June.....	6-400	42-5	Dec.....	7-600	50-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$7-110; Index—47-2

\*Nominal.

## SALMON, "SCKEYBE"

Price per case at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 15-060	80-4	July.....	\$ 14-890	79-5
Feb.....	15-360	82-0	Aug.....	15-300	81-7
March.....	15-090	80-6	Sept.....	15-300	81-7
April.....	15-110	80-7	Oct.....	15-200	81-2
May.....	15-090	80-6	Nov.....	15-220	81-3
June.....	15-210	81-2	Dec.....	15-200	81-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$15-169; Index—81-0

## SALMON, "COHOE"

Price per case at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-800	64-4	July.....	\$ 8-450	61-8
Feb.....	8-960	65-6	Aug.....	8-330	60-9
March.....	8-170	59-8	Sept.....	8-870	64-9
April.....	8-170	59-8	Oct.....	8-810	64-5
May.....	8-270	60-5	Nov.....	8-860	64-8
June.....	8-450	61-8	Dec.....	8-810	64-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$8-579; Index—62-8

## SALMON, "PINKS"

Price per case at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-270	70-2	July.....	\$ 4-970	66-2
Feb.....	4-840	64-5	Aug.....	4-980	66-4
March.....	4-920	65-6	Sept.....	5-670	75-6
April.....	4-840	64-5	Oct.....	5-670	75-6
May.....	5-000	66-6	Nov.....	5-660	75-4
June.....	4-970	66-2	Dec.....	5-590	74-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-198; Index—69-3

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## FISH—Concluded

## SALMON, "CHUMS"

Price per case at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-120	66-5	July.....	\$ 4-483	72-4
Feb.....	4-180	67-5	Aug.....	4-380	70-7
March.....	4-180	67-5	Sept.....	5-150	83-2
April.....	4-220	68-2	Oct.....	5-100	82-4
May.....	4-280	69-1	Nov.....	4-960	80-1
June.....	4-320	69-8	Dec.....	4-740	76-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-509; Index—72-8

## LOBSTERS, CANNED

Price per case (96- $\frac{1}{2}$ 's) to exporters, ex Atlantic Coast or Magdalen Islands

Jan.....	\$ 21-000	70-0	July.....	\$ 21-000	70-0
Feb.....	21-000	70-0	Aug.....	21-000	70-0
March.....	21-500	71-7	Sept.....	22-000	73-3
April.....	21-500	71-7	Oct.....	22-000	73-3
May.....	20-500	68-3	Nov.....	22-000	73-3
June.....	21-000	70-0	Dec.....	22-000	73-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$21-375; Index—71-3

## FURS

## BEAVER, I AND II, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin (Ontario, Quebec, Western Canada, Alaska and Yukon, British Columbia) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 12-695	44-5	July.....	\$ 10-037	35-2
Feb.....	12-352	43-3	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	8-541	30-0
April.....	11-917	41-8	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$10-852; Index—38-1

## ERMINE (WEASEL)

Average price per skin (Western Canada, Eastern Canada) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-840	39-1	July.....	\$ 0-765	35-6
Feb.....	—865	40-3	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	—895	27-7
April.....	—805	37-5	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-774; Index—36-0

## RED FOX, I AND II

Average price per skin (Ontario and Quebec) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 8-625	59-7	July.....	\$ 7-000	48-5
Feb.....	8-500	58-9	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	8-000	55-4
April.....	7-875	54-5	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$8-000; Index—55-4

SILVER FOX,  $\frac{1}{4}$  TO  $\frac{1}{2}$  SILVER

Average price per skin at Montreal

Jan.....	—	—	July.....	\$ 39-240	51-6
Feb.....	\$ 46-790	61-5	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	34-130	44-9
April.....	42-840	56-3	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	41-140	54-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$40-828; Index—53-7

## WHITE FOX, I AND II

Average price per skin at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 26-500	72-6	July.....	\$ 24-000	65-8
Feb.....	25-250	69-2	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	21-500	58-9
April.....	24-500	67-1	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$24-350; Index—66-7

## FURS—Concluded

## MARTEN, PALE, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin (Ontario and Quebec) at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 12-625	72-2	July.....	\$ 12-250	70-1
Feb.....	12-625	72-2	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	9-250	52-9
April.....	12-750	72-9	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$11-900; Index—68-1

## MINK, I PART II, DARK

Average price per skin (Quebec, Northern Ontario, Southern Ontario, British Columbia) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 14-625	84-7	July.....	\$ 9-875	57-2
Feb.....	13-563	78-6	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	8-156	47-3
April.....	11-969	69-3	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$11-638; Index—67-4

## LYNX, I AND II, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 20-000	86-5	July.....	\$ 18-000	77-8
Feb.....	19-500	84-3	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	14-250	61-6
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$17-938; Index—77-6

## MUSKRAT, SPRING, ONTARIO

Price per skin at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 1-150	53-9	July.....	\$ 1-145	53-7
Feb.....	1-120	52-5	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	1-033	48-5
April.....	1-340	62-8	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-158; Index—54-3

## MUSKRAT, WINTER AND FALL, ONTARIO

Price per skin at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-865	55-2	July.....	\$ 0-785	50-1
Feb.....	—760	48-5	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	—	—
April.....	—915	58-4	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-831; Index—53-0

## HIDES AND SKINS

## BEEF HIDES, COUNTRY CURED, FLAT NO. 1 AND 2

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-035	26-3	July.....	\$ 0-035	26-3
Feb.....	—050	37-6	Aug.....	—045	33-0
March.....	—050	37-6	Sept.....	—040	30-0
April.....	—055	41-4	Oct.....	—045	33-0
May.....	—050	37-6	Nov.....	—050	37-0
June.....	—050	37-6	Dec.....	—050	37-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-046; Index—34-6

## PACKER HIDES, NATIVE STEERS

Price per pound, basis Toronto freight

Jan.....	\$ 0-095	—	July.....	\$ 0-080	—
Feb.....	—093	—	Aug.....	—080	—
March.....	—088	—	Sept.....	—098	—
April.....	—100	—	Oct.....	—103	—
May.....	—088	—	Nov.....	—103	—
June.....	—090	—	Dec.....	—105	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-094

GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

HIDES AND SKINS—Concluded

PACKER HIDES, NATIVE COWS

Price per pound, basis Toronto freight

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-085	—	July.....\$ 0-068	—
Feb.....-088	—	Aug.....-063	—
March.....-085	—	Sept.....-070	—
April.....-095	—	Oct.....-075	—
May.....-078	—	Nov.....-083	—
June.....-081	—	Dec.....-085	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-080			

CALF SKINS, CITY CURED

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-100	33-8	July.....\$ 0-070	23-6
Feb.....-110	37-2	Aug.....-075	25-3
March.....-090	30-4	Sept.....-070	23-6
April.....-090	30-4	Oct.....-080	27-0
May.....-080	27-0	Nov.....-085	28-7
June.....-080	27-0	Dec.....-085	28-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-085; Index—28-7			

SHEEP SKINS, CITY CURED

Price per skin at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-050	81-7	July.....\$ —	—
Feb.....1-250	107-5	Aug.....—	—
March.....1-300	111-8	Sept.....-350	30-1
April.....1-500	129-0	Oct.....-450	38-7
May.....1-500	129-0	Nov.....-500	43-0
June.....*1-500	129-0	Dec.....-500	43-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-022; Index—79-3			
*Nominal.			

SHEEP SKINS, COUNTRY CURED

Price per skin at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-800	153-0	July.....\$ —	—
Feb.....1-000	191-2	Aug.....—	—
March.....1-050	200-8	Sept.....-250	47-8
April.....1-100	210-3	Oct.....-350	66-9
May.....*750	143-4	Nov.....-450	86-0
June.....750	143-4	Dec.....-450	86-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-689; Index—131-7			
*Nominal.			

LEATHER

PACKER CROPS, No. 1 AND II

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto  
Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-340	88-1	July.....\$ 0-300	77-8
Feb.....-330	85-5	Aug.....-290	75-2
March.....-320	82-9	Sept.....-290	75-2
April.....-320	82-9	Oct.....-290	75-2
May.....-300	77-8	Nov.....-290	75-2
June.....-300	77-8	Dec.....-290	75-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-305; Index—79-1			

PACKER CROPS, No. III

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec,  
London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-320	—	July.....\$ 0-280	—
Feb.....-310	—	Aug.....-270	—
March.....-300	—	Sept.....-270	—
April.....-300	—	Oct.....-270	—
May.....-280	—	Nov.....-270	—
June.....-280	—	Dec.....-270	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-285			

PACKER BENDS, No. I AND II

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec,  
London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-370	—	July.....\$ 0-330	—
Feb.....-360	—	Aug.....-320	—
March.....-350	—	Sept.....-320	—
April.....-350	—	Oct.....-320	—
May.....-330	—	Nov.....-320	—
June.....-330	—	Dec.....-330	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-336			

LEATHER—Continued

PACKER BENDS, No. III

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec,  
London, Kitchener

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-350	—	July.....\$ 0-300	—
Feb.....-340	—	Aug.....-290	—
March.....-330	—	Sept.....-290	—
April.....-330	—	Oct.....-290	—
May.....-300	—	Nov.....-290	—
June.....-300	—	Dec.....-300	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-309			

SHOULDERS

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec,  
London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-270	—	July.....\$ 0-230	—
Feb.....-260	—	Aug.....-220	—
March.....-250	—	Sept.....-220	—
April.....-250	—	Oct.....-220	—
May.....-240	—	Nov.....-210	—
June.....-230	—	Dec.....-210	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-234			

BELLIES

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec,  
London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-220	—	July.....\$ 0-180	—
Feb.....-210	—	Aug.....-170	—
March.....-190	—	Sept.....-170	—
April.....-190	—	Oct.....-170	—
May.....-180	—	Nov.....-170	—
June.....-180	—	Dec.....-170	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-183			

Box Sides "B"

Price per foot at Oshawa

Jan.....\$ 0-210	80-0	July.....\$ 0-210	80-0
Feb.....-210	80-0	Aug.....-200	76-2
March.....-210	80-0	Sept.....-200	76-2
April.....-210	80-0	Oct.....-200	76-2
May.....-210	80-0	Nov.....-200	76-2
June.....-210	80-0	Dec.....-200	76-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-206; Index—78-5			

HARNESS LEATHER, No. 1

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-350	83-5	July.....\$ 0-350	79-0
Feb.....-370	83-5	Aug.....-350	79-0
March.....-370	83-5	Sept.....-350	79-0
April.....-370	83-5	Oct.....-350	79-0
May.....-360	81-2	Nov.....-350	79-0
June.....-350	79-0	Dec.....-350	79-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-358; Index—80-8			

GUN METAL CALF, M. No. 1

Price per foot at factory

Jan.....\$ 0-330	81-6	July.....\$ 0-330	81-6
Feb.....-330	81-6	Aug.....-330	81-6
March.....-330	81-6	Sept.....-310	76-6
April.....-330	81-6	Oct.....-300	74-2
May.....-330	81-6	Nov.....-300	74-2
June.....-330	81-6	Dec.....-300	74-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-321; Index—79-4			

BOOTS AND SHOES

MEN'S SHOES

Composite price per pair at factory

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-549; Index—87-5

WOMEN'S SHOES

Composite price per pair at factory

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-966; Index—85-6



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## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

### LIVESTOCK

#### STEERS, GOOD AND CHOICE (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)

Price per cwt. at Toronto					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-540	75-6	July.....	\$ 5-370	73-3
Feb.....	5-830	79-5	Aug.....	5-380	73-4
March.....	5-990	81-7	Sept.....	5-300	72-3
April.....	6-050	82-5	Oct.....	5-040	68-8
May.....	5-840	79-7	Nov.....	4-780	65-2
June.....	5-570	76-0	Dec.....	5-380	73-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$5-506; Index—75-1					

#### STEERS, GOOD AND CHOICE (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-150	69-3	July.....	\$ 4-150	69-3
Feb.....	4-500	75-1	Aug.....	3-830	63-9
March.....	4-900	81-8	Sept.....	3-490	58-3
April.....	4-970	83-0	Oct.....	3-300	55-1
May.....	4-920	82-1	Nov.....	3-450	57-6
June.....	4-700	78-5	Dec.....	3-800	63-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$4-180; Index—69-8					

#### CALVES, GOOD VEAL

Price per cwt. at Toronto					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-110	60-4	July.....	\$ 4-820	41-0
Feb.....	8-490	72-1	Aug.....	5-610	47-7
March.....	7-560	64-2	Sept.....	6-450	54-8
April.....	6-920	58-8	Oct.....	6-720	57-1
May.....	6-330	53-8	Nov.....	6-620	56-2
June.....	5-560	47-2	Dec.....	7-120	60-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$6-609; Index—56-2					

#### CALVES, GOOD VEAL

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6-350	85-1	July.....	\$ 3-610	48-4
Feb.....	6-600	88-5	Aug.....	4-150	55-6
March.....	5-990	80-3	Sept.....	3-790	50-8
April.....	5-420	72-7	Oct.....	4-010	53-8
May.....	5-070	68-0	Nov.....	4-760	63-8
June.....	4-210	56-4	Dec.....	5-720	76-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$4-973; Index—66-7					

#### HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Montreal					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-300	61-3	July.....	\$ 9-390	69-4
Feb.....	9-670	71-4	Aug.....	8-760	64-7
March.....	9-360	69-1	Sept.....	8-730	64-5
April.....	8-400	62-0	Oct.....	8-190	60-5
May.....	8-680	64-1	Nov.....	7-840	57-9
June.....	9-370	69-2	Dec.....	8-000	59-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-724; Index—64-4					

#### HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Toronto					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-110	60-9	July.....	\$ 9-290	69-7
Feb.....	9-670	72-6	Aug.....	8-620	64-7
March.....	9-110	68-4	Sept.....	8-490	63-7
April.....	8-220	61-7	Oct.....	8-000	60-1
May.....	8-550	64-2	Nov.....	7-890	59-2
June.....	9-220	69-2	Dec.....	8-120	61-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-608; Index—64-6					

#### HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-620	62-6	July.....	\$ 8-270	68-0
Feb.....	8-760	72-0	Aug.....	7-740	63-6
March.....	8-250	67-8	Sept.....	7-650	62-9
April.....	7-410	60-9	Oct.....	7-170	58-9
May.....	7-730	63-5	Nov.....	6-800	55-9
June.....	8-360	68-7	Dec.....	6-970	57-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$7-728; Index—63-5					

### LIVESTOCK—Concluded

#### LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Montreal					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-700	48-1	July.....	\$ 7-010	59-2
Feb.....	6-340	53-5	Aug.....	5-700	48-1
March.....	7-500	63-3	Sept.....	5-690	48-1
April.....	*7-500	63-3	Oct.....	6-060	51-1
May.....	10-500	88-6	Nov.....	6-580	55-5
June.....	8-470	71-5	Dec.....	6-770	57-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$6-985; Index—58-9					

\*Nominal

#### LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Toronto					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-210	55-2	July.....	\$ 7-620	58-4
Feb.....	7-930	60-8	Aug.....	6-340	48-6
March.....	8-470	64-9	Sept.....	5-770	44-2
April.....	8-550	65-5	Oct.....	6-150	47-1
May.....	10-550	80-8	Nov.....	6-730	51-6
June.....	8-890	68-0	Dec.....	7-260	55-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$7-622; Index—58-4					

#### LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-780	53-3	July.....	\$ 5-550	51-2
Feb.....	6-080	56-0	Aug.....	4-960	45-7
March.....	7-030	64-8	Sept.....	4-660	42-9
April.....	7-100	65-4	Oct.....	5-050	46-5
May.....	8-220	75-8	Nov.....	5-580	51-8
June.....	7-350	67-7	Dec.....	5-930	54-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$6-108; Index—56-3					

### FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY

#### BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER BEEF

Price per pound at Montreal					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-105	76-1	July.....	\$ 0-095	68-8
Feb.....	0-105	76-1	Aug.....	0-090	65-2
March.....	0-105	76-1	Sept.....	0-085	61-6
April.....	0-120	87-0	Oct.....	0-093	67-0
May.....	0-108	77-9	Nov.....	0-090	65-2
June.....	0-100	72-5	Dec.....	0-095	68-8
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-099; Index—71-7					

#### BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER BEEF

Price per pound at Toronto					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-089	77-4	July.....	\$ 0-096	83-5
Feb.....	0-090	78-3	Aug.....	0-089	77-4
March.....	0-093	80-9	Sept.....	0-092	80-2
April.....	0-099	86-1	Oct.....	0-088	76-6
May.....	0-097	84-4	Nov.....	0-085	73-8
June.....	0-099	86-1	Dec.....	0-087	75-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-092; Index—80-0					

#### BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER BEEF

Price per pound at Winnipeg					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-072	58-0	July.....	\$ 0-085	68-8
Feb.....	0-074	59-6	Aug.....	0-091	73-3
March.....	0-079	63-6	Sept.....	0-079	63-3
April.....	0-084	67-6	Oct.....	0-065	52-3
May.....	0-084	67-6	Nov.....	0-060	48-3
June.....	0-084	67-6	Dec.....	0-058	46-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-076; Index—61-2					

#### BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER BEEF

Price per pound at Vancouver					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-095	74-3	July.....	\$ 0-105	82-2
Feb.....	0-095	74-3	Aug.....	0-095	74-3
March.....	0-105	82-1	Sept.....	0-085	66-6
April.....	0-105	82-1	Oct.....	0-085	66-6
May.....	0-105	82-1	Nov.....	0-085	66-6
June.....	0-105	82-1	Dec.....	0-085	66-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-096; Index—75-1					

GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY—Continued

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW BEEF

Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-083	72.8	July.....	\$ 0-080	70.6
Feb.....	0-078	68.8	Aug.....	0-068	59.6
March.....	0-078	68.8	Sept.....	0-065	57.4
April.....	0-085	75.0	Oct.....	0-065	57.4
May.....	0-083	72.8	Nov.....	0-063	55.2
June.....	0-080	70.6	Dec.....	0-065	57.4
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-074; Index—65.3					

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW BEEF

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-057	65.5	July.....	\$ 0-068	78.1
Feb.....	0-060	68.9	Aug.....	0-060	68.9
March.....	0-068	78.1	Sept.....	0-059	67.8
April.....	0-070	80.4	Oct.....	0-056	64.3
May.....	0-076	87.3	Nov.....	0-063	60.9
June.....	0-078	89.6	Dec.....	0-064	62.0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-063; Index—72.4					

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW BEEF

Price per pound at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-048	49.5	July.....	\$ 0-046	47.4
Feb.....	0-050	51.5	Aug.....	0-040	41.2
March.....	0-055	56.7	Sept.....	0-040	41.2
April.....	0-054	55.7	Oct.....	0-038	39.2
May.....	0-058	59.8	Nov.....	0-040	41.2
June.....	0-059	60.8	Dec.....	0-040	41.2
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-047; Index—48.5					

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW BEEF

Price per pound at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-070	69.4	July.....	\$ 0-080	79.4
Feb.....	0-070	69.4	Aug.....	0-070	69.4
March.....	0-080	79.4	Sept.....	0-060	59.5
April.....	0-080	79.4	Oct.....	0-060	59.5
May.....	0-080	79.4	Nov.....	0-060	59.5
June.....	0-080	79.4	Dec.....	0-060	59.5
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-071; Index—70.4					

VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-118	69.1	July.....	\$ 0-078	45.6
Feb.....	0-120	70.6	Aug.....	0-085	50.0
March.....	0-105	61.8	Sept.....	0-100	58.8
April.....	0-075	44.1	Oct.....	0-110	64.7
May.....	0-078	45.6	Nov.....	0-120	70.6
June.....	0-078	45.6	Dec.....	0-115	67.6
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-098; Index—57.6					

VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-103	52.8	July.....	\$ 0-079	40.5
Feb.....	0-113	60.5	Aug.....	0-086	44.1
March.....	0-109	55.9	Sept.....	0-100	51.3
April.....	0-090	46.2	Oct.....	0-110	56.4
May.....	0-086	44.1	Nov.....	0-110	56.4
June.....	0-081	41.5	Dec.....	0-117	60.0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-099; Index—50.8					

VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-100	63.5	July.....	\$ 0-075	47.6
Feb.....	0-110	69.8	Aug.....	0-073	46.3
March.....	0-098	62.2	Sept.....	0-080	50.8
April.....	0-090	57.1	Oct.....	0-070	44.4
May.....	0-096	61.0	Nov.....	0-084	53.3
June.....	0-083	55.9	Dec.....	0-100	63.5
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-089; Index—56.5					

FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY—Continued

LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-145	66.7	July.....	\$ 0-160	73.6
Feb.....	0-145	66.7	Aug.....	0-140	64.4
March.....	*145	66.7	Sept.....	0-123	56.3
April.....	*145	66.7	Oct.....	0-125	57.5
May.....	*145	66.7	Nov.....	0-140	64.4
June.....	0-185	85.1	Dec.....	0-145	66.7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-145; Index—66.7					
*Nominal.					

LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-138	54.5	July.....	\$ 0-158	62.4
Feb.....	0-145	57.2	Aug.....	0-131	51.7
March.....	0-152	60.0	Sept.....	0-118	46.6
April.....	0-155	61.2	Oct.....	0-120	47.4
May.....	0-195	77.0	Nov.....	0-128	50.5
June.....	0-196	77.4	Dec.....	0-147	58.0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-149; Index—58.8					

LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-135	54.0	July.....	\$ 0-138	55.2
Feb.....	0-125	50.0	Aug.....	0-110	44.0
March.....	0-156	62.4	Sept.....	0-104	41.6
April.....	0-170	68.0	Oct.....	0-108	43.2
May.....	0-180	72.0	Nov.....	0-119	47.6
June.....	0-178	71.2	Dec.....	0-135	54.0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-138; Index—55.2					

LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$0-145	49.7	July.....	\$ 0-175	60.0
Feb.....	0-145	49.7	Aug.....	0-135	46.3
March.....	0-165	56.6	Sept.....	0-135	46.3
April.....	0-165	56.6	Oct.....	0-135	46.3
May.....	0-165	56.6	Nov.....	0-140	48.0
June.....	0-195	66.8	Dec.....	0-145	49.7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-154; Index—52.8					

PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-110	50.4	July.....	\$ 0-140	64.1
Feb.....	0-135	61.8	Aug.....	0-125	57.3
March.....	0-130	59.6	Sept.....	0-135	61.8
April.....	0-125	57.3	Oct.....	0-120	55.0
May.....	0-130	59.6	Nov.....	0-115	52.7
June.....	0-140	64.1	Dec.....	0-115	52.7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-127; Index—58.2					

PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-109	52.8	July.....	\$ 0-138	66.9
Feb.....	0-137	66.4	Aug.....	0-129	62.5
March.....	0-138	66.9	Sept.....	0-126	61.1
April.....	0-118	57.2	Oct.....	0-118	57.2
May.....	0-119	57.7	Nov.....	0-113	54.8
June.....	0-131	63.5	Dec.....	0-111	53.8
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-124; Index—60.1					

PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-099	48.3	July.....	\$ 0-132	64.4
Feb.....	0-126	61.5	Aug.....	0-120	58.5
March.....	0-134	65.4	Sept.....	0-123	60.0
April.....	0-122	59.5	Oct.....	0-114	55.6
May.....	0-124	60.5	Nov.....	0-106	51.7
June.....	0-136	66.3	Dec.....	0-109	53.2
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-120; Index—58.5					

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY—Concluded

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

## Price per pound at Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-120	56-6	July.....	\$ 0-150	70-7
Feb.....	140	66-0	Aug.....	130	61-3
March.....	150	70-7	Sept.....	145	68-4
April.....	130	61-3	Oct.....	120	56-6
May.....	130	61-3	Nov.....	125	58-9
June.....	150	70-7	Dec.....	115	54-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-134; Index—63-2

## PORK CARCASS—ABATTOIR HOGS

## Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-119	55-9	July.....	\$ 0-148	69-5
Feb.....	147	69-0	Aug.....	136	63-8
March.....	143	67-1	Sept.....	134	62-9
April.....	124	58-2	Oct.....	123	57-7
May.....	129	61-3	Nov.....	124	58-2
June.....	139	65-3	Dec.....	121	56-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-132; Index—62-0

## PORK CARCASS—ABATTOIR HOGS

## Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-103	50-2	July.....	\$ 0-137	66-8
Feb.....	129	62-9	Aug.....	125	61-0
March.....	143	68-8	Sept.....	126	61-5
April.....	131	63-9	Oct.....	117	57-1
May.....	129	62-9	Nov.....	113	55-1
June.....	141	68-8	Dec.....	115	56-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-126; Index—61-5

## FOWL, DRESSED, 4-5 POUNDS

## Price per pound to shippers, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-117	51-0	July.....	\$ 0-120	52-4
Feb.....	120	52-4	Aug.....	120	52-4
March.....	131	57-2	Sept.....	120	52-4
April.....	130	56-7	Oct.....	114	49-7
May.....	130	56-7	Nov.....	100	43-6
June.....	120	52-4	Dec.....	100	43-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-118; Index—51-5

## MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR OTHERWISE PREPARED

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

## Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-170	50-1	July.....	\$ 0-250	73-7
Feb.....	200	59-0	Aug.....	270	79-6
March.....	210	61-9	Sept.....	290	85-5
April.....	200	59-0	Oct.....	260	76-7
May.....	230	67-8	Nov.....	250	73-7
June.....	240	70-8	Dec.....	240	70-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-234; Index—69-0

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

## Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-180	54-5	July.....	\$ 0-305	92-4
Feb.....	243	73-6	Aug.....	310	93-9
March.....	253	76-7	Sept.....	325	98-5
April.....	240	72-7	Oct.....	300	90-9
May.....	255	77-3	Nov.....	265	80-3
June.....	275	83-3	Dec.....	255	77-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-267; Index—80-9

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

## Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-185	51-7	July.....	\$ 0-290	81-1
Feb.....	250	69-9	Aug.....	315	88-1
March.....	260	72-7	Sept.....	325	90-9
April.....	260	72-7	Oct.....	285	79-7
May.....	270	75-5	Nov.....	275	76-9
June.....	270	75-5	Dec.....	250	69-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-270; Index—75-5

## MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR OTHERWISE PREPARED—Continued

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

## Price per pound at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-210	51-4	July.....	\$ 0-290	71-5
Feb.....	250	61-2	Aug.....	300	73-5
March.....	260	63-7	Sept.....	320	78-4
April.....	250	61-2	Oct.....	310	75-9
May.....	250	61-2	Nov.....	300	73-5
June.....	280	68-6	Dec.....	280	68-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-275; Index—67-4

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

## Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-190	58-8	July.....	\$ 0-220	68-1
Feb.....	220	68-1	Aug.....	240	74-2
March.....	220	68-1	Sept.....	220	68-1
April.....	210	65-0	Oct.....	200	61-1
May.....	210	65-0	Nov.....	190	58-1
June.....	220	68-1	Dec.....	190	58-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-211; Index—65-3

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

## Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-175	54-8	July.....	\$ 0-230	72-1
Feb.....	225	70-5	Aug.....	260	81-1
March.....	225	70-5	Sept.....	255	79-1
April.....	215	67-4	Oct.....	225	70-1
May.....	205	64-2	Nov.....	225	70-1
June.....	220	68-9	Dec.....	225	70-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-224; Index—70-2

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

## Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-175	54-3	July.....	\$ 0-245	76-1
Feb.....	245	76-0	Aug.....	*250	77-1
March.....	230	71-3	Sept.....	*260	80-1
April.....	235	72-9	Oct.....	225	69-1
May.....	235	72-9	Nov.....	215	66-1
June.....	*230	71-3	Dec.....	215	66-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-222; Index—68-8

\*Estimated

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

## Price per pound at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-190	54-3	July.....	\$ 0-230	65-1
Feb.....	220	62-9	Aug.....	230	65-1
March.....	230	65-7	Sept.....	240	68-1
April.....	210	60-0	Oct.....	220	62-1
May.....	210	60-0	Nov.....	210	60-1
June.....	210	60-0	Dec.....	210	60-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-218; Index—62-3

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

## Price per barrel at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 16-000	40-3	July.....	\$ 23-000	57-1
Feb.....	19-000	47-8	Aug.....	21-000	52-1
March.....	23-000	57-9	Sept.....	23-000	57-1
April.....	22-000	55-3	Oct.....	22-000	55-1
May.....	21-500	54-1	Nov.....	22-000	55-1
June.....	21-500	54-1	Dec.....	22-000	55-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$21-333; Index—53-7

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

## Price per barrel at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 22-500	63-2	July.....	\$ 27-500	77-1
Feb.....	26-500	74-4	Aug.....	27-500	77-1
March.....	26-500	74-4	Sept.....	27-500	77-1
April.....	26-500	74-4	Oct.....	24-000	67-1
May.....	26-500	74-4	Nov.....	25-000	70-1
June.....	26-500	74-4	Dec.....	25-000	70-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$25-958; Index—72-9



## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR OTHERWISE  
PREPARED—Concluded

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 24-500	62-0	July.....	\$ 31-000	78-5
Feb.....	31-000	78-5	Aug.....	31-000	78-5
March.....	31-000	78-5	Sept.....	26-000	65-8
April.....	31-000	78-5	Oct.....	26-000	65-8
May.....	31-000	78-5	Nov.....	25-000	63-3
June.....	31-000	78-5	Dec.....	23-000	58-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$28-458; Index—72-0

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 20-000	42-1	July.....	\$ 24-000	50-5
Feb.....	20-000	42-1	Aug.....	24-000	50-5
March.....	22-000	46-3	Sept.....	24-000	50-5
April.....	22-000	46-3	Oct.....	24-000	50-5
May.....	22-000	46-3	Nov.....	22-500	47-4
June.....	22-000	46-3	Dec.....	22-500	47-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$22-417; Index—47-2

## MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy,  
Charlottetown

Jan.....	\$ 0-120	60-0	July.....	\$ 0-120	60-0
Feb.....	140	70-0	Aug.....	120	60-0
March.....	140	70-0	Sept.....	120	60-0
April.....	140	70-0	Oct.....	120	60-0
May.....	140	70-0	Nov.....	120	60-0
June.....	120	60-0	Dec.....	120	60-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-127; Index—63-5

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Halifax

Jan.....	\$ 0-234	96-1	July.....	\$ 0-215	88-3
Feb.....	234	96-1	Aug.....	215	88-3
March.....	234	96-1	Sept.....	215	88-3
April.....	215	88-3	Oct.....	215	88-3
May.....	215	88-3	Nov.....	215	88-3
June.....	215	88-3	Dec.....	215	88-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-220; Index—90-4

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Saint John

Jan.....	\$ 0-200	75-5	July.....	\$ 0-200	75-5
Feb.....	200	75-5	Aug.....	200	75-5
March.....	200	75-5	Sept.....	200	75-5
April.....	200	75-5	Oct.....	200	75-5
May.....	200	75-5	Nov.....	200	75-5
June.....	200	75-5	Dec.....	200	75-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-200; Index—75-5

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at railway  
station, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 1-500	63-7	July.....	\$ 1-450	61-6
Feb.....	1-500	63-7	Aug.....	1-450	61-6
March.....	1-500	63-7	Sept.....	1-450	61-6
April.....	1-500	63-7	Oct.....	1-850	78-6
May.....	1-500	63-7	Nov.....	1-850	78-6
June.....	1-500	63-7	Dec.....	1-850	78-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-575; Index—66-9

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Quebec

Jan.....	\$ 0-150	61-2	July.....	\$ 0-135	55-1
Feb.....	150	61-2	Aug.....	135	55-1
March.....	150	61-2	Sept.....	160	65-3
April.....	150	61-2	Oct.....	160	65-3
May.....	145	59-2	Nov.....	160	65-3
June.....	145	59-2	Dec.....	160	65-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-150; Index—61-2

## MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy,  
Ottawa

Jan.....	\$ 1-400	57-1	July.....	\$ 1-400	57-1
Feb.....	1-400	57-1	Aug.....	1-400	57-1
March.....	1-400	57-1	Sept.....	1-810	73-9
April.....	1-400	57-1	Oct.....	1-810	73-9
May.....	1-400	57-1	Nov.....	1-810	73-9
June.....	1-400	57-1	Dec.....	1-810	73-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-537; Index—62-7

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 8 gallon can, delivered at dairy,  
Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-491	74-1	July.....	\$ 1-491	74-1
Feb.....	1-491	74-1	Aug.....	1-491	74-1
March.....	1-491	74-1	Sept.....	1-491	74-1
April.....	1-491	74-1	Oct.....	1-730	86-0
May.....	1-491	74-1	Nov.....	1-730	86-0
June.....	1-491	74-1	Dec.....	1-730	86-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-551; Index—77-1

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Hamilton

Jan.....	\$ 0-192	72-4	July.....	\$ 0-190	71-7
Feb.....	192	72-4	Aug.....	190	71-7
March.....	165	62-2	Sept.....	188	70-9
April.....	181	68-3	Oct.....	192	72-4
May.....	181	68-3	Nov.....	200	75-4
June.....	190	71-7	Dec.....	200	75-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-188; Index—70-9

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 1-680	77-7	July.....	\$ 1-320	61-0
Feb.....	1-680	77-7	Aug.....	1-320	61-0
March.....	1-680	77-7	Sept.....	1-320	61-0
April.....	1-680	77-7	Oct.....	1-720	79-5
May.....	1-680	77-7	Nov.....	1-720	79-5
June.....	1-320	61-0	Dec.....	1-720	79-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-570; Index—72-6

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per pound butterfat, delivered at dairy,  
Saskatoon

Jan.....	\$ 0-480	76-8	July.....	\$ 0-440	70-4
Feb.....	480	76-8	Aug.....	440	70-4
March.....	480	76-8	Sept.....	480	76-8
April.....	480	76-8	Oct.....	480	76-8
May.....	440	70-4	Nov.....	480	76-8
June.....	440	70-4	Dec.....	480	76-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-467; Index—74-7

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Regina

Jan.....	\$ 0-176	76-5	July.....	\$ 0-176	76-5
Feb.....	176	76-5	Aug.....	167	72-6
March.....	176	76-5	Sept.....	167	72-6
April.....	176	76-5	Oct.....	167	72-6
May.....	176	76-5	Nov.....	185	80-4
June.....	176	76-5	Dec.....	185	80-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-175; Index—76-1

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy,  
Calgary

Jan.....	\$ 1-950	81-5	July.....	\$ 1-550	64-8
Feb.....	1-950	81-5	Aug.....	1-550	64-8
March.....	1-950	81-5	Sept.....	1-950	81-5
April.....	1-950	81-5	Oct.....	1-950	81-5
May.....	1-950	81-5	Nov.....	1-950	81-5
June.....	1-950	81-5	Dec.....	1-950	81-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-883; Index—78-7

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy,  
Edmonton

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-850	79-3	July.....	\$ 1-480	63-4
Feb.....	1-850	79-3	Aug.....	1-480	63-4
March.....	1-850	79-3	Sept.....	1-850	79-3
April.....	1-850	79-3	Oct.....	1-850	79-3
May.....	1-850	79-3	Nov.....	1-850	79-3
June.....	1-850	79-3	Dec.....	1-850	79-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-788; Index—76-6					

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Victoria

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-230	98-7	July.....	\$ 0-180	77-3
Feb.....	.230	98-7	Aug.....	.180	77-3
March.....	.170	73-0	Sept.....	.200	85-8
April.....	.170	73-0	Oct.....	.205	88-0
May.....	.170	73-0	Nov.....	.205	88-0
June.....	.170	73-0	Dec.....	.205	88-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-193; Index—82-8					

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per pound butterfat, delivered at dairy,  
Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-430	58-0	July.....	\$ 0-430	58-0
Feb.....	.430	58-0	Aug.....	.430	58-0
March.....	.430	58-0	Sept.....	.430	58-0
April.....	.430	58-0	Oct.....	.430	58-0
May.....	.430	58-0	Nov.....	.430	58-0
June.....	.430	58-0	Dec.....	.430	58-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-430; Index—58-0					

## MILK, CONDENSED

Manufacturer's price per case of 48-15 ounce tins, car lots

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-100	100-0	July.....	\$ 8-100	100-0
Feb.....	8-100	100-0	Aug.....	8-100	100-0
March.....	8-100	100-0	Sept.....	8-100	100-0
April.....	8-100	100-0	Oct.....	8-100	100-0
May.....	8-100	100-0	Nov.....	8-100	100-0
June.....	8-100	100-0	Dec.....	8-100	100-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-100; Index—100-0					

## MILK, EVAPORATED

Manufacturer's price per case of 48-1 pound tins

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-600	72-0	July.....	\$ 3-600	72-0
Feb.....	3-600	72-0	Aug.....	3-600	72-0
March.....	3-600	72-0	Sept.....	3-600	72-0
April.....	3-600	72-0	Oct.....	3-600	62-0
May.....	3-600	72-0	Nov.....	3-600	72-0
June.....	3-600	72-0	Dec.....	3-600	72-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-600; Index—72-0					

## BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS

Jobbing price per pound at Montreal—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-272	69-7	July.....	\$ 0-209	53-6
Feb.....	.297	76-2	Aug.....	.209	53-6
March.....	.316	81-0	Sept.....	.214	54-9
April.....	.281	72-1	Oct.....	.214	54-9
May.....	.224	57-4	Nov.....	.222	56-9
June.....	.229	58-7	Dec.....	.226	57-9
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-243; Index—62-3					

## BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS

Jobbing price per pound at Toronto—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-272	65-5	July.....	\$ 0-216	52-0
Feb.....	.289	69-6	Aug.....	.217	52-3
March.....	.314	75-7	Sept.....	.222	53-5
April.....	.281	67-7	Oct.....	.220	53-0
May.....	.234	56-4	Nov.....	.227	54-7
June.....	.237	57-1	Dec.....	.237	57-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-247; Index—59-5					

## MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. plant, Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-260	65-7	July.....	\$ 0-200	50-5
Feb.....	.280	70-7	Aug.....	.190	48-0
March.....	.300	75-8	Sept.....	.200	50-5
April.....	.280	70-7	Oct.....	.205	51-8
May.....	.210	53-1	Nov.....	.205	51-8
June.....	.230	58-1	Dec.....	.220	55-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-232; Index—58-6					

## BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound at Regina

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-260	67-0	July.....	\$ 0-200	51-8
Feb.....	.275	70-9	Aug.....	.190	49-0
March.....	.330	85-1	Sept.....	.210	54-1
April.....	.265	68-3	Oct.....	.220	56-7
May.....	.220	56-7	Nov.....	.220	56-7
June.....	.230	59-3	Dec.....	.230	59-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-238; Index—61-3					

## BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound at Calgary

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-260	68-7	July.....	\$ 0-220	58-3
Feb.....	.260	68-7	Aug.....	.210	55-3
March.....	.280	74-0	Sept.....	.200	52-3
April.....	.280	74-0	Oct.....	.220	58-3
May.....	.220	58-2	Nov.....	.220	58-3
June.....	.220	58-2	Dec.....	.220	58-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-234; Index—61-9					

## BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-270	—	July.....	\$ 0-205	—
Feb.....	.280	—	Aug.....	.210	—
March.....	.310	—	Sept.....	.220	—
April.....	.300	—	Oct.....	.230	—
May.....	.220	—	Nov.....	.230	—
June.....	.230	—	Dec.....	.230	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-245					

## CHEESE, NEW, LARGE

Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-105	53-3	July.....	\$ 0-100	50-0
Feb.....	.110	55-8	Aug.....	.100	50-0
March.....	.120	60-9	Sept.....	.100	50-0
April.....	.115	58-3	Oct.....	.105	53-3
May.....	.095	48-2	Nov.....	.100	50-0
June.....	.108	54-8	Dec.....	.095	48-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-104; Index—52-8					

## CHEESE, OLD, LARGE

Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-150	66-0	July.....	\$ 0-150	66-0
Feb.....	.150	66-0	Aug.....	.150	66-0
March.....	.170	74-8	Sept.....	.150	66-0
April.....	.170	74-8	Oct.....	.150	66-0
May.....	.160	70-4	Nov.....	.150	66-0
June.....	.150	66-0	Dec.....	.150	66-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-154; Index—67-8					

## CHEESE, LARGE, COLORED, NEW

Price per pound Toronto, delivered nearest railway station  
40 pounds or more

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-130	51-2	July.....	\$ 0-130	51-2
Feb.....	.130	51-2	Aug.....	.128	50-0
March.....	.135	53-2	Sept.....	.128	50-0
April.....	.140	55-1	Oct.....	.123	48-0
May.....	.125	49-2	Nov.....	.120	47-0
June.....	.125	49-2	Dec.....	.123	48-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-128; Index—50-4					

GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

OILS AND FATS

LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tierces, at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-085	49-1	July.....\$ 0-075	43-4
Feb.....0-080	46-2	Aug.....0-085	49-1
March.....0-088	50-9	Sept.....1-10	63-6
April.....0-080	46-2	Oct.....1-05	60-7
May.....0-080	46-2	Nov.....1-05	60-7
June.....0-075	43-4	Dec.....1-05	60-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-089; Index—61-4

LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tierces, at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-105	59-5	July.....\$ 0-095	53-8
Feb.....1-00	56-6	Aug.....1-03	58-3
March.....1-00	56-6	Sept.....1-25	70-8
April.....0-095	53-8	Oct.....1-20	68-0
May.....0-095	53-8	Nov.....1-15	65-1
June.....0-095	53-8	Dec.....1-15	65-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-106; Index—60-0

LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tierces, at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-110	58-5	July.....\$ 0-090	47-9
Feb.....1-05	55-9	Aug.....1-00	53-2
March.....1-03	54-8	Sept.....1-20	63-8
April.....0-095	50-5	Oct.....1-25	66-5
May.....0-088	46-8	Nov.....1-15	61-2
June.....0-090	47-9	Dec.....1-25	66-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-106; Index—56-4

LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tierces, f.o.b. Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-120	60-8	July.....\$ 0-100	50-6
Feb.....1-30	65-8	Aug.....1-15	58-2
March.....1-20	60-8	Sept.....1-30	65-8
April.....1-10	55-7	Oct.....1-45	73-4
May.....1-00	50-6	Nov.....1-40	70-9
June.....1-00	50-6	Dec.....1-30	65-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-120; Index—60-8

TALLOW, PRIME PACKERS'

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-038	43-2	July.....\$ 0-043	48-9
Feb.....0-42	47-7	Aug.....0-50	56-8
March.....0-42	47-7	Sept.....0-57	64-8
April.....0-42	45-5	Oct.....0-58	65-9
May.....0-43	48-9	Nov.....0-55	62-5
June.....0-39	44-3	Dec.....0-55	62-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-047; Index—53-4

EGGS

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Halifax—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-361	76-5	July.....\$ 0-255	54-0
Feb.....0-455	96-4	Aug.....0-258	54-7
March.....0-291	61-7	Sept.....0-304	64-4
April.....0-210	44-5	Oct.....0-374	79-2
May.....0-215	45-6	Nov.....0-485	102-8
June.....0-250	53-0	Dec.....0-446	94-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-324; Index—68-6

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Saint John—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-353	75-6	July.....\$ 0-228	48-8
Feb.....0-438	93-8	Aug.....0-256	54-8
March.....0-270	57-8	Sept.....0-281	60-2
April.....0-219	46-9	Oct.....0-359	76-9
May.....0-204	43-7	Nov.....0-450	96-4
June.....0-223	47-8	Dec.....0-426	91-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-309; Index—66-2

EGGS—Continued

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Montreal—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-344	74-0	July.....\$ 0-253	54-4
Feb.....0-441	94-8	Aug.....0-261	56-1
March.....0-275	59-1	Sept.....0-321	69-0
April.....0-216	46-5	Oct.....0-391	84-1
May.....0-224	48-2	Nov.....0-440	94-6
June.....0-239	51-4	Dec.....0-389	83-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-315; Index—67-7

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Toronto—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-322	69-7	July.....\$ 0-229	49-6
Feb.....0-420	90-9	Aug.....0-239	51-7
March.....0-266	57-6	Sept.....0-308	66-7
April.....0-204	44-2	Oct.....0-394	85-3
May.....0-208	45-0	Nov.....0-414	89-6
June.....0-221	47-8	Dec.....0-353	76-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-297; Index—64-3

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Winnipeg—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-310	73-6	July.....\$ 0-207	49-2
Feb.....0-345	81-9	Aug.....0-213	50-6
March.....0-219	52-0	Sept.....0-276	65-6
April.....0-186	44-2	Oct.....0-330	78-4
May.....0-183	43-5	Nov.....0-330	78-4
June.....0-203	48-2	Dec.....0-330	78-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-249; Index—59-1

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Saskatoon—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-313	77-1	July.....\$ 0-193	47-5
Feb.....0-246	60-6	Aug.....0-190	46-8
March.....0-178	43-8	Sept.....0-216	53-2
April.....0-158	38-9	Oct.....0-255	62-8
May.....0-163	40-1	Nov.....0-255	62-8
June.....0-186	45-8	Dec.....0-255	62-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-212; Index—52-2

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Calgary—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-282	68-3	July.....\$ 0-200	48-4
Feb.....0-209	50-6	Aug.....0-195	47-2
March.....0-174	42-1	Sept.....0-238	57-6
April.....0-155	37-5	Oct.....0-322	78-0
May.....0-165	40-0	Nov.....0-350	84-7
June.....0-178	43-1	Dec.....0-280	67-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-232; Index—56-2

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Vancouver—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-243	61-7	July.....\$ 0-281	71-3
Feb.....0-265	67-3	Aug.....0-280	71-1
March.....0-200	50-8	Sept.....0-325	82-5
April.....0-199	50-5	Oct.....0-360	91-4
May.....0-208	52-8	Nov.....0-313	79-4
June.....0-225	57-1	Dec.....0-240	60-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-262; Index—66-5

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Halifax—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-289	67-4	July.....\$ 0-218	50-3
Feb.....0-280	65-3	Aug.....0-216	50-3
March.....0-280	65-3	Sept.....0-239	55-7
April.....0-280	65-3	Oct.....0-275	64-1
May.....0-185	43-1	Nov.....0-280	65-3
June.....0-215	50-1	Dec.....0-261	60-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-245; Index—57-1



## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

## EGGS—Continued

## EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Saint John—average of weekly prices

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	—	—	July.....	\$ 0.208	49.3
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.211	50.0
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	.226	57.8
April.....	\$ 0.193	45.7	Oct.....	.244	57.8
May.....	.180	42.7	Nov.....	.261	61.8
June.....	.210	49.8	Dec.....	.255	60.4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.225; Index—53.3

## EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Montreal—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.270	65.5	July.....	\$ 0.219	53.2
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.220	53.4
March.....	.230	55.8	Sept.....	.246	59.7
April.....	.183	45.6	Oct.....	.259	62.9
May.....	.194	47.1	Nov.....	.256	62.1
June.....	.203	50.5	Dec.....	.230	55.8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.227; Index—55.1

## EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Toronto—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.260	63.9	July.....	\$ 0.206	50.6
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.201	49.4
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	.254	62.4
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	.264	64.9
May.....	.200	49.1	Nov.....	.246	60.4
June.....	.198	48.6	Dec.....	.231	56.8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.229; Index—56.3

## EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Winnipeg—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	—	—	July.....	\$ 0.187	49.3
Feb.....	\$ 0.310	81.8	Aug.....	.178	47.0
March.....	.192	50.7	Sept.....	.238	62.8
April.....	.164	43.3	Oct.....	.243	64.1
May.....	.156	41.2	Nov.....	.240	63.3
June.....	.184	48.5	Dec.....	.235	62.0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.207; Index—54.6

## EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Saskatoon—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.283	76.5	July.....	\$ 0.168	45.4
Feb.....	.225	60.8	Aug.....	.165	44.6
March.....	.150	40.5	Sept.....	.186	50.3
April.....	.132	35.7	Oct.....	.215	58.1
May.....	.135	36.5	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	.161	43.5	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.185; Index—50.0

## EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Calgary—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.248	66.3	July.....	\$ 0.178	47.6
Feb.....	.185	49.5	Aug.....	.175	46.8
March.....	.151	40.4	Sept.....	.187	50.0
April.....	.135	36.1	Oct.....	.217	58.0
May.....	.140	37.4	Nov.....	.220	58.8
June.....	.160	42.8	Dec.....	.223	59.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.188; Index—50.3

## EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Vancouver—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	—	—	July.....	\$ 0.262	72.4
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.260	71.8
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	.288	79.6
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	.317	87.6
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	.271	74.9
June.....	\$ 0.215	59.4	Dec.....	.215	59.4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.236; Index—65.2

## EGGS—Concluded

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Halifax—average of weekly prices

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.235	70.6	July.....	\$ 0.200	60.1
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.196	58.9
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	.219	65.8
April.....	.168	50.5	Oct.....	.242	72.7
May.....	.172	51.7	Nov.....	.243	73.0
June.....	.200	60.1	Dec.....	.220	66.1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.213; Index—64.0

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Saint John—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	—	—	July.....	\$ 0.188	55.0
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.183	53.5
March.....	\$ 0.205	59.9	Sept.....	.189	55.3
April.....	.177	51.8	Oct.....	.214	62.6
May.....	.148	43.3	Nov.....	.228	66.7
June.....	.180	52.6	Dec.....	.221	64.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.192; Index—56.1

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Montreal—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.233	68.9	July.....	\$ 0.205	60.7
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.204	60.4
March.....	.222	65.7	Sept.....	.210	62.1
April.....	.177	52.4	Oct.....	.221	65.4
May.....	.182	53.8	Nov.....	.214	63.3
June.....	.194	57.4	Dec.....	.200	59.2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.204; Index—60.4

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Toronto—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.239	74.5	July.....	\$ 0.191	59.5
Feb.....	.359	111.8	Aug.....	.189	58.9
March.....	.225	70.1	Sept.....	.213	66.4
April.....	.174	54.2	Oct.....	.216	67.3
May.....	.176	54.8	Nov.....	.214	66.7
June.....	.183	57.0	Dec.....	.193	60.1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.214; Index—66.7

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Winnipeg—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.200	66.4	July.....	\$ 0.165	54.8
Feb.....	.280	93.0	Aug.....	.160	53.2
March.....	.185	61.5	Sept.....	.188	62.5
April.....	.144	47.8	Oct.....	.185	61.5
May.....	.140	46.5	Nov.....	.188	62.5
June.....	.169	56.1	Dec.....	.170	56.5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.176; Index—58.5

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Saskatoon—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.227	75.4	July.....	\$ 0.158	52.5
Feb.....	.203	67.4	Aug.....	.155	51.5
March.....	.130	43.2	Sept.....	.168	55.8
April.....	.113	37.5	Oct.....	.180	59.8
May.....	.123	40.9	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	.142	47.2	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.162; Index—53.8

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Calgary—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.180	60.2	July.....	\$ 0.158	52.8
Feb.....	.141	47.2	Aug.....	.145	48.3
March.....	.123	41.1	Sept.....	.153	51.2
April.....	.105	35.1	Oct.....	.179	59.9
May.....	.105	35.1	Nov.....	.175	58.3
June.....	.138	46.2	Dec.....	.185	61.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.151; Index—50.5

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

## RAW COTTON

## COTTON, RAW, UPLAND MIDDLING

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-113	64-6	July.....	\$ 0-127	72-6
Feb.....	124	70-9	Aug.....	131	74-9
March.....	123	70-3	Sept.....	127	72-6
April.....	118	67-5	Oct.....	122	69-8
May.....	114	65-2	Nov.....	122	69-8
June.....	121	69-2	Dec.....	126	72-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-122; Index—69-8

## COTTON, RAW, MIDDLING, 1'

Price per pound, delivered at Hamilton

Jan.....	\$ 0-131	67-5	July.....	\$ 0-145	74-7
Feb.....	143	73-6	Aug.....	142	73-1
March.....	140	72-1	Sept.....	137	70-5
April.....	136	70-0	Oct.....	136	70-0
May.....	131	67-5	Nov.....	135	69-5
June.....	136	70-0	Dec.....	143	73-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-138; Index—71-1

## YARN AND THREAD

## COTTON THREAD, 6 CORD, 200-YARD SPOOL

Price per gross at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 10-080	86-6	July.....	\$ 10-560	90-7
Feb.....	10-080	86-6	Aug.....	10-560	90-7
March.....	10-560	90-7	Sept.....	10-560	90-7
April.....	10-560	90-7	Oct.....	10-560	90-7
May.....	10-560	90-7	Nov.....	10-560	90-7
June.....	10-560	90-7	Dec.....	10-560	90-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$10-480; Index—90-0

## COTTON YARN, 24's HOSIERY, CONES, RING SPUN

Price per pound, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-320	—	July.....	\$ 0-350	—
Feb.....	330	—	Aug.....	358	—
March.....	350	—	Sept.....	358	—
April.....	350	—	Oct.....	358	—
May.....	350	—	Nov.....	358	—
June.....	350	—	Dec.....	358	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-349

## COTTON YARN, 10's, WHITE SINGLE, HOSIERY COPS

Price per pound, freight paid

Jan.....	\$ 0-280	76-1	July.....	\$ 0-300	81-5
Feb.....	300	81-5	Aug.....	310	84-2
March.....	300	81-5	Sept.....	310	84-2
April.....	300	81-5	Oct.....	310	84-2
May.....	300	81-5	Nov.....	310	84-2
June.....	300	81-5	Dec.....	310	84-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-303; Index—82-3

## COTTON YARN, 20's, WHITE COP

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-310	—	July.....	\$ 0-330	—
Feb.....	330	—	Aug.....	340	—
March.....	330	—	Sept.....	340	—
April.....	330	—	Oct.....	340	—
May.....	330	—	Nov.....	340	—
June.....	330	—	Dec.....	340	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-333

## COTTON YARN, 30's, WHITE COP

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-355	—	July.....	\$ 0-375	—
Feb.....	375	—	Aug.....	375	—
March.....	375	—	Sept.....	375	—
April.....	375	—	Oct.....	375	—
May.....	375	—	Nov.....	375	—
June.....	375	—	Dec.....	375	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-373

## COTTON FABRICS

## COTTONADES—8 OUNCE CLOTH, 2 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-428	73-5	July.....	\$ 0-428	73-5
Feb.....	428	73-5	Aug.....	438	75-2
March.....	428	73-5	Sept.....	438	75-2
April.....	428	73-5	Oct.....	438	75-2
May.....	428	73-5	Nov.....	438	75-2
June.....	428	73-5	Dec.....	438	75-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-432; Index—74-2

## DENIM, BLACK, 2-40 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-417	77-7	July.....	\$ 0-417	77-7
Feb.....	417	77-7	Aug.....	429	79-9
March.....	417	77-7	Sept.....	429	79-9
April.....	417	77-7	Oct.....	429	79-9
May.....	417	77-7	Nov.....	405	75-4
June.....	417	77-7	Dec.....	405	75-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-418; Index—77-8

## DENIM, BLUE, 2-20 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-402	70-5	July.....	\$ 0-402	70-5
Feb.....	402	70-5	Aug.....	413	72-5
March.....	402	70-5	Sept.....	413	72-5
April.....	402	70-5	Oct.....	413	72-5
May.....	402	70-5	Nov.....	391	68-6
June.....	402	70-5	Dec.....	391	68-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-403; Index—70-7

## TICKING, 2-00 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-440	72-7	July.....	\$ 0-450	74-4
Feb.....	450	74-4	Aug.....	450	74-4
March.....	450	74-4	Sept.....	460	76-0
April.....	450	74-4	Oct.....	460	76-0
May.....	450	74-4	Nov.....	460	76-0
June.....	450	74-4	Dec.....	460	76-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-453; Index—74-9

## SHIRTING, 4-00 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-555	80-4	July.....	\$ 0-570	82-6
Feb.....	570	82-6	Aug.....	570	82-6
March.....	570	82-6	Sept.....	580	84-1
April.....	570	82-6	Oct.....	580	84-1
May.....	570	82-6	Nov.....	580	84-1
June.....	570	82-6	Dec.....	580	84-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-572; Index—82-9

## FLANNELETTE—5-00 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-500	65-3	July.....	\$ 0-513	67-0
Feb.....	513	67-0	Aug.....	513	67-0
March.....	513	67-0	Sept.....	525	68-6
April.....	513	67-0	Oct.....	525	68-6
May.....	513	67-0	Nov.....	525	68-6
June.....	513	67-0	Dec.....	525	68-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-516; Index—67-4

## DRESS GINGHAM, 6-50-7-75 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-959	88-3	July.....	\$ 0-959	88-3
Feb.....	959	88-3	Aug.....	959	88-3
March.....	959	88-3	Sept.....	959	88-3
April.....	959	88-3	Oct.....	959	88-3
May.....	959	88-3	Nov.....	959	88-3
June.....	959	88-3	Dec.....	959	88-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-959; Index—88-3

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

## COTTON FABRICS—Continued

## APRON GINGHAM, 4-20 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-672	84-2	July.....	\$ 0-693	86-8
Feb.....	—693	86-8	Aug.....	—693	86-8
March.....	—693	86-8	Sept.....	—704	88-2
April.....	—693	86-8	Oct.....	—704	88-2
May.....	—693	86-8	Nov.....	—704	88-2
June.....	—693	86-8	Dec.....	—704	88-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-695; Index—87-1

## COTTON BLANKETS, 12 x 4 (3½ pounds per pair)

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-490	90-7	July.....	\$ 0-504	93-3
Feb.....	—490	90-7	Aug.....	—504	93-3
March.....	—504	93-3	Sept.....	—504	93-3
April.....	—504	93-3	Oct.....	—504	93-3
May.....	—504	93-3	Nov.....	—504	93-3
June.....	—504	93-3	Dec.....	—504	93-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-502; Index—92-9

## PILLOW COTTON, 42" WIDE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-210	—	July.....	\$ 0-228	—
Feb.....	—228	—	Aug.....	—228	—
March.....	—228	—	Sept.....	—228	—
April.....	—228	—	Oct.....	—228	—
May.....	—228	—	Nov.....	—228	—
June.....	—228	—	Dec.....	—228	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-227

## WIDE COTTON DUCK, 60", No. 1

Price per yard, freight paid

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-960	—	July.....	\$ 1-008	—
Feb.....	—992	—	Aug.....	—1-008	—
March.....	—992	—	Sept.....	—1-008	—
April.....	—1-008	—	Oct.....	—1-008	—
May.....	—1-008	—	Nov.....	—1-008	—
June.....	—1-008	—	Dec.....	—1-008	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-001

## PRINT

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-128	90-7	July.....	\$ 0-138	97-8
Feb.....	—128	90-7	Aug.....	—138	97-8
March.....	—138	97-8	Sept.....	—138	97-8
April.....	—138	97-8	Oct.....	—138	97-8
May.....	—138	97-8	Nov.....	—138	97-8
June.....	—138	97-8	Dec.....	—138	97-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-136; Index—96-4

## GINGHAM, CANADIAN, 6-37 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per yard at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-175	104-1	July.....	\$ 0-175	104-1
Feb.....	—175	104-1	Aug.....	—175	104-1
March.....	—175	104-1	Sept.....	—175	104-1
April.....	—175	104-1	Oct.....	—175	104-1
May.....	—175	104-1	Nov.....	—175	104-1
June.....	—175	104-1	Dec.....	—175	104-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-175; Index—104-1

## FLANNELETTE, BLEACHED, 4-50 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-467	65-1	July.....	\$ 0-478	66-6
Feb.....	—478	66-6	Aug.....	—478	66-6
March.....	—478	66-6	Sept.....	—489	68-2
April.....	—478	66-6	Oct.....	—489	68-2
May.....	—478	66-6	Nov.....	—489	68-2
June.....	—478	66-6	Dec.....	—489	68-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-481; Index—67-1

## COTTON FABRICS—Concluded

## FLANNELETTE, BLEACHED, 5-75 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-489	66-4	July.....	\$ 0-503	68-3
Feb.....	—503	68-3	Aug.....	—503	68-3
March.....	—503	68-3	Sept.....	—518	70-4
April.....	—503	68-3	Oct.....	—518	70-4
May.....	—503	68-3	Nov.....	—518	70-4
June.....	—503	68-3	Dec.....	—518	70-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-507; Index—68-9

## NAPPED SHEETING, 72" UNBLEACHED AND COLOURED

Price per pound, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-425	72-8	July.....	\$ 0-425	72-8
Feb.....	—425	72-8	Aug.....	—425	72-8
March.....	—425	72-8	Sept.....	—425	72-8
April.....	—425	72-8	Oct.....	—425	72-8
May.....	—425	72-8	Nov.....	—425	72-8
June.....	—425	72-8	Dec.....	—425	72-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-425; Index—72-8

## GREY COTTON, R. 14

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-093	72-5	July.....	\$ 0-099	77-2
Feb.....	—099	72-5	Aug.....	—099	77-2
March.....	—099	77-2	Sept.....	—099	77-2
April.....	—099	77-2	Oct.....	—099	77-2
May.....	—099	77-2	Nov.....	—099	77-2
June.....	—099	77-2	Dec.....	—099	77-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-098; Index—76-4

## BLEACHED COTTON

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-090	84-8	July.....	\$ 0-095	89-6
Feb.....	—090	84-8	Aug.....	—095	89-6
March.....	—095	89-5	Sept.....	—095	89-6
April.....	—095	89-5	Oct.....	—095	89-6
May.....	—095	89-5	Nov.....	—095	89-6
June.....	—095	89-5	Dec.....	—095	89-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-094; Index—89-6

## COTTON SHEETING

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-220	76-6	July.....	\$ 0-231	80-0
Feb.....	—220	76-6	Aug.....	—231	80-0
March.....	—231	80-4	Sept.....	—231	80-0
April.....	—231	80-4	Oct.....	—231	80-0
May.....	—231	80-4	Nov.....	—231	80-0
June.....	—231	80-4	Dec.....	—231	80-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-229; Index—79-7

## KNIT GOODS

## MEN'S COTTON UNDERWEAR, BALBRIGGAN

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (to wholesale trade)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-500	77-8	July.....	\$ 3-700	82-0
Feb.....	—3-700	82-2	Aug.....	—3-700	82-0
March.....	—3-700	82-2	Sept.....	—3-750	83-0
April.....	—3-700	82-2	Oct.....	—3-700	82-0
May.....	—3-700	82-2	Nov.....	—3-700	82-0
June.....	—3-700	82-2	Dec.....	—3-700	82-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-688; Index—82-0

## MEN'S COTTON COMBINATIONS, 2 THREAD

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 9-250	—	July.....	\$ 9-250	—
Feb.....	—9-250	—	Aug.....	—9-250	—
March.....	—9-250	—	Sept.....	—9-250	—
April.....	—9-250	—	Oct.....	—9-250	—
May.....	—9-250	—	Nov.....	—9-250	—
June.....	—9-250	—	Dec.....	—9-250	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$9-250



## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

## KNIT GOODS—Concluded

## Men's Cotton Combinations, 34-44

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (to wholesale trade)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6-700	—	July.....	\$ 7-350	—
Feb.....	7-350	—	Aug.....	7-350	—
March.....	7-350	—	Sept.....	7-350	—
April.....	7-350	—	Oct.....	7-350	—
May.....	7-350	—	Nov.....	7-350	—
June.....	7-350	—	Dec.....	7-350	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$7-296

## MISCELLANEOUS COTTON PRODUCTS

## SASH CORD, No. 8

Price per pound to wholesale jobbers, freight paid in Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 0-434	109-1	July.....	\$ 0-434	109-1
Feb.....	434	109-1	Aug.....	434	109-1
March.....	434	109-1	Sept.....	434	109-1
April.....	434	109-1	Oct.....	434	109-1
May.....	434	109-1	Nov.....	434	109-1
June.....	434	109-1	Dec.....	434	109-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-434; Index—109-1

## MISCELLANEOUS FIBRE PRODUCTS

## LINEN THREAD, 3 CORD, BEST QUALITY

100 yard spools, Nos. 25-70

Price per dozen spools, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-960	97-1	July.....	\$ 0-960	97-1
Feb.....	960	97-1	Aug.....	960	97-1
March.....	960	97-1	Sept.....	960	97-1
April.....	960	97-1	Oct.....	960	97-1
May.....	960	97-1	Nov.....	960	97-1
June.....	960	97-1	Dec.....	960	97-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-960; Index—97-1

## RAW JUTE, FIRST MARKS

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Kitchener

Jan.....	\$ 4-000	51-2	July.....	\$ 4-500	57-6
Feb.....	4-000	51-2	Aug.....	4-250	54-4
March.....	4-500	57-6	Sept.....	4-500	57-6
April.....	4-500	57-6	Oct.....	4-000	51-2
May.....	4-500	57-6	Nov.....	4-000	51-2
June.....	4-500	57-6	Dec.....	4-000	51-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-271; Index—54-7

## HESSIAN, 10½ OUNCES, 40 INCHES WIDE

Price per 100 yards, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 6-000	53-0	July.....	\$ 6-000	53-0
Feb.....	6-500	57-5	Aug.....	6-000	53-0
March.....	6-750	59-7	Sept.....	6-000	53-0
April.....	6-750	59-7	Oct.....	6-000	53-0
May.....	6-500	57-5	Nov.....	5-500	48-6
June.....	6-250	55-3	Dec.....	5-500	48-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$6-146; Index—54-3

## MANILA HEMP, 12½ PER CENT. FAIR CURRENT

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-043	29-1	July.....	\$ 0-037	25-0
Feb.....	043	29-1	Aug.....	037	25-0
March.....	042	28-4	Sept.....	038	25-7
April.....	041	27-7	Oct.....	037	25-0
May.....	039	26-4	Nov.....	037	25-0
June.....	038	25-7	Dec.....	037	25-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-038; Index—25-7

## MEXICAN SISAL

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-038	42-3	July.....	\$ 0-036	40-1
Feb.....	039	43-4	Aug.....	034	37-9
March.....	040	44-5	Sept.....	032	35-6
April.....	039	43-4	Oct.....	032	35-6
May.....	038	42-3	Nov.....	032	35-6
June.....	037	41-2	Dec.....	030	33-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-036; Index—40-1

## MISCELLANEOUS FIBRE PRODUCTS—Concluded

## BINDER TWINE, SISAL, 500 FEET

Price per pound—20,000 pounds or more, f.o.b. delivery points (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 0-075	56-9	July.....	\$ 0-075	56-9
Feb.....	075	56-9	Aug.....	075	56-9
March.....	075	56-9	Sept.....	075	56-9
April.....	075	56-9	Oct.....	075	56-9
May.....	075	56-9	Nov.....	075	56-9
June.....	075	56-9	Dec.....	075	56-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-075; Index—56-9

## BEST MANILA ROPE, ¾ INCH BASIS

Price per pound, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 0-145	53-3	July.....	\$ 0-145	53-3
Feb.....	145	53-3	Aug.....	145	53-3
March.....	145	53-3	Sept.....	145	53-3
April.....	145	53-3	Oct.....	140	51-5
May.....	145	53-3	Nov.....	140	51-5
June.....	145	53-3	Dec.....	140	51-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-144; Index—52-9

## HUCK TOWELLING (LINEN) 18 INCHES

Price per yard, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-420	—	July.....	\$ 0-420	—
Feb.....	420	—	Aug.....	360	—
March.....	420	—	Sept.....	360	—
April.....	420	—	Oct.....	360	—
May.....	420	—	Nov.....	360	—
June.....	420	—	Dec.....	360	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-395

## JUTE BAGS

Price per thousand, net at factory

Jan.....	\$101-000	—	July.....	\$103-000	—
Feb.....	105-750	—	Aug.....	103-000	—
March.....	110-250	—	Sept.....	103-000	—
April.....	105-750	—	Oct.....	103-000	—
May.....	105-750	—	Nov.....	103-000	—
June.....	105-750	—	Dec.....	103-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$104-354

## BURLAP BAGS

Price per thousand, net at factory

Jan.....	\$101-250	—	July.....	\$ 98-750	—
Feb.....	104-500	—	Aug.....	98-750	—
March.....	109-500	—	Sept.....	98-750	—
April.....	104-500	—	Oct.....	98-750	—
May.....	104-500	—	Nov.....	98-750	—
June.....	104-500	—	Dec.....	98-750	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$101-771

## RAW SILK

## RAW SILK, SPECIAL GRAND XX, 85 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....	\$ 1-663	—	July.....	\$ 1-406	—
Feb.....	1-836	—	Aug.....	1-360	—
March.....	1-631	—	Sept.....	1-292	—
April.....	1-608	—	Oct.....	1-449	—
May.....	1-577	—	Nov.....	1-512	—
June.....	1-468	—	Dec.....	1-634	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-536

## RAW SILK, GRAND, XX, 83 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....	\$ 1-563	—	July.....	\$ 1-287	—
Feb.....	1-735	—	Aug.....	1-243	—
March.....	1-531	—	Sept.....	1-175	—
April.....	1-478	—	Oct.....	1-312	—
May.....	1-437	—	Nov.....	1-385	—
June.....	1-349	—	Dec.....	1-515	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-418

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

## RAW SILK—Continued

RAW SILK, SPECIAL CRACK XX, 81 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-523	—	July.....	\$ 1-238	—
Feb.....	1-685	—	Aug.....	1-194	—
March.....	1-491	—	Sept.....	1-127	—
April.....	1-418	—	Oct.....	1-234	—
May.....	1-377	—	Nov.....	1-327	—
June.....	1-280	—	Dec.....	1-455	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-362					

RAW SILK, CRACK XX, 78 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....	\$ 1-493	—	July.....	\$ 1-198	—
Feb.....	1-634	—	Aug.....	1-165	—
March.....	1-451	—	Sept.....	1-098	—
April.....	1-388	—	Oct.....	1-205	—
May.....	1-337	—	Nov.....	1-278	—
June.....	1-240	—	Dec.....	1-416	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-325					

RAW SILK, XX, 73 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....	\$ 1-463	—	July.....	\$ 1-168	—
Feb.....	1-604	—	Aug.....	1-135	—
March.....	1-421	—	Sept.....	1-093	—
April.....	1-358	—	Oct.....	1-175	—
May.....	1-308	—	Nov.....	1-259	—
June.....	1-210	—	Dec.....	1-396	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-297					

RAW SILK, SPECIAL GRAND, XX, 85 PER CENT. 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....	\$ 1-453	—	July.....	\$ 1-228	—
Feb.....	1-604	—	Aug.....	1-194	—
March.....	1-431	—	Sept.....	1-088	—
April.....	1-358	—	Oct.....	1-156	—
May.....	1-337	—	Nov.....	1-259	—
June.....	1-289	—	Dec.....	1-356	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-313					

RAW SILK, GRAND, XX, 83 PER CENT. 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....	\$ 1-433	—	July.....	\$ 1-198	—
Feb.....	1-574	—	Aug.....	1-165	—
March.....	1-391	—	Sept.....	1-068	—
April.....	1-328	—	Oct.....	1-126	—
May.....	1-308	—	Nov.....	1-239	—
June.....	1-260	—	Dec.....	1-337	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-286					

RAW SILK, SPECIAL CRACK, XX, 81 PER CENT. 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....	\$ 1-413	—	July.....	\$ 1-178	—
Feb.....	1-553	—	Aug.....	1-145	—
March.....	1-371	—	Sept.....	1-039	—
April.....	1-298	—	Oct.....	1-113	—
May.....	1-288	—	Nov.....	1-220	—
June.....	1-230	—	Dec.....	1-317	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-264					

RAW SILK, CRACK XX, 78 PER CENT. 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....	\$ 1-393	—	July.....	\$ 1-158	—
Feb.....	1-533	—	Aug.....	1-126	—
March.....	1-351	—	Sept.....	1-010	—
April.....	1-288	—	Oct.....	1-097	—
May.....	1-258	—	Nov.....	1-201	—
June.....	1-210	—	Dec.....	1-307	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-245					

## SILK THREAD AND YARN

SILK, SPOOL, 50 YARDS, LETTER "A"

Price per dozen spools, f.o.b. Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-600	66-7	July.....	\$ 0-600	66-7
Feb.....	600	66-7	Aug.....	600	66-7
March.....	600	66-7	Sept.....	600	66-7
April.....	600	66-7	Oct.....	600	66-7
May.....	600	66-7	Nov.....	600	66-7
June.....	600	66-7	Dec.....	600	66-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-600; Index—66-7					

SILK MACHINE TWIST, 16 OUNCE

Price per pound, f.o.b. Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 9-500	63-7	July.....	\$ 9-500	63-7
Feb.....	9-500	63-7	Aug.....	9-500	63-7
March.....	9-500	63-7	Sept.....	9-500	63-7
April.....	9-500	63-7	Oct.....	9-500	63-7
May.....	9-500	63-7	Nov.....	9-500	63-7
June.....	9-500	63-7	Dec.....	9-500	63-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$9-500; Index—63-7					

## SILK HOSIERY

MEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY, MERCERIZED TOP, HEEL AND TOE

Price per dozen pairs (to retail dealer), f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 5-900	76-1	July.....	\$ 5-900	76-1
Feb.....	5-900	76-1	Aug.....	5-900	76-1
March.....	5-900	76-1	Sept.....	5-900	76-1
April.....	5-900	76-1	Oct.....	5-900	76-1
May.....	5-900	76-1	Nov.....	5-900	76-1
June.....	5-900	76-1	Dec.....	5-750	74-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$5-888; Index—76-0					

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY, LINE 439, 4 THREAD CHIFFON

Price per dozen pairs (to retail trade), f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 6-000	—	July.....	\$ 5-850	—
Feb.....	6-000	—	Aug.....	5-900	—
March.....	6-000	—	Sept.....	5-900	—
April.....	6-000	—	Oct.....	5-900	—
May.....	5-850	—	Nov.....	5-900	—
June.....	5-850	—	Dec.....	5-900	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$5-921					

## SILK FABRICS

CREPE DE CHINE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-500	—	July.....	\$ 0-450	—
Feb.....	500	—	Aug.....	420	—
March.....	500	—	Sept.....	425	—
April.....	475	—	Oct.....	425	—
May.....	475	—	Nov.....	425	—
June.....	450	—	Dec.....	425	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-456					

FLAT CREPE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-750	—	July.....	\$ 0-750	—
Feb.....	750	—	Aug.....	700	—
March.....	750	—	Sept.....	700	—
April.....	750	—	Oct.....	700	—
May.....	750	—	Nov.....	700	—
June.....	750	—	Dec.....	700	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-729					

GEORGETTE, 3 THREAD

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-700	—	July.....	\$ 0-700	—
Feb.....	700	—	Aug.....	650	—
March.....	700	—	Sept.....	650	—
April.....	700	—	Oct.....	650	—
May.....	700	—	Nov.....	650	—
June.....	700	—	Dec.....	650	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-679					

GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

SILK FABRICS—*Concluded*

FAILLE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-100	—	July.....	\$ 1-100	—
Feb.....	1-100	—	Aug.....	-900	—
March.....	1-100	—	Sept.....	-900	—
April.....	1-100	—	Oct.....	-900	—
May.....	1-100	—	Nov.....	-900	—
June.....	1-100	—	Dec.....	-900	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-017					

ARTIFICIAL SILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

RAYON YARN, 150 DENIER, "A" QUALITY, KNITTING AND GENERAL, IN SKEINS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-800	—	July.....	\$ 0-725	—
Feb.....	-800	—	Aug.....	-725	—
March.....	-800	—	Sept.....	-725	—
April.....	-800	—	Oct.....	-725	—
May.....	-800	—	Nov.....	-725	—
June.....	-800	—	Dec.....	-725	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-763					

RAYON YARN, 100 DENIER, 40 FILAMENTS BRIGHT, KNITTING AND GENERAL, IN SKEINS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-950	—	July.....	\$ 0-825	—
Feb.....	-950	—	Aug.....	-825	—
March.....	-950	—	Sept.....	-825	—
April.....	-950	—	Oct.....	-825	—
May.....	-950	—	Nov.....	-825	—
June.....	-950	—	Dec.....	-825	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-888					

RAYON YARN, 150 DENIER, "A" QUALITY, WEAVING, IN SKEINS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-700	—	July.....	\$ 0-650	—
Feb.....	-700	—	Aug.....	-650	—
March.....	-700	—	Sept.....	-650	—
April.....	-700	—	Oct.....	-650	—
May.....	-700	—	Nov.....	-650	—
June.....	-700	—	Dec.....	-600	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-671					

RAYON YARN, 100 DENIER, 40 FILAMENTS, BRIGHT WEAVING IN SKEINS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-850	—	July.....	\$ 0-775	—
Feb.....	-850	—	Aug.....	-775	—
March.....	-850	—	Sept.....	-775	—
April.....	-850	—	Oct.....	-775	—
May.....	-850	—	Nov.....	-775	—
June.....	-850	—	Dec.....	-725	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-808					

WOMEN'S ARTIFICIAL SILK HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs (to retail dealer), f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 4-750	79-2	July.....	\$ 3-750	62-5
Feb.....	4-750	79-2	Aug.....	3-750	62-5
March.....	4-750	79-2	Sept.....	3-750	62-5
April.....	4-400	73-3	Oct.....	3-750	62-5
May.....	4-750	79-2	Nov.....	*3-750	62-5
June.....	4-750	79-2	Dec.....	*3-750	62-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$4-220; Index—70-3					

\*Nominal.

WOOL AND ITS PRODUCTS—RAW WOOL

EASTERN WOOL, BRIGHT, LOW, MEDIUM OR  $\frac{1}{2}$  BLOOD STAPLE OR 50's

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000 lbs. or more) f.o.b. Weston

Jan.....	\$ 0-240	78-4	July.....	\$ 0-165	53-9
Feb.....	-225	73-5	Aug.....	-150	49-0
March.....	-225	73-5	Sept.....	-150	49-0
April.....	-215	70-3	Oct.....	-140	45-8
May.....	-205	67-0	Nov.....	-140	45-8
June.....	-175	57-2	Dec.....	-140	45-8
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-181; Index—59-2					

WOOL AND ITS PRODUCTS—RAW WOOL—*Concluded*

WESTERN WOOL, DOMESTIC, SEMI-BRIGHT, MEDIUM OR  $\frac{1}{2}$  BLOOD STAPLE OR 56's

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000 lbs. or more), f.o.b. Weston

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-250	84-3	July.....	\$ 0-170	57-3
Feb.....	-245	82-6	Aug.....	-170	57-3
March.....	-240	80-9	Sept.....	-155	52-3
April.....	-235	79-2	Oct.....	-140	47-2
May.....	-215	72-5	Nov.....	-150	50-6
June.....	-180	60-7	Dec.....	-130	43-8
Average, 1934: Price \$0-190; Index—64-1					

WESTERN WOOL, RANGE, SEMI-BRIGHT, FINE MEDIUM OR  $\frac{1}{2}$  BLOOD STAPLE OR 53's-60's

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000 lbs. or more) f.o.b. Weston

Jan.....	\$ 0-260	82-3	July.....	\$ 0-180	57-0
Feb.....	-275	87-1	Aug.....	-160	50-7
March.....	-250	79-2	Sept.....	-160	50-7
April.....	-245	77-6	Oct.....	-150	47-5
May.....	-220	69-7	Nov.....	-150	47-5
June.....	-195	61-7	Dec.....	-140	44-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-199; Index—63-0					

YARNS

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, MEDIUM, 2/36-56's QUALITY

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 0-929	84-1	July.....	\$ 1-006	91-0
Feb.....	1-080	97-7	Aug.....	-975	88-2
March.....	1-069	96-7	Sept.....	-955	86-4
April.....	1-082	97-9	Oct.....	-935	84-6
May.....	1-061	96-0	Nov.....	-956	86-5
June.....	1-040	94-1	Dec.....	-940	85-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-002; Index—90-7					

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE, 2/24's-58's

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 1-109	—	July.....	\$ 0-975	—
Feb.....	1-121	—	Aug.....	-919	—
March.....	1-111	—	Sept.....	-900	—
April.....	1-125	—	Oct.....	-880	—
May.....	1-102	—	Nov.....	-901	—
June.....	1-040	—	Dec.....	-885	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-006					

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE, 2/24's-60's

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 1-204	—	July.....	\$ 0-996	—
Feb.....	1-216	—	Aug.....	-965	—
March.....	1-195	—	Sept.....	-945	—
April.....	1-207	—	Oct.....	-925	—
May.....	1-177	—	Nov.....	-941	—
June.....	1-132	—	Dec.....	-925	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-069					

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, MEDIUM, 2/36-58's QUALITY

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 0-993	—	July.....	\$ 1-108	—
Feb.....	1-184	—	Aug.....	-1-072	—
March.....	1-174	—	Sept.....	-1-050	—
April.....	1-186	—	Oct.....	-1-029	—
May.....	1-165	—	Nov.....	-1-051	—
June.....	1-143	—	Dec.....	-1-036	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-099					

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE, 2/45's-64's

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 1-278	—	July.....	\$ 1-180	—
Feb.....	1-363	—	Aug.....	-1-124	—
March.....	1-342	—	Sept.....	-1-100	—
April.....	1-352	—	Oct.....	-1-078	—
May.....	1-324	—	Nov.....	-1-101	—
June.....	1-277	—	Dec.....	-1-086	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-217					



## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

## YARNS—Concluded

## WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, 4 PLY 8's, 46's

Price per pound (to jobbers) f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-850	103-6	July.....	\$ 0-850	103-6
Feb.....	850	103-6	Aug.....	850	103-6
March.....	850	103-6	Sept.....	850	103-6
April.....	850	103-6	Oct.....	800	97-5
May.....	850	103-6	Nov.....	800	97-5
June.....	850	103-6	Dec.....	750	91-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-833; Index—101-5

## WOOLLEN HOSIERY AND KNIT GOODS

## MEN'S WOOLLEN HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 3-000	90-7	July.....	\$ 3-250	98-2
Feb.....	3-250	98-2	Aug.....	3-250	98-2
March.....	3-250	98-2	Sept.....	3-250	98-2
April.....	3-250	98-2	Oct.....	3-250	98-2
May.....	3-250	98-2	Nov.....	3-250	98-2
June.....	3-250	98-2	Dec.....	3-250	98-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-229; Index—97-6

## MEN'S CASHMERE HALF HOSE

Price per dozen pairs, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 4-750	—	July.....	\$ 4-750	—
Feb.....	4-750	—	Aug.....	4-750	—
March.....	4-750	—	Sept.....	4-750	—
April.....	4-750	—	Oct.....	4-750	—
May.....	4-750	—	Nov.....	4-750	—
June.....	4-750	—	Dec.....	4-750	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-750

## MEN'S KNITTED WOOLLEN UNDERWEAR, 34-44

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 15-300	87-7	July.....	\$ 15-500	88-8
Feb.....	15-500	88-8	Aug.....	15-500	88-8
March.....	15-500	88-8	Sept.....	15-500	88-8
April.....	15-500	88-8	Oct.....	15-500	88-8
May.....	15-500	88-8	Nov.....	15-500	88-8
June.....	15-500	88-8	Dec.....	15-150	86-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$15-454; Index—88-6

## MEN'S WOOLLEN COMBINATIONS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 32-000	—	July.....	\$ 32-000	—
Feb.....	32-000	—	Aug.....	32-000	—
March.....	32-000	—	Sept.....	32-000	—
April.....	32-000	—	Oct.....	32-000	—
May.....	32-000	—	Nov.....	32-000	—
June.....	32-000	—	Dec.....	32-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$32-000

## MEN'S WOOLLEN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 20-000	—	July.....	\$ 20-000	—
Feb.....	20-000	—	Aug.....	20-000	—
March.....	20-000	—	Sept.....	20-000	—
April.....	20-000	—	Oct.....	20-000	—
May.....	20-000	—	Nov.....	20-000	—
June.....	20-000	—	Dec.....	20-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$20-000

## BLANKETS

## WOOL BLANKETS, WHITE, BLEACHED, SUPER QUALITY

Price per pound, f.o.b. Lachute

Jan.....	\$ 0-770	78-6	July.....	\$ 0-820	83-7
Feb.....	820	83-7	Aug.....	820	83-7
March.....	820	83-7	Sept.....	820	83-7
April.....	820	83-7	Oct.....	820	83-7
May.....	820	83-7	Nov.....	820	83-7
June.....	820	83-7	Dec.....	820	83-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-816; Index—83-3

## WOOLLEN CLOTH

FINE GRADE CLOTH, 64's TOP, 15/16 oz., 57"/58"  
PER YARD

Price per yard (to jobbers), f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-200	83-0	July.....	\$ 2-050	77-4
Feb.....	2-200	83-0	Aug.....	1-900	71-7
March.....	2-200	83-0	Sept.....	1-900	71-7
April.....	2-200	83-0	Oct.....	1-900	71-7
May.....	2-200	83-0	Nov.....	1-900	71-7
June.....	2-200	83-0	Dec.....	1-900	71-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-063; Index—77-8

## COARSER GRADE CLOTH, 46's TOP 14 oz., 58" PER YARD

Price per yard (to jobbers), f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 1-450	97-2	July.....	\$ 1-400	93-8
Feb.....	1-450	97-2	Aug.....	1-300	87-1
March.....	1-450	97-2	Sept.....	1-300	87-1
April.....	1-450	97-2	Oct.....	1-300	87-1
May.....	1-450	97-2	Nov.....	1-300	87-1
June.....	1-450	97-2	Dec.....	1-300	87-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-383; Index—92-7

## BOTANY SERGE, 16-17 oz., 56" to 57", COLD WATER SHRUNK

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 2-000	78-7	July.....	\$ 1-825	71-8
Feb.....	2-125	83-6	Aug.....	1-825	71-8
March.....	2-125	83-6	Sept.....	1-825	71-8
April.....	2-125	83-6	Oct.....	1-675	65-9
May.....	2-125	83-6	Nov.....	1-675	65-9
June.....	1-975	77-7	Dec.....	1-675	65-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-915; Index—75-3

## BOTANY SERGE, 13-14 oz., 55" to 56", COLD WATER SHRUNK

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 1-700	84-6	July.....	\$ 1-525	75-9
Feb.....	1-800	89-6	Aug.....	1-525	75-9
March.....	1-800	89-6	Sept.....	1-525	75-9
April.....	1-800	89-6	Oct.....	1-525	75-9
May.....	1-800	89-6	Nov.....	1-525	75-9
June.....	1-650	82-1	Dec.....	1-525	75-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-642; Index—81-7

## FLANNEL, WHITE, 32"

Price per yard at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-550	—	July.....	\$ 0-650	—
Feb.....	550	—	Aug.....	650	—
March.....	550	—	Sept.....	650	—
April.....	600	—	Oct.....	650	—
May.....	650	—	Nov.....	650	—
June.....	650	—	Dec.....	650	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-621

## SUITING, FANCY WORSTED, 13 oz. PER YARD

Price per yard, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 2-100	—	July.....	\$ 2-000	—
Feb.....	2-100	—	Aug.....	2-000	—
March.....	2-100	—	Sept.....	1-800	—
April.....	2-100	—	Oct.....	1-800	—
May.....	2-100	—	Nov.....	1-800	—
June.....	2-100	—	Dec.....	1-800	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-983

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Concluded

## CARPETS

CARPET, HERATI WILTON, 9' x 12'

Price to jobbers, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 35-280	—	July.....	\$ 38-020	—
Feb.....	35-280	—	Aug.....	40-300	—
March.....	38-020	—	Sept.....	40-300	—
April.....	38-020	—	Oct.....	40-300	—
May.....	38-020	—	Nov.....	40-300	—
June.....	38-020	—	Dec.....	40-300	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$38-513					

## CARPETS—Concluded

CARPET, KINGSTON AXMINSTER, 9' x 12'

Price to jobbers, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 23-050	82-6	July.....	\$ 24-300	87-1
Feb.....	23-050	82-6	Aug.....	25-760	92-4
March.....	24-300	87-1	Sept.....	25-760	92-4
April.....	24-300	87-1	Oct.....	25-760	92-4
May.....	24-300	87-1	Nov.....	25-760	92-4
June.....	24-300	87-1	Dec.....	25-760	92-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$24-700; Index—88-6					

## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER

## NEWSPRINT PAPER

NEWSPRINT PAPER ROLLS

Price per 100 pounds, carloads, net, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-660	51-1	July.....	\$ 1-660	51-1
Feb.....	1-660	51-1	Aug.....	1-660	51-1
March.....	1-660	51-1	Sept.....	1-660	51-1
April.....	1-660	51-1	Oct.....	1-660	51-1
May.....	1-660	51-1	Nov.....	1-660	51-1
June.....	1-660	51-1	Dec.....	1-660	51-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-660; Index—51-1					

WRAPPING PAPER, MANILA No. 1

Price per 100 pounds, carloads, net, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-250	80-6	July.....	\$ 5-400	82-9
Feb.....	5-250	80-6	Aug.....	5-400	82-9
March.....	5-250	80-6	Sept.....	5-400	82-9
April.....	5-400	82-9	Oct.....	5-400	82-9
May.....	5-400	82-9	Nov.....	5-400	82-9
June.....	5-400	82-9	Dec.....	5-400	82-9
Average, 1934: Price—\$5-363; Index—82-3					

## LUMBER

CANADIAN WHITE PINE (PINUS STROBUS), "C" SELECTS AND BETTER, 1" THICK

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 75-000	65-2	July.....	\$ 80-000	69-6
Feb.....	80-000	69-6	Aug.....	80-000	69-6
March.....	80-000	69-6	Sept.....	80-000	69-6
April.....	80-000	69-6	Oct.....	80-000	69-6
May.....	80-000	69-6	Nov.....	80-000	69-6
June.....	80-000	69-6	Dec.....	80-000	69-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$79-583; Index—69-2					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 1 CUTS

6/4 x 6 AND UP, 10/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 85-000	—	July.....	\$ 90-000	—
Feb.....	90-000	—	Aug.....	90-000	—
March.....	90-000	—	Sept.....	90-000	—
April.....	90-000	—	Oct.....	90-000	—
May.....	90-000	—	Nov.....	90-000	—
June.....	90-000	—	Dec.....	90-000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$89-583					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 2 CUTS

6/4 x 6 AND UP, 10/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 62-000	—	July.....	\$ 67-000	—
Feb.....	67-000	—	Aug.....	67-000	—
March.....	67-000	—	Sept.....	67-000	—
April.....	67-000	—	Oct.....	67-000	—
May.....	67-000	—	Nov.....	67-000	—
June.....	67-000	—	Dec.....	67-000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$66-583					

## LUMBER—Continued

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 1 AND 2 COMMON, 1 x 8, 8/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 44-000	—	July.....	\$ 45-000	—
Feb.....	44-000	—	Aug.....	45-000	—
March.....	44-000	—	Sept.....	45-000	—
April.....	45-000	—	Oct.....	45-000	—
May.....	45-000	—	Nov.....	45-000	—
June.....	45-000	—	Dec.....	45-000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$44-750					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 3 COMMON, 1 x 8, 6/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 31-000	—	July.....	\$ 32-000	—
Feb.....	32-000	—	Aug.....	32-000	—
March.....	32-000	—	Sept.....	32-000	—
April.....	32-000	—	Oct.....	32-000	—
May.....	32-000	—	Nov.....	32-000	—
June.....	32-000	—	Dec.....	32-000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$31-917					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 4 COMMON, 1 x 4/9, 6/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 24-000	—	July.....	\$ 27-000	—
Feb.....	26-000	—	Aug.....	27-000	—
March.....	26-000	—	Sept.....	27-000	—
April.....	27-000	—	Oct.....	27-000	—
May.....	27-000	—	Nov.....	27-000	—
June.....	27-000	—	Dec.....	27-000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$26-583					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 5 COMMON, 1 x 4/9, 6/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 21-000	—	July.....	\$ 23-000	—
Feb.....	22-000	—	Aug.....	23-000	—
March.....	22-000	—	Sept.....	23-000	—
April.....	23-000	—	Oct.....	23-000	—
May.....	23-000	—	Nov.....	23-000	—
June.....	23-000	—	Dec.....	23-000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$22-667					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 6 COMMON, 1 x 4 AND UP, 6/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 14-000	—	July.....	\$ 15-000	—
Feb.....	14-000	—	Aug.....	15-000	—
March.....	14-000	—	Sept.....	15-000	—
April.....	15-000	—	Oct.....	15-000	—
May.....	15-000	—	Nov.....	15-000	—
June.....	15-000	—	Dec.....	15-000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$14-750					

## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Continued

## LUMBER—Continued

## WHITE PINE LATH, No. 1

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-750	47-3	July.....	\$ 4-750	47-3
Feb.....	4-750	47-3	Aug.....	4-750	47-3
March.....	4-750	47-3	Sept.....	4-750	47-3
April.....	4-750	47-3	Oct.....	4-750	47-3
May.....	4-750	47-3	Nov.....	4-750	47-3
June.....	4-750	47-3	Dec.....	4-750	47-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-750; Index—47-3

## SPRUCE (QUEBEC), 2" x 4", 8-16 FT. (5TH QUALITY AND BETTER)

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 22-000	71-2	July.....	\$ 27-000	87-3
Feb.....	22-000	71-2	Aug.....	27-000	87-3
March.....	22-000	71-2	Sept.....	27-000	87-3
April.....	24-000	77-6	Oct.....	27-000	87-3
May.....	24-000	77-6	Nov.....	27-000	87-3
June.....	27-000	87-3	Dec.....	27-000	87-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$25-545; Index—82-6

\*Nominal.

## SPRUCE (QUEBEC), 3" x 8", 8-16 FT. (5TH QUALITY AND BETTER)

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 27-500	76-5	July.....	\$ 32-000	89-0
Feb.....	27-500	76-5	Aug.....	32-000	89-0
March.....	27-500	76-5	Sept.....	32-000	89-0
April.....	29-500	82-0	Oct.....	32-000	89-0
May.....	29-500	82-0	Nov.....	32-000	89-0
June.....	32-000	89-0	Dec.....	32-000	89-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$30-727; Index—85-5

\*Nominal.

## SPRUCE LATH (QUEBEC), No. 1 SPRUCE, 1½" x 4"

Price per thousand, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 3-750	56-2	July.....	\$ 3-750	56-2
Feb.....	3-750	56-2	Aug.....	3-750	56-2
March.....	3-750	56-2	Sept.....	3-750	56-2
April.....	3-750	56-2	Oct.....	3-750	56-2
May.....	3-750	56-2	Nov.....	3-750	56-2
June.....	3-750	56-2	Dec.....	3-750	56-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-750; Index—56-2

## SPRUCE LATH (MARITIME), No. 1, 1½" x 4"

Price per thousand, f.o.b. mill, carlots

Jan.....	\$ 2-250	44-3	July.....	\$ 2-250	44-3
Feb.....	2-250	44-3	Aug.....	2-250	44-3
March.....	2-250	44-3	Sept.....	2-250	44-3
April.....	2-250	44-3	Oct.....	2-250	44-3
May.....	2-250	44-3	Nov.....	2-250	44-3
June.....	2-250	44-3	Dec.....	2-250	44-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-250; Index—44-3

MERCHANTABLE SAWN SPRUCE DEALS (MARITIME), 3" x 3"  
AND UP 50% (3" x 3" TO 3" x 6")

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 17-000	77-7	July.....	\$ 19-500	89-1
Feb.....	19-000	86-9	Aug.....	19-500	89-1
March.....	19-000	86-9	Sept.....	18-500	84-6
April.....	19-000	86-9	Oct.....	16-500	75-4
May.....	19-000	86-9	Nov.....	16-500	75-4
June.....	19-500	89-1	Dec.....	15-500	70-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$18-208; Index—83-2

MERCHANTABLE SPRUCE SCANTLING (MARITIME), 2" x 3" TO  
2" x 6"

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill, carlots

Jan.....	\$ 15-000	68-2	July.....	\$ 12-500	56-8
Feb.....	15-000	68-2	Aug.....	12-500	56-8
March.....	14-000	63-6	Sept.....	13-000	59-1
April.....	13-750	62-5	Oct.....	15-000	68-2
May.....	14-500	65-9	Nov.....	14-000	63-6
June.....	15-000	68-2	Dec.....	11-750	53-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$13-833; Index—62-9

## LUMBER—Continued

MERCHANTABLE SPRUCE SCANTLING (MARITIME), 2" x 7"  
AND UP

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill, carlots

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 17-500	77-7	July.....	\$ 15-000	66-6
Feb.....	17-500	77-7	Aug.....	15-000	66-6
March.....	16-500	73-3	Sept.....	15-500	68-9
April.....	16-750	74-4	Oct.....	17-500	77-7
May.....	17-000	75-5	Nov.....	16-500	73-3
June.....	17-500	77-7	Dec.....	14-000	62-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$16-354; Index—72-7

## MAPLE, HARD, 4/4, FIRSTS AND SECONDS, DRY

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 52-000	—	July.....	\$ 55-000	—
Feb.....	52-000	—	Aug.....	55-000	—
March.....	52-000	—	Sept.....	55-000	—
April.....	52-000	—	Oct.....	55-000	—
May.....	55-000	—	Nov.....	55-000	—
June.....	55-000	—	Dec.....	55-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$54-000

## MAPLE, SOFT, No. 1, COMMON AND BETTER

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 40-000	80-0	July.....	\$ 40-000	80-0
Feb.....	40-000	80-0	Aug.....	40-000	80-0
March.....	40-000	80-0	Sept.....	40-000	80-0
April.....	40-000	80-0	Oct.....	40-000	80-0
May.....	40-000	80-0	Nov.....	40-000	80-0
June.....	40-000	80-0	Dec.....	40-000	80-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$40-000; Index—80-0

## OAK, RED, PLAIN, FIRSTS AND SECONDS

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 75-000	67-9	July.....	\$ 75-000	67-9
Feb.....	75-000	67-9	Aug.....	75-000	67-9
March.....	75-000	67-9	Sept.....	75-000	67-9
April.....	75-000	67-9	Oct.....	75-000	67-9
May.....	75-000	67-9	Nov.....	75-000	67-9
June.....	75-000	67-9	Dec.....	75-000	67-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$75-000; Index—67-9

## BIRCH, COMMON AND BETTER

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 42-000	68-7	July.....	\$ 50-000	81-8
Feb.....	42-000	68-7	Aug.....	50-000	81-8
March.....	42-000	68-7	Sept.....	50-000	81-8
April.....	42-000	68-7	Oct.....	50-000	81-8
May.....	50-000	81-8	Nov.....	50-000	81-8
June.....	50-000	81-8	Dec.....	50-000	81-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$47-333; Index—77-4

## HEMLOCK, 2" MILL RUN

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 18-000	72-0	July.....	\$ 18-500	74-0
Feb.....	18-000	72-0	Aug.....	18-500	74-0
March.....	18-000	72-0	Sept.....	18-500	74-0
April.....	18-000	72-0	Oct.....	18-500	74-0
May.....	18-000	72-0	Nov.....	18-500	74-0
June.....	18-500	74-0	Dec.....	18-500	74-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$18-292; Index—73-2

## HEMLOCK, 2" CULLS

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 12-000	63-7	July.....	\$ 12-000	63-7
Feb.....	12-000	63-7	Aug.....	12-000	63-7
March.....	12-000	63-7	Sept.....	12-000	63-7
April.....	12-000	63-7	Oct.....	12-000	63-7
May.....	12-000	63-7	Nov.....	12-000	63-7
June.....	12-000	63-7	Dec.....	12-000	63-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$12-000; Index—63-7



## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Continued

## LUMBER—Continued

## No. 1 COMMON FIR TIMBER, 3" x 4" to 4" x 12", 12' / 40'

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 15-00	87-0	July.....	\$ 19-00	110-1
Feb.....	16-00	92-8	Aug.....	18-00	104-3
March.....	17-00	98-6	Sept.....	18-00	104-3
April.....	17-00	98-6	Oct.....	18-00	104-3
May.....	17-00	98-6	Nov.....	17-00	98-6
June.....	19-00	110-1	Dec.....	16-00	92-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$17-250; Index—100-0

## No. 1 COMMON FIR TIMBER, 6" x 6" to 12" x 12", 12' / 40'

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 16-00	89-1	July.....	\$ 19-00	105-8
Feb.....	16-00	89-1	Aug.....	18-00	100-2
March.....	17-00	94-7	Sept.....	18-00	100-2
April.....	17-00	94-7	Oct.....	18-00	100-2
May.....	17-00	94-7	Nov.....	17-00	94-7
June.....	19-00	105-8	Dec.....	16-00	89-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$17-333; Index—96-5

## CLEAR FIR, No. 1 AND 2, 1 x 6, D4S

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 51-500	—	July.....	\$ 46-250	—
Feb.....	53-500	—	Aug.....	46-250	—
March.....	53-500	—	Sept.....	46-250	—
April.....	53-500	—	Oct.....	46-250	—
May.....	53-500	—	Nov.....	46-250	—
June.....	48-250	—	Dec.....	46-500	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$49-292

## FIR DROP SIDING, 1" x 6", No. 2 AND BETTER

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 24-000	82-8	July.....	\$ 25-000	86-2
Feb.....	25-000	86-2	Aug.....	25-000	86-2
March.....	25-000	86-2	Sept.....	25-000	86-2
April.....	26-000	89-7	Oct.....	25-000	86-2
May.....	26-000	89-7	Nov.....	24-000	82-8
June.....	26-000	89-7	Dec.....	24-000	82-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$25-000; Index—86-2

## FIR FLOORING, 1" x 4", No. 1 AND 2, FLAT GRAIN

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 14-000	53-8	July.....	\$ 15-000	57-7
Feb.....	15-000	57-7	Aug.....	13-000	50-0
March.....	17-000	65-4	Sept.....	13-000	50-0
April.....	17-000	65-4	Oct.....	13-000	50-0
May.....	15-000	57-7	Nov.....	13-000	50-0
June.....	15-000	57-7	Dec.....	14-000	53-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$14-500; Index—55-8

## CLEAR FIR CASING, No. 1 AND 2, 1" x 5"

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 54-750	—	July.....	\$ 51-250	—
Feb.....	57-000	—	Aug.....	51-250	—
March.....	57-000	—	Sept.....	51-250	—
April.....	57-000	—	Oct.....	51-250	—
May.....	57-000	—	Nov.....	51-250	—
June.....	53-250	—	Dec.....	52-500	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$53-729

## FIR, DIMENSION, S/S'E OR S4S 2" x 4", 12'-14", No. 1 BASE

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 11-000	73-9	July.....	\$ 14-000	94-1
Feb.....	12-000	80-7	Aug.....	14-000	94-1
March.....	12-000	80-7	Sept.....	14-000	94-1
April.....	13-000	87-4	Oct.....	14-000	94-1
May.....	13-000	87-4	Nov.....	12-500	84-0
June.....	14-000	94-1	Dec.....	12-500	84-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$13-000; Index—87-4

## LUMBER—Concluded

## CEDAR BOARDS, No. 1 COMMON, 1" x 8"—10"

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 14-000	79-4	July.....	\$ 16-000	90-8
Feb.....	15-000	85-1	Aug.....	15-000	85-1
March.....	15-000	85-1	Sept.....	15-000	85-1
April.....	15-000	85-1	Oct.....	15-000	85-1
May.....	15-000	85-1	Nov.....	15-000	85-1
June.....	16-000	90-8	Dec.....	15-000	85-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$15-083; Index—85-6

## COMMON CEDAR SHIPLAP, No. 1, 1" x 8"

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 25-500	—	July.....	\$ 23-000	—
Feb.....	25-500	—	Aug.....	23-000	—
March.....	25-500	—	Sept.....	23-000	—
April.....	25-500	—	Oct.....	23-000	—
May.....	25-500	—	Nov.....	23-000	—
June.....	25-250	—	Dec.....	25-750	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$24-460

## CEDAR BEVEL SIDING, 3" x 6"

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 28-000	85-5	July.....	\$ 30-000	91-6
Feb.....	28-000	85-5	Aug.....	30-000	91-6
March.....	28-000	85-5	Sept.....	30-000	91-6
April.....	28-000	85-5	Oct.....	30-000	91-6
May.....	28-000	85-5	Nov.....	28-000	85-5
June.....	30-000	91-6	Dec.....	28-000	85-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$28-833; Index—88-0

## CLEAR CEDAR BUNGALOW SIDING, 3" x 10", 8'-18'

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 55-000	—	July.....	\$ 52-750	—
Feb.....	55-000	—	Aug.....	52-750	—
March.....	55-000	—	Sept.....	52-750	—
April.....	55-000	—	Oct.....	52-750	—
May.....	55-000	—	Nov.....	52-750	—
June.....	53-750	—	Dec.....	53-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$53-792

## CEDAR SHINGLES XXX, No. 1

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 2-750	86-6	July.....	\$ 1-900	59-8
Feb.....	2-150	67-7	Aug.....	1-900	59-8
March.....	2-150	67-7	Sept.....	1-900	59-8
April.....	1-900	59-8	Oct.....	1-900	59-8
May.....	1-900	59-8	Nov.....	1-900	59-8
June.....	1-900	59-8	Dec.....	1-900	59-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-013; Index—63-4

## WOOD PULP

## SULPHITE PULP, UNBLEACHED, NEWSGRADE

Price per ton, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 38-335	71-7	July.....	\$ 39-200	73-3
Feb.....	38-785	72-5	Aug.....	38-930	72-8
March.....	38-907	72-7	Sept.....	38-797	72-5
April.....	38-854	72-6	Oct.....	38-939	72-8
May.....	38-870	72-7	Nov.....	38-874	72-7
June.....	38-737	72-4	Dec.....	39-125	73-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$38-863; Index—72-6

## GROUNDWOOD PULP, No. 1

Price per ton, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 21-757	73-3	July.....	\$ 20-973	70-7
Feb.....	21-760	73-3	Aug.....	20-435	68-9
March.....	21-655	73-0	Sept.....	20-366	68-6
April.....	21-170	71-4	Oct.....	20-200	68-1
May.....	21-343	71-9	Nov.....	20-081	67-7
June.....	21-159	71-3	Dec.....	19-853	66-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$20-896; Index—70-4

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## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Concluded

## WOOD PULP—Concluded

## SULPHITE PULP, BLEACHED, FOR PAPER MAKING

Price per ton, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 55-000	68-8	July.....	\$ 55-000	68-8
Feb.....	55-000	68-8	Aug.....	55-000	68-8
March.....	55-000	68-8	Sept.....	55-000	68-8
April.....	55-000	68-8	Oct.....	55-000	68-8
May.....	55-000	68-8	Nov.....	55-000	68-8
June.....	55-000	68-8	Dec.....	55-000	68-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$55-000; Index—68-8

## MATCHES

## MATCHES, SILENT 4's, NON-POISONOUS

Price per case net, inclusive of sales and excise taxes, freight allowed in Ontario and Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 10-540	76-2	July.....	\$ 10-540	76-2
Feb.....	10-540	76-2	Aug.....	10-540	76-2
March.....	10-540	76-2	Sept.....	10-540	76-2
April.....	10-540	76-2	Oct.....	10-540	76-2
May.....	10-540	76-2	Nov.....	10-540	76-2
June.....	10-540	76-2	Dec.....	10-540	76-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$10-540; Index—76-2

## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS

## PIG IRON AND STEEL BILLETS

## PIG IRON, FOUNDRY No. 1

Price per gross ton, carlots, f.o.b. sellers' works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 20-000	78-6	July.....	\$ 20-500	80-6
Feb.....	20-500	80-6	Aug.....	20-500	80-6
March.....	20-500	80-6	Sept.....	20-500	80-6
April.....	20-500	80-6	Oct.....	20-500	80-6
May.....	20-500	80-6	Nov.....	20-500	80-6
June.....	20-500	80-6	Dec.....	20-500	80-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$20-458; Index—80-4

## PIG IRON, STANDARD MALLEABLE

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 19-000	83-2	July.....	\$ 19-000	83-2
Feb.....	19-000	83-2	Aug.....	19-000	83-2
March.....	19-000	83-2	Sept.....	19-000	83-2
April.....	19-000	83-2	Oct.....	19-000	83-2
May.....	19-000	83-2	Nov.....	19-000	83-2
June.....	19-000	83-2	Dec.....	19-000	83-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$19-000; Index—83-2

## STEEL BILLETS, MILD, 4" x 4" AND LARGER

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 34-000	89-5	July.....	\$ 34-000	89-5
Feb.....	34-000	89-5	Aug.....	34-000	89-5
March.....	34-000	89-5	Sept.....	34-000	89-5
April.....	34-000	89-5	Oct.....	34-000	89-5
May.....	34-000	89-5	Nov.....	34-000	89-5
June.....	34-000	89-5	Dec.....	34-000	89-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$34-000; Index—89-5

## ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS

## STEEL BARS, RE-INFORCING CONCRETE, HARD GRADE

Price per 100 pounds, base, carlots, f.o.b. plant

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-150	91-5	July.....	\$ 2-150	91-5
Feb.....	2-150	91-5	Aug.....	2-150	91-5
March.....	2-150	91-5	Sept.....	2-150	91-5
April.....	2-150	91-5	Oct.....	2-150	91-5
May.....	2-150	91-5	Nov.....	2-150	91-5
June.....	2-150	91-5	Dec.....	2-150	91-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-150; Index—91-5

## MILD STEEL, MERCHANT BARS

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. plant

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-250	91-8	July.....	\$ 2-250	91-8
Feb.....	2-250	91-8	Aug.....	2-250	91-8
March.....	2-250	91-8	Sept.....	2-250	91-8
April.....	2-250	91-8	Oct.....	2-250	91-8
May.....	2-250	91-8	Nov.....	2-250	91-8
June.....	2-250	91-8	Dec.....	2-250	91-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-250; Index—91-8

## ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS—Continued

## STEEL RAILS, OPEN HEARTH

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 45-000	94-2	July.....	\$ 43-000	90-0
Feb.....	45-000	94-2	Aug.....	43-000	90-0
March.....	43-000	90-0	Sept.....	43-000	90-0
April.....	43-000	90-0	Oct.....	43-000	90-0
May.....	43-000	90-0	Nov.....	43-000	90-0
June.....	43-000	90-0	Dec.....	43-000	90-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$43-333; Index—90-7

## STEEL TANK PLATES

Base price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. mill Pittsburgh

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-696	89-3	July.....	\$ 1-782	93-8
Feb.....	1-716	90-3	Aug.....	1-762	92-7
March.....	1-701	89-5	Sept.....	1-748	92-0
April.....	1-692	89-4	Oct.....	1-763	92-8
May.....	1-849	97-3	Nov.....	1-756	92-4
June.....	1-835	96-6	Dec.....	1-784	93-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-758; Index—92-5

## LIGHT COLD ROLLED SHEETS, No. 20, U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. mill, Pittsburgh

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-743	63-9	July.....	\$ 2-921	68-0
Feb.....	2-776	64-6	Aug.....	2-887	67-2
March.....	2-752	64-1	Sept.....	2-865	66-7
April.....	2-747	63-9	Oct.....	2-889	67-2
May.....	3-149	73-3	Nov.....	2-878	67-0
June.....	3-124	72-7	Dec.....	2-924	68-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-888; Index—67-2

## STRUCTURAL SHAPES, OPEN HEARTH

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. plant

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-000	93-0	July.....	\$ 2-000	93-0
Feb.....	2-000	93-0	Aug.....	2-000	93-0
March.....	2-000	93-0	Sept.....	2-000	93-0
April.....	2-000	93-0	Oct.....	2-000	93-0
May.....	2-000	93-0	Nov.....	2-000	93-0
June.....	2-000	93-0	Dec.....	2-000	93-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-000; Index—93-0

## STEEL SHEETS, GALVANIZED, No. 24 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal (sales tax extra)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-750	76-3	July.....	\$ 3-800	77-7
Feb.....	3-750	76-3	Aug.....	3-800	77-7
March.....	3-750	76-3	Sept.....	3-800	77-7
April.....	3-750	76-3	Oct.....	3-900	79-0
May.....	3-800	77-4	Nov.....	3-900	79-0
June.....	3-800	77-4	Dec.....	3-900	79-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-808; Index—77-5

## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS—Concluded

IRON BOILER PLATE,  $\frac{1}{2}$  INCH

Price per pound net, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-036	—	July.....	\$ 0-036	—
Feb.....	—036	—	Aug.....	—036	—
March.....	—036	—	Sept.....	—036	—
April.....	—036	—	Oct.....	—036	—
May.....	—036	—	Nov.....	—036	—
June.....	—036	—	Dec.....	—036	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-036					

## GALVANIZED CORRUGATED IRON SHEETS, No. 28 GAUGE

Price per 100 square feet, f.o.b. destination

Jan.....	\$ 4-650	—	July.....	\$ 4-900	—
Feb.....	4-650	—	Aug.....	4-900	—
March.....	4-900	—	Sept.....	4-600	—
April.....	4-900	—	Oct.....	4-600	—
May.....	4-900	—	Nov.....	4-600	—
June.....	4-900	—	Dec.....	4-600	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$4-758					

## HOT ROLLED AND ANNEALED STEEL SHEETS, No. 24 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal (sales tax extra)

Jan.....	\$ 3-350	—	July.....	\$ 3-400	—
Feb.....	3-350	—	Aug.....	3-400	—
March.....	3-350	—	Sept.....	3-400	—
April.....	3-350	—	Oct.....	3-400	—
May.....	3-400	—	Nov.....	3-400	—
June.....	3-400	—	Dec.....	3-400	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-383					

## HOT ROLLED AND ANNEALED STEEL SHEETS, No. 10 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal (sales tax extra)

Jan.....	\$ 3-150	—	July.....	\$ 3-150	—
Feb.....	3-150	—	Aug.....	3-150	—
March.....	3-150	—	Sept.....	3-150	—
April.....	3-150	—	Oct.....	3-150	—
May.....	3-150	—	Nov.....	3-150	—
June.....	3-150	—	Dec.....	3-150	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-150					

## TINPLATE, STANDARD COKE

Price per box of 108 pounds base, f.o.b. Montreal, carlots (sales tax extra)

Jan.....	\$ 5-850	—	July.....	\$ 5-850	—
Feb.....	5-850	—	Aug.....	5-850	—
March.....	5-850	—	Sept.....	5-750	—
April.....	5-850	—	Oct.....	5-750	—
May.....	5-850	—	Nov.....	5-750	—
June.....	5-850	—	Dec.....	5-850	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$5-825					

## STEEL SHEETS, BLACK, No. 10 GAUGE

Price per 100 pounds, at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 3-300	—	July.....	\$ 3-400	—
Feb.....	3-300	—	Aug.....	3-400	—
March.....	3-300	—	Sept.....	3-400	—
April.....	3-400	—	Oct.....	3-400	—
May.....	3-400	—	Nov.....	3-400	—
June.....	3-400	—	Dec.....	3-400	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-375					

MILD STEEL TANK PLATES, QUALITY,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " to 1" IN THICKNESS

Price per 100 pounds, at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 3-150	—	July.....	\$ 3-150	—
Feb.....	3-150	—	Aug.....	3-150	—
March.....	3-150	—	Sept.....	3-150	—
April.....	3-150	—	Oct.....	3-150	—
May.....	3-150	—	Nov.....	3-150	—
June.....	3-150	—	Dec.....	3-150	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-150					

## PIPE

## CAST IRON PIPE, 4"

Price per net ton, f.o.b. plant (sales tax extra)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 48-000	87-3	July.....	\$ 48-000	87-3
Feb.....	48-000	87-3	Aug.....	48-000	87-3
March.....	48-000	87-3	Sept.....	48-000	87-3
April.....	48-000	87-3	Oct.....	48-000	87-3
May.....	48-000	87-3	Nov.....	48-000	87-3
June.....	48-000	87-3	Dec.....	48-000	87-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$48-000; Index—87-3					

## STEEL PIPE, BUTTWELD BLACK, 1"

Price per foot at factory, Quebec

Jan.....	\$ 0-073	89-6	July.....	\$ 0-073	89-6
Feb.....	—073	89-6	Aug.....	—073	89-6
March.....	—073	89-6	Sept.....	—073	89-6
April.....	—073	89-6	Oct.....	—073	89-6
May.....	—073	89-6	Nov.....	—073	89-6
June.....	—073	89-6	Dec.....	—073	89-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-073; Index—89-6					

## HARDWARE

## TOOLS AND HAND IMPLEMENTS

## HAMMERS, PLAIN FACE, 1 POUND

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (freight allowed to Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal)

Jan.....	\$ 10-720	79-4	July.....	\$ 10-720	79-4
Feb.....	10-720	79-4	Aug.....	10-720	79-4
March.....	10-720	79-4	Sept.....	10-720	79-4
April.....	10-720	79-4	Oct.....	10-720	79-4
May.....	10-720	79-4	Nov.....	10-720	79-4
June.....	10-720	79-4	Dec.....	10-720	79-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$10-720; Index—79-4					

## CHOPPING AXES, STANDARD

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (freight allowed to Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal)

Jan.....	\$ 11-000	73-3	July.....	\$ 12-640	84-3
Feb.....	11-000	73-3	Aug.....	12-640	84-3
March.....	11-000	73-3	Sept.....	12-640	84-3
April.....	11-000	73-3	Oct.....	12-640	84-3
May.....	12-640	84-3	Nov.....	12-640	84-3
June.....	12-640	84-3	Dec.....	12-640	84-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$12-093; Index—80-6					

## PLAIN BACK SHOVELS AND SPADES

Price per dozen, Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 11-000	84-3	July.....	\$ 11-500	88-1
Feb.....	11-000	84-3	Aug.....	11-500	88-1
March.....	11-000	84-3	Sept.....	11-500	88-1
April.....	11-000	84-3	Oct.....	11-500	88-1
May.....	11-000	84-3	Nov.....	11-500	88-1
June.....	11-500	88-1	Dec.....	11-500	88-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$11-292; Index—86-5					

## OTHER HARDWARE

## WASH TUBS, EMBOSSED WRINGER REST, DROP HANDLES, No. 1

Jan.....	\$ 10-820	84-7	July.....	\$ 10-820	84-7
Feb.....	10-820	84-7	Aug.....	10-820	84-7
March.....	10-820	84-7	Sept.....	10-820	84-7
April.....	10-820	84-7	Oct.....	10-820	84-7
May.....	10-820	84-7	Nov.....	10-820	84-7
June.....	10-820	84-7	Dec.....	10-820	84-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$10-820; Index—84-7					

## PAILS, GALVANIZED, STANDARD, No. 12

Price per dozen, Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 3-520	77-5	July.....	\$ 3-520	77-5
Feb.....	3-520	77-5	Aug.....	3-520	77-5
March.....	3-520	77-5	Sept.....	3-520	77-5
April.....	3-520	77-5	Oct.....	3-520	77-5
May.....	3-520	77-5	Nov.....	3-520	77-5
June.....	3-520	77-5	Dec.....	3-520	77-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-520; Index—77-5					



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## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

### OTHER HARDWARE—Continued

#### BOILERS (RANGE), 30 GALLON, STANDARD

Net price, Eastern Canada					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-360	77-6	July.....	\$ 7-360	77-6
Feb.....	7-360	77-6	Aug.....	7-360	77-6
March.....	7-360	77-6	Sept.....	7-360	77-6
April.....	7-360	77-6	Oct.....	7-650	80-6
May.....	7-360	77-6	Nov.....	7-650	80-6
June.....	7-360	77-6	Dec.....	7-650	80-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$7-433; Index—78-3					

#### CHAIN $\frac{1}{2}$ " BRIGHT COIL, FIREWELDED, PROOF

##### Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-550	96-6	July.....	\$ 8-550	96-6
Feb.....	8-550	96-6	Aug.....	8-550	96-6
March.....	8-550	96-6	Sept.....	8-550	96-6
April.....	8-550	96-6	Oct.....	8-550	96-6
May.....	8-550	96-6	Nov.....	8-550	96-6
June.....	8-550	96-6	Dec.....	8-550	96-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-550; Index—96-6					

#### MACHINE BOLTS, 7/16" DIAMETER, 6" LONG

##### Price per 100 in 200 pound packages, Eastern Canada

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-200	—	July.....	\$ 4-200	—
Feb.....	4-200	—	Aug.....	4-200	—
March.....	4-200	—	Sept.....	4-200	—
April.....	4-200	—	Oct.....	4-200	—
May.....	4-200	—	Nov.....	4-200	—
June.....	4-200	—	Dec.....	4-200	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$4-200					

#### SQUARE NUTS TAPPED, HOT PRESSED AND FORGED, 11/32" HOLE DIAMETER, 25/32" COMPLETE WIDTH

##### Price per 100 pounds, Eastern Canada

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 10-400	—	July.....	\$ 10-400	—
Feb.....	10-400	—	Aug.....	10-400	—
March.....	10-400	—	Sept.....	10-400	—
April.....	10-400	—	Oct.....	10-400	—
May.....	10-400	—	Nov.....	10-400	—
June.....	10-400	—	Dec.....	10-400	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$10-400					

#### WIRE CLOTH, PAINTED SCREEN, BLACK 12 MESH, No. 33 GAUGE

##### Price per 100 square feet, f.o.b. Hamilton

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-900	93-3	July.....	\$ 1-950	95-7
Feb.....	1-900	93-3	Aug.....	1-950	95-7
March.....	1-900	93-3	Sept.....	1-950	95-7
April.....	1-900	93-3	Oct.....	1-850	90-8
May.....	1-900	93-3	Nov.....	1-850	90-8
June.....	1-900	93-3	Dec.....	1-850	90-8
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-900; Index—93-3					

#### WIRE NAILS, BASE

##### Price per keg, carlots, f.o.b. works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-800	86-0	July.....	\$ 2-800	86-0
Feb.....	2-800	86-0	Aug.....	2-800	86-0
March.....	2-800	86-0	Sept.....	2-800	86-0
April.....	2-800	86-0	Oct.....	2-800	86-0
May.....	2-800	86-0	Nov.....	2-800	86-0
June.....	2-800	86-0	Dec.....	2-800	86-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$2-800; Index—86-0					

#### WOOD SCREWS, 1", No. 6, BRIGHT STEEL, F.H.

##### Price per gross, Eastern Canada

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-173	92-5	July.....	\$ 0-173	92-5
Feb.....	.173	92-5	Aug.....	.173	92-5
March.....	.173	92-5	Sept.....	.173	92-5
April.....	.173	92-5	Oct.....	.173	92-5
May.....	.173	92-5	Nov.....	.173	92-5
June.....	.173	92-5	Dec.....	.173	92-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-173; Index—92-5					

### OTHER HARDWARE—Concluded

#### STEEL THUMB LATCHES, No. 2, JAPANNED, IN CARTONS

##### Price per dozen, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-208	76-5	July.....	\$ 1-272	80-5
Feb.....	1-208	76-5	Aug.....	1-272	80-5
March.....	1-208	76-5	Sept.....	1-272	80-5
April.....	1-208	76-5	Oct.....	1-272	80-5
May.....	1-208	76-5	Nov.....	1-272	80-5
June.....	1-272	80-5	Dec.....	1-272	80-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-245; Index—78-8					

#### BRIGHT STEEL SAFETY HASPS, SOLID STAPLE, No. 900 $\times$ 4 $\frac{1}{2}$

##### Price per dozen, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-700	84-3	July.....	\$ 0-636	76-6
Feb.....	.700	84-3	Aug.....	.636	76-6
March.....	.700	84-3	Sept.....	.636	76-6
April.....	.700	84-3	Oct.....	.636	76-6
May.....	.700	84-3	Nov.....	.636	76-6
June.....	.636	76-6	Dec.....	.636	76-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-663; Index—79-9					

#### FLAT BARN DOOR TRACK, STEEL, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\times$ 3/16

##### Price per 100 feet, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-738	92-7	July.....	\$ 8-056	96-5
Feb.....	7-738	92-7	Aug.....	8-056	96-5
March.....	7-738	92-7	Sept.....	8-056	96-5
April.....	7-738	92-7	Oct.....	8-056	96-5
May.....	7-738	92-7	Nov.....	8-056	96-5
June.....	8-056	96-5	Dec.....	8-056	96-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$7-924; Index—94-9					

#### SCREEN DOOR HINGES, No. 20

##### Price per gross, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 12-720	86-5	July.....	\$ 12-720	86-5
Feb.....	12-720	86-5	Aug.....	12-720	86-5
March.....	12-720	86-5	Sept.....	12-720	86-5
April.....	12-720	86-5	Oct.....	12-720	86-5
May.....	12-720	86-5	Nov.....	12-720	86-5
June.....	12-720	86-5	Dec.....	12-720	86-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$12-720; Index—86-5					

#### WIRE

##### WIRE, GALVANIZED, BARBED

##### Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-550	82-6	July.....	\$ 3-750	87-2
Feb.....	3-750	87-2	Aug.....	3-750	87-2
March.....	3-750	87-2	Sept.....	3-750	87-2
April.....	3-750	87-2	Oct.....	3-750	87-2
May.....	3-750	87-2	Nov.....	3-750	87-2
June.....	3-750	87-2	Dec.....	3-750	87-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-733; Index—86-8					

#### WIRE, GALVANIZED, No. 9

##### Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-450	83-1	July.....	\$ 3-450	83-1
Feb.....	3-450	83-1	Aug.....	3-450	83-1
March.....	3-450	83-1	Sept.....	3-450	83-1
April.....	3-450	83-1	Oct.....	3-450	83-1
May.....	3-450	83-1	Nov.....	3-450	83-1
June.....	3-450	83-1	Dec.....	3-450	83-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-450; Index—83-1					

#### WIRE, ANNEALED, No. 9

##### Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-500	89-7	July.....	\$ 3-500	89-7
Feb.....	3-500	89-7	Aug.....	3-500	89-7
March.....	3-500	89-7	Sept.....	3-500	89-7
April.....	3-500	89-7	Oct.....	3-500	89-7
May.....	3-500	89-7	Nov.....	3-500	89-7
June.....	3-500	89-7	Dec.....	3-500	89-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-500; Index—89-7					

## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## SCRAP

SCRAP—HEAVY MELTING STEEL IN CHARGING BOX SIZE  
(i.e. NOT MORE THAN 5' LONG, NOT WIDER THAN 16",  
AND NOT LESS THAN 1/4" IN THICKNESS)

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-500	58-5	July.....	\$ 9-500	65-4
Feb.....	9-000	62-0	Aug.....	9-500	65-4
March.....	10-000	68-9	Sept.....	8-500	58-5
April.....	10-000	68-9	Oct.....	8-500	58-5
May.....	10-000	68-9	Nov.....	8-500	58-5
June.....	10-000	68-9	Dec.....	8-500	58-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$9-208; Index—63-4					

SCRAP—HEAVY MELTING STEEL OVER CHARGING BOX SIZE  
(THIS INCLUDES BOILER PLATE, STRUCTURAL STEEL,  
TANK PLATES AND SIMILAR MATERIAL)

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-000	53-9	July.....	\$ 7-500	57-8
Feb.....	7-500	57-8	Aug.....	7-500	57-8
March.....	8-500	65-5	Sept.....	6-500	50-1
April.....	8-500	65-5	Oct.....	6-500	50-1
May.....	8-500	65-5	Nov.....	6-500	50-1
June.....	8-500	65-5	Dec.....	6-500	50-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$7-458; Index—57-5					

## SCRAP—TURNINGS AND BORINGS

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6-000	48-7	July.....	\$ 6-500	52-7
Feb.....	6-000	48-7	Aug.....	6-000	48-7
March.....	7-000	56-8	Sept.....	6-000	48-7
April.....	7-000	56-8	Oct.....	6-000	48-7
May.....	7-000	56-8	Nov.....	6-000	48-7
June.....	7-000	56-8	Dec.....	6-000	48-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$6-375; Index—51-7					

## SCRAP—No. 1 MACHINERY, CAST IRON

Price per net ton, delivered at Canadian foundry

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 9-000	47-0	July.....	\$ 10-000	52-2
Feb.....	9-500	49-6	Aug.....	9-500	49-6
March.....	10-500	54-8	Sept.....	9-500	49-6
April.....	10-500	54-8	Oct.....	9-500	49-6
May.....	10-500	54-8	Nov.....	9-500	49-6
June.....	10-500	54-8	Dec.....	9-500	49-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$9-833; Index—51-3					

## SCRAP—No. 2 MACHINERY, CAST IRON

Price per net ton, delivered at Canadian foundry

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-000	41-2	July.....	\$ 7-000	41-2
Feb.....	7-000	41-2	Aug.....	6-500	38-2
March.....	8-000	47-1	Sept.....	6-500	38-2
April.....	8-000	47-1	Oct.....	6-500	38-2
May.....	8-000	47-1	Nov.....	6-500	38-2
June.....	8-000	47-1	Dec.....	6-500	38-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$7-125; Index—41-9					

## MISCELLANEOUS

## CAR AXLES

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 76-000	95-0	July.....	\$ 76-000	95-0
Feb.....	76-000	95-0	Aug.....	76-000	95-0
March.....	76-000	95-0	Sept.....	76-000	95-0
April.....	76-000	95-0	Oct.....	76-000	95-0
May.....	76-000	95-0	Nov.....	76-000	95-0
June.....	76-000	95-0	Dec.....	76-000	95-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$76-000; Index—95-0					

## GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

## ALUMINIUM, VIRGIN, 98-99 PER CENT

Price per pound at New York, monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-230	85-0	July.....	\$ 0-214	79-1
Feb.....	-210	77-6	Aug.....	-211	78-0
March.....	-215	79-5	Sept.....	-211	78-0
April.....	-214	79-1	Oct.....	-212	78-3
May.....	-214	79-1	Nov.....	-211	78-0
June.....	-214	79-1	Dec.....	-214	79-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-214; Index—79-1					

## ALUMINIUM SHEET

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-270	—	July.....	\$ 0-270	—
Feb.....	-270	—	Aug.....	-270	—
March.....	-270	—	Sept.....	-270	—
April.....	-270	—	Oct.....	-270	—
May.....	-270	—	Nov.....	-270	—
June.....	-270	—	Dec.....	-270	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-270					

## ANTIMONY, CHINESE, 99 PER CENT

Price per cwt. in less carlots, ex-warehouse, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-250	42-8	July.....	\$ 7-750	45-8
Feb.....	7-250	42-8	Aug.....	8-350	49-3
March.....	7-250	42-8	Sept.....	8-500	50-2
April.....	7-500	44-3	Oct.....	9-000	53-2
May.....	7-750	45-8	Nov.....	12-000	70-9
June.....	7-650	45-2	Dec.....	13-250	78-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-625; Index—51-0					

## COPPER AND ITS PRODUCTS

## COPPER, ELECTROLYTIC, DOMESTIC

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 9-295	59-0	July.....	\$ 7-989	50-7
Feb.....	9-340	59-2	Aug.....	7-641	48-5
March.....	8-893	56-4	Sept.....	7-297	46-3
April.....	8-967	56-9	Oct.....	7-125	45-2
May.....	8-822	56-0	Nov.....	7-264	46-1
June.....	8-579	54-4	Dec.....	7-428	47-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-220; Index—52-1					

## COPPER SHEET

Base price per pound, carlots and less, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-176	86-7	July.....	\$ 0-164	80-8
Feb.....	-176	86-7	Aug.....	-159	78-3
March.....	-169	83-3	Sept.....	-153	75-4
April.....	-169	83-3	Oct.....	-148	72-9
May.....	-169	83-3	Nov.....	-153	75-4
June.....	-169	83-3	Dec.....	-160	78-8
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-164; Index—80-8					

## ELECTROLYTIC COPPER WIRE BARS, IMPORTED

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. New York

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-980	57-0	July.....	\$ 8-910	63-7
Feb.....	8-075	57-7	Aug.....	8-809	63-0
March.....	8-015	57-3	Sept.....	8-741	62-5
April.....	8-489	60-7	Oct.....	8-814	63-0
May.....	8-483	60-6	Nov.....	8-781	62-8
June.....	8-927	63-8	Dec.....	8-910	63-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-578; Index—61-3					

## GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

## COPPER AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## SOLID BARE COPPER WIRE

Base price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-135	69-8	July.....	\$ 0-135	69-8
Feb.....	135	69-8	Aug.....	130	67-2
March.....	130	67-2	Sept.....	130	67-2
April.....	135	69-8	Oct.....	120	62-0
May.....	135	69-8	Nov.....	120	62-0
June.....	135	69-8	Dec.....	120	62-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-130; Index—67-2					

## BRASS SHEETS, YELLOW (HIGH)

Base price per pound, quantity lots, at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-159	76-4	July.....	\$ 0-156	75-0
Feb.....	159	76-4	Aug.....	156	75-0
March.....	159	76-4	Sept.....	155	74-5
April.....	159	76-4	Oct.....	155	74-5
May.....	159	76-4	Nov.....	155	74-5
June.....	159	76-4	Dec.....	155	74-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-157; Index—75-4					

## BRASS VALVES

Price per valve, at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-428	—	July.....	\$ 1-428	—
Feb.....	1-428	—	Aug.....	1-428	—
March.....	1-428	—	Sept.....	1-428	—
April.....	1-428	—	Oct.....	1-428	—
May.....	1-428	—	Nov.....	1-428	—
June.....	1-428	—	Dec.....	1-428	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-428					

## LEAD AND ITS PRODUCTS

## LEAD, DOMESTIC

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-832	47-0	July.....	\$ 3-225	39-6
Feb.....	3-858	47-3	Aug.....	3-237	39-7
March.....	3-779	46-3	Sept.....	3-147	38-6
April.....	3-612	44-3	Oct.....	3-098	38-0
May.....	3-374	41-4	Nov.....	3-214	39-4
June.....	3-310	40-6	Dec.....	3-220	39-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-409; Index—41-8					

## LEAD PIPE

Price per pound net, at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-108	71-6	July.....	\$ 0-118	78-3
Feb.....	108	71-6	Aug.....	118	78-3
March.....	108	71-6	Sept.....	118	78-3
April.....	108	71-6	Oct.....	118	78-3
May.....	108	71-6	Nov.....	118	78-3
June.....	108	71-6	Dec.....	118	78-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-113; Index—75-0					

## LEAD AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## FINE SILVER

Price per ounce at New York, monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-444	71-6	July.....	\$ 0-458	73-9
Feb.....	456	73-6	Aug.....	479	77-3
March.....	460	74-2	Sept.....	482	77-8
April.....	451	72-8	Oct.....	513	82-8
May.....	441	71-2	Nov.....	530	85-5
June.....	448	72-3	Dec.....	537	86-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-474; Index—76-5					

## TIN INGOTS, STRAITS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-563	84-1	July.....	\$ 0-573	85-6
Feb.....	565	84-4	Aug.....	575	85-9
March.....	595	88-9	Sept.....	563	84-1
April.....	590	88-2	Oct.....	555	82-9
May.....	575	85-9	Nov.....	555	82-9
June.....	560	83-7	Dec.....	553	82-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-569; Index—85-0					

## TIN INGOTS, 99-25 PER CENT

Price per pound in 500 pound lots, at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-565	—	July.....	\$ 0-555	—
Feb.....	560	—	Aug.....	545	—
March.....	578	—	Sept.....	535	—
April.....	596	—	Oct.....	535	—
May.....	570	—	Nov.....	533	—
June.....	545	—	Dec.....	537	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-555					

## ZINC (SPELTER), DOMESTIC, PRIME, WESTERN OR G.O.B. GRADES

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-750	53-8	July.....	\$ 3-850	43-6
Feb.....	4-658	52-8	Aug.....	3-824	43-3
March.....	4-498	51-0	Sept.....	3-700	41-9
April.....	4-367	49-5	Oct.....	3-580	40-6
May.....	4-174	47-3	Nov.....	3-627	41-1
June.....	4-010	45-4	Dec.....	3-665	41-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$4-059; Index—46-0					

## ZINC SHEET

Base price per pound, in carlots of 10 casks, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-058	69-0	July.....	\$ 0-054	64-3
Feb.....	0-057	67-9	Aug.....	0-054	64-3
March.....	0-057	67-9	Sept.....	0-053	63-1
April.....	0-057	67-9	Oct.....	0-053	63-1
May.....	0-056	66-7	Nov.....	0-054	64-3
June.....	0-055	65-5	Dec.....	0-054	64-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-055; Index—65-5					

## SOLDER GUARANTEED, 50-50

Price per pound, at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-305	78-5	July.....	\$ 0-320	82-4
Feb.....	305	78-5	Aug.....	320	82-4
March.....	315	81-1	Sept.....	320	82-4
April.....	328	84-4	Oct.....	320	82-4
May.....	320	82-4	Nov.....	320	82-4
June.....	320	82-4	Dec.....	320	82-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-318; Index—81-9					

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

## CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS

## BRICK, COMMON PLASTIC, RED

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 17-813	107-1	July.....	\$ 17-813	107-1
Feb.....	17-813	107-1	Aug.....	17-813	107-1
March.....	17-813	107-1	Sept.....	17-813	107-1
April.....	17-813	107-1	Oct.....	17-813	107-1
May.....	17-813	107-1	Nov.....	17-813	107-1
June.....	17-813	107-1	Dec.....	17-813	107-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$17-813; Index—107-1					

CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS  
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## BRICK, DRY PRESS, No. 1

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 27-550	90-6	July.....	\$ 27-550	90-6
Feb.....	27-550	90-6	Aug.....	27-550	90-6
March.....	27-550	90-6	Sept.....	27-550	90-6
April.....	27-550	90-6	Oct.....	27-550	90-6
May.....	27-550	90-6	Nov.....	27-550	90-6
June.....	27-550	90-6	Dec.....	27-550	90-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$27-550; Index—90-6					



## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS

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## BRICK, SOFT MUD PROCESS, COMMON

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 19-000	106-4	July.....	\$ 19-000	106-4
Feb.....	19-000	106-4	Aug.....	19-000	106-4
March.....	19-000	106-4	Sept.....	19-000	106-4
April.....	19-000	106-4	Oct.....	19-000	106-4
May.....	19-000	106-4	Nov.....	19-000	106-4
June.....	19-000	106-4	Dec.....	19-000	106-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$19-000; Index—106-4

## BRICK, STIFF MUD PROCESS (WIRE CUT), STOCK

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots

Jan.....	\$ 25-000	103-5	July.....	\$ 25-000	103-5
Feb.....	25-000	103-5	Aug.....	25-000	103-5
March.....	25-000	103-5	Sept.....	25-000	103-5
April.....	25-000	103-5	Oct.....	25-000	103-5
May.....	25-000	103-5	Nov.....	25-000	103-5
June.....	25-000	103-5	Dec.....	25-000	103-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$25-000; Index—103-5

## BRICK, STIFF MUD PROCESS, STOCK No. 1

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$22-500	97-8	July.....	\$ 22-500	97-8
Feb.....	22-500	97-8	Aug.....	22-500	97-8
March.....	22-500	97-8	Sept.....	22-500	97-8
April.....	22-500	97-8	Oct.....	22-500	97-8
May.....	22-500	97-8	Nov.....	22-500	97-8
June.....	22-500	97-8	Dec.....	22-500	97-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$22-500; Index—97-8

## BRICK, DRY PRESS, FACE

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots

Jan.....	\$ 25-000	108-2	July.....	\$ 25-000	108-2
Feb.....	25-000	108-2	Aug.....	25-000	108-2
March.....	25-000	108-2	Sept.....	25-000	108-2
April.....	25-000	108-2	Oct.....	25-000	108-2
May.....	25-000	108-2	Nov.....	25-000	108-2
June.....	25-000	108-2	Dec.....	25-000	108-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$25-000; Index—108-2

## BRICK, SAND-LIME

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 12-000	86-7	July.....	\$ 12-000	86-7
Feb.....	12-000	86-7	Aug.....	12-000	86-7
March.....	12-000	86-7	Sept.....	12-000	86-7
April.....	12-000	86-7	Oct.....	12-000	86-7
May.....	12-000	86-7	Nov.....	12-000	86-7
June.....	12-000	86-7	Dec.....	12-000	86-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$12-000; Index—86-7

## HOLLOW BUILDING TILE, 12" X 12" X 4"

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec), carlots

Jan.....	\$100-000	90-1	July.....	\$ 90-000	81-1
Feb.....	100-000	90-1	Aug.....	90-000	81-1
March.....	100-000	90-1	Sept.....	90-000	81-1
April.....	90-000	81-1	Oct.....	90-000	81-1
May.....	90-000	81-1	Nov.....	90-000	81-1
June.....	90-000	81-1	Dec.....	90-000	81-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$92-500; Index—83-3

## STUCCO

Price per ton, car loads or less, mixing plant, Ontario

Jan.....	\$ 11-950	—	July.....	\$ 11-950	—
Feb.....	11-950	—	Aug.....	11-950	—
March.....	11-950	—	Sept.....	11-950	—
April.....	11-950	—	Oct.....	11-950	—
May.....	11-950	—	Nov.....	11-950	—
June.....	11-950	—	Dec.....	11-950	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$11-950

## CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS

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## SEWER PIPE, VITRIFIED, 6"

Price per foot at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-270	—	July.....	\$ 0-192	—
Feb.....	.270	—	Aug.....	.192	—
March.....	.270	—	Sept.....	.192	—
April.....	.270	—	Oct.....	.192	—
May.....	.270	—	Nov.....	.150	—
June.....	.270	—	Dec.....	.150	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-224

## POTTERY

## CUPS AND SAUCERS, No. 1 QUALITY, ENGLISH EARTHEN

WARE FROM OPEN STOCK

Price per dozen at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-100	81-5	July.....	\$ 1-100	81-5
Feb.....	1-100	81-5	Aug.....	1-100	81-5
March.....	1-100	81-5	Sept.....	1-100	81-5
April.....	1-100	81-5	Oct.....	1-100	81-5
May.....	1-100	81-5	Nov.....	1-100	81-5
June.....	1-100	81-5	Dec.....	1-100	81-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-100; Index—81-5

## DINNER SETS, PRINTED

Price per set of 97 pieces at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 13-750	99-9	July.....	\$ 14-500	105-3
Feb.....	13-750	99-9	Aug.....	14-500	105-3
March.....	13-750	99-9	Sept.....	14-500	105-3
April.....	13-750	99-9	Oct.....	14-500	105-3
May.....	14-500	105-3	Nov.....	14-500	105-3
June.....	14-500	105-3	Dec.....	14-500	105-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$14-250; Index—103-5

## COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS

## COAL, AMERICAN BITUMINOUS, RUN OF MINE

Price per net ton, ex yard, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 5-500	88-8	July.....	\$ 5-850	94-4
Feb.....	5-500	88-8	Aug.....	5-850	94-4
March.....	5-500	88-8	Sept.....	5-850	94-4
April.....	5-500	88-8	Oct.....	5-850	94-4
May.....	5-850	94-4	Nov.....	5-850	94-4
June.....	5-850	94-4	Dec.....	5-850	94-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-733; Index—92-6

## COAL, AMERICAN BITUMINOUS, SLACK

Price per net ton, ex yard, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 5-000	85-0	July.....	\$ 5-250	89-3
Feb.....	5-000	85-0	Aug.....	5-250	89-3
March.....	5-000	85-0	Sept.....	5-250	89-3
April.....	5-000	85-0	Oct.....	5-250	89-3
May.....	5-000	85-0	Nov.....	5-250	89-3
June.....	5-000	85-0	Dec.....	5-250	89-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-125; Index—87-1

## COAL, AMERICAN ANTHRACITE, EGG

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. Toronto, carlots

Jan.....	\$ 12-454	91-8	July.....	\$ 11-872	87-6
Feb.....	12-454	91-8	Aug.....	12-163	89-7
March.....	12-454	91-8	Sept.....	12-454	91-8
April.....	11-301	83-3	Oct.....	12-454	91-8
May.....	11-301	83-3	Nov.....	12-454	91-8
June.....	11-592	85-5	Dec.....	12-454	91-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$12-117; Index—89-4

## COAL, WELSH ANTHRACITE, No. 1 BUCKWHEAT

Price per gross ton, ex yard, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 8-650	—	July.....	\$ 9-000	—
Feb.....	8-650	—	Aug.....	9-000	—
March.....	8-650	—	Sept.....	9-000	—
April.....	8-650	—	Oct.....	9-000	—
May.....	9-000	—	Nov.....	9-000	—
June.....	9-000	—	Dec.....	9-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$8-833

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## COAL, WELSH COBBLES

Price per gross ton, ex yard, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 12-500	—	July.....	\$ 13-000	—
Feb.....	12-500	—	Aug.....	13-000	—
March.....	12-500	—	Sept.....	13-000	—
April.....	12-500	—	Oct.....	13-000	—
May.....	12-500	—	Nov.....	13-000	—
June.....	12-500	—	Dec.....	13-000	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$12-750

## COAL, BITUMINOUS

Price for small lots, per net ton, f.o.b. mines, Nova Scotia

Jan.....	\$ 5-250	86-3	July.....	\$ 5-250	86-3
Feb.....	5-250	86-3	Aug.....	5-250	86-3
March.....	5-250	86-3	Sept.....	5-250	86-3
April.....	5-250	86-3	Oct.....	5-250	86-3
May.....	5-250	86-3	Nov.....	5-250	86-3
June.....	5-250	86-3	Dec.....	5-250	86-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-250; Index—86-3

## COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, DOUBLE SCREENED

Price per ton at Drumheller, Alberta

Jan.....	\$ 3-700	76-2	July.....	\$ 3-450	71-0
Feb.....	3-450	71-0	Aug.....	3-450	71-0
March.....	3-450	71-0	Sept.....	3-500	72-1
April.....	3-450	71-0	Oct.....	3-600	74-1
May.....	3-450	71-0	Nov.....	3-600	74-1
June.....	3-450	71-0	Dec.....	3-600	74-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-513; Index—72-3

## COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, 3" LUMP

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. mine, Lethbridge, Alberta

Jan.....	\$ 4-250	78-2	July.....	\$ 4-250	78-2
Feb.....	4-250	78-2	Aug.....	4-250	78-2
March.....	4-250	78-2	Sept.....	4-250	78-2
April.....	4-250	78-2	Oct.....	4-250	78-2
May.....	4-250	78-2	Nov.....	4-250	78-2
June.....	4-250	78-2	Dec.....	4-250	78-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-250; Index—78-2

## COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, LUMP, OVER 4" SCREENED

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine, Edmonton, Alberta

Jan.....	\$ 2-750	76-8	July.....	\$ 2-850	79-5
Feb.....	2-750	76-8	Aug.....	2-850	79-5
March.....	2-500	69-8	Sept.....	2-850	79-5
April.....	2-500	69-8	Oct.....	3-000	83-7
May.....	2-500	69-8	Nov.....	3-000	83-7
June.....	2-850	79-5	Dec.....	3-000	83-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-783; Index—77-7

## COAL, DOMESTIC, RUN OF MINE

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. mines, B.C.

Jan.....	\$ 3-500	82-0	July.....	\$ 3-500	82-0
Feb.....	3-500	82-0	Aug.....	3-500	82-0
March.....	3-500	82-0	Sept.....	3-500	82-0
April.....	3-500	82-0	Oct.....	3-500	82-0
May.....	3-500	82-0	Nov.....	3-500	82-0
June.....	3-500	82-0	Dec.....	3-500	82-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-500; Index—82-0

## COAL, DOMESTIC, SLACK

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. mines, B.C.

Jan.....	\$ 3-000	81-3	July.....	\$ 3-000	81-3
Feb.....	3-000	81-3	Aug.....	3-000	81-3
March.....	3-000	81-3	Sept.....	3-000	81-3
April.....	3-000	81-3	Oct.....	3-000	81-3
May.....	3-000	81-3	Nov.....	3-000	81-3
June.....	3-000	81-3	Dec.....	3-000	81-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-000; Index—81-3

## COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## COAL, HOUSE LUMP

Price per gross ton, B.C.

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-200	—	July.....	\$ 7-190	—
Feb.....	7-050	—	Aug.....	7-200	—
March.....	7-190	—	Sept.....	7-180	—
April.....	7-130	—	Oct.....	7-210	—
May.....	7-050	—	Nov.....	7-130	—
June.....	7-150	—	Dec.....	7-180	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$7-155

## COAL, WASHED, SLACK

Price per gross, ton B.C.

Jan.....	\$ 3-530	—	July.....	\$ 3-350	—
Feb.....	4-060	—	Aug.....	3-370	—
March.....	3-530	—	Sept.....	3-010	—
April.....	3-440	—	Oct.....	3-110	—
May.....	3-330	—	Nov.....	3-160	—
June.....	3-300	—	Dec.....	3-620	—

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-401

## COAL TAR, CRUDE

Price per barrel, f.o.b. factory in straight or mixed carlots

Jan.....	\$ 10-230	107-7	July.....	\$ 10-230	107-7
Feb.....	10-230	107-7	Aug.....	10-230	107-7
March.....	10-230	107-7	Sept.....	10-230	107-7
April.....	10-230	107-7	Oct.....	10-230	107-7
May.....	10-230	107-7	Nov.....	10-230	107-7
June.....	10-230	107-7	Dec.....	10-230	107-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$10-230; Index—107-7

## COKE, METALLURGICAL

Price per ton to Canadian Smelters, f.o.b. plant, Ontario

Jan.....	\$ 7-000	96-6	July.....	\$ 7-000	96-6
Feb.....	7-000	96-6	Aug.....	7-000	96-6
March.....	7-000	96-6	Sept.....	7-000	96-6
April.....	7-000	96-6	Oct.....	7-000	96-6
May.....	7-000	96-6	Nov.....	7-000	96-6
June.....	7-000	96-6	Dec.....	7-000	96-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$7-000; Index—96-6

## COKE, METALLURGICAL

Price per ton to Canadian Smelters, f.o.b. plant, B.C.

Jan.....	\$ 6-000	81-1	July.....	\$ 6-000	81-1
Feb.....	6-000	81-1	Aug.....	6-000	81-1
March.....	6-000	81-1	Sept.....	6-000	81-1
April.....	6-000	81-1	Oct.....	6-000	81-1
May.....	6-000	81-1	Nov.....	6-000	81-1
June.....	6-000	81-1	Dec.....	6-000	81-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$6-000; Index—81-1

## COKE, BY-PRODUCT, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, Nova Scotia

Jan.....	\$ 5-500	81-5	July.....	\$ 5-500	81-5
Feb.....	5-500	81-5	Aug.....	6-000	88-9
March.....	5-500	81-5	Sept.....	6-000	88-9
April.....	5-500	81-5	Oct.....	6-000	88-9
May.....	5-500	81-5	Nov.....	6-000	88-9
June.....	5-500	81-5	Dec.....	6-000	88-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-708; Index—84-6

## COKE, BY-PRODUCT, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, Ontario

Jan.....	\$ 7-000	93-3	July.....	\$ 7-000	93-3
Feb.....	7-000	93-3	Aug.....	7-000	93-3
March.....	7-000	93-3	Sept.....	7-000	93-3
April.....	7-000	93-3	Oct.....	7-000	93-3
May.....	7-000	93-3	Nov.....	7-000	93-3
June.....	7-000	93-3	Dec.....	7-000	93-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$7-000; Index—93-3

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## COKE, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, B.C.

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-750	93-4	July.....	\$ 7-750	93-4
Feb.....	7-750	93-4	Aug.....	7-250	87-3
March.....	7-750	93-4	Sept.....	7-250	87-3
April.....	7-750	93-4	Oct.....	7-250	87-3
May.....	7-750	93-4	Nov.....	7-250	87-3
June.....	7-750	93-4	Dec.....	7-250	87-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$7-542; Index—90-9

## MANUFACTURED GAS

Composite price for first 10,000 cu. feet

Jan.....	\$ 12-154	98-0	July.....	\$ 12-154	98-0
Feb.....	12-154	98-0	Aug.....	12-154	98-0
March.....	12-154	98-0	Sept.....	12-154	98-0
April.....	12-154	98-0	Oct.....	12-154	98-0
May.....	12-154	98-0	Nov.....	12-154	98-0
June.....	12-154	98-0	Dec.....	12-154	98-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$12-154; Index—98-0

## GLASS AND ITS PRODUCTS

## WINDOW GLASS, 16 oz., 40 U.I.

Price per box at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 4-464	96-3	July.....	\$ 4-464	96-3
Feb.....	4-464	96-3	Aug.....	4-464	96-3
March.....	4-464	96-3	Sept.....	4-464	96-3
April.....	4-464	96-3	Oct.....	4-464	96-3
May.....	4-464	96-3	Nov.....	4-464	96-3
June.....	4-464	96-3	Dec.....	4-464	96-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-464; Index—96-3

## WINDOW GLASS, 21 oz., 60 U.I.

Price per box at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 9-792	114-0	July.....	\$ 9-792	114-0
Feb.....	9-792	114-0	Aug.....	9-792	114-0
March.....	9-792	114-0	Sept.....	9-792	114-0
April.....	9-792	114-0	Oct.....	9-792	114-0
May.....	9-792	114-0	Nov.....	9-792	114-0
June.....	9-792	114-0	Dec.....	9-792	114-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$9-792; Index—114-0

## PLATE GLASS, 3'-4', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-525	59-1	July.....	\$ 0-525	59-1
Feb.....	-525	59-1	Aug.....	-525	59-1
March.....	-525	59-1	Sept.....	-525	59-1
April.....	-525	59-1	Oct.....	-525	59-1
May.....	-525	59-1	Nov.....	-525	59-1
June.....	-525	59-1	Dec.....	-525	59-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-525; Index—59-1

## PLATE GLASS, 10'-12', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-800	61-8	July.....	\$ 0-800	61-8
Feb.....	-800	61-8	Aug.....	-800	61-8
March.....	-800	61-8	Sept.....	-800	61-8
April.....	-800	61-8	Oct.....	-800	61-8
May.....	-800	61-8	Nov.....	-800	61-8
June.....	-800	61-8	Dec.....	-800	61-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-800; Index—61-8

## PLATE GLASS, 25'-50', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-006	71-0	July.....	\$ 1-006	71-0
Feb.....	-006	71-0	Aug.....	-006	71-0
March.....	1-006	71-0	Sept.....	-006	71-0
April.....	-006	71-0	Oct.....	-006	71-0
May.....	1-006	71-0	Nov.....	-006	71-0
June.....	-006	71-0	Dec.....	-006	71-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-006; Index—71-0

## GLASS AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## TUMBLERS, TANK GLASS, OPEN STOCK

Price per gross at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-200	92-3	July.....	\$ 4-450	97-8
Feb.....	4-200	92-3	Aug.....	4-450	97-8
March.....	4-450	97-8	Sept.....	4-450	97-8
April.....	4-450	97-8	Oct.....	4-450	97-8
May.....	4-450	97-8	Nov.....	4-450	97-8
June.....	4-450	97-8	Dec.....	4-450	97-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-408; Index—96-9

## PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS

## CRUDE OIL, MID-CONTINENT

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Sarnia

Jan.....	\$ 2-770	71-8	July.....	\$ 2-750	71-3
Feb.....	2-780	72-1	Aug.....	2-670	69-2
March.....	2-760	71-5	Sept.....	2-670	69-2
April.....	2-760	71-5	Oct.....	2-680	69-5
May.....	2-760	71-5	Nov.....	2-680	69-5
June.....	2-740	71-0	Dec.....	2-680	69-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-725; Index—70-6

## CRUDE OIL, SALT CREEK

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Regina

Jan.....	\$ 2-970	74-3	July.....	\$ 2-950	73-8
Feb.....	2-980	74-5	Aug.....	2-920	73-0
March.....	2-960	74-0	Sept.....	2-920	73-0
April.....	2-960	74-0	Oct.....	2-930	73-3
May.....	2-960	74-0	Nov.....	2-930	73-3
June.....	2-940	73-5	Dec.....	2-930	73-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-946; Index—73-7

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Halifax

Jan.....	\$ 0-195	69-0	July.....	\$ 0-180	63-7
Feb.....	-195	69-0	Aug.....	-180	63-7
March.....	-195	69-0	Sept.....	-180	63-7
April.....	-195	69-0	Oct.....	-180	63-7
May.....	-195	69-0	Nov.....	-180	63-7
June.....	-180	63-7	Dec.....	-180	63-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-186; Index—65-8

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-180	71-3	July.....	\$ 0-180	71-3
Feb.....	-180	71-3	Aug.....	-180	71-3
March.....	-180	71-3	Sept.....	-180	71-3
April.....	-180	71-3	Oct.....	-180	71-3
May.....	-180	71-3	Nov.....	-180	71-3
June.....	-180	71-3	Dec.....	-180	71-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-180; Index—71-3

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-185	73-3	July.....	\$ 0-155	61-4
Feb.....	-185	73-3	Aug.....	-150	59-4
March.....	-185	73-3	Sept.....	-150	59-4
April.....	-185	73-3	Oct.....	-150	59-4
May.....	-155	61-4	Nov.....	-150	59-4
June.....	-155	61-4	Dec.....	-150	59-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-163; Index—64-6

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-217	76-4	July.....	\$ 0-217	76-4
Feb.....	-217	76-4	Aug.....	-217	76-4
March.....	-217	76-4	Sept.....	-217	76-4
April.....	-217	76-4	Oct.....	-217	76-4
May.....	-217	76-4	Nov.....	-217	76-4
June.....	-217	76-4	Dec.....	-217	76-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-217; Index—76-4



## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Regina

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-230	71-9	July.....	\$ 0-230	71-9
Feb.....	.230	71-9	Aug.....	.230	71-9
March.....	.230	71-9	Sept.....	.230	71-9
April.....	.230	71-9	Oct.....	.230	71-9
May.....	.230	71-9	Nov.....	.230	71-9
June.....	.230	71-9	Dec.....	.230	71-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-230; Index—71-9

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Calgary

Jan.....	\$ 0-225	76-9	July.....	\$ 0-225	76-9
Feb.....	.225	76-9	Aug.....	.225	76-9
March.....	.225	76-9	Sept.....	.225	76-9
April.....	.225	76-9	Oct.....	.225	76-9
May.....	.225	76-9	Nov.....	.225	76-9
June.....	.225	76-9	Dec.....	.225	76-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-225 Index—76-9

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-210	95-5	July.....	\$ 0-210	95-5
Feb.....	.210	95-5	Aug.....	.210	95-5
March.....	.210	95-5	Sept.....	.210	95-5
April.....	.210	95-5	Oct.....	.200	90-9
May.....	.210	95-5	Nov.....	.200	90-9
June.....	.210	95-5	Dec.....	.200	90-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-208 Index—94-5

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Halifax

Jan.....	\$ 0-210	81-4	July.....	\$ 0-210	81-4
Feb.....	.210	81-4	Aug.....	.210	81-4
March.....	.210	81-4	Sept.....	.210	81-4
April.....	.210	81-4	Oct.....	.210	81-4
May.....	.210	81-4	Nov.....	.210	81-4
June.....	.210	81-4	Dec.....	.195	75-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-209; Index—81-0

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-170	74-6	July.....	\$ 0-170	74-6
Feb.....	.170	74-6	Aug.....	.170	74-6
March.....	.170	74-6	Sept.....	.170	74-6
April.....	.170	74-6	Oct.....	.170	74-6
May.....	.170	74-6	Nov.....	.170	74-6
June.....	.170	74-6	Dec.....	.170	74-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-170; Index—74-6

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-175	76-8	July.....	\$ 0-175	76-8
Feb.....	.175	76-8	Aug.....	.175	76-8
March.....	.175	76-8	Sept.....	.175	76-8
April.....	.175	76-8	Oct.....	.175	76-8
May.....	.175	76-8	Nov.....	.175	76-8
June.....	.175	76-8	Dec.....	.175	76-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-175; Index—76-8

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-202	80-0	July.....	\$ 0-202	80-0
Feb.....	.202	80-0	Aug.....	.202	80-0
March.....	.202	80-0	Sept.....	.202	80-0
April.....	.202	80-0	Oct.....	.202	80-0
May.....	.202	80-0	Nov.....	.202	80-0
June.....	.202	80-0	Dec.....	.202	80-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-202; Index—80-0

## PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Regina

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-215	76-8	July.....	\$ 0-215	76-8
Feb.....	.215	76-8	Aug.....	.215	76-8
March.....	.215	76-8	Sept.....	.215	76-8
April.....	.215	76-8	Oct.....	.215	76-8
May.....	.215	76-8	Nov.....	.215	76-8
June.....	.215	76-8	Dec.....	.215	76-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-215; Index—76-8

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Calgary

Jan.....	\$ 0-210	79-8	July.....	\$ 0-210	79-8
Feb.....	.210	79-8	Aug.....	.210	79-8
March.....	.210	79-8	Sept.....	.210	79-8
April.....	.210	79-8	Oct.....	.210	79-8
May.....	.210	79-8	Nov.....	.210	79-8
June.....	.210	79-8	Dec.....	.210	79-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-210; Index—79-8

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-240	104-3	July.....	\$ 0-240	104-3
Feb.....	.240	104-3	Aug.....	.240	104-3
March.....	.240	104-3	Sept.....	.240	104-3
April.....	.240	104-3	Oct.....	.240	104-3
May.....	.240	104-3	Nov.....	.240	104-3
June.....	.240	104-3	Dec.....	.240	104-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-240; Index—104-3

## FUEL OIL (LIGHT)

Price per gallon, tank cars, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-080	84-9	July.....	\$ 0-080	84-9
Feb.....	.080	84-9	Aug.....	.080	84-9
March.....	.080	84-9	Sept.....	.080	84-9
April.....	.080	84-9	Oct.....	.080	84-9
May.....	.080	84-9	Nov.....	.080	84-9
June.....	.080	84-9	Dec.....	.080	84-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-080; Index—84-9

## LUBRICATING OIL

Price per gallon, f.o.b. Toronto (contract price)

Jan.....	\$ 0-293	93-0	July.....	\$ 0-293	93-0
Feb.....	.293	93-0	Aug.....	.293	93-0
March.....	.293	93-0	Sept.....	.293	93-0
April.....	.293	93-0	Oct.....	.293	93-0
May.....	.293	93-0	Nov.....	.293	93-0
June.....	.293	93-0	Dec.....	.293	93-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-293; Index—93-0

## ASPHALT

## ASPHALT PAVING

Price per ton, tank cars, at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 14-300	95-3	July.....	\$ 14-300	95-3
Feb.....	14-300	95-3	Aug.....	14-300	95-3
March.....	14-300	95-3	Sept.....	14-300	95-3
April.....	14-300	95-3	Oct.....	14-300	95-3
May.....	14-300	95-3	Nov.....	14-300	95-3
June.....	14-300	95-3	Dec.....	14-300	95-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$14-300; Index—95-3

## ASPHALT, PAVING

Price per ton, tank cars, at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 17-600	83-8	July.....	\$ 17-600	83-8
Feb.....	17-600	83-8	Aug.....	17-600	83-8
March.....	17-600	83-8	Sept.....	17-600	83-8
April.....	17-600	83-8	Oct.....	17-600	83-8
May.....	17-600	83-8	Nov.....	17-600	83-8
June.....	17-600	83-8	Dec.....	17-600	83-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$17-600; Index—83-8

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## SALT

## SALT, VACUUM, FINE

Price per barrel, 280 pounds net, carlots f.o.b. Sarnia

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-750	125-0	July.....	\$ 1-750	125-0
Feb.....	1-750	125-0	Aug.....	1-750	125-0
March.....	1-750	125-0	Sept.....	1-750	125-0
April.....	1-750	125-0	Oct.....	1-750	125-0
May.....	1-750	125-0	Nov.....	1-750	125-0
June.....	1-750	125-0	Dec.....	1-750	125-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-750; Index—125-0					

## SALT, VACUUM, COARSE

Price per barrel, 280 pounds net, carlots f.o.b. Sarnia

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-270	113-0	July.....	\$ 2-270	113-0
Feb.....	2-270	113-0	Aug.....	2-270	113-0
March.....	2-270	113-0	Sept.....	2-270	113-0
April.....	2-270	113-0	Oct.....	2-270	113-0
May.....	2-270	113-0	Nov.....	2-270	113-0
June.....	2-270	113-0	Dec.....	2-270	113-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$2-270; Index—113-0					

## SALT, DAIRY

Price per barrel, 280 pounds net, carlots f.o.b. Sarnia

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-120	104-0	July.....	\$ 3-120	104-0
Feb.....	3-120	104-0	Aug.....	3-120	104-0
March.....	3-120	104-0	Sept.....	3-120	104-0
April.....	3-120	104-0	Oct.....	3-120	104-0
May.....	3-120	104-0	Nov.....	3-120	104-0
June.....	3-120	104-0	Dec.....	3-120	104-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-120; Index—104-0					

## SALT, TABLE

Price per barrel (80 bags), carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-420	118-5	July.....	\$ 4-420	118-5
Feb.....	4-420	118-5	Aug.....	4-420	118-5
March.....	4-420	118-5	Sept.....	3-640	97-6
April.....	4-420	118-5	Oct.....	3-640	97-6
May.....	4-420	118-5	Nov.....	3-640	97-6
June.....	4-420	118-5	Dec.....	3-640	97-6
Average, 1934: Price—\$4-160; Index—111-5					

## SULPHUR

## SULPHUR (CRUDE BRIMSTONE)

Price per gross ton, ex vessel, Three Rivers or Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 21-596	91-9	July.....	\$ 21-865	93-0
Feb.....	21-853	93-0	Aug.....	21-630	92-0
March.....	21-664	92-2	Sept.....	21-465	91-3
April.....	21-582	91-8	Oct.....	21-644	92-1
May.....	22-093	94-0	Nov.....	21-561	91-7
June.....	21-920	93-3	Dec.....	21-879	93-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$21-729; Index—92-5					

## PLASTER

## PLASTER, HARD WALL, NEAT

Price per net ton, f.o.b. plant, New Brunswick

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 9-350	98-4	July.....	\$ 9-350	98-4
Feb.....	9-350	98-4	Aug.....	9-650	101-6
March.....	9-350	98-4	Sept.....	9-650	101-6
April.....	9-350	98-4	Oct.....	9-650	101-6
May.....	9-350	98-4	Nov.....	10-350	108-9
June.....	9-350	98-4	Dec.....	10-350	108-9
Average, 1934: Price—\$9-592; Index—101-0					

## PLASTER, HARD WALL, NEAT

Price per ton, including bags, f.o.b. plant, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 11-950	106-2	July.....	\$ 11-950	106-2
Feb.....	11-950	106-2	Aug.....	11-950	106-2
March.....	11-950	106-2	Sept.....	11-950	106-2
April.....	11-950	106-2	Oct.....	11-950	106-2
May.....	11-950	106-2	Nov.....	11-950	106-2
June.....	11-950	106-2	Dec.....	11-950	106-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$11-950; Index—106-2					

## PLASTER—Concluded

## PLASTER OF PARIS

Price per barrel of 300 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-000	105-3	July.....	\$ 5-000	105-3
Feb.....	5-000	105-3	Aug.....	5-000	105-3
March.....	5-000	105-3	Sept.....	5-000	105-3
April.....	5-000	105-3	Oct.....	5-000	105-3
May.....	5-000	105-3	Nov.....	5-000	105-3
June.....	5-000	105-3	Dec.....	5-000	105-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$5-000; Index—105-3					

## LIME AND CEMENT

## No. 1 HIGH CALCIUM LUMP LIME

Price per ton, f.o.b. works (Quebec)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6-000	78-4	July.....	\$ 6-000	78-4
Feb.....	6-000	78-4	Aug.....	6-000	78-4
March.....	6-000	78-4	Sept.....	6-000	78-4
April.....	6-000	78-4	Oct.....	6-000	78-4
May.....	6-000	78-4	Nov.....	6-000	78-4
June.....	6-000	78-4	Dec.....	6-000	78-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$6-000; Index—78-4					

## QUICKLIME, GREY

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-500	106-3	July.....	\$ 8-500	106-3
Feb.....	8-500	106-3	Aug.....	8-500	106-3
March.....	8-500	106-3	Sept.....	8-500	106-3
April.....	8-500	106-3	Oct.....	8-500	106-3
May.....	8-500	106-3	Nov.....	8-500	106-3
June.....	8-500	106-3	Dec.....	8-500	106-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-500; Index—106-3					

## HYDRATED LIME

Price per ton, f.o.b. works (Quebec)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 8-000	92-7	July.....	\$ 8-000	92-7
Feb.....	8-000	92-7	Aug.....	8-000	92-7
March.....	8-000	92-7	Sept.....	8-000	92-7
April.....	8-000	92-7	Oct.....	8-000	92-7
May.....	8-000	92-7	Nov.....	8-000	92-7
June.....	8-000	92-7	Dec.....	8-000	92-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$8-000; Index—92-7					

## HYDRATED LIME

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 13-250	106-0	July.....	\$ 13-250	106-0
Feb.....	13-250	106-0	Aug.....	13-250	106-0
March.....	13-250	106-0	Sept.....	13-250	106-0
April.....	13-250	106-0	Oct.....	13-250	106-0
May.....	13-250	106-0	Nov.....	13-250	106-0
June.....	13-250	106-0	Dec.....	13-250	106-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$13-250; Index—106-0					

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Montreal (exclusive of sacks and discount)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-700	114-0	July.....	\$ 1-700	114-0
Feb.....	1-700	114-0	Aug.....	1-700	114-0
March.....	1-700	114-0	Sept.....	1-700	114-0
April.....	1-700	114-0	Oct.....	1-700	114-0
May.....	1-700	114-0	Nov.....	1-700	114-0
June.....	1-700	114-0	Dec.....	1-700	114-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-700; Index—114-0					

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Toronto (exclusive of sacks and discount)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-100	107-5	July.....	\$ 2-100	107-5
Feb.....	2-100	107-5	Aug.....	2-100	107-5
March.....	2-100	107-5	Sept.....	2-100	107-5
April.....	2-100	107-5	Oct.....	2-100	107-5
May.....	2-100	107-5	Nov.....	2-100	107-5
June.....	2-100	107-5	Dec.....	2-100	107-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$2-100; Index—107-5					

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## LIME AND CEMENT—Concluded

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Winnipeg (exclusive of sacks and discount)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-680	87-9	July.....	\$ 2-680	87-9
Feb.....	2-680	87-9	Aug.....	2-680	87-9
March.....	2-680	87-9	Sept.....	2-680	87-9
April.....	2-680	87-9	Oct.....	2-680	87-9
May.....	2-680	87-9	Nov.....	2-680	87-9
June.....	2-680	87-9	Dec.....	2-680	87-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-680; Index—87-9

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Regina (exclusive of sacks and discount)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-350	90-5	July.....	\$ 3-350	90-5
Feb.....	3-350	90-5	Aug.....	3-350	90-5
March.....	3-350	90-5	Sept.....	3-350	90-5
April.....	3-350	90-5	Oct.....	3-350	90-5
May.....	3-350	90-5	Nov.....	3-350	90-5
June.....	3-350	90-5	Dec.....	3-350	90-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-350; Index—90-5

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel, f.o.b. railway cars, Vancouver (exclusive of sacks)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-491	84-7	July.....	\$ 2-491	84-7
Feb.....	2-491	84-7	Aug.....	2-491	84-7
March.....	2-491	84-7	Sept.....	2-491	84-7
April.....	2-491	84-7	Oct.....	2-491	84-7
May.....	2-491	84-7	Nov.....	2-491	84-7
June.....	2-491	84-7	Dec.....	2-491	84-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-491; Index—84-7

## SAND AND GRAVEL

## SAND, CONCRETE

Price per ton in carlots, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-250	111-1	July.....	\$ 1-250	111-1
Feb.....	1-250	111-1	Aug.....	1-250	111-1
March.....	1-250	111-1	Sept.....	1-250	111-1
April.....	1-250	111-1	Oct.....	1-250	111-1
May.....	1-250	111-1	Nov.....	1-250	111-1
June.....	1-250	111-1	Dec.....	1-250	111-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-250; Index—111-1

## SAND, CONCRETE

Price per ton in carlots, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-000	74-1	July.....	\$ 1-000	74-1
Feb.....	1-000	74-1	Aug.....	1-000	74-1
March.....	1-000	74-1	Sept.....	1-000	74-1
April.....	1-000	74-1	Oct.....	1-000	74-1
May.....	1-000	74-1	Nov.....	1-000	74-1
June.....	1-000	74-1	Dec.....	1-000	74-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-000; Index—74-1

## SAND, CONCRETE

Price per cubic yard, in carlots, f.o.b. cars, Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-150	100-0	July.....	\$ 1-150	100-0
Feb.....	1-150	100-0	Aug.....	1-150	100-0
March.....	1-150	100-0	Sept.....	1-150	100-0
April.....	1-150	100-0	Oct.....	1-150	100-0
May.....	1-150	100-0	Nov.....	1-150	100-0
June.....	1-150	100-0	Dec.....	1-150	100-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-150; Index—100-0

## SAND, CONCRETE

Price per cubic yard, scow lots, f.o.b. Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-000	90-9	July.....	\$ 1-000	90-9
Feb.....	1-000	90-9	Aug.....	1-000	90-9
March.....	1-000	90-9	Sept.....	1-000	90-9
April.....	1-000	90-9	Oct.....	1-000	90-9
May.....	1-000	90-9	Nov.....	1-000	90-9
June.....	1-000	90-9	Dec.....	1-000	90-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-000; Index—90-9

## SAND AND GRAVEL—Concluded

## GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-000	80-0	July.....	\$ 1-000	80-0
Feb.....	1-000	80-0	Aug.....	1-000	80-0
March.....	1-000	80-0	Sept.....	1-000	80-0
April.....	1-000	80-0	Oct.....	1-000	80-0
May.....	1-000	80-0	Nov.....	1-000	80-0
June.....	1-000	80-0	Dec.....	1-000	80-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-000; Index—80-0

## GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-430	81-7	July.....	\$ 1-650	94-3
Feb.....	1-650	94-3	Aug.....	1-650	94-3
March.....	1-650	94-3	Sept.....	1-650	94-3
April.....	1-650	94-3	Oct.....	1-650	94-3
May.....	1-650	94-3	Nov.....	1-650	94-3
June.....	1-650	94-3	Dec.....	1-650	94-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-632; Index—93-3

## GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per cubic yard, f.o.b. cars, Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-150	100-0	July.....	\$ 1-150	100-0
Feb.....	1-150	100-0	Aug.....	1-150	100-0
March.....	1-150	100-0	Sept.....	1-150	100-0
April.....	1-150	100-0	Oct.....	1-150	100-0
May.....	1-150	100-0	Nov.....	1-150	100-0
June.....	1-150	100-0	Dec.....	1-150	100-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-150; Index—100-0

## GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per cubic yard, scow lots, f.o.b. Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-000	90-9	July.....	\$ 1-000	90-9
Feb.....	1-000	90-9	Aug.....	1-000	90-9
March.....	1-000	90-9	Sept.....	1-000	90-9
April.....	1-000	90-9	Oct.....	1-000	90-9
May.....	1-000	90-9	Nov.....	1-000	90-9
June.....	1-000	90-9	Dec.....	1-000	90-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-000; Index—90-9

## CRUSHED STONE

## CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-500	35-7	July.....	\$ 0-700	50-
Feb.....	-500	35-7	Aug.....	-700	50-
March.....	-500	35-7	Sept.....	-700	50-
April.....	-500	35-7	Oct.....	-700	50-
May.....	-500	35-7	Nov.....	-700	50-
June.....	-500	35-7	Dec.....	-700	50-

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-600; Index—42-9

## CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per ton, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-600	86-5	July.....	\$ 1-850	100-
Feb.....	1-850	100-0	Aug.....	1-850	100-
March.....	1-850	100-0	Sept.....	1-850	100-
April.....	1-850	100-0	Oct.....	1-850	100-
May.....	1-850	100-0	Nov.....	1-850	100-
June.....	1-850	100-0	Dec.....	1-850	100-

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-829; Index—98-9

## CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per cubic yard, scow lots, f.o.b. Vancouver

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-130	90-4	July.....	\$ 1-130	90-
Feb.....	1-130	90-4	Aug.....	1-130	90-
March.....	1-130	90-4	Sept.....	1-130	90-
April.....	1-130	90-4	Oct.....	1-130	90-
May.....	1-130	90-4	Nov.....	1-130	90-
June.....	1-130	90-4	Dec.....	1-130	90-

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-130; Index—90-4



## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

## BUILDING STONE

STANSTEAD GRANITE, BASE STOCK BLOCKS (CONTAINING UP TO 30 CUBIC FEET)

Price per cubic foot, f.o.b. cars, quarries (Quebec)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-750	75-0	July.....	\$ 0-750	75-0
Feb.....	.750	75-0	Aug.....	.750	75-0
March.....	.750	75-0	Sept.....	.750	75-0
April.....	.750	75-0	Oct.....	.750	75-0
May.....	.750	75-0	Nov.....	.750	75-0
June.....	.750	75-0	Dec.....	.750	75-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-750; Index—75-0					

STANSTEAD GRANITE, DIE STOCK BLOCKS (CONTAINING UP TO 30 CUBIC FEET)

Price per cubic foot, f.o.b. cars, quarries (Quebec)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-250	83-3	July.....	\$ 1-250	83-3
Feb.....	1-250	83-3	Aug.....	1-250	83-3
March.....	1-250	83-3	Sept.....	1-250	83-3
April.....	1-250	83-3	Oct.....	1-250	83-3
May.....	1-250	83-3	Nov.....	1-250	83-3
June.....	1-250	83-3	Dec.....	1-250	83-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-250; Index—83-3					

## DOLOMITE (SILVER GREY)

Price per cubic foot (rough blocks), f.o.b. cars, quarries, (Ontario)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-800	64-0	July.....	\$ 0-800	64-0
Feb.....	.800	64-0	Aug.....	.800	64-0
March.....	.800	64-0	Sept.....	.800	64-0
April.....	.800	64-0	Oct.....	.800	64-0
May.....	.800	64-0	Nov.....	.800	64-0
June.....	.800	64-0	Dec.....	.800	64-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-800; Index—64-0					

## ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS

## ASBESTOS, CRUDE No. 1

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$450-000	89-3	July.....	\$450-000	89-3
Feb.....	450-000	89-3	Aug.....	450-000	89-3
March.....	450-000	89-3	Sept.....	450-000	89-3
April.....	450-000	89-3	Oct.....	450-000	89-3
May.....	450-000	89-3	Nov.....	450-000	89-3
June.....	450-000	89-3	Dec.....	450-000	89-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$450-000; Index—89-3					

## ASBESTOS, CRUDE No. 2

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$200-000	69-1	July.....	\$200-000	69-1
Feb.....	200-000	69-1	Aug.....	200-000	69-1
March.....	200-000	69-1	Sept.....	200-000	69-1
April.....	200-000	69-1	Oct.....	200-000	69-1
May.....	200-000	69-1	Nov.....	200-000	69-1
June.....	200-000	69-1	Dec.....	200-000	69-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$200-000; Index—69-1					

## ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## ASBESTOS, SPINNING STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$120-000	64-9	July.....	\$120-000	64-9
Feb.....	120-000	64-9	Aug.....	120-000	64-9
March.....	120-000	64-9	Sept.....	120-000	64-9
April.....	120-000	64-9	Oct.....	120-000	64-9
May.....	120-000	64-9	Nov.....	120-000	64-9
June.....	120-000	64-9	Dec.....	120-000	64-9
Average, 1934: Price—\$120-000; Index—64-9					

## ASBESTOS, SHINGLE STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 60-000	92-3	July.....	\$ 60-000	92-3
Feb.....	60-000	92-3	Aug.....	60-000	92-3
March.....	60-000	92-3	Sept.....	60-000	92-3
April.....	60-000	92-3	Oct.....	60-000	92-3
May.....	60-000	92-3	Nov.....	60-000	92-3
June.....	60-000	92-3	Dec.....	60-000	92-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$60-000; Index—92-3					

## ASBESTOS, MILL BOARD AND PAPER STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 32-500	72-2	July.....	\$ 32-500	72-2
Feb.....	32-500	72-2	Aug.....	32-500	72-2
March.....	32-500	72-2	Sept.....	32-500	72-2
April.....	32-500	72-2	Oct.....	32-500	72-2
May.....	32-500	72-2	Nov.....	32-500	72-2
June.....	32-500	72-2	Dec.....	32-500	72-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$32-500; Index—72-2					

## ASBESTOS, FILLERS, FLOATS AND OTHER SHORT FIBRE

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$12-000	80-0	July.....	\$12-000	80-0
Feb.....	12-000	80-0	Aug.....	12-000	80-0
March.....	12-000	80-0	Sept.....	12-000	80-0
April.....	12-000	80-0	Oct.....	12-000	80-0
May.....	12-000	80-0	Nov.....	12-000	80-0
June.....	12-000	80-0	Dec.....	12-000	80-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$12-000; Index—80-0					

## ASBESTOS, PIPE COVERING, 3 PLY

Price per foot, Eastern Canada

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-512	84-9	July.....	\$ 0-589	97-7
Feb.....	.512	84-9	Aug.....	.589	97-7
March.....	.512	84-9	Sept.....	.589	97-7
April.....	.512	84-9	Oct.....	.589	97-7
May.....	.512	84-9	Nov.....	.589	97-7
June.....	.512	84-9	Dec.....	.589	97-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-551; Index—91-4					

## ASBESTOS, MILL BOARD

Price per 100 pounds, Eastern Canada

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 9-000	116-1	July.....	\$ 9-000	116-1
Feb.....	9-000	116-1	Aug.....	9-000	116-1
March.....	9-000	116-1	Sept.....	9-000	116-1
April.....	9-000	116-1	Oct.....	9-000	116-1
May.....	9-000	116-1	Nov.....	9-000	116-1
June.....	9-000	116-1	Dec.....	9-000	116-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$9-000; Index—116-1					

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS

## AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS

Price per pound, f.o.b. factory, Toronto, sales tax extra

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-165	101-5	July.....	\$ 0-165	101-5
Feb.....	.165	101-5	Aug.....	.165	101-5
March.....	.165	101-5	Sept.....	.165	101-5
April.....	.165	101-5	Oct.....	.165	101-5
May.....	.165	101-5	Nov.....	.165	101-5
June.....	.165	101-5	Dec.....	.165	101-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-165; Index—101-5					

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS—Continued

## ARSENIOUS OXIDE (WHITE ARSENIC)

Price per pound, carlots, freight paid to eastern U.S. points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-036	111-1	July.....	\$ 0-034	104-9
Feb.....	.037	112-7	Aug.....	.034	104-9
March.....	.037	112-7	Sept.....	.033	101-9
April.....	.036	111-1	Oct.....	.033	101-9
May.....	.036	111-1	Nov.....	.033	101-9
June.....	.035	108-0	Dec.....	.034	104-9
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-035; Index—108-0					

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS—Continued

## NITRIC ACID, 36°

Price per 100 pounds in carboys, carlots, f.o.b. works,  
Ontario and Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 7-750	96-9	July.....	\$ 7-750	96-9
Feb.....	7-750	96-9	Aug.....	7-750	96-9
March.....	7-750	96-9	Sept.....	7-750	96-9
April.....	7-750	96-9	Oct.....	7-750	96-9
May.....	7-750	96-9	Nov.....	7-750	96-9
June.....	7-750	96-9	Dec.....	7-750	96-9
Average, 1934: Price—\$7-750; Index—96-9					

## HYDROCHLORIC (MURIATIC) ACID, 18°

Price per net ton in tank cars, f.o.b. works,  
Ontario and Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 25-000	104-2	July.....	\$ 25-000	104-2
Feb.....	25-000	104-2	Aug.....	25-000	104-2
March.....	25-000	104-2	Sept.....	25-000	104-2
April.....	25-000	104-2	Oct.....	25-000	104-2
May.....	25-000	104-2	Nov.....	25-000	104-2
June.....	25-000	104-2	Dec.....	25-000	104-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$25-000; Index—104-2					

## SODIUM SULPHATE (GLAUBER'S SALT)

Price per 100 pounds, in carlots, f.o.b. works, Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-000	100-0	July.....	\$ 0-800	80-0
Feb.....	.800	80-0	Aug.....	.800	80-0
March.....	.800	80-0	Sept.....	.800	80-0
April.....	.800	80-0	Oct.....	.800	80-0
May.....	.800	80-0	Nov.....	.800	80-0
June.....	.800	80-0	Dec.....	.800	80-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$0-817; Index—81-7					

## SODIUM BICARBONATE, PURE

Price per 100 pounds in lots of 5 barrels (400 pounds each),  
f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-000	122-4	July.....	\$ 3-000	122-4
Feb.....	3-000	122-4	Aug.....	3-000	122-4
March.....	3-000	122-4	Sept.....	3-000	122-4
April.....	3-000	122-4	Oct.....	3-000	122-4
May.....	3-000	122-4	Nov.....	3-000	122-4
June.....	3-000	122-4	Dec.....	3-000	122-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-000; Index—122-4					

## BLEACHING POWDER, 35-37 PER CENT

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. works, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-750	102-2	July.....	\$ 1-750	102-2
Feb.....	1-750	102-2	Aug.....	1-750	102-2
March.....	1-750	102-2	Sept.....	1-750	102-2
April.....	1-750	102-2	Oct.....	1-750	102-2
May.....	1-750	102-2	Nov.....	1-750	102-2
June.....	1-750	102-2	Dec.....	1-750	102-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-750; Index—102-2					

## SODA ASH, 58 PER CENT, LIGHT

Price per 100 pounds, in bags, carlots, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-680	89-7	July.....	\$ 1-680	89-7
Feb.....	1-680	89-7	Aug.....	1-680	89-7
March.....	1-680	89-7	Sept.....	1-680	89-7
April.....	1-680	89-7	Oct.....	1-680	89-7
May.....	1-680	89-7	Nov.....	1-680	89-7
June.....	1-680	89-7	Dec.....	1-680	89-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$1-680; Index—89-7					

## CAUSTIC SODA, 76-77 PER CENT, FLAKES

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. works, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-350	93-5	July.....	\$ 3-350	93-5
Feb.....	3-350	93-5	Aug.....	3-350	93-5
March.....	3-350	93-5	Sept.....	3-350	93-5
April.....	3-350	93-5	Oct.....	3-350	93-5
May.....	3-350	93-5	Nov.....	3-350	93-5
June.....	3-350	93-5	Dec.....	3-350	93-5
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-350; Index—93-5					

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS—Continued

## CALCIUM CARBIDE

Price per ton, carlots, f.o.b. works, Welland

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 87-000	100-2	July.....	\$ 87-000	100-2
Feb.....	87-000	100-2	Aug.....	87-000	100-2
March.....	87-000	100-2	Sept.....	87-000	100-2
April.....	87-000	100-2	Oct.....	87-000	100-2
May.....	87-000	100-2	Nov.....	87-000	100-2
June.....	87-000	100-2	Dec.....	87-000	100-2
Average, 1934: Price—\$87-000; Index—100-2					

## GRAY ACETATE OF LIME

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Ontario and Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-000	92-3	July.....	\$ 3-500	107-7
Feb.....	3-000	92-3	Aug.....	3-000	92-3
March.....	3-000	92-3	Sept.....	3-500	107-7
April.....	3-500	107-7	Oct.....	3-500	107-7
May.....	3-500	107-7	Nov.....	3-500	107-7
June.....	3-500	107-7	Dec.....	3-500	107-7
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-333; Index—102-6					

## ALUM, LUMP

Price per 100 pounds in barrels, ton lots, ex wharf, Montreal  
or Saint John, N.B.

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-150	98-6	July.....	\$ 2-110	96-1
Feb.....	2-160	99-1	Aug.....	2-110	96-1
March.....	2-160	99-1	Sept.....	2-080	95-5
April.....	2-180	100-0	Oct.....	2-060	94-4
May.....	2-130	97-7	Nov.....	2-060	94-4
June.....	2-130	97-7	Dec.....	2-060	94-4
Average, 1934: Price—\$2-116; Index—97-1					

## BORAX, COMMERCIAL

Price per 100 pounds in barrels, ton lots, c.i.f. Montreal and  
Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-500	69-1	July.....	\$ 3-500	69-1
Feb.....	3-500	69-1	Aug.....	3-500	69-1
March.....	3-500	69-1	Sept.....	3-500	69-1
April.....	3-500	69-1	Oct.....	3-500	69-1
May.....	3-500	69-1	Nov.....	3-500	69-1
June.....	3-500	69-1	Dec.....	3-500	69-1
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-500; Index—69-1					

## COPPER SULPHATE (BLUE VITRIOL), CRYSTALS

Price per 100 pounds in 5 ton lots, c.i.f. ocean ports

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-790	76-8	July.....	\$ 3-720	75-0
Feb.....	3-850	78-0	Aug.....	3-720	75-0
March.....	3-850	78-0	Sept.....	3-670	74-0
April.....	3-890	78-0	Oct.....	3-450	69-0
May.....	3-730	75-6	Nov.....	3-450	69-0
June.....	3-750	76-0	Dec.....	3-450	69-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$3-693; Index—74-9					

## MAGNESIUM SULPHATE, TECHNICAL (EPSOM SALT)

Price per ton in bags, Montreal and Toronto, on first day  
month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 25-000	100-0	July.....	\$ 25-000	100-0
Feb.....	25-000	100-0	Aug.....	25-000	100-0
March.....	25-000	100-0	Sept.....	25-000	100-0
April.....	25-000	100-0	Oct.....	25-000	100-0
May.....	25-000	100-0	Nov.....	25-000	100-0
June.....	25-000	100-0	Dec.....	25-000	100-0
Average, 1934: Price—\$25-000; Index—100-0					

## SULPHURIC ACID, 66° BEAUMÉ

Price per net ton, tank cars, f.o.b. works (Ontario)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 16-000	114-3	July.....	\$ 16-000	114-3
Feb.....	16-000	114-3	Aug.....	16-000	114-3
March.....	16-000	114-3	Sept.....	16-000	114-3
April.....	16-000	114-3	Oct.....	16-000	114-3
May.....	16-000	114-3	Nov.....	16-000	114-3
June.....	16-000	114-3	Dec.....	16-000	114-3
Average, 1934: Price—\$16-000; Index—114-3					

## GROUP VIII—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS—Concluded

## CHLORINE, LIQUID, CYLINDERS

Price per pound, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-093	100-0	July.....	\$ 0-093	100-0
Feb.....	0-093	100-0	Aug.....	0-093	100-0
March.....	0-093	100-0	Sept.....	0-093	100-0
April.....	0-093	100-0	Oct.....	0-093	100-0
May.....	0-093	100-0	Nov.....	0-093	100-0
June.....	0-093	100-0	Dec.....	0-093	100-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-093; Index—100-0

## SODIUM CYANIDE, BULK, 98-99 PER CENT

Price per pound, carlots, Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-153	75-7	July.....	\$ 0-153	75-7
Feb.....	0-153	75-7	Aug.....	0-153	75-7
March.....	0-153	75-7	Sept.....	0-153	75-7
April.....	0-153	75-7	Oct.....	0-153	75-7
May.....	0-153	75-7	Nov.....	0-151	74-8
June.....	0-153	75-7	Dec.....	0-151	74-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-153; Index—75-7

## SODIUM BICHROMATE

Price per pound in barrels, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-087	104-3	July.....	\$ 0-087	104-3
Feb.....	0-087	104-3	Aug.....	0-087	104-3
March.....	0-087	104-3	Sept.....	0-087	104-3
April.....	0-087	104-3	Oct.....	0-087	104-3
May.....	0-087	104-3	Nov.....	0-087	104-3
June.....	0-087	104-3	Dec.....	0-087	104-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-087; Index—104-3

## AMMONIUM CHLORIDE (SAL AMMONIAC), GRAY

Price per pound in carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-050	78-4	July.....	\$ 0-040	62-7
Feb.....	0-050	78-4	Aug.....	0-040	62-7
March.....	0-050	78-4	Sept.....	0-040	62-7
April.....	0-040	62-7	Oct.....	0-040	62-7
May.....	0-040	62-7	Nov.....	0-040	62-7
June.....	0-040	62-7	Dec.....	0-040	62-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-043; Index—67-5

## CALCIUM CHLORIDE, FLAKE

Price per ton in carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 32-000	88-9	July.....	\$ 28-500	79-2
Feb.....	32-000	88-9	Aug.....	28-500	79-2
March.....	32-000	88-9	Sept.....	28-500	79-2
April.....	28-500	79-2	Oct.....	28-500	79-2
May.....	28-500	79-2	Nov.....	28-500	79-2
June.....	28-500	79-2	Dec.....	28-500	79-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$29-375; Index—81-6

## ALUMINIUM SULPHATE

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-500	85-7	July.....	\$ 1-550	88-6
Feb.....	1-500	85-7	Aug.....	1-550	88-6
March.....	1-500	85-7	Sept.....	1-550	88-6
April.....	1-500	85-7	Oct.....	1-550	88-6
May.....	1-500	85-7	Nov.....	1-550	88-6
June.....	1-550	88-6	Dec.....	1-550	88-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-835; Index—87-7

## ORGANIC CHEMICALS

## ACETIC ACID, 99 PER CENT, GLACIAL

Price per pound, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-120	100-0	July.....	\$ 0-120	100-0
Feb.....	0-120	100-0	Aug.....	0-120	100-0
March.....	0-120	100-0	Sept.....	0-120	100-0
April.....	0-120	100-0	Oct.....	0-120	100-0
May.....	0-120	100-0	Nov.....	0-120	100-0
June.....	0-120	100-0	Dec.....	0-120	100-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-120; Index—100-0

## ORGANIC CHEMICALS—Concluded

## WOOD (METHYL) ALCOHOL, 97 PER CENT

Price per gallon, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-700	80-5	July.....	\$ 0-650	74-7
Feb.....	0-650	74-7	Aug.....	0-650	74-7
March.....	0-650	74-7	Sept.....	0-650	74-7
April.....	0-650	74-7	Oct.....	0-650	74-7
May.....	0-650	74-7	Nov.....	0-650	74-7
June.....	0-650	74-7	Dec.....	0-650	74-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-654; Index—75-2

## ALCOHOL, DENATURED, COLOGNE SPIRITS

Price per proof gallon in bond, f.o.b. Toronto or Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-400	72-7	July.....	\$ 0-400	72-7
Feb.....	0-400	72-7	Aug.....	0-400	72-7
March.....	0-400	72-7	Sept.....	0-400	72-7
April.....	0-400	72-7	Oct.....	0-400	72-7
May.....	0-400	72-7	Nov.....	0-400	72-7
June.....	0-400	72-7	Dec.....	0-400	72-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-400; Index—72-7

## CREAM OF TARTAR, 98 PER CENT

Price per pound, Montreal and Toronto, on 1st day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-255	134-2	July.....	\$ 0-255	134-2
Feb.....	0-255	134-2	Aug.....	0-255	134-2
March.....	0-255	134-2	Sept.....	0-255	134-2
April.....	0-255	134-2	Oct.....	0-255	134-2
May.....	0-255	134-2	Nov.....	0-255	134-2
June.....	0-255	134-2	Dec.....	0-255	134-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-255; Index—134-2

## FORMALDEHYDE

Price per pound in barrel, f.o.b. Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-083	72-9	July.....	\$ 0-065	57-1
Feb.....	0-083	72-9	Aug.....	0-065	57-1
March.....	0-083	72-9	Sept.....	0-065	57-1
April.....	0-065	57-1	Oct.....	0-065	57-1
May.....	0-065	57-1	Nov.....	0-065	57-1
June.....	0-065	57-1	Dec.....	0-065	57-1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-070; Index—61-5

## GLYCERINE, REFINED

Price per pound in drum lots, at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-125	45-0	July.....	\$ 0-140	50-5
Feb.....	0-120	46-8	Aug.....	0-140	50-5
March.....	0-130	46-8	Sept.....	0-140	50-5
April.....	0-130	46-8	Oct.....	0-148	53-3
May.....	0-140	50-5	Nov.....	0-148	53-3
June.....	0-140	50-5	Dec.....	0-148	53-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-138; Index—49-7

## COAL TAR PRODUCTS

## CREOSOTE OIL, CRUDE

Price per imperial gallon, tank carlots, f.o.b. works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-140	90-0	July.....	\$ 0-140	90-0
Feb.....	0-140	90-0	Aug.....	0-140	90-0
March.....	0-140	90-0	Sept.....	0-140	90-0
April.....	0-140	90-0	Oct.....	0-140	90-0
May.....	0-140	90-0	Nov.....	0-140	90-0
June.....	0-140	90-0	Dec.....	0-140	90-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-140; Index—90-0

## BENZOL, PURE

Price per imperial gallon in tank cars, f.o.b. Canadian producing point

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-330	94-1	July.....	\$ 0-300	85-5
Feb.....	*330	94-1	Aug.....	0-320	91-2
March.....	0-320	91-2	Sept.....	0-320	91-2
April.....	0-320	91-2	Oct.....	0-320	91-2
May.....	0-320	91-2	Nov.....	0-320	91-2
June.....	0-320	91-2	Dec.....	0-320	91-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-319; Index—90-9

\*Nominal.



## DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS

Direct Black (Oxydiamine Black, J.E.I. Extra)

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-300	102-6	July.....	\$ 0-300	102-6
Feb.....	300	102-6	Aug.....	300	102-6
March.....	300	102-6	Sept.....	300	102-6
April.....	300	102-6	Oct.....	300	102-6
May.....	300	102-6	Nov.....	300	102-6
June.....	300	102-6	Dec.....	300	102-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-300; Index—102-6

## SULPHUR BLACK (KATIGEN DEEP BLACK (G.G.N. CONC.))

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....	\$ 0-205	93-2	July.....	\$ 0-205	93-2
Feb.....	205	93-2	Aug.....	205	93-2
March.....	205	93-2	Sept.....	205	93-2
April.....	205	93-2	Oct.....	205	93-2
May.....	205	93-2	Nov.....	205	93-2
June.....	205	93-2	Dec.....	205	93-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-205; Index—93-2

## NIGROSINE WATER, SOLUBLE (J.T.L. EXTRA, CONC. TYPE)

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....	\$ 0-400	102-6	July.....	\$ 0-400	102-6
Feb.....	400	102-6	Aug.....	400	102-6
March.....	400	102-6	Sept.....	400	102-6
April.....	400	102-6	Oct.....	400	102-6
May.....	400	102-6	Nov.....	400	102-6
June.....	400	102-6	Dec.....	400	102-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-400; Index—102-6

## METHYLENE BLUE, B.G.

Price per pound in 100 pound kegs, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....	\$ 0-950	90-5	July.....	\$ 0-950	90-5
Feb.....	950	90-5	Aug.....	950	90-5
March.....	950	90-5	Sept.....	950	90-5
April.....	950	90-5	Oct.....	950	90-5
May.....	950	90-5	Nov.....	950	90-5
June.....	950	90-5	Dec.....	950	90-5

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-950; Index—90-5

## INDIGO (SYNTHETIC), 20 PER CENT, PASTE

Price per pound in ton lots, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....	\$ 0-135	128-6	July.....	\$ 0-135	128-6
Feb.....	135	128-6	Aug.....	135	128-6
March.....	135	128-6	Sept.....	135	128-6
April.....	135	128-6	Oct.....	135	128-6
May.....	135	128-6	Nov.....	135	128-6
June.....	135	128-6	Dec.....	135	128-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-135; Index—128-6

## AUROMINE O (YELLOW)

Price per pound in 500 pound barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....	\$ 0-800	85-0	July.....	\$ 0-770	81-8
Feb.....	800	85-0	Aug.....	770	81-8
March.....	800	85-0	Sept.....	770	81-8
April.....	770	81-8	Oct.....	770	81-8
May.....	770	81-8	Nov.....	770	81-8
June.....	770	81-8	Dec.....	770	81-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-778; Index—82-6

## ALKALI BLUE, No. 4

Price per pound in 10 and 25 pound tins, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....	\$ 2-015	103-3	July.....	\$ 2-015	103-3
Feb.....	2-015	103-3	Aug.....	2-015	103-3
March.....	2-015	103-3	Sept.....	2-015	103-3
April.....	2-015	103-3	Oct.....	2-015	103-3
May.....	2-015	103-3	Nov.....	2-015	103-3
June.....	2-015	103-3	Dec.....	2-015	103-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$2-015; Index—103-3

## DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS—Concluded

## QUEBRACHO EXTRACT, LIQUID

Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-250	121-4	July.....	\$ 4-150	118-6
Feb.....	4-250	121-4	Aug.....	4-150	118-6
March.....	4-250	121-4	Sept.....	4-150	118-6
April.....	4-250	121-4	Oct.....	*4-150	118-6
May.....	4-150	118-6	Nov.....	*4-150	118-6
June.....	4-150	118-6	Dec.....	4-250	121-4

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-200; Index—120-0

\*Nominal.

## HEMLOCK EXTRACT, LIQUID

Price per 100 pounds in 1-5 barrel lots, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 5-250	108-0	July.....	\$ 5-250	108-0
Feb.....	5-250	108-0	Aug.....	5-250	108-0
March.....	5-250	108-0	Sept.....	5-000	102-9
April.....	5-250	108-0	Oct.....	4-870	100-2
May.....	5-250	108-0	Nov.....	4-870	100-2
June.....	5-250	108-0	Dec.....	4-870	100-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$5-134; Index—105-6

## LOGWOOD EXTRACT, LIQUID

Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 12-000	123-5	July.....	\$ 12-000	123-5
Feb.....	12-000	123-5	Aug.....	12-000	123-5
March.....	12-000	123-5	Sept.....	12-000	123-5
April.....	12-000	123-5	Oct.....	12-000	123-5
May.....	12-000	123-5	Nov.....	11-500	118-3
June.....	12-000	123-5	Dec.....	11-500	118-3

Average, 1934: Price—\$11-917; Index—122-6

## EXPLOSIVES

## GUNPOWDER, BLACK, SPORTING

Price per 25 pound keg, f.o.b. Beloeil, Quebec

Jan.....	\$ 8-459	100-7	July.....	\$ 8-459	100-7
Feb.....	8-459	100-7	Aug.....	8-459	100-7
March.....	8-459	100-7	Sept.....	8-459	100-7
April.....	8-459	100-7	Oct.....	8-459	100-7
May.....	8-459	100-7	Nov.....	8-459	100-7
June.....	8-459	100-7	Dec.....	8-459	100-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$8-459; Index—100-7

## DYNAMITE, 40 PER CENT, GELATIN

Price per 100 pounds in carlots, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 12-750	83-7	July.....	\$ 12-750	83-7
Feb.....	12-750	83-7	Aug.....	12-500	82-2
March.....	12-750	83-7	Sept.....	12-500	82-2
April.....	12-750	83-7	Oct.....	12-500	82-2
May.....	12-750	83-7	Nov.....	12-250	80-0
June.....	12-750	83-7	Dec.....	12-250	80-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$12-604; Index—82-8

## PAINT MATERIALS

## SHELLAC, DRY, T.N.

Monthly average price per pound at New York

Jan.....	\$ 0-213	57-7	July.....	\$ 0-262	71-0
Feb.....	216	58-5	Aug.....	259	70-7
March.....	214	58-0	Sept.....	253	69-6
April.....	206	55-0	Oct.....	239	64-9
May.....	270	73-2	Nov.....	229	62-2
June.....	278	75-3	Dec.....	232	62-2

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-243; Index—65-9

## WHITE LEAD, BASIC CARBONATE IN OIL

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 7-800	69-6	July.....	\$ 7-800	69-6
Feb.....	7-800	69-6	Aug.....	7-800	69-6
March.....	7-800	69-6	Sept.....	7-800	69-6
April.....	7-800	69-6	Oct.....	7-800	69-6
May.....	7-800	69-6	Nov.....	7-800	69-6
June.....	7-800	69-6	Dec.....	7-800	69-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$7-800; Index—69-6

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

## PAINT MATERIALS—Concluded

## ZINC OXIDE, "XX" GRADE

Price per 100 pounds in bags, carlots, f.o.b. works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-736	82-9	July.....	\$ 6-435	93-0
Feb.....	5-804	83-9	Aug.....	6-362	92-0
March.....	5-754	83-2	Sept.....	6-313	91-3
April.....	6-492	93-9	Oct.....	6-366	92-0
May.....	6-498	94-0	Nov.....	6-342	91-7
June.....	6-447	93-2	Dec.....	6-435	93-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$6-249; Index—90-4

## RED LEAD, GENUINE

Price per 100 pounds, less carlots, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6-750	65-9	July.....	\$ 6-750	65-9
Feb.....	6-750	65-9	Aug.....	6-750	65-9
March.....	6-750	65-9	Sept.....	6-750	65-9
April.....	6-750	65-9	Oct.....	6-750	65-9
May.....	6-750	65-9	Nov.....	6-750	65-9
June.....	6-750	65-9	Dec.....	6-750	65-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$6-750; Index—65-9

## LITHOPONE

Price per 100 pounds in bags, carlots, f.o.b. works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-489	85-5	July.....	\$ 4-455	84-9
Feb.....	4-542	86-5	Aug.....	4-404	83-9
March.....	4-503	85-8	Sept.....	4-371	83-3
April.....	4-494	85-6	Oct.....	4-407	83-9
May.....	4-499	85-7	Nov.....	4-390	83-6
June.....	4-463	85-0	Dec.....	4-455	84-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$4-456; Index—84-9

## LITHARGE

Price per pound at Toronto or Montreal, on 1st day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-060	48-0	July.....	\$ 0-060	48-0
Feb.....	0-060	48-0	Aug.....	0-060	48-0
March.....	0-060	48-0	Sept.....	0-060	48-0
April.....	0-060	48-0	Oct.....	0-052	41-6
May.....	0-060	48-0	Nov.....	0-052	41-6
June.....	0-060	48-0	Dec.....	0-052	41-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-058; Index—46-4

## LAMPBLACK, PURE, DRY

Price per pound in less carlots, Ottawa

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-105	75-0	July.....	\$ 0-105	75-0
Feb.....	0-105	75-0	Aug.....	0-105	75-0
March.....	0-105	75-0	Sept.....	0-105	75-0
April.....	0-105	75-0	Oct.....	0-105	75-0
May.....	0-105	75-0	Nov.....	0-105	75-0
June.....	0-105	75-0	Dec.....	0-105	75-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-105; Index—75-0

## CARBON BLACK

Price per pound in less carlots, ex warehouse, Montreal or Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-072	61-3	July.....	\$ 0-082	69-8
Feb.....	0-076	64-7	Aug.....	0-081	68-9
March.....	0-083	70-6	Sept.....	0-080	68-1
April.....	0-082	69-8	Oct.....	0-081	68-9
May.....	0-082	69-8	Nov.....	0-080	68-1
June.....	0-082	69-8	Dec.....	0-082	69-8

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-080; Index—68-1

## PURE LINSEED OIL PUTTY

Price per 100 pounds in 400 pound drums, less ton lots, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-350	69-8	July.....	\$ 3-050	63-6
Feb.....	3-050	63-6	Aug.....	3-050	63-6
March.....	3-050	63-6	Sept.....	3-050	63-6
April.....	3-050	63-6	Oct.....	3-050	63-6
May.....	3-050	63-6	Nov.....	3-050	63-6
June.....	3-050	63-6	Dec.....	3-050	63-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-075; Index—64-1

## PREPARED PAINTS

## PAINT, PURE WHITE, FIRST QUALITY

Price per gallon at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-400	74-5	July.....	\$ 3-600	78-9
Feb.....	3-400	74-5	Aug.....	3-600	78-9
March.....	3-400	74-5	Sept.....	3-600	78-9
April.....	3-600	78-9	Oct.....	3-600	78-9
May.....	3-600	78-9	Nov.....	3-600	78-9
June.....	3-600	78-9	Dec.....	3-600	78-9

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-550; Index—77-8

## PAINT, COLOURED, FIRST QUALITY

Price per gallon at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-200	76-0	July.....	\$ 3-400	80-7
Feb.....	3-200	76-0	Aug.....	3-400	80-7
March.....	3-200	76-0	Sept.....	3-400	80-7
April.....	3-400	80-7	Oct.....	3-400	80-7
May.....	3-400	80-7	Nov.....	3-400	80-7
June.....	3-400	80-7	Dec.....	3-400	80-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$3-350; Index—79-5

## DRUGS AND PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMICALS

## CITRIC ACID\*

Price per pound in kegs at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-200	75-4	July.....	\$ 0-190	71-6
Feb.....	0-200	75-4	Aug.....	0-190	71-6
March.....	0-200	75-4	Sept.....	0-190	71-6
April.....	0-200	75-4	Oct.....	0-200	75-4
May.....	0-200	75-4	Nov.....	0-200	75-4
June.....	0-200	75-4	Dec.....	0-230	86-7

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-200; Index—75-4

\*New source.

## TARTARIC ACID, CRYSTALS

Price per pound in barrels at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-250	100-0	July.....	\$ 0-260	104-0
Feb.....	0-250	100-0	Aug.....	0-260	104-0
March.....	0-250	100-0	Sept.....	0-280	112-0
April.....	0-250	100-0	Oct.....	0-280	112-0
May.....	0-260	104-0	Nov.....	0-280	112-0
June.....	0-260	104-0	Dec.....	0-270	108-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-263; Index—105-2

## CHLOROFORM, U.S.P.

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-330	77-6	July.....	\$ 0-385	90-6
Feb.....	0-330	77-6	Aug.....	0-385	90-6
March.....	0-385	90-6	Sept.....	0-385	90-6
April.....	0-385	90-6	Oct.....	0-385	90-6
May.....	0-385	90-6	Nov.....	0-385	90-6
June.....	0-385	90-6	Dec.....	0-385	90-6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-376; Index—88-5

## ETHER, COMMERCIAL

Price per pound in 50 pound drums, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-180	93-0	July.....	\$ 0-180	93-0
Feb.....	0-180	93-0	Aug.....	0-180	93-0
March.....	0-180	93-0	Sept.....	0-180	93-0
April.....	0-180	93-0	Oct.....	0-180	93-0
May.....	0-180	93-0	Nov.....	0-180	93-0
June.....	0-180	93-0	Dec.....	0-180	93-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$0-180; Index—93-0

## POTASSIUM IODIDE

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-975	45-7	July.....	\$ 2-075	48-0
Feb.....	2-075	48-0	Aug.....	2-075	48-0
March.....	2-075	48-0	Sept.....	2-075	48-0
April.....	2-075	48-0	Oct.....	1-600	37-0
May.....	2-075	48-0	Nov.....	1-600	37-0
June.....	2-075	48-0	Dec.....	1-600	37-0

Average, 1934: Price—\$1-948; Index—45-0

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

DRUGS AND PHARMACEUTICAL  
CHEMICALS—Concluded

## HYDROGEN PEROXIDE, 10 VOL.

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st  
day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.050	81.6	July.....	\$ 0.050	81.6
Feb.....	0.050	81.6	Aug.....	0.050	81.6
March.....	0.050	81.6	Sept.....	0.050	81.6
April.....	0.050	81.6	Oct.....	0.050	81.6
May.....	0.050	81.6	Nov.....	0.050	81.6
June.....	0.050	81.6	Dec.....	0.050	81.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.050; Index—81.6

## CAMPHOR GUM, SLABS

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st day  
of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.545	53.2	July.....	\$ 0.675	65.9
Feb.....	0.545	53.2	Aug.....	0.675	65.9
March.....	0.675	65.9	Sept.....	0.675	65.9
April.....	0.675	65.9	Oct.....	0.675	65.9
May.....	0.675	65.9	Nov.....	0.675	65.9
June.....	0.675	65.9	Dec.....	0.675	65.9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.653; Index—63.7

## QUININE

Price per ounce at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st day of  
month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.535	101.9	July.....	\$ 0.555	105.7
Feb.....	0.535	101.9	Aug.....	0.555	105.7
March.....	0.555	105.7	Sept.....	0.555	105.7
April.....	0.555	105.7	Oct.....	0.535	101.9
May.....	0.555	105.7	Nov.....	0.535	101.9
June.....	0.535	105.7	Dec.....	0.535	101.9

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.547; Index—104.2

## Castor Oil

Price per pound in barrels at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st  
day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.090	58.1	July.....	\$ 0.090	58.1
Feb.....	0.090	58.1	Aug.....	0.090	58.1
March.....	0.090	58.1	Sept.....	0.090	58.1
April.....	0.090	58.1	Oct.....	0.090	58.1
May.....	0.090	58.1	Nov.....	0.090	58.1
June.....	0.090	58.1	Dec.....	0.090	58.1

Average, 1934: Price—\$0.090; Index—58.1

## IODINE, CRUDE\*

Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2.000	48.6	July.....	\$ 2.000	48.6
Feb.....	2.000	48.6	Aug.....	1.600	38.9
March.....	2.000	48.6	Sept.....	1.600	38.9
April.....	2.000	48.6	Oct.....	1.600	38.9
May.....	2.000	48.6	Nov.....	1.600	38.9
June.....	2.000	48.6	Dec.....	1.600	38.9

Average, 1934: Price—\$1.850; Index—45.0

\*New Source.

## FERTILIZERS

MURIATE OF POTASH, 48 PER CENT K<sub>2</sub>OPrice per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid,  
Saint John, N.B.

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 48.000	127.4	July.....	\$ 48.000	127.4
Feb.....	48.000	127.4	Aug.....	48.000	127.4
March.....	48.000	127.4	Sept.....	48.000	127.4
April.....	48.000	127.4	Oct.....	48.000	127.4
May.....	48.000	127.4	Nov.....	48.000	127.4
June.....	48.000	127.4	Dec.....	48.000	127.4

Average, 1934: Price—\$48.000; Index—127.4

## FERTILIZERS—Continued

## DRIED BLOOD

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid,  
Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 50.800	63.5	July.....	\$ 54.000	67.5
Feb.....	55.000	68.8	Aug.....	54.000	67.5
March.....	65.000	81.3	Sept.....	54.000	67.5
April.....	65.000	81.3	Oct.....	54.000	67.5
May.....	65.000	81.3	Nov.....	54.000	67.5
June.....	65.000	81.3	Dec.....	54.000	67.5

Average, 1934: Price—\$57.483; Index—71.9

SUPERPHOSPHATE, 20 PER CENT, AV. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 18.000	83.8	July.....	\$ 18.000	83.8
Feb.....	18.000	83.8	Aug.....	18.000	83.8
March.....	18.000	83.8	Sept.....	19.000	88.5
April.....	18.000	83.8	Oct.....	19.000	88.5
May.....	18.000	83.8	Nov.....	19.000	88.5
June.....	18.000	83.8	Dec.....	19.000	88.5

Average, 1934: Price—\$18.333; Index—85.3

BASIC SLAG, 16 PER CENT P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 20.500	112.6	July.....	\$ 21.000	115.4
Feb.....	20.500	112.6	Aug.....	21.000	115.4
March.....	20.500	112.6	Sept.....	20.500	112.6
April.....	20.500	112.6	Oct.....	20.500	112.6
May.....	21.000	115.4	Nov.....	20.500	112.6
June.....	21.000	115.4	Dec.....	20.500	112.6

Average, 1934: Price—\$20.667; Index—113.6

SULPHATE OF POTASH, 50 PER CENT, K<sub>2</sub>OPrice per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid,  
Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 56.000	108.7	July.....	\$ 56.000	108.7
Feb.....	56.000	108.7	Aug.....	56.000	108.7
March.....	56.000	108.7	Sept.....	50.000	97.0
April.....	56.000	108.7	Oct.....	50.000	97.0
May.....	56.000	108.7	Nov.....	50.000	97.0
June.....	56.000	108.7	Dec.....	50.000	97.0

Average, 1934: Price—\$54.000; Index—104.8

TANKAGE, 6 PER CENT N., 15 PER CENT T.P.<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 30.450	76.1	July.....	\$ 42.000	105.0
Feb.....	35.000	87.5	Aug.....	42.000	105.0
March.....	45.000	112.5	Sept.....	42.000	105.0
April.....	45.000	112.5	Oct.....	42.000	105.0
May.....	45.000	112.5	Nov.....	42.000	105.0
June.....	45.000	112.5	Dec.....	42.000	105.0

Average, 1934: Price—\$41.454; Index—103.6

## CYANAMID, 21 PER CENT N.

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid,  
Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 38.000	76.0	July.....	\$ 35.000	70.0
Feb.....	38.000	76.0	Aug.....	35.000	70.0
March.....	38.000	76.0	Sept.....	35.000	70.0
April.....	34.000	68.0	Oct.....	35.000	70.0
May.....	34.000	68.0	Nov.....	35.000	70.0
June.....	34.000	68.0	Dec.....	35.000	70.0

Average, 1934: Price—\$35.50; Index—71.0

BONE MEAL, 3 PER CENT N., 21 PER CENT T.P.<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid,  
Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 41.330	108.8	July.....	\$ 35.000	92.0
Feb.....	40.000	105.3	Aug.....	35.000	92.0
March.....	40.000	105.3	Sept.....	35.000	92.0
April.....	40.000	105.3	Oct.....	35.000	92.0
May.....	40.000	105.3	Nov.....	35.000	92.0
June.....	40.000	105.3	Dec.....	35.000	92.0

Average, 1934: Price—\$37.611; Index—99.0



## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Concluded

## FERTILIZERS—Concluded

## SULPHATE OF AMMONIA, 20 PER CENT, W.S.N.

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 35.060	46.7	July.....	\$ 40.000	53.3
Feb.....	35.060	46.7	Aug.....	40.000	53.3
March.....	44.000	58.6	Sept.....	40.000	53.3
April.....	44.000	58.6	Oct.....	40.000	53.3
May.....	44.000	58.6	Nov.....	40.000	53.3
June.....	44.000	58.6	Dec.....	40.000	53.3
Average, 1934: Price—\$40.510; Index—54.0					

## NITRATE OF SODA, 16 PER CENT, W.S.N.

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 46.500	68.6	July.....	\$ 41.500	61.3
Feb.....	46.500	68.6	Aug.....	41.500	61.3
March.....	46.500	68.6	Sept.....	46.000	67.9
April.....	41.500	61.3	Oct.....	46.000	67.9
May.....	41.500	61.3	Nov.....	46.000	67.9
June.....	41.500	61.3	Dec.....	46.000	67.9
Average, 1934: Price—\$44.250; Index—65.3					

## INDUSTRIAL GASES

## ACETYLENE, CYLINDERS

Price per 100 cubic feet at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2.750	91.7	July.....	\$ 2.750	91.7
Feb.....	2.750	91.7	Aug.....	2.750	91.7
March.....	2.750	91.7	Sept.....	2.750	91.7
April.....	2.750	91.7	Oct.....	2.750	91.7
May.....	2.750	91.7	Nov.....	2.750	91.7
June.....	2.750	91.7	Dec.....	2.750	91.7
Average, 1934: Price—\$2.750; Index—91.7					

## INDUSTRIAL GASES—Concluded

## OXYGEN, CYLINDERS

Price per 100 cubic feet at Montreal and Toronto, on 1st day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1.575	78.8	July.....	\$ 1.575	78.8
Feb.....	1.575	78.8	Aug.....	1.575	78.8
March.....	1.575	78.8	Sept.....	1.575	78.8
April.....	1.575	78.8	Oct.....	1.575	78.8
May.....	1.575	78.8	Nov.....	1.575	78.8
June.....	1.575	78.8	Dec.....	1.575	78.8
Average, 1934: Price—\$1.575; Index—78.8					

## SOAP

## SOAP, COMMON, LAUNDRY

Price per case 100 cartons at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4.800	88.9	July.....	\$ 4.800	88.9
Feb.....	4.800	88.9	Aug.....	4.800	88.9
March.....	4.800	88.9	Sept.....	4.800	88.9
April.....	4.800	88.9	Oct.....	4.800	88.9
May.....	4.800	88.9	Nov.....	4.800	88.9
June.....	4.800	88.9	Dec.....	4.800	88.9
Average, 1934: Price—\$4.800; Index—88.9					

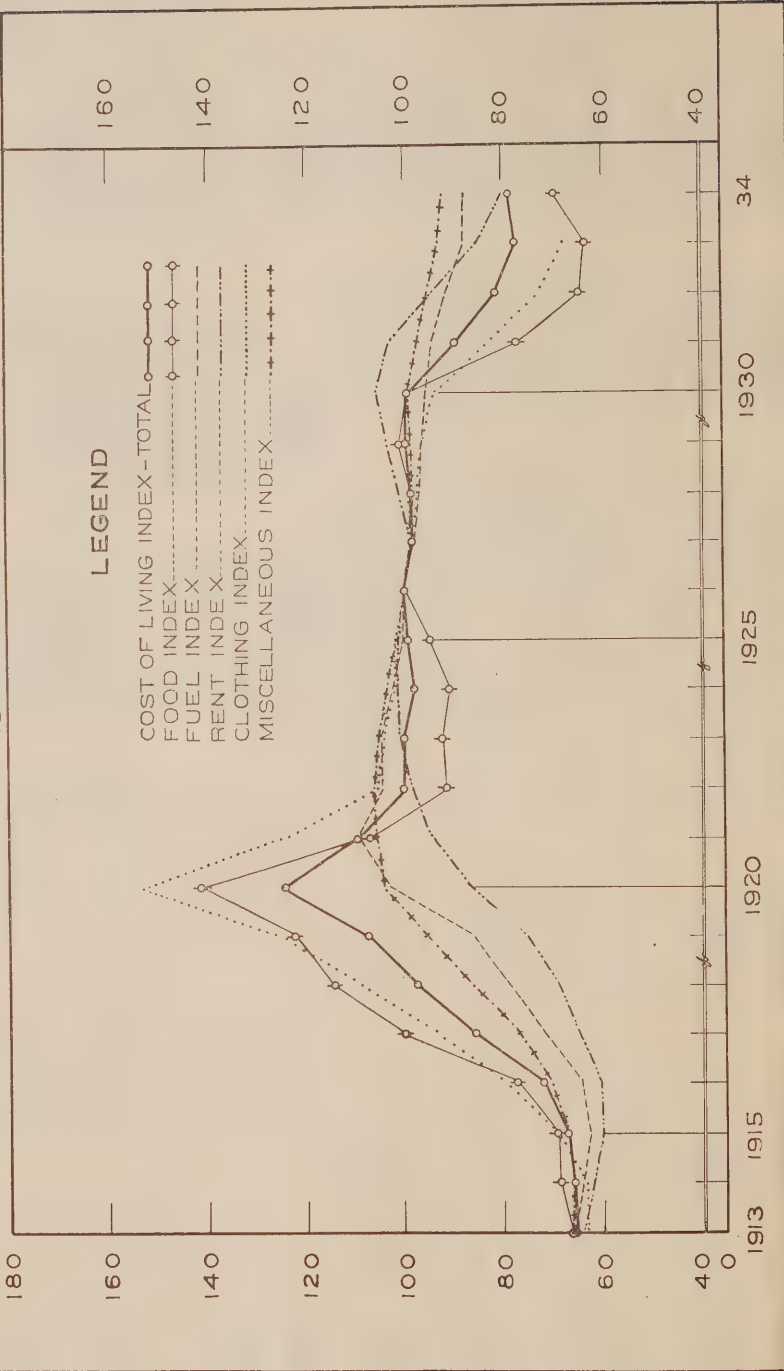
## SOAP, TOILET

Price per case 100 cartons at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 6.000	—	July.....	\$ 6.000	—
Feb.....	6.000	—	Aug.....	6.000	—
March.....	6.000	—	Sept.....	6.000	—
April.....	6.000	—	Oct.....	6.000	—
May.....	6.000	—	Nov.....	6.000	—
June.....	6.000	—	Dec.....	6.000	—
Average, 1934: Price—\$5.650					

CANADIAN COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBERS

1913-1934  
1926=100



## RETAIL PRICES AND COST OF LIVING IN CANADA

Collection of data and calculation of index numbers of retail prices and the cost of living are carried out in co-operation by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics (Department of Trade and Commerce) and the Department of Labour. Resultant series of index numbers are computed from different points of view. The computations of the Labour Department are designed to show changes in the cost of living for working men in cities. They are constructed from family budgets, principally a weekly family budget of staple foods, fuel and rent, published monthly in the Labour Gazette since 1915 and annually since 1911; in addition, are included figures for clothing and sundry items and further data for fuel, light, and rent. The Labour Department aims by this method to have a basis for computation that can be readily applied to the data for any given locality or district at any time, or for any class of labour; for instance, coal miners, who usually do not live in cities. Index numbers of retail prices and cost of living issued by the Bureau are constructed from a more general point of view, having for their object the measurement of the general movement of such prices and costs in the Dominion as a whole, and being so calculated as to make comparisons possible with other general index numbers constructed on similar principles, as, for example, the index of wholesale prices. Calculated as they are on the aggregative principle, i.e., the total consumption of each commodity, the Bureau's index numbers afford an excellent measurement of changes in the average cost of living in the Dominion as distinguished from that of any particular class or section.

In the Bureau's index 1926 is taken as the base year and is represented by 100 to bring it into conformity with other series of index numbers shown in this report. The Labour Department uses 1913 as 100 for both cost of living and wages index numbers.

Living costs as measured by the Bureau's index number rose from 77.7 in 1933 to 78.7 in 1934. This was the first time in five years that an annual index registered an increase. From an opening figure of 78.0 in January the index gradually moved up to 79.7 in March, the highest point recorded during the year. For the next three months declines occurred, the June number being 78.0. Subsequently the index increased until it stood at 79.3 in November but dropped back to 78.9 in December.

An index for retail prices excluding services and rentals, and including foods, clothing, coal, coke, household furnishings, tobacco, cleaning supplies, and motor operating costs, etc., mounted from 70.4 in 1933 to 73.9 in 1934. When foods were removed from this index, it was 78.2 in 1934 as compared with 76.7 for the previous year.

*Foods.*—The average yearly index for foods moved up from 63.7 to 69.4, fully three-quarters of the items included in this group registering advances. The following increases were indicative of higher meat prices: Fresh pork from 15.1c. to 20.1c., breakfast bacon from 19.9c. to 30.4c., and cooked ham from 36.7c. to 46.7c. per pound. An average of tea prices rose from 42.2c. to 50.5c. per pound. Butter, eggs, and milk also contributed appreciably to the upward movement. Sugar, coffee, potatoes, and cocoa showed moderate declines. Monthly indexes followed the same general trend as living costs, rising from 67.7 in January to a peak of 72.9 in March, and closing the year at 69.3.

*Fuel.*—This index was 87.7 in 1934, the same as in 1933. Lower prices were reported for coal and gas, but these were offset by higher levels for coke. Coke prices, contrary to custom, showed an advance in May, and the gain was not only maintained but increased during the remainder of the year. The fuel index for January was 87.3 while that for December was 88.4.

*Rents.*—The annual index for rentals was 80.1 in 1934 as compared with 85.1 in 1933. The May rental survey indicated a decrease from 80.4 to 79.7, but in October rents commenced to advance again, and the index moved upward from 79.7 to 80.3, marking the first break in an uninterrupted decline dating from May, 1930. Average rentals for dwellings occupied by workmen showed slightly greater declines than for those of medium grade homes.

*Clothing.*—Owing to increasing prices for the first three quarters of 1934, the clothing index averaged 70.5 in 1934 as against 67.9 in 1933, the first upward movement recorded since 1920. A decline in the index for the final quarter followed reactions in primary textile markets.

*Sundries.*—Moderate increases for the household effects, furniture, and motor operating costs sub-indexes were more than offset by declines in amusement costs, dentists' fees, toilet articles, and to a lesser extent for tobacco, hospital charges, doctors' fees, educational requirements, laundry, and cleaning supplies, resulting in a decline in the group index from 92.6 to 92.1. No change was shown for telephone rates and insurance.



## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

TABLE XIX.—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1934

(1926=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index	Retail Prices Index (Food, Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements)	Retail Prices Index (Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements)
1913	65.4	66.2	65.8	64.1	63.3	66.2		
1914	66.0	68.9	64.5	62.2	63.9	66.2		
1915	67.3	69.5	63.2	60.3	69.6	66.9		
1916	72.5	77.5	64.5	60.9	73.7	70.2		
1917	85.6	100.0	71.7	65.4	93.7	76.8		
1918	97.4	114.6	78.9	69.2	109.5	86.1		
1919	107.2	122.5	86.2	75.6	125.9	95.4		
1920	124.2	141.1	102.6	86.5	153.2	104.0		
1921	109.2	107.9	109.2	94.2	124.7	106.0		
1922	100.0	91.4	104.6	98.1	105.7	106.0		
1923	100.0	92.1	104.6	100.6	104.4	105.3		
1924	98.0	90.7	102.0	101.3	101.9	103.3		
1925	99.3	94.7	100.0	101.3	101.9	101.3		
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927	98.4	98.1	97.9	98.8	97.5	99.1	97.9	97.7
1928	98.9	98.6	96.9	101.2	97.4	98.8	97.9	97.3
1929	99.9	101.0	96.4	103.3	96.9	99.0	98.9	96.9
1930	99.2	98.6	95.7	105.9	93.9	99.4	96.7	94.9
1931	89.6	77.3	94.2	103.0	82.2	97.4	82.5	87.3
1932	81.4	64.3	91.4	94.7	72.8	94.6	72.7	80.6
1933	77.7	63.7	87.7	85.1	67.9	92.6	70.4	76.7
1934	78.7	69.4	87.7	80.1	70.5	92.1	73.9	78.2
1931								
January	94.9	89.1	95.1	105.5	88.3	98.0	90.2	91.3
February	93.9	85.6	95.2	105.5	88.3	98.0	88.5	91.3
March	92.2	82.8	95.2	105.5	84.7	97.4	86.0	89.0
April	91.5	80.5	95.1	105.5	84.7	97.4	84.9	89.0
May	90.2	77.7	93.6	103.3	84.7	97.4	83.4	88.7
June	88.7	75.0	93.3	103.3	81.1	97.3	80.9	86.4
July	88.6	74.7	93.1	103.3	81.1	97.3	80.7	86.4
August	88.9	75.5	94.2	103.3	81.1	97.3	81.3	86.7
September	87.7	73.5	93.5	103.3	78.6	97.2	79.5	85.1
October	86.3	71.4	93.9	99.3	78.6	97.2	78.5	85.1
November	86.4	71.5	94.1	99.3	78.6	97.2	78.6	85.2
December	85.9	71.2	93.9	99.3	76.4	97.1	77.7	83.8
1932								
January	84.8	69.6	93.7	99.3	76.4	94.8	76.7	83.3
February	83.8	66.5	93.6	99.3	76.4	94.8	75.2	83.3
March	83.3	66.1	93.4	99.3	74.5	94.6	74.2	82.0
April	83.1	65.4	92.6	99.3	74.5	94.7	73.9	81.9
May	81.2	62.9	90.9	93.9	74.5	94.9	72.5	81.6
June	80.4	62.1	90.7	93.9	71.9	94.7	71.3	80.0
July	80.1	61.4	90.5	93.9	71.9	94.5	70.9	79.9
August	80.8	63.5	91.6	93.9	71.9	94.5	72.0	80.0
September	80.4	63.0	91.5	93.9	70.7	94.4	71.3	79.2
October	79.8	63.6	90.5	90.0	70.7	94.4	71.6	79.1
November	79.9	63.9	90.2	90.0	70.7	94.4	71.7	79.1
December	79.5	64.0	89.1	90.0	69.2	94.2	71.2	78.6
1933								
January	78.8	62.8	89.2	90.0	69.2	92.9	70.6	77.5
February	78.1	60.6	89.1	90.0	69.2	92.7	69.5	77.8
March	77.5	60.4	88.7	90.0	66.5	92.5	68.4	76.6
April	77.7	61.3	88.7	90.0	66.5	92.5	68.9	76.6
May	76.7	61.9	88.4	84.0	66.5	92.5	69.2	76.6
June	76.6	62.2	87.7	84.0	66.1	92.4	69.1	75.5
July	76.8	63.2	86.0	84.0	66.1	92.4	69.4	75.5
August	78.2	67.8	86.4	84.0	66.1	92.4	71.7	77.1
September	78.4	65.9	86.3	84.0	69.9	92.7	71.9	77.1
October	77.6	65.4	87.1	80.4	69.0	92.7	71.7	77.1
November	77.7	65.8	87.2	80.4	69.0	92.7	72.0	77.1
December	77.9	66.6	87.3	80.4	69.2	92.8	72.2	77.1
1934								
January	78.0	67.7	87.3	80.4	69.2	92.1	72.6	77.1
February	78.5	69.4	87.2	80.4	69.2	92.1	73.5	77.1
March	79.7	72.9	87.4	80.4	69.9	92.2	75.4	77.1
April	79.2	71.0	87.7	80.4	69.9	92.2	74.5	77.1
May	78.3	68.6	87.8	79.7	69.9	92.0	73.3	77.1
June	78.0	67.6	87.2	79.7	70.1	92.1	72.9	77.1
July	78.2	68.4	87.0	79.7	70.1	92.1	73.2	77.1
August	78.5	69.3	87.6	79.7	70.1	92.0	73.7	77.1
September	78.8	68.8	88.0	79.7	72.3	92.1	74.2	79.1
October	79.1	69.4	88.5	80.3	72.3	92.0	74.5	79.1
November	79.3	69.9	88.6	80.3	72.3	92.0	74.7	79.1
December	78.9	69.3	88.4	80.3	71.0	92.0	74.1	78.1

TABLE XX.—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1934

(1913=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	101.0	104.0	98.0	97.0	101.0	100.0
1915.....	103.0	104.9	96.1	94.1	110.0	101.0
1916.....	111.0	117.0	98.0	95.0	125.9	106.0
1917.....	131.0	151.0	109.0	102.0	148.0	116.0
1918.....	149.0	173.0	119.9	108.0	173.0	130.0
1919.....	164.0	185.0	131.0	117.9	198.9	144.1
1920.....	190.0	213.1	156.0	134.9	242.1	157.0
1921.....	167.1	162.9	166.0	147.0	197.0	160.1
1922.....	153.0	138.0	159.0	153.0	167.0	160.1
1923.....	153.0	139.1	159.0	156.9	165.0	159.0
1924.....	149.9	137.0	155.0	158.0	161.0	156.0
1925.....	151.9	143.0	152.0	158.0	161.0	153.0
1926.....	153.0	151.0	152.0	156.0	158.0	151.0
1927.....	150.6	148.1	148.8	154.1	154.1	149.6
1928.....	151.3	148.9	147.3	157.9	153.9	149.2
1929.....	152.8	152.5	146.5	161.1	153.1	149.5
1930.....	151.8	148.9	145.5	165.2	148.4	150.1
1931.....	137.1	116.7	143.2	160.7	129.9	147.1
1932.....	124.5	97.1	138.9	147.7	115.0	142.8
1933.....	118.9	96.2	133.3	132.8	107.3	139.8
1934.....	120.4	104.8	133.3	125.0	111.4	139.1
1931						
January.....	145.2	134.5	144.6	164.6	139.5	148.0
February.....	143.7	129.3	144.7	164.6	139.5	148.0
March.....	141.1	125.0	144.7	164.6	133.8	147.1
April.....	140.0	121.6	144.6	164.6	133.8	147.1
May.....	138.0	117.3	142.3	161.1	133.8	147.1
June.....	135.7	113.3	141.8	161.1	128.1	146.9
July.....	135.6	112.8	141.5	161.1	128.1	146.9
August.....	136.0	114.0	143.2	161.1	128.1	146.9
September.....	134.2	111.0	142.1	161.1	124.2	146.8
October.....	132.0	107.8	142.7	154.9	124.2	146.8
November.....	132.2	108.0	143.0	154.9	124.2	146.8
December.....	131.4	107.5	142.7	154.9	120.7	146.6
1932						
January.....	129.7	105.1	142.4	154.9	120.7	143.1
February.....	128.2	100.4	142.3	154.9	120.7	143.1
March.....	127.4	99.8	142.0	154.9	117.7	142.8
April.....	127.1	98.8	140.8	154.9	117.7	143.0
May.....	124.2	95.0	138.2	146.5	117.7	143.3
June.....	123.0	93.8	137.9	146.5	113.6	143.0
July.....	122.6	92.7	137.6	146.5	113.6	142.7
August.....	123.6	95.9	139.2	146.5	113.6	142.7
September.....	123.0	95.1	139.1	146.5	111.7	142.5
October.....	122.1	96.0	137.6	140.4	111.7	142.5
November.....	122.2	96.5	137.1	140.4	111.7	142.5
December.....	121.6	96.6	135.4	140.4	109.3	142.2
1933						
January.....	120.6	94.8	135.6	140.4	109.3	140.3
February.....	119.5	91.5	135.4	140.4	109.3	140.0
March.....	118.6	91.2	134.8	140.4	105.1	139.7
April.....	118.9	92.6	134.8	140.4	105.1	139.7
May.....	117.4	93.5	134.4	131.0	105.1	139.7
June.....	117.2	93.9	133.3	131.0	104.4	139.5
July.....	117.5	95.4	130.7	131.0	104.4	139.5
August.....	119.6	102.4	131.3	131.0	104.4	139.5
September.....	120.0	99.5	131.2	131.0	110.4	140.0
October.....	118.7	98.7	132.4	125.4	110.4	140.0
November.....	118.9	99.3	132.5	125.4	110.4	140.0
December.....	119.2	100.6	132.7	125.4	109.3	140.1
1934						
January.....	119.3	102.2	132.7	125.4	109.3	139.1
February.....	120.1	104.8	132.5	125.4	109.3	139.1
March.....	121.9	110.1	132.8	125.4	110.4	139.2
April.....	121.2	107.2	133.3	125.4	110.4	139.2
May.....	119.8	103.6	133.5	124.3	110.4	138.9
June.....	119.3	102.1	132.5	124.3	110.8	139.1
July.....	119.6	103.3	132.2	124.3	110.8	139.1
August.....	120.1	104.6	133.2	124.3	110.8	138.9
September.....	120.6	103.9	133.8	124.3	114.2	139.1
October.....	121.0	104.8	134.5	125.3	114.2	138.9
November.....	121.3	105.5	134.7	125.3	114.2	138.9
December.....	120.7	104.6	134.4	125.3	112.2	138.9

TABLE XXI.—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913 AND 1930-1934

Year and month	Beef, sirloin (Pound)		Beef, chuck (Pound)		Veal, roast (Pound)		Mutton, roast (Pound)		Pork, fresh (Pound)		Pork, salt (Pound)		Bacon, breakfast (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	22.2	75.3	14.8	92.5	15.7	81.8	19.1	63.9	19.5	64.6	17.6	62.9	24.7	57.2
1930—Av. for year.....	35.6	120.7	22.1	138.1	23.8	124.0	30.3	101.3	29.8	98.7	27.3	97.5	40.0	92.6
January.....	35.9	121.7	22.7	141.9	25.0	130.2	31.0	103.7	29.8	98.7	27.4	97.9	39.6	91.7
February.....	36.3	123.1	23.1	144.4	24.9	129.7	31.2	104.3	30.1	99.7	27.5	98.2	39.7	91.9
March.....	36.2	122.7	23.2	145.0	25.7	133.9	31.7	106.0	30.6	101.3	27.7	98.9	40.3	93.3
April.....	36.6	124.1	23.4	146.3	24.9	129.7	32.0	107.0	30.5	101.0	27.6	98.6	40.4	93.5
May.....	37.3	126.4	24.0	150.0	24.4	127.1	32.4	108.4	30.5	101.0	27.0	96.4	40.3	93.3
June.....	38.0	128.8	24.3	151.9	24.1	125.5	31.9	106.7	30.8	102.0	27.3	97.5	40.3	93.3
July.....	37.5	127.1	23.4	146.3	23.8	124.0	31.1	104.0	30.4	100.7	27.0	96.4	40.4	93.5
August.....	36.6	124.1	22.6	141.3	23.3	121.4	30.0	100.3	30.3	100.3	27.6	98.6	40.2	93.1
September.....	34.9	118.3	21.1	131.9	22.9	119.3	29.7	99.3	29.9	99.0	27.2	97.1	39.9	92.4
October.....	33.8	114.6	20.2	126.3	22.9	119.3	28.2	94.3	29.6	98.0	27.1	96.8	39.9	92.4
November.....	32.4	109.8	19.3	120.6	22.2	115.6	27.3	91.3	28.5	94.4	27.1	96.8	39.6	91.7
December.....	31.6	107.1	18.5	115.6	21.8	113.5	27.2	91.0	26.8	88.7	26.7	95.4	39.0	90.3
1931—Av. for year.....	28.6	97.3	15.8	99.4	18.2	94.8	25.6	85.9	22.3	73.8	22.6	81.0	30.1	69.7
January.....	31.3	106.5	18.6	117.0	21.8	113.5	26.7	89.6	25.8	85.4	26.1	93.5	38.3	88.7
February.....	31.2	106.1	18.5	116.4	21.9	114.1	27.6	92.6	25.4	84.1	26.1	93.5	37.2	86.1
March.....	29.4	100.0	17.1	107.5	20.8	108.3	26.9	90.3	23.1	76.5	24.7	88.5	34.4	79.6
April.....	29.2	99.3	17.0	106.9	19.7	102.6	26.8	89.9	22.9	75.8	23.9	85.7	31.9	73.8
May.....	29.3	99.7	16.3	102.5	18.2	94.8	27.0	90.6	22.6	74.8	23.2	83.2	31.1	72.0
June.....	28.8	98.0	16.0	100.6	17.8	92.7	27.0	90.6	22.7	75.2	23.2	83.2	29.9	69.2
July.....	28.8	98.0	15.6	98.1	17.6	91.7	26.6	89.3	23.2	76.8	22.9	82.1	29.2	67.6
August.....	28.9	98.3	15.2	95.6	16.7	87.0	26.4	88.6	24.5	81.1	22.3	79.9	28.9	66.9
September.....	28.2	95.9	14.5	91.2	16.5	85.9	24.8	83.2	22.3	73.8	22.0	78.9	28.0	64.8
October.....	27.1	92.2	14.1	88.7	16.2	84.4	23.3	78.2	19.9	65.9	19.7	70.6	26.1	60.4
November.....	26.1	88.8	13.8	86.8	16.0	83.3	22.2	74.5	18.3	60.6	18.8	67.4	24.2	56.0
December.....	24.9	84.7	13.2	83.0	15.8	82.3	21.9	73.5	16.6	55.0	17.8	63.8	22.3	51.6
1932—Av. for year.....	24.6	83.7	12.9	81.1	13.9	72.4	21.0	73.8	15.2	50.3	15.5	55.6	18.4	42.6
January.....	25.0	85.0	13.3	83.6	15.3	79.7	22.2	74.5	16.0	53.0	17.2	61.6	20.8	48.1
February.....	25.2	85.7	13.4	84.3	15.7	81.8	22.2	74.5	15.8	52.3	16.8	60.2	19.3	44.7
March.....	25.3	86.1	13.7	86.2	15.7	81.8	22.5	75.5	15.6	51.7	16.1	57.7	18.4	42.6
April.....	24.9	84.7	13.4	84.3	14.6	76.0	22.2	74.5	15.3	50.7	15.9	57.0	17.8	41.2
May.....	24.7	84.0	13.3	83.6	13.6	70.8	22.9	76.8	15.2	50.3	15.4	55.2	17.2	39.8
June.....	25.4	86.4	13.3	83.6	13.5	70.3	22.7	76.2	15.0	49.7	15.3	54.8	16.8	38.9
July.....	25.9	88.1	13.4	84.3	13.4	69.8	21.8	73.2	15.0	49.7	15.0	53.8	16.8	38.9
August.....	25.6	87.1	13.1	82.4	13.2	68.8	21.4	71.8	15.6	51.7	15.2	54.5	17.6	40.7
September.....	25.0	85.0	12.7	79.9	13.1	68.2	20.4	68.5	15.9	52.6	15.0	53.8	18.8	43.5
October.....	24.1	82.0	12.4	78.0	13.2	68.8	19.3	64.8	15.7	52.0	15.3	54.8	19.6	45.4
November.....	22.7	77.2	11.9	74.8	12.7	66.1	17.9	60.1	14.5	48.0	14.8	53.0	19.2	44.4
December.....	20.8	70.7	10.9	68.6	12.2	63.5	16.6	55.7	12.9	42.7	14.1	50.5	18.6	43.1
1933—Av. for year.....	21.0	71.4	11.2	70.4	11.9	60.2	18.9	63.4	15.1	50.0	14.8	53.0	19.9	46.1
January.....	20.5	69.7	11.0	69.2	12.0	62.5	16.7	56.0	12.7	42.1	13.9	49.8	18.1	41.9
February.....	20.6	70.1	10.9	68.6	12.2	63.5	17.5	58.7	12.2	40.4	13.4	48.0	17.4	40.3
March.....	20.4	69.4	10.9	68.6	12.4	64.6	17.9	60.1	12.3	40.7	13.5	48.4	17.7	41.0
April.....	20.6	70.1	11.3	71.1	12.3	64.1	19.4	65.1	14.4	47.7	14.3	51.3	18.8	43.5
May.....	21.7	73.8	11.8	74.2	12.0	62.5	21.1	70.8	15.1	50.0	14.6	52.3	19.9	46.1
June.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	21.2	71.1	15.7	52.0	15.1	54.1	20.2	46.8
July.....	22.1	75.2	12.0	75.5	12.0	62.5	20.9	70.1	16.0	53.0	15.2	54.5	20.4	47.2
August.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.7	69.5	17.1	56.6	15.5	55.6	21.2	49.1
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.7	60.9	18.8	63.1	17.1	56.6	15.7	56.3	21.4	49.5
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.0	69.2	11.6	60.4	17.8	59.7	17.2	57.0	16.0	57.3	21.1	48.8
November.....	19.9	67.7	10.6	66.7	11.5	59.9	17.2	57.7	15.8	52.3	15.7	56.3	21.1	48.8
December.....	19.2	65.3	10.2	64.2	11.3	58.9	17.4	58.4	15.8	52.3	15.3	54.8	21.1	48.8
1934—Av. for year.....	21.3	72.4	11.4	71.7	12.1	63.0	20.1	67.4	20.1	66.6	18.6	66.7	30.4	70.4
January.....	20.0	68.0	10.5	66.0	12.2	63.5	19.0	63.8	16.6	55.0	15.7	56.3	21.6	50.0
February.....	21.1	71.8	11.3	71.1	12.5	65.1	20.1	67.4	19.1	63.2	18.3	65.6	24.8	57.4
March.....	21.4	72.8	11.9	74.8	13.1	68.2	20.9	70.1	21.2	70.2	18.8	67.4	28.7	66.4
April.....	21.4	72.8	12.0	75.5	12.9	67.2	20.6	69.1	20.6	68.2	18.7	67.0	29.0	67.1
May.....	22.0	74.8	12.1	76.1	12.2	63.5	22.1	74.2	19.6	64.9	17.9	64.2	28.7	66.4
June.....	22.2	75.5	12.3	77.4	11.9	62.0	21.6	72.5	20.0	66.2	18.3	65.6	29.1	67.4
July.....	22.5	76.5	12.2	76.7	11.9	62.0	20.9	70.1	20.9	69.2	18.8	67.4	31.1	72.6
August.....	22.4	76.2	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.9	70.1	21.7	71.9	19.3	69.2	33.2	76.0
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.9	62.0	19.0	63.8	21.6	71.5	19.6	70.3	35.1	81.2
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.1	69.8	11.7	60.9	18.4	61.7	20.7	68.5	19.6	70.3	36.2	83.8
November.....	20.2	68.7	10.6	66.7	11.6	60.4	18.7	62.8	20.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	34.5	79.9
December.....	19.3	65.6	10.3	64.8	11.6	60.4	18.8	63.1	19.1	63.2	19.1	68.5	32.7	75.0



TABLE XXI.—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913 AND 1930-1934—Continued

Year and month	Lard, pure (Pound)	(A) Eggs, fresh (Dozen)	(B & C) Eggs, storage (Dozen)	Milk (Quart)	Butter, dairy (Pound)	Butter, creamery (Pound)	Cheese (Pound)							
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price		
1913—Av. for year.....	19.2	78.4	38.5	82.3	33.0	82.9	8.6	71.7	29.2	72.1	33.9	75.8	19.8	62.3
1930—Av. for year.....	21.2	86.5	45.6	97.4	39.4	99.0	12.8	106.7	36.8	90.9	40.4	90.4	31.8	100.0
January.....	21.3	86.9	64.4	137.6	52.3	131.4	13.6	113.3	44.0	108.6	47.5	106.3	33.1	104.1
February.....	21.4	87.3	59.7	127.6	51.8	130.2	13.4	111.7	42.2	104.2	46.4	103.8	32.6	102.5
March.....	21.5	87.8	52.0	111.1	45.8	115.1	13.4	111.7	41.5	102.5	45.4	101.6	32.9	103.5
April.....	21.4	87.3	36.9	78.8	32.6	81.9	13.3	110.8	39.4	97.3	43.2	96.6	32.9	103.5
May.....	21.3	86.9	34.9	74.6	31.1	78.1	13.3	110.8	36.4	89.9	39.5	88.4	32.9	103.5
June.....	21.4	87.3	35.6	76.1	31.7	79.6	12.9	107.5	34.9	86.2	38.7	86.6	32.6	102.5
July.....	21.3	86.9	36.2	77.4	32.7	82.2	12.6	105.0	33.0	81.5	36.3	81.2	31.6	99.4
August.....	21.1	86.1	37.3	79.7	33.8	84.9	12.0	100.0	32.1	79.3	35.8	80.1	31.6	99.4
September.....	21.0	85.7	38.6	82.5	34.6	86.9	12.2	101.7	33.1	81.7	36.5	81.7	31.2	98.1
October.....	21.1	86.1	42.5	90.8	37.9	95.2	12.2	101.7	34.9	86.2	38.7	86.6	30.7	96.5
November.....	21.2	86.5	51.0	109.0	42.9	107.8	12.4	103.3	35.5	87.7	38.9	87.0	30.1	94.6
December.....	20.9	85.3	58.3	124.6	45.9	115.3	12.4	103.3	34.9	86.2	38.2	85.4	29.9	94.0
1931—Av. for year.....	15.8	64.5	33.6	71.8	27.1	68.1	11.3	94.2	27.2	67.2	30.9	69.1	25.1	78.9
January.....	20.8	84.9	50.3	107.5	40.1	100.8	12.3	102.5	33.8	83.5	37.3	83.4	29.2	91.8
February.....	20.2	82.4	35.0	74.8	27.4	68.8	12.2	101.7	33.4	82.5	37.7	84.3	28.7	90.3
March.....	18.4	75.1	33.9	72.4	27.6	69.3	12.1	100.8	33.0	81.5	37.6	84.1	28.2	88.7
April.....	16.7	68.2	28.4	60.7	23.2	58.3	11.9	99.2	32.2	82.0	37.2	83.2	27.8	87.4
May.....	16.1	65.7	25.5	54.5	20.6	51.8	11.6	96.7	28.9	71.4	32.8	73.4	26.6	63.6
June.....	15.2	62.0	23.6	50.4	19.6	49.2	11.1	92.5	27.7	58.5	27.1	60.6	23.5	73.9
July.....	14.6	59.6	24.3	51.9	20.3	51.0	11.0	91.7	23.2	57.3	26.8	60.0	23.7	74.5
August.....	14.2	58.0	26.1	55.8	22.0	55.3	10.8	90.0	23.5	58.0	27.0	60.4	23.0	72.3
September.....	13.8	56.3	30.3	64.7	25.7	64.6	10.8	90.0	23.5	58.0	27.2	60.9	22.9	72.0
October.....	13.3	54.3	32.4	69.2	27.7	69.6	10.8	90.0	23.3	57.5	26.8	60.0	22.9	72.0
November.....	12.9	52.7	44.4	94.9	34.4	86.4	10.8	90.0	23.1	57.0	26.2	58.6	22.5	70.8
December.....	13.0	53.1	49.5	105.8	36.7	92.2	10.8	90.0	23.7	58.5	27.2	60.9	22.5	70.8
1932—Av. for year.....	12.1	49.4	29.4	62.8	22.8	57.3	9.9	82.5	21.6	53.3	25.3	56.6	20.6	64.8
January.....	12.8	52.2	41.8	89.3	32.6	81.9	10.7	89.2	24.3	60.0	27.5	61.5	22.1	69.5
February.....	12.5	51.0	29.7	63.5	22.7	57.0	10.4	86.7	22.5	55.6	25.9	57.9	21.4	67.3
March.....	11.8	48.2	32.8	70.1	25.8	64.8	10.2	85.0	20.3	50.1	24.1	53.9	21.3	67.0
April.....	11.5	46.9	24.8	53.0	19.9	50.0	10.1	84.2	25.9	64.0	31.2	69.8	21.2	66.7
May.....	11.5	46.9	19.5	41.7	15.1	37.9	10.0	83.3	21.3	52.6	24.5	54.8	21.0	66.0
June.....	11.3	46.1	19.2	41.0	15.0	37.7	9.8	81.7	19.5	48.1	22.6	50.5	20.7	65.1
July.....	11.3	46.1	21.5	45.9	16.8	42.2	9.6	80.0	17.8	44.0	21.6	48.3	20.1	63.2
August.....	11.4	46.5	24.1	51.5	19.6	49.2	9.6	80.0	18.3	45.2	22.1	49.4	20.2	63.5
September.....	12.1	49.4	25.6	54.7	20.4	51.3	9.6	80.0	20.8	51.4	25.0	55.9	19.8	62.3
October.....	12.6	51.4	30.3	64.7	23.9	60.1	9.5	79.2	22.9	56.5	26.9	60.2	20.0	62.9
November.....	13.3	54.3	38.6	82.5	29.4	73.9	9.6	80.0	22.6	55.8	26.4	59.1	19.9	62.6
December.....	12.9	52.7	45.2	96.6	32.1	80.7	9.8	81.7	22.6	55.8	25.9	57.9	19.8	62.3
1933—Av. for year.....	12.6	51.4	(a) 28.2	(b) 60.2	21.7	54.5	9.5	79.2	22.0	54.3	25.5	57.0	19.6	61.6
January.....	12.3	50.4	39.1	83.5	29.5	74.1	9.7	80.8	22.8	56.3	26.1	58.4	19.6	61.6
February.....	11.7	47.8	28.8	61.5	22.5	56.5	9.7	80.8	22.3	55.1	25.7	57.5	19.4	61.0
March.....	11.5	46.9	27.8	59.4	22.6	56.8	9.7	80.8	22.7	56.0	26.9	60.2	19.2	60.4
April.....	12.3	50.2	23.0	49.1	18.1	45.5	9.3	77.5	24.9	61.5	28.8	64.4	19.5	61.3
May.....	12.8	52.2	19.2	41.0	15.4	38.7	9.3	77.5	24.0	59.3	27.0	60.4	19.8	62.3
June.....	12.9	52.7	19.2	41.0	15.3	38.4	9.1	75.8	20.8	51.4	23.9	53.5	19.3	60.7
July.....	12.7	51.8	21.1	45.0	17.1	43.0	9.2	76.7	19.9	49.1	23.8	53.2	19.4	61.0
August.....	12.8	52.2	23.5	50.2	19.5	49.0	9.2	76.7	21.3	52.6	25.4	56.8	19.9	62.6
September.....	12.8	52.2	24.4	52.1	19.5	49.0	9.4	78.3	21.0	51.9	24.3	54.4	19.6	61.6
October.....	13.1	53.5	29.2	62.4	22.6	56.8	9.6	80.0	21.1	52.1	24.4	54.6	19.7	61.9
November.....	13.2	53.9	37.9	81.0	27.8	69.8	9.7	80.8	21.0	51.9	24.3	54.4	19.7	61.9
December.....	13.3	54.3	44.8	95.7	30.8	77.4	9.7	80.8	22.2	54.8	25.6	57.3	19.7	61.9
1934—Av. for year.....	13.5	55.1	29.9	63.9	25.9	65.1	10.0	83.3	23.6	58.3	27.0	60.4	19.9	62.6
January.....	13.5	55.1	40.7	87.0	30.4	76.4	9.9	82.5	24.4	60.2	28.4	63.5	19.7	61.9
February.....	13.5	55.1	35.3	75.4	28.4	71.4	10.0	83.3	23.7	63.5	29.7	66.4	20.1	63.2
March.....	13.8	56.3	40.5	86.5	34.6	86.9	9.9	82.5	28.3	69.9	32.5	72.7	20.3	63.8
April.....	13.5	55.1	27.1	57.9	22.8	57.3	10.0	83.3	23.3	72.3	32.9	73.6	20.4	64.2
May.....	13.1	53.5	22.3	47.6	18.5	46.5	10.0	83.3	24.5	60.5	27.8	62.2	20.1	63.2
June.....	12.9	52.7	22.3	47.6	18.6	46.7	9.9	82.5	22.2	54.8	25.3	56.6	19.9	62.6
July.....	12.7	51.4	24.8	53.0	21.1	53.0	9.9	82.5	22.0	54.3	25.1	56.2	20.0	62.9
August.....	12.7	51.8	26.9	57.5	22.6	56.8	9.9	82.5	20.8	51.4	24.1	53.9	19.9	62.6
September.....	13.2	53.9	27.5	58.8	23.6	59.3	10.0	83.3	20.0	51.9	23.9	53.5	19.9	62.6
October.....	14.5	59.2	32.6	69.7	27.2	68.3	10.1	84.2	21.8	53.8	24.6	55.0	19.8	62.3
November.....	14.6	59.6	40.4	86.3	31.7	79.6	10.6	88.3	21.7	53.6	24.4	54.6	19.6	61.6
December.....	14.6	59.6	41.4	88.5	31.2	78.4	10.5	87.5	22.2	54.8	25.1	56.2	19.4	61.0

(a) Eggs, Grade "A".

(b) Eggs, Grades "B" and "C".

TABLE XXI.—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913 AND 1930-1934—Continued

Year and month	Bread (Pound)		Flour (Pound)		Rolled Oats (Pound)		Rice (Pound)		Beans (Pound)		Apples, evaporated (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	4.1	55.4	3.2	60.4	4.4	75.9	5.7	52.3	6.2	78.5	12.0	60.3
1930—Av. for year.....	7.4	100.0	4.7	88.7	6.1	105.2	10.1	92.7	9.4	119.0	20.4	102.5
January.....	7.8	105.4	5.2	98.1	6.4	110.3	10.3	94.5	10.4	131.6	21.0	105.5
February.....	7.8	105.4	5.2	98.1	6.3	108.6	10.2	93.6	10.1	127.8	20.8	104.5
March.....	7.8	105.4	5.1	96.2	6.2	106.9	10.2	93.6	9.9	125.3	20.7	104.0
April.....	7.8	105.4	5.0	94.3	6.3	108.6	10.2	93.6	9.5	120.3	20.6	103.5
May.....	7.8	105.4	5.0	94.3	6.2	106.9	10.1	92.7	9.3	117.7	20.3	102.0
June.....	7.8	105.4	4.9	92.5	6.2	106.9	10.2	93.6	9.6	121.5	20.8	104.5
July.....	7.6	102.7	4.8	90.6	6.2	106.9	10.1	92.7	9.5	120.3	20.7	104.0
August.....	7.6	102.7	4.7	88.7	6.2	106.9	10.1	92.7	9.3	117.7	20.1	101.0
September.....	7.1	95.9	4.6	86.8	6.1	105.2	10.0	91.7	9.3	117.7	20.0	100.5
October.....	7.0	94.6	4.3	81.1	5.9	101.7	10.1	92.7	9.2	116.5	20.4	102.5
November.....	6.8	91.9	4.1	77.4	5.6	96.6	10.0	91.7	8.7	110.1	20.0	100.5
December.....	6.4	86.5	3.8	71.7	5.5	94.8	9.8	89.9	8.1	102.5	19.0	95.5
1931—Av. for year.....	6.4	86.5	3.2	59.3	5.0	86.2	9.2	84.4	6.1	77.2	17.5	87.9
January.....	6.5	87.8	3.7	69.8	5.3	91.4	9.8	89.9	7.7	97.5	18.6	93.5
February.....	6.4	86.5	3.5	66.0	5.1	87.9	9.6	88.1	7.1	89.9	18.6	93.5
March.....	6.5	87.8	3.4	64.2	5.1	87.9	9.5	87.2	6.5	82.3	18.3	92.0
April.....	6.4	86.5	3.4	64.2	5.0	86.2	9.5	87.2	6.3	79.7	17.6	88.4
May.....	6.4	86.5	3.3	62.3	5.1	87.9	9.1	83.5	6.1	77.2	17.2	86.4
June.....	6.3	85.1	3.3	62.3	5.0	86.2	9.3	85.3	6.1	77.2	16.9	84.9
July.....	6.3	85.1	3.2	60.4	5.0	86.2	9.3	85.3	6.1	77.2	17.0	85.4
August.....	6.3	85.1	2.9	54.7	5.0	86.2	9.1	83.5	5.9	74.7	17.1	85.9
September.....	6.3	85.1	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	9.1	83.5	5.9	74.7	17.4	87.4
October.....	6.3	85.1	3.0	56.6	4.8	82.8	9.0	82.6	5.6	70.9	16.8	84.4
November.....	6.3	85.1	2.9	54.7	4.6	79.3	8.8	80.7	5.1	64.6	16.7	83.9
December.....	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.8	80.7	4.9	62.0	17.6	88.4
1932—Av. for year.....	5.9	79.7	2.9	54.7	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	4.3	54.4	15.9	79.9
January.....	6.3	85.1	3.1	58.5	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	4.8	60.7	16.6	83.4
February.....	6.3	85.1	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	4.6	58.2	16.3	81.9
March.....	6.3	85.1	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	4.4	55.7	16.4	82.4
April.....	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	4.3	54.4	15.8	79.4
May.....	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.6	78.9	4.3	54.4	15.9	79.9
June.....	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	4.3	54.4	15.5	77.9
July.....	5.7	77.0	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.6	78.9	4.3	54.4	15.7	78.9
August.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.5	78.0	4.2	53.2	15.9	80.0
September.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.5	78.0	4.3	54.4	16.1	80.9
October.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.4	77.1	4.3	54.4	15.7	78.9
November.....	5.6	75.7	2.8	52.8	4.7	81.0	8.3	76.1	4.2	53.2	15.8	79.4
December.....	5.8	78.4	2.7	50.9	4.6	79.3	8.2	75.2	4.0	50.6	15.5	77.9
1933—Av. for year.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.0	73.4	4.1	51.9	15.0	75.4
January.....	5.7	77.0	2.6	49.1	4.6	79.3	8.2	75.2	3.9	49.4	15.4	77.4
February.....	5.7	77.0	2.6	49.1	4.6	79.3	8.0	73.4	3.8	48.1	14.9	74.9
March.....	5.6	75.7	2.6	49.1	4.5	77.6	8.0	73.4	3.8	48.1	14.7	73.9
April.....	5.2	70.3	2.6	49.1	4.5	77.6	7.9	72.5	3.7	46.8	14.8	74.4
May.....	5.3	71.6	2.7	50.9	4.6	79.3	7.9	72.5	3.8	48.1	14.9	74.9
June.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.7	81.0	7.9	72.5	4.0	50.6	14.9	74.9
July.....	5.7	77.0	3.0	56.6	4.8	82.8	8.0	73.4	4.1	51.9	15.2	76.4
August.....	5.8	78.4	3.3	62.3	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	4.4	55.7	15.1	75.9
September.....	6.1	82.4	3.3	62.3	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.4	55.7	15.4	77.4
October.....	5.7	77.0	3.2	60.4	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	4.5	57.0	15.0	75.4
November.....	5.8	78.4	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	4.4	55.7	15.1	75.9
December.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	4.4	55.7	15.2	76.4
1934—Av. for year.....	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.6	58.2	15.1	75.9
January.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.4	55.7	15.4	77.4
February.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.4	55.7	15.3	76.9
March.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.2	75.2	4.5	57.0	14.9	74.9
April.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.5	57.0	15.3	76.9
May.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	4.9	84.5	8.1	74.3	4.5	57.0	15.0	75.4
June.....	5.5	74.3	3.2	60.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.6	58.2	15.2	76.4
July.....	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	4.6	58.2	14.7	73.9
August.....	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3	5.1	87.9	8.0	73.4	4.7	59.5	15.1	75.9
September.....	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	4.6	58.2	15.4	77.4
October.....	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	4.7	59.5	15.1	75.9
November.....	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	4.9	62.0	14.9	74.9
December.....	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	4.9	62.0	15.0	75.4

TABLE XXI.—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913 AND 1930-1934—Continued

Year and month	Prunes (Pound)		Sugar, granulated (Pound)		Sugar, yellow (Pound)		Tea (Pound)		Coffee (Pound)		Potatoes (Peck)		Vinegar (Pint)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.9	75.8	5.9	75.6	5.5	73.3	35.6	49.6	37.6	61.4	18.0	35.7	6.4	83.1
1930—Av. for year.....	15.5	98.7	6.8	87.2	6.5	86.7	62.9	87.7	57.0	93.1	41.4	82.1	7.7	100.0
January.....	16.1	102.5	7.2	92.3	6.9	92.0	70.5	98.3	60.4	98.7	44.3	87.9	7.8	101.3
February.....	16.4	104.5	7.2	92.3	6.9	92.0	69.8	97.4	59.7	97.5	47.3	93.8	7.7	100.0
March.....	16.3	103.8	7.2	92.3	6.9	92.0	68.4	95.4	58.8	96.1	47.8	94.8	7.8	101.3
April.....	16.5	105.1	7.1	91.0	6.8	90.7	67.8	94.6	58.6	95.8	45.0	89.3	7.8	101.3
May.....	16.3	103.8	6.9	88.5	6.6	88.0	65.8	91.8	57.8	94.4	49.1	97.4	7.8	101.3
June.....	16.4	104.5	6.8	87.2	6.5	86.7	60.5	84.4	57.3	93.6	50.7	100.6	7.8	101.3
July.....	15.9	101.3	6.7	85.9	6.3	84.0	59.7	83.3	56.7	92.6	49.4	98.0	7.8	101.3
August.....	15.6	99.4	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3	58.9	82.1	56.3	92.0	44.3	87.9	7.8	101.3
September.....	15.2	96.8	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7	59.1	82.4	55.5	90.7	32.3	64.1	7.7	100.0
October.....	14.8	94.3	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7	58.9	82.1	54.8	89.5	30.6	60.7	7.7	100.0
November.....	13.9	88.5	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7	58.1	81.0	54.2	88.6	28.6	56.7	7.7	100.0
December.....	13.0	82.8	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7	57.5	80.2	53.9	88.1	27.1	53.8	7.7	100.0
1931—Av. for year.....	12.0	76.4	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	54.9	76.6	49.1	80.2	22.3	44.2	7.6	98.7
January.....	12.6	80.3	6.3	80.8	6.1	81.3	57.3	79.9	53.2	86.9	26.5	52.6	7.7	100.0
February.....	12.3	78.3	6.3	80.8	6.1	81.3	56.5	78.8	51.7	84.5	25.9	51.4	7.7	100.0
March.....	12.1	77.1	6.3	80.8	6.0	80.0	56.3	78.5	51.2	83.7	24.7	49.0	7.7	100.0
April.....	12.1	77.1	6.3	80.8	6.0	80.0	55.8	77.8	50.3	82.2	23.4	46.4	7.6	98.7
May.....	11.9	75.8	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	55.1	76.8	50.0	81.7	23.2	46.0	7.6	98.7
June.....	11.7	74.5	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	54.7	76.3	49.0	80.1	21.9	43.5	7.6	98.7
July.....	12.0	76.4	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	55.1	76.8	49.1	80.2	22.7	45.0	7.7	100.0
August.....	11.7	74.5	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	54.9	76.6	49.2	80.4	20.3	58.1	7.6	98.7
September.....	12.2	77.7	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	54.3	75.7	47.9	78.3	20.6	40.9	7.7	100.0
October.....	11.9	75.8	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	53.6	74.8	47.1	77.0	17.6	34.9	7.5	97.4
November.....	12.1	77.1	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	52.7	73.5	45.9	75.0	16.1	31.9	7.5	97.4
December.....	11.8	75.2	6.2	79.5	5.9	78.7	52.4	73.1	45.0	73.5	16.1	31.9	7.5	97.4
1932—Av. for year.....	11.0	70.1	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0	46.8	65.3	42.6	69.6	17.1	33.9	7.4	96.1
January.....	11.7	74.5	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7	51.4	71.7	44.6	72.9	15.8	31.3	7.6	98.7
February.....	11.4	72.6	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7	51.3	71.5	44.3	72.4	16.1	31.9	7.5	97.4
March.....	11.4	72.6	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7	50.6	70.6	43.5	71.1	15.8	31.3	7.6	98.7
April.....	11.0	70.1	6.0	76.9	5.8	77.3	50.3	70.2	43.7	71.4	15.3	30.4	7.7	100.0
May.....	10.8	68.8	6.0	76.9	5.7	76.0	46.2	64.4	42.6	69.6	15.2	30.1	7.5	97.4
June.....	11.0	70.1	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0	45.5	63.4	42.4	69.3	14.7	29.2	7.5	97.4
July.....	10.9	69.4	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0	45.0	62.8	42.1	68.8	14.9	29.6	7.5	97.4
August.....	11.0	70.1	5.8	74.4	5.7	76.0	44.6	62.2	41.6	68.0	26.4	52.4	7.4	96.1
September.....	11.2	71.3	5.9	75.6	5.6	74.7	45.2	63.0	42.4	69.3	18.4	36.5	7.3	94.8
October.....	10.8	68.8	5.8	74.4	5.7	76.0	44.5	62.1	41.3	67.5	17.3	34.3	7.2	93.5
November.....	10.7	68.2	5.8	74.4	5.7	76.0	43.8	61.1	41.2	67.3	17.3	34.3	7.3	94.8
December.....	10.6	67.5	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7	43.7	60.9	41.0	67.0	18.1	35.9	7.2	93.5
1933—Av. for year.....	11.4	72.6	7.3	93.6	7.1	94.7	42.2	58.9	39.6	64.7	23.0	45.6	7.2	93.5
January.....	10.8	68.8	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7	43.2	60.3	40.9	66.8	19.0	37.7	7.2	93.5
February.....	10.6	67.5	5.7	73.1	5.6	74.7	42.2	58.9	40.1	65.5	19.2	38.1	7.2	93.5
March.....	10.8	68.8	5.6	71.8	5.5	73.3	41.2	57.5	39.4	64.4	19.2	38.1	7.0	90.9
April.....	10.9	69.4	7.4	94.9	7.1	94.7	41.9	58.4	39.9	65.2	19.1	37.9	7.2	93.5
May.....	11.2	71.3	7.8	100.0	7.6	101.3	41.7	58.2	39.2	64.1	19.4	38.5	7.3	94.8
June.....	11.3	72.0	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7	40.6	56.6	38.9	63.6	20.8	41.3	7.3	94.8
July.....	11.7	74.5	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7	41.8	58.3	39.1	63.9	22.3	44.2	7.4	96.1
August.....	11.7	74.5	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	41.9	58.4	39.6	64.7	41.0	81.3	7.4	96.1
September.....	12.0	76.4	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0	42.5	59.3	40.0	65.4	28.4	56.3	7.3	94.8
October.....	12.1	77.1	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	42.5	59.3	39.6	64.7	23.9	47.4	7.3	94.8
November.....	12.1	77.1	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0	43.1	60.1	39.7	64.9	22.2	44.0	7.2	93.5
December.....	12.2	77.7	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	43.8	61.1	39.1	63.9	21.6	42.9	7.2	93.5
1934—Av. for year.....	12.7	80.9	7.2	92.3	7.0	93.3	50.5	70.4	38.9	63.6	22.5	44.6	7.2	93.5
January.....	12.3	78.3	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0	45.5	63.5	39.6	64.7	22.1	43.8	7.3	94.8
February.....	12.5	79.6	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	47.4	66.1	39.5	64.5	23.5	46.6	7.3	94.8
March.....	12.7	80.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	48.9	68.2	38.9	63.6	26.4	52.4	7.3	94.8
April.....	12.7	80.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	49.6	69.2	39.4	64.4	26.9	53.4	7.3	94.8
May.....	12.7	80.9	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7	49.6	69.2	38.8	63.4	25.9	51.4	7.2	93.5
June.....	12.7	80.9	7.0	89.7	6.8	90.7	50.8	70.9	38.7	63.2	24.3	48.2	7.2	93.5
July.....	12.7	80.9	6.8	87.2	6.6	88.0	51.0	71.1	39.1	63.9	23.1	45.8	7.2	93.5
August.....	12.9	82.2	6.7	85.9	6.6	88.0	52.0	72.5	38.8	63.4	25.7	51.0	7.2	93.5
September.....	12.9	82.2	6.6	84.6	6.5	86.7	52.6	73.4	38.9	63.6	20.4	40.5	7.2	93.5
October.....	12.9	82.2	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3	53.1	74.1	38.8	63.4	18.6	36.9	7.2	93.5
November.....	12.8	81.5	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0	52.8	73.6	38.1	62.3	16.7	33.1	7.2	93.5
December.....	12.6	80.3	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0	53.2	74.2	37.9	61.9	16.0	31.7	7.2	93.5



TABLE XXI.—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913 AND 1930-1934—Continued

Year and month	Ham, boiled, sliced (Pound)		Fish, cod, salt, boneless (Pound)		Fish, Finnan Haddie (Pound)		Fish, Salmon, kind most sold (Pound)		Soda Biscuits (Pound)		Tapioca, med. pearl (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	39.8	62.7	12.3	58.9	12.4	60.8	22.8	63.5	11.3	61.4	9.6	74.4
1930—Av. for year.....	60.8	95.7	21.2	101.4	20.5	100.5	35.4	98.6	18.2	98.9	12.2	94.6
January.....	61.0	96.1	21.4	102.4	20.8	102.0	36.4	101.4	18.3	99.5	12.4	96.1
February.....	61.2	96.4	21.1	101.0	20.8	102.0	36.0	100.3	18.5	100.5	12.3	95.3
March.....	61.6	96.2	21.3	101.9	20.6	101.0	35.8	99.7	18.3	99.5	12.3	95.3
April.....	60.6	95.4	21.1	101.0	20.6	101.0	35.9	100.0	18.3	99.5	12.3	95.3
May.....	61.5	96.9	21.3	101.9	20.7	101.5	35.3	98.3	17.5	95.1	12.2	94.6
June.....	61.7	97.2	21.3	101.9	20.7	101.5	35.5	98.9	18.3	99.5	12.4	96.1
July.....	61.6	97.0	21.1	101.0	20.3	99.5	35.6	99.2	18.2	98.9	12.2	94.6
August.....	61.3	96.5	21.0	100.5	20.4	100.0	35.7	99.4	18.4	100.0	12.2	94.6
September.....	60.9	95.9	21.1	101.0	20.3	99.5	35.4	98.6	18.2	98.9	12.2	94.6
October.....	60.7	95.6	21.4	102.4	20.5	100.5	35.4	98.6	18.3	99.5	12.2	94.6
November.....	60.0	94.5	20.9	100.0	20.2	99.0	34.8	96.9	18.2	98.9	12.1	93.8
December.....	58.7	92.4	21.2	101.4	20.3	99.5	33.3	92.8	18.0	97.8	12.0	93.0
1931—Av. for year.....	51.1	80.5	20.6	98.6	19.6	96.1	28.9	80.5	16.8	91.3	11.6	89.9
January.....	57.0	89.8	21.4	102.4	20.1	98.5	33.5	93.3	17.8	96.7	12.0	93.0
February.....	55.3	87.1	21.1	101.0	19.9	97.5	33.1	92.2	17.7	96.2	11.9	92.2
March.....	52.9	83.3	21.1	101.0	19.8	97.1	31.7	88.3	17.5	95.1	11.7	90.7
April.....	50.9	80.2	20.9	100.0	19.4	95.1	29.2	81.3	17.3	94.0	11.7	90.7
May.....	50.2	79.1	21.1	101.0	19.4	95.1	28.3	78.8	17.1	92.9	11.7	90.7
June.....	49.5	78.0	20.9	100.0	19.2	94.1	28.1	78.3	16.9	91.8	11.5	89.1
July.....	49.8	78.4	20.8	99.5	19.0	93.1	27.7	77.2	16.7	90.8	11.6	89.9
August.....	56.6	89.1	20.3	97.1	20.5	100.5	28.1	78.3	16.7	90.8	11.5	89.1
September.....	53.1	83.6	20.0	95.7	19.9	97.5	27.6	76.9	16.9	91.8	11.6	89.9
October.....	49.8	78.4	20.0	95.7	19.3	94.6	26.9	74.9	16.3	88.6	11.5	89.1
November.....	45.9	72.3	20.1	96.2	19.2	94.1	26.2	73.0	15.8	85.9	11.5	89.1
December.....	42.4	66.8	19.9	95.2	19.0	93.1	25.9	72.1	15.3	83.2	11.5	89.1
1932—Av. for year.....	36.8	57.9	19.0	90.9	18.2	89.2	24.6	68.5	15.0	81.5	11.1	86.0
January.....	39.6	62.4	19.6	93.8	18.9	92.6	25.8	71.9	15.0	81.5	11.3	87.6
February.....	38.4	60.5	19.3	92.3	18.5	90.7	25.4	70.8	15.1	82.1	11.2	86.8
March.....	37.5	59.1	19.2	91.9	18.2	89.2	24.6	68.5	15.1	82.1	11.2	86.8
April.....	36.7	57.8	19.0	90.9	18.1	88.7	25.6	71.3	15.0	81.5	11.0	85.3
May.....	36.4	57.3	19.0	90.9	18.0	88.2	25.1	69.9	14.9	81.0	11.2	86.8
June.....	36.4	57.3	19.0	90.9	19.1	93.6	24.3	67.7	15.1	82.1	11.2	86.8
July.....	36.1	56.9	19.1	91.4	17.7	86.8	24.3	67.7	15.1	82.1	11.1	86.0
August.....	36.8	58.0	18.8	90.0	17.8	87.3	24.6	68.5	14.8	80.4	11.0	85.3
September.....	36.8	58.0	19.0	90.9	18.1	88.7	24.6	68.5	15.4	82.7	11.1	86.0
October.....	36.6	57.6	19.5	93.3	18.1	88.7	24.1	67.1	15.2	82.6	11.0	85.3
November.....	35.9	56.5	18.3	87.6	18.1	88.7	23.8	66.3	14.7	79.9	10.8	83.7
December.....	34.1	53.7	18.2	87.1	17.2	84.3	23.0	64.1	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
1933—Av. for year.....	36.7	57.8	17.4	83.2	16.5	80.9	22.6	62.9	14.9	81.0	10.7	82.9
January.....	33.7	53.1	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	23.4	65.2	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
February.....	32.4	51.0	17.9	85.6	16.7	81.9	22.7	63.2	15.0	81.5	10.7	82.9
March.....	31.9	50.2	16.5	78.9	16.3	79.9	23.0	64.1	14.6	79.3	10.6	82.0
April.....	33.9	53.4	16.8	80.4	15.8	77.4	22.7	63.2	14.5	78.8	10.6	82.2
May.....	35.6	56.1	17.6	84.2	16.4	80.4	22.9	63.8	14.7	79.9	10.7	82.9
June.....	36.0	56.7	17.6	84.2	16.8	82.4	22.5	62.7	14.8	80.4	10.6	82.2
July.....	38.5	60.6	17.7	84.7	16.4	80.4	22.3	62.1	14.9	81.0	10.7	82.9
August.....	41.1	64.7	17.3	82.8	16.5	80.9	22.8	63.5	14.8	80.4	10.8	83.7
September.....	40.9	64.4	18.0	86.1	16.2	79.4	22.3	62.1	14.8	80.4	10.7	82.9
October.....	40.1	63.1	17.8	85.2	17.4	85.3	22.2	61.8	15.2	82.6	10.7	82.9
November.....	38.9	61.2	17.3	82.8	16.1	78.9	22.3	62.1	15.0	81.5	10.9	84.5
December.....	38.0	59.8	16.8	80.4	16.3	79.9	22.6	62.9	15.3	83.1	10.8	83.7
1934—Av. for year.....	46.7	73.5	17.3	82.8	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	14.8	80.4	10.9	84.5
January.....	38.3	60.3	17.2	82.3	16.4	80.4	22.6	63.0	14.9	81.0	10.8	83.7
February.....	41.6	65.5	16.7	79.9	16.4	80.4	23.0	64.1	15.1	82.1	10.8	83.7
March.....	45.8	72.1	16.9	80.9	16.7	81.9	22.4	62.4	14.5	78.8	10.9	84.5
April.....	46.1	72.6	16.9	80.9	17.3	84.8	22.9	63.8	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
May.....	45.8	72.1	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	14.8	80.4	10.8	83.7
June.....	46.4	73.1	17.7	84.7	16.8	82.4	22.2	61.8	14.8	80.4	10.9	84.5
July.....	48.1	75.7	17.8	85.2	17.0	83.3	22.5	62.7	14.6	79.3	10.8	83.7
August.....	50.1	78.9	17.3	82.8	17.3	84.8	22.2	61.8	14.8	80.4	10.8	83.7
September.....	50.6	79.7	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	22.7	63.2	15.2	82.6	10.9	84.5
October.....	50.6	79.7	17.4	83.3	17.2	84.3	22.6	63.0	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
November.....	49.0	77.2	17.5	83.7	16.9	82.8	22.4	62.4	14.7	79.9	11.0	85.3
December.....	47.9	75.4	17.1	81.8	17.0	83.3	22.3	62.1	14.2	77.2	10.9	84.5

TABLE XXI.—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913 AND 1930-1934—Continued

Year and month	Tomatoes, 2½'s, canned (tin)		Peas, 2's, canned (tin)		Corn, 2's, canned (tin)		Onions, dry, yellow, etc. (Pound)		Raisins, seeded (15oz. pkg.)		Currants, all grades (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.8	72.4	11.1	64.2	10.4	63.8	3.9	67.2	11.7	63.9	11.5	61.8
1930—Av. for year.....	16.0	98.2	15.7	90.8	16.1	98.8	5.4	93.1	16.1	88.0	18.4	98.9
January.....	16.2	99.4	16.4	94.8	16.3	100.0	5.1	87.9	16.3	89.1	18.9	101.6
February.....	16.1	98.8	16.4	94.8	16.3	100.0	5.1	87.9	16.4	89.6	18.7	100.5
March.....	16.1	98.8	16.4	94.8	16.0	98.2	5.2	89.7	16.3	89.1	18.7	100.5
April.....	16.2	99.4	16.5	95.4	16.3	100.0	5.3	91.4	16.3	89.1	18.7	100.5
May.....	16.3	100.0	16.3	94.2	16.3	100.0	5.5	94.8	16.4	89.6	18.5	99.5
June.....	16.4	100.6	16.4	94.8	16.4	100.6	6.5	112.1	16.1	88.0	18.6	100.0
July.....	16.4	100.6	16.3	94.2	16.4	100.6	6.8	117.2	16.2	88.5	18.6	100.0
August.....	16.4	100.6	16.2	93.6	16.3	100.0	6.4	110.3	16.1	88.0	18.3	98.4
September.....	16.1	98.8	15.2	87.9	16.1	98.8	5.5	94.8	15.9	86.9	18.5	99.5
October.....	16.0	98.2	14.6	84.4	16.1	98.8	4.8	82.8	16.0	87.4	18.4	98.9
November.....	15.1	92.6	13.8	79.8	15.5	95.1	4.7	81.0	15.8	86.3	18.0	96.8
December.....	14.6	89.6	13.5	78.0	15.4	94.5	4.6	79.3	15.6	85.2	17.4	93.5
1931—Av. for year.....	12.9	79.1	11.9	68.8	13.7	84.0	5.0	86.2	15.7	85.8	17.1	91.9
January.....	14.3	87.7	13.0	75.1	15.0	92.0	4.6	79.3	15.4	84.2	17.2	92.5
February.....	13.9	85.3	12.6	72.8	14.6	89.6	4.5	77.6	15.4	84.2	17.3	93.0
March.....	13.7	84.0	12.4	71.7	14.3	87.7	4.6	79.3	15.4	84.2	17.1	91.9
April.....	13.4	82.2	12.3	71.1	14.2	87.1	4.6	79.3	15.3	83.6	17.2	92.5
May.....	13.3	81.6	12.0	69.4	14.0	85.9	5.0	86.2	15.3	83.6	17.2	92.5
June.....	13.1	80.4	11.9	68.8	14.1	86.5	7.0	120.7	15.2	83.1	17.1	91.9
July.....	13.1	80.4	11.9	68.8	14.0	85.9	7.5	129.3	15.3	83.6	17.0	91.4
August.....	12.9	79.1	11.7	67.6	13.8	84.7	6.6	113.8	15.6	85.2	17.2	92.5
September.....	12.7	77.9	11.7	67.6	13.7	84.0	4.7	81.0	15.9	86.9	17.2	92.5
October.....	12.1	74.2	11.3	65.3	13.0	79.8	3.8	65.5	16.0	87.4	17.0	91.4
November.....	11.4	69.9	11.0	63.6	12.1	74.2	3.6	62.1	16.5	90.2	17.0	91.4
December.....	11.1	68.1	10.9	63.0	11.8	72.4	3.6	62.1	17.2	94.0	16.8	90.3
1932—Av. for year.....	11.0	67.5	11.0	63.6	11.3	69.3	5.1	87.9	17.8	97.3	16.9	90.9
January.....	10.7	65.6	10.7	61.8	11.5	70.6	3.8	65.5	17.4	95.1	16.6	89.2
February.....	10.5	64.4	10.5	60.7	11.1	68.1	4.0	69.0	17.6	96.2	16.8	90.3
March.....	10.4	63.8	10.4	60.1	10.9	66.9	4.4	75.9	17.7	96.7	17.0	91.4
April.....	10.5	64.4	10.5	60.7	10.8	66.3	5.2	89.7	17.8	97.3	17.0	91.4
May.....	10.7	65.6	10.7	61.8	11.0	67.5	6.6	113.8	17.9	97.8	17.0	91.4
June.....	10.8	66.3	10.8	62.4	11.0	67.5	7.7	132.8	18.0	98.4	17.1	91.9
July.....	11.0	68.1	11.0	63.6	11.3	69.3	8.2	141.4	18.1	98.9	17.3	93.0
August.....	11.2	68.7	11.1	64.2	11.3	69.3	6.3	108.6	18.0	98.4	16.9	90.9
September.....	11.3	69.3	11.3	65.3	11.5	70.6	4.5	77.6	18.0	98.4	17.3	93.0
October.....	11.5	70.6	11.4	65.9	11.5	70.6	3.5	60.3	17.9	97.8	17.0	91.4
November.....	11.5	70.6	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2	3.3	56.9	17.5	95.6	16.7	89.8
December.....	11.6	71.2	11.5	66.5	11.6	71.2	3.4	58.6	17.3	94.5	16.2	87.1
1933—Av. for year.....	11.7	71.8	11.8	68.2	11.6	71.2	4.2	72.4	16.9	92.9	16.2	87.1
January.....	11.6	71.2	11.6	67.1	11.7	71.8	3.5	60.3	17.2	94.0	16.1	86.6
February.....	11.7	71.8	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2	3.5	60.3	17.2	94.0	16.1	86.6
March.....	11.6	71.2	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2	3.4	58.6	17.0	92.9	16.3	87.6
April.....	11.7	71.8	11.7	67.6	11.6	71.2	3.4	58.6	17.1	93.4	16.3	87.6
May.....	11.7	71.8	11.7	67.6	11.5	70.6	3.9	67.2	17.0	92.9	16.3	87.6
June.....	11.6	71.2	11.5	66.5	11.4	69.9	5.6	96.6	17.0	92.9	16.3	87.6
July.....	11.6	71.2	11.4	65.9	11.3	69.3	6.3	108.6	16.9	92.3	16.3	87.6
August.....	11.6	71.2	11.8	68.2	11.3	69.3	5.9	101.7	16.9	92.3	16.5	88.7
September.....	11.8	72.4	11.8	68.2	11.6	71.2	4.6	79.3	16.8	91.8	16.3	87.6
October.....	11.8	72.4	12.2	70.5	11.7	71.8	3.5	60.3	16.9	92.3	16.1	86.6
November.....	11.8	72.4	12.3	71.1	11.7	71.8	3.3	56.9	16.8	91.8	16.1	86.6
December.....	11.7	71.8	12.2	70.5	11.7	71.8	3.4	58.6	16.7	91.2	15.7	84.4
1934—Av. for year.....	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.7	71.8	4.2	72.4	16.7	91.3	16.0	86.0
January.....	11.7	71.8	12.4	71.7	11.7	71.8	3.5	60.3	16.7	91.3	15.9	85.5
February.....	11.6	71.2	12.5	72.3	11.8	72.4	3.7	63.8	16.8	91.8	16.0	86.0
March.....	11.7	71.8	12.7	73.4	11.9	73.0	3.8	65.5	16.9	92.3	16.2	87.1
April.....	11.6	71.2	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4	3.9	67.2	16.8	91.8	16.3	87.6
May.....	11.5	70.6	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4	4.1	70.7	16.8	91.8	16.3	87.6
June.....	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4	5.4	93.1	16.8	91.8	16.3	87.6
July.....	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4	6.3	108.6	16.8	91.8	16.1	86.6
August.....	11.4	70.0	12.7	73.4	11.7	71.8	5.6	96.6	16.7	91.3	16.2	87.1
September.....	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.6	71.2	4.3	74.1	16.6	90.7	16.1	86.6
October.....	11.3	69.3	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2	3.5	60.3	16.7	91.3	16.0	86.0
November.....	11.3	69.3	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6	3.3	56.9	16.5	90.2	15.8	84.9
December.....	11.1	68.1	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9	3.3	56.9	16.4	89.6	15.3	82.3

TABLE XXI.—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913 AND 1930-1934—Concluded

	Jam, raspberry, (4 lb. tin)	Peaches, canned, 2's (tin)	Marmalade, orange, (4 lb. tin)	Corn Syrup, (5 lb. tin)	Cocoa, pure, ½ lb. tin (Pound)	Salt, fine, table (Pound)	Pepper, black, gr. (Pound)							
Year and month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	64.7	76.0	21.0	72.7	56.4	81.7	34.2	75.0	15.7	57.9	2.6	72.2	32.7	58.7
1930—Av. for year.....	66.8	78.5	26.6	92.0	58.2	84.3	42.4	93.0	27.0	99.6	3.3	91.7	64.9	116.6
January.....	67.9	79.8	27.0	93.4	58.2	84.3	42.5	93.2	27.3	100.7	3.3	91.7	67.0	120.0
February.....	68.3	80.3	26.9	93.1	58.8	85.2	42.9	94.1	27.5	101.5	3.4	94.4	66.0	118.8
March.....	67.8	79.7	26.8	92.7	58.7	85.1	42.4	93.0	27.3	100.7	3.4	94.4	66.5	119.9
April.....	66.7	78.4	26.8	92.7	58.2	84.3	42.2	92.5	27.3	100.7	3.3	91.7	66.7	119.9
May.....	65.0	76.4	26.9	93.1	57.8	83.8	42.5	93.2	26.8	98.9	3.3	91.7	66.4	119.9
June.....	65.7	77.2	26.9	93.1	58.4	84.6	42.4	93.0	27.1	100.0	3.4	94.4	65.5	117.7
July.....	66.3	77.9	26.7	92.4	57.4	83.2	42.2	92.5	27.0	99.6	3.3	91.7	65.6	117.7
August.....	67.1	78.8	26.7	92.4	58.9	85.4	42.4	93.0	27.1	100.0	3.2	88.9	65.0	116.6
September.....	65.4	76.9	26.4	91.3	58.5	84.8	42.5	93.2	26.8	98.9	3.3	91.7	64.2	115.5
October.....	69.1	81.2	26.2	90.7	57.7	83.6	42.5	93.2	26.9	99.3	3.4	94.4	62.6	112.2
November.....	65.7	77.2	26.1	90.3	57.5	83.3	42.1	92.3	26.7	98.5	3.3	91.7	61.9	111.1
December.....	66.4	78.0	25.6	88.6	58.2	84.3	42.3	92.8	26.5	97.8	3.3	91.7	61.2	109.9
1931—Av. for year.....	64.7	76.0	24.0	83.0	54.7	79.3	41.3	90.6	26.0	95.9	3.1	86.1	53.9	96.6
January.....	67.1	78.8	25.3	87.5	56.7	82.2	41.9	91.9	26.7	98.5	3.2	88.9	59.3	106.6
February.....	66.3	77.9	25.0	86.5	55.7	80.7	41.7	91.4	26.3	97.0	3.2	88.9	57.5	103.8
March.....	66.3	77.9	24.8	85.8	55.9	81.0	41.3	90.6	26.2	96.7	3.2	88.9	57.1	102.2
April.....	65.9	77.4	24.6	85.1	55.1	79.9	41.4	90.8	26.2	96.7	3.2	88.9	55.8	100.0
May.....	63.3	74.4	24.1	83.4	54.9	79.6	41.1	90.1	25.9	95.6	3.1	86.1	54.5	97.7
June.....	65.2	76.6	23.8	82.4	54.8	79.4	41.0	89.9	25.5	94.1	3.2	88.9	53.7	96.6
July.....	64.8	76.1	23.8	82.4	55.3	80.1	41.3	90.6	25.9	95.6	3.1	86.1	54.3	97.7
August.....	65.7	77.2	23.7	82.0	55.1	79.9	41.1	90.1	25.7	94.8	3.1	86.1	52.0	93.3
September.....	63.5	74.6	23.6	81.7	54.2	78.6	41.1	90.1	25.9	95.6	3.1	86.1	52.2	93.3
October.....	63.5	74.6	23.6	81.7	53.5	77.5	41.2	90.4	25.8	95.2	3.0	83.3	50.3	90.9
November.....	63.3	74.4	23.0	79.6	51.8	75.1	41.4	90.8	25.6	94.5	3.0	83.3	50.8	91.1
December.....	61.5	72.3	22.8	78.9	52.9	76.7	40.6	89.0	25.8	95.2	3.0	83.3	49.5	88.8
1932—Av. for year.....	57.7	67.8	21.6	74.7	51.4	74.5	40.2	88.2	25.3	93.3	3.0	83.3	47.2	84.4
January.....	59.7	70.2	22.3	77.2	52.3	75.8	40.8	89.5	25.5	94.1	3.0	83.3	49.5	88.8
February.....	58.4	68.6	22.5	77.9	52.5	76.1	40.8	89.5	25.6	94.5	3.0	83.3	48.3	86.6
March.....	57.5	67.6	21.8	75.4	51.3	74.3	40.5	88.8	25.6	94.5	2.9	80.6	47.9	86.6
April.....	57.6	67.7	21.7	75.1	50.8	73.6	40.2	88.2	25.3	93.4	3.0	83.3	47.9	86.6
May.....	57.1	67.1	21.4	74.0	51.0	73.9	40.5	88.8	25.4	93.7	3.0	83.3	47.8	85.5
June.....	60.2	70.7	21.6	74.7	52.4	75.9	39.8	87.3	25.3	93.4	2.9	80.6	47.4	85.5
July.....	57.4	67.5	21.3	73.7	51.2	74.2	40.4	88.6	25.0	92.3	3.0	83.3	47.5	85.5
August.....	57.5	67.6	21.4	74.0	50.2	72.8	40.2	88.2	25.3	93.4	3.0	83.3	46.4	83.3
September.....	55.9	65.7	21.7	75.1	51.3	74.3	40.1	87.9	25.5	94.1	3.0	83.3	46.2	82.2
October.....	56.9	66.9	21.4	74.0	51.6	74.8	40.4	88.6	25.4	93.7	2.9	80.6	45.8	82.2
November.....	57.1	67.1	21.4	74.0	52.3	75.8	39.9	87.5	25.0	92.3	2.9	80.6	46.3	83.3
December.....	56.6	66.5	20.7	71.6	50.1	72.6	39.3	86.2	24.8	91.5	2.9	80.6	45.1	86.6
1933—Av. for year.....	58.0	68.2	20.3	70.2	51.2	74.2	40.3	88.4	24.3	89.7	2.9	80.6	43.7	78.8
January.....	58.0	68.8	20.9	72.3	50.8	73.6	39.3	86.2	25.1	92.6	3.0	83.3	44.9	80.0
February.....	56.0	65.8	20.9	72.3	49.2	71.3	39.3	86.2	24.6	90.8	2.9	80.6	44.4	79.9
March.....	54.8	64.4	20.5	70.9	47.6	69.0	39.0	85.5	24.6	90.8	2.9	80.6	44.0	79.9
April.....	54.8	64.4	20.3	70.2	48.4	70.1	39.0	85.5	24.7	91.1	2.9	80.6	43.3	77.7
May.....	56.8	66.7	20.3	70.2	50.4	73.0	39.7	87.1	24.5	90.4	2.9	80.6	43.6	78.8
June.....	56.8	66.7	20.2	69.9	50.0	72.5	40.2	88.2	24.7	91.1	3.0	83.3	42.9	77.7
July.....	57.6	67.7	19.9	68.9	51.2	74.2	40.3	88.4	24.9	91.9	3.0	83.3	43.9	78.8
August.....	60.4	71.0	19.9	68.9	51.6	74.8	41.0	89.9	25.4	93.7	3.1	86.1	44.2	79.9
September.....	55.6	65.3	20.3	70.2	52.8	76.5	41.2	90.3	25.0	92.3	2.9	80.6	43.3	77.7
October.....	62.0	72.9	20.1	69.5	54.0	78.3	41.4	90.8	23.8	87.8	3.0	83.3	43.7	78.8
November.....	62.8	73.8	20.0	69.2	56.0	81.2	41.9	91.9	22.6	83.4	3.0	83.3	43.3	77.7
December.....	62.4	73.3	20.1	69.5	53.2	77.1	41.9	91.9	22.2	81.9	2.9	80.6	43.2	77.7
1934—Av. for year.....	61.6	72.3	20.2	69.9	54.4	79.1	42.6	93.4	21.2	78.2	3.0	83.3	42.3	75.5
January.....	63.2	74.2	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.3	92.8	22.3	82.3	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.6
February.....	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.5	93.2	22.1	81.5	3.0	83.3	42.0	75.5
March.....	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	21.1	77.9	3.0	83.3	42.5	76.6
April.....	63.6	74.6	19.9	68.9	55.2	80.2	42.3	93.8	21.1	77.9	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.6
May.....	61.6	72.3	20.0	69.2	54.4	79.1	42.3	92.8	20.9	77.1	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.6
June.....	62.0	72.8	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.5	93.2	21.0	77.5	3.0	83.3	42.8	76.6
July.....	61.2	71.8	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.3	92.8	21.3	78.6	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.6
August.....	60.4	70.9	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.4	93.0	21.4	79.0	3.0	83.3	42.1	75.5
September.....	60.8	71.4	20.3	70.2	53.6	77.9	42.5	93.2	21.1	77.9	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.6
October.....	60.4	70.9	20.3	70.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	20.7	76.4	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.5
November.....	60.8	71.4	20.6	71.3	54.8	79.7	43.1	94.5	20.4	75.3	3.0	83.3	41.7	74.5
December.....	59.6	70.0	20.8	72.0	53.6	77.9	43.3	95.0	20.8	76.8	3.0	83.3	41.9	75.5



TABLE XXII.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF COAL USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION BY PROVINCES, 1931-1934

(Dollars per ton)

1931

Province	Kind of Coal	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Prince Ed. Island....	Bituminous.....	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-77	9-77	9-77	9-74	9-74	9-74	9-73	9-73	9-73	9-73	9-73	9-73
New Brunswick.....	" .....	11-92	11-92	11-92	11-92	11-92	11-92	11-92	11-92	11-84	11-84	11-84	11-84
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	15-81	15-81	15-81	15-80	14-71	14-71	14-75	15-53	15-53	15-91	15-92	16-00
Ontario.....	" .....	15-42	15-41	15-41	15-40	14-83	14-73	14-85	15-30	15-32	15-50	15-59	15-61
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	11-96	11-96	11-96	11-96	11-96	11-96	11-96	11-96	11-02	11-02	11-02	11-02
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	10-12	10-03	10-03	10-03	10-03	10-03	10-03	9-92	9-78	9-78	9-78	9-64
Alberta.....	" .....	7-20	7-20	7-20	7-20	7-20	7-20	7-09	7-09	7-09	7-09	6-94	6-94
British Columbia....	" .....	11-02	11-02	11-02	11-02	11-02	11-02	10-51	10-50	10-51	10-52	10-52	10-49

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Prince Ed. Island....	Bituminous.....	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-73	9-73	9-73	9-71	9-71	9-70	9-70	9-70	9-70	9-12	9-12	9-12
New Brunswick.....	" .....	11-77	11-77	11-77	11-77	11-77	11-77	11-69	11-62	11-62	11-25	11-02	10-77
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	16-01	16-00	16-00	15-99	14-72	14-60	14-62	15-00	14-99	14-99	14-62	14-65
Ontario.....	" .....	15-64	15-63	15-62	15-09	14-71	14-64	14-65	14-64	14-68	14-68	14-78	14-80
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	11-00	11-00	11-00	11-00	10-96	10-96	10-96	11-38	11-38	10-96	10-96	10-95
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	9-67	9-60	9-50	9-50	9-47	9-47	9-50	9-50	9-50	9-51	9-51	9-18
Alberta.....	" .....	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-91	6-91	6-63
British Columbia....	" .....	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-50	10-52	10-52	10-52

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Prince Ed. Island....	Bituminous.....	10-00	10-00	10-00	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-77	10-77	10-77	10-37	10-37	10-37	10-22	10-53	10-53	10-53	10-84	10-84
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-64	14-64	14-64	14-64	14-63	14-42	13-85	13-86	13-86	14-46	14-56	14-59
Ontario.....	" .....	14-80	14-80	14-80	14-80	14-70	14-50	13-57	13-59	14-87	14-37	14-46	14-49
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	10-95	10-95	10-95	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-85	10-85	10-85
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	9-05	9-05	9-05	9-05	8-99	8-99	8-99	9-12	8-93	8-78	8-61	8-55
Alberta.....	" .....	6-68	6-68	6-52	6-52	6-35	6-60	6-52	6-52	6-52	5-74	5-74	5-74
British Columbia....	" .....	10-52	10-52	10-52	10-52	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-39	10-39	10-39

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Prince Ed. Island....	Bituminous.....	9-12	9-37	9-37	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-01	8-98	9-12	9-15	8-98
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-92	10-86	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-76	14-73	14-75	14-75	14-76	14-80	14-79
Ontario.....	" .....	14-51	14-51	14-54	14-54	14-52	13-88	13-89	14-13	14-25	14-58	14-61	14-60
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	10-85	10-83	10-81	10-81	10-83	10-83	10-83	10-85	11-29	11-29	11-28	11-29
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	8-37	8-37	8-42	8-43	8-43	8-61	8-61	8-61	8-80	8-94	8-94	8-89
Alberta.....	" .....	5-74	5-54	5-65	5-73	5-73	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95
British Columbia....	" .....	10-39	10-39	10-34	10-34	10-33	10-33	10-33	10-35	10-31	10-31	10-31	10-31

TABLE XXIII.—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS,  
FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 AND 1922-1934

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0-222	0-292	0-283	0-280	0-285	0-294	0-308	0-345	0-363	0-355	0-286	0-245	0-210
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0-148	0-162	0-152	0-148	0-152	0-160	0-172	0-206	0-227	0-221	0-158	0-129	0-112
3	Veal, roast...	1 "	0-157	0-188	0-182	0-179	0-182	0-193	0-203	0-226	0-245	0-239	0-183	0-138	0-119
4	Mutton, roast...	1 "	0-191	0-273	0-277	0-278	0-289	0-298	0-291	0-300	0-309	0-302	0-253	0-209	0-188
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0-195	0-295	0-264	0-240	0-275	0-302	0-282	0-273	0-300	0-298	0-223	0-152	0-151
6	Pork, salt, mess...	1 "	0-176	0-265	0-252	0-231	0-254	0-278	0-265	0-261	0-273	0-271	0-226	0-155	0-148
7	Bacon, breakfast...	1 "	0-247	0-412	0-394	0-337	0-385	0-431	0-393	0-379	0-393	0-399	0-301	0-184	0-198
8	Lard, pure leaf...	1 "	0-192	0-221	0-231	0-220	0-242	0-246	0-221	0-221	0-219	0-212	0-157	0-121	0-126
9	Eggs, fresh...	1 doz.	0-337	0-447	0-442	0-439	0-486	0-466	0-487	0-478	0-475	0-457	0-337	0-294	0-281
10	Eggs, storage...	1 "	0-281	0-390	0-370	0-368	0-417	0-398	0-424	0-412	0-403	0-394	0-271	0-228	0-217
11	Milk...	1 qt.	0-086	0-121	0-117	0-121	0-119	0-118	0-119	0-121	0-123	0-123	0-111	0-098	0-093
12	Butter, dairy...	1 lb.	0-292	0-378	0-399	0-387	0-389	0-406	0-415	0-417	0-428	0-368	0-272	0-216	0-220
13	Butter, creamery...	1 "	0-339	0-440	0-451	0-435	0-439	0-448	0-463	0-461	0-470	0-405	0-300	0-253	0-255
14	Cheese, old...	1 "	0-305	0-363	0-326	0-301	0-312	0-318	0-310	0-329	0-334	0-318	0-251	0-206	0-196
15	Cheese, new...	1 "	0-191	0-279	0-326	0-301	0-312	0-318	0-310	0-329	0-334	0-318	0-251	0-206	0-196
16	Bread, plain white...	1 "	0-041	0-069	0-067	0-069	0-078	0-076	0-077	0-077	0-078	0-075	0-062	0-059	0-057
17	Flour, family...	1 lb.	0-032	0-047	0-044	0-045	0-057	0-053	0-053	0-052	0-051	0-047	0-033	0-030	0-029
18	Rolls, creamery...	1 "	0-044	0-056	0-055	0-056	0-061	0-058	0-061	0-063	0-064	0-061	0-050	0-047	0-048
19	Rice, good, medium...	1 "	0-057	0-098	0-104	0-105	0-109	0-110	0-108	0-105	0-104	0-101	0-092	0-085	0-080
20	Beans, handpicked...	1 "	0-062	0-087	0-087	0-084	0-083	0-079	0-081	0-089	0-115	0-094	0-061	0-043	0-041
21	Apples, evaporated...	1 "	0-120	0-234	0-200	0-194	0-204	0-200	0-194	0-210	0-213	0-206	0-178	0-160	0-150
22	Prunes, medium...	1 "	0-119	0-193	0-185	0-160	0-156	0-158	0-158	0-148	0-135	0-141	0-155	0-121	0-111
23	Sugar, granulated...	1 "	0-059	0-097	0-117	0-109	0-085	0-079	0-083	0-079	0-073	0-068	0-062	0-059	0-073
24	Sugar, yellow...	1 "	0-055	0-082	0-112	0-104	0-081	0-075	0-079	0-075	0-075	0-069	0-065	0-060	0-057
25	Tea, black...	1 "	0-356	0-560	0-656	0-700	0-714	0-719	0-716	0-713	0-704	0-628	0-552	0-472	0-424
26	Tea, green...	1 "	0-372	0-602	0-656	0-700	0-714	0-719	0-716	0-713	0-704	0-628	0-552	0-472	0-424
27	Coffee...	1 "	0-376	0-525	0-539	0-550	0-604	0-612	0-612	0-607	0-604	0-572	0-492	0-428	0-400
28	Potatoes...	1 pk.	0-180	0-235	0-252	0-270	0-276	0-436	0-317	0-258	0-291	0-355	0-172	0-130	0-189
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0-064	0-078	0-075	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-072	0-072
30	All foods (weighted) Total.....		7-337	10-39	10-52	10-31	10-81	11-21	11-00	11-04	11-34	10-96	8-49	7-10	7-03
31	Starch, laundry.....	1 lb.	0-096	0-122	0-122	0-122	0-124	0-124	0-123	0-123	0-123	0-123	0-120	0-117	0-114
32	Coal, anthracite....	1 ton	8-80	17-713	17-989	17-052	16-833	17-392	16-465	16-272	16-192	16-112	16-064	15-616	15-056
33	Coal, bituminous....	1 "	6-19	11-436	11-555	10-707	10-249	10-311	10-213	10-113	10-080	10-064	9-840	9-584	9-296
34	Wood, hard, best....	1 cd.	6-80	12-564	12-764	12-485	12-280	12-195	12-128	12-077	12-208	12-176	11-696	10-912	9-808
35	Wood, soft.....	1 "	4-90	9-380	9-512	9-209	8-979	8-947	8-960	8-397	8-800	8-672	8-560	7-984	7-408
36	Coal oil.....	1 gal.	0-237	0-313	0-307	0-306	0-304	0-308	0-314	0-311	0-311	0-309	0-291	0-274	0-271
37	Fuel and Lighting— Weighted Total.....		1-91	3-51	3-55	3-40	3-33	3-36	3-30	3-27	3-27	3-25	3-18	3-03	2-87
38	Rent per month.....		19-00	27-74	27-86	27-79	27-54	27-43	27-43	27-67	27-92	28-16	27-80	25-76	23-04
39	Weighted total.....		14-024	20-88	21-07	20-69	21-06	21-47	21-20	21-27	21-61	21-29	18-66	16-60	15-70

\*Includes data for 60 cities.

TABLE XXIII.—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 AND 1922-1934—Concluded

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1934	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0-214	0-200	0-209	0-215	0-216	0-222	0-223	0-227	0-225	0-220	0-212	0-203	0-193
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0-115	0-109	0-114	0-120	0-121	0-122	0-124	0-122	0-118	0-115	0-111	0-107	0-103
3	Veal, roast...	1 "	0-121	0-120	0-125	0-132	0-130	0-122	0-119	0-119	0-120	0-118	0-118	0-117	0-116
4	Mutton, roast...	1 "	0-200	0-190	0-199	0-208	0-206	0-221	0-216	0-205	0-208	0-190	0-185	0-186	0-189
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0-201	0-166	0-194	0-212	0-206	0-197	0-200	0-209	0-217	0-216	0-205	0-200	0-191
6	Pork, salt, mess...	1 "	0-184	0-157	0-174	0-186	0-184	0-182	0-183	0-187	0-192	0-194	0-193	0-193	0-191
7	Bacon, breakfast...	1 "	0-304	0-216	0-244	0-287	0-290	0-287	0-292	0-311	0-332	0-351	0-362	0-345	0-327
8	Lard, pure leaf...	1 "	0-135	0-135	0-136	0-138	0-136	0-131	0-129	0-126	0-127	0-132	0-145	0-146	0-147
9	Eggs, fresh...	1 doz.	0-319	0-407	0-353	0-405	0-271	0-223	0-223	0-249	0-272	0-275	0-326	0-404	0-414
10	Eggs, storage...	1 "	0-259	0-302	0-284	0-346	0-230	0-185	0-186	0-211	0-227	0-235	0-273	0-317	0-310
11	Milk...	1 qt.	0-098	0-097	0-097	0-097	0-097	0-098	0-098	0-097	0-098	0-098	0-100	0-102	0-102
12	Butter, dairy...	1 lb.	0-236	0-244	0-257	0-283	0-293	0-244	0-223	0-221	0-208	0-210	0-217	0-216	0-221
13	Butter, creamery...	1 "	0-270	0-284	0-297	0-325	0-330	0-278	0-253	0-252	0-241	0-240	0-246	0-244	0-251
14	Cheese, old...	1 "	0-199	0-197	0-201	0-203	0-203	0-201	0-199	0-200	0-199	0-199	0-198	0-196	0-194
15	Cheese, new...	1 "	0-199	0-197	0-201	0-203	0-203	0-201	0-199	0-200	0-199	0-199	0-198	0-196	0-194
16	Bread, plain, white...	1 "	0-059	0-059	0-058	0-059	0-059	0-058	0-058	0-058	0-058	0-059	0-059	0-059	0-060
17	Flour, family...	1 "	0-032	0-031	0-031	0-031	0-031	0-031	0-032	0-033	0-034	0-034	0-034	0-034	0-034
18	Rolled oats...	1 "	0-051	0-050	0-050	0-050	0-050	0-050	0-050	0-050	0-050	0-051	0-051	0-052	0-052
19	Rice, good, medium...	1 "	0-081	0-081	0-081	0-082	0-081	0-081	0-081	0-081	0-080	0-081	0-081	0-079	0-080
20	Beans, handpicked...	1 "	0-046	0-044	0-044	0-045	0-045	0-045	0-046	0-046	0-046	0-046	0-047	0-049	0-048
21	Apples, evaporated...	1 "	0-152	0-155	0-155	0-149	0-152	0-148	0-148	0-149	0-152	0-152	0-154	0-152	0-153
22	Prunes, medium...	1 "	0-127	0-123	0-125	0-127	0-127	0-127	0-128	0-130	0-129	0-129	0-129	0-128	0-128
23	Sugar, granulated...	1 "	0-072	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-079	0-070	0-068	0-067	0-066	0-066	0-065	0-065
24	Sugar, yellow...	1 "	0-070	0-078	0-078	0-077	0-077	0-077	0-068	0-066	0-066	0-065	0-065	0-063	0-063
25	Tea, black...	1 "	0-504	0-476	0-476	0-488	0-496	0-496	0-504	0-512	0-520	0-528	0-532	0-528	0-532
26	Tea, green...	1 "	0-504	0-456	0-476	0-488	0-496	0-496	0-504	0-512	0-520	0-528	0-532	0-528	0-532
27	Coffee...	1 "	0-392	0-396	0-396	0-392	0-396	0-388	0-388	0-392	0-392	0-396	0-388	0-384	0-380
28	Potatoes...	1 pk.	0-183	0-182	0-196	0-224	0-228	0-220	0-200	0-188	0-202	0-163	0-146	0-126	0-120
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072
30	All foods (weighted) Total		7-56	7-50	7-63	8-04	7-81	7-53	7-38	7-43	7-51	7-46	7-54	7-58	7-54
31	Starch, laundry...	1 lb...	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-117	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114
32	Coal, anthracite...	1 ton	15-056	15-184	15-200	15-184	15-168	15-056	14-768	14-816	14-880	14-960	15-088	15-136	15-168
33	Coal, bituminous...	1 "	9-280	9-264	9-264	9-248	9-232	9-264	9-232	9-232	9-248	9-328	9-328	9-360	9-424
34	Wood, hard, best...	1 cd.	9-632	9-424	9-440	9-648	9-696	9-616	9-648	9-664	9-632	9-536	9-584	9-728	9-904
35	Wood, soft...	1 "	7-328	7-232	7-264	7-344	7-376	7-360	7-312	7-344	7-280	7-280	7-328	7-360	7-424
36	Coal oil...	1 gal.	0-275	0-275	0-274	0-277	0-274	0-273	0-274	0-274	0-275	0-275	0-276	0-276	0-273
37	Fuel Lighting— Weighted Total		2-86	2-84	2-85	2-87	2-87	2-85	2-83	2-84	2-84	2-84	2-86	2-88	2-89
38	Rent per month...		22-16	22-28	22-28	22-28	22-28	22-16	22-12	22-12	22-12	22-08	22-08	22-16	22-16
39	Weighted Total		16-02	15-95	16-09	16-51	16-28	15-96	15-78	15-84	15-92	15-87	15-96	16-03	16-02

\*Includes data for 60 cities.



TABLE XXIV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1920-1934

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

## STAPLE FOODS

No.	Province	1913	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933
1	Nova Scotia...	99.3	221.0	169.3	143.6	148.8	144.1	149.5	154.8	148.6	149.3	153.5	151.6	121.7	102.9	99.5
2	Prince Ed. Is...	86.4	193.4	152.2	129.5	130.0	128.9	134.8	142.3	136.8	134.3	139.1	140.4	115.4	95.4	94.9
3	New Brunswick	96.0	214.1	167.1	142.5	146.6	144.7	147.7	155.9	150.1	149.0	151.4	149.1	119.9	102.1	99.9
4	Quebec.....	93.6	206.7	158.0	135.2	137.0	132.2	139.3	144.9	139.4	139.2	142.8	138.8	107.4	89.4	87.9
5	Ontario.....	98.2	225.2	170.4	140.4	142.7	139.5	145.0	154.2	150.8	151.0	153.8	148.7	114.5	95.7	95.5
6	Manitoba.....	107.3	220.2	162.6	137.3	136.4	133.1	141.7	142.2	141.6	145.6	151.2	144.5	108.8	93.0	92.1
7	Saskatchewan..	112.4	215.6	164.7	138.6	141.1	137.7	148.2	148.6	150.7	152.3	158.3	149.1	110.4	93.4	92.4
8	Alberta.....	113.5	218.0	163.6	137.4	138.2	139.4	149.9	147.5	148.4	151.1	158.9	150.9	111.8	93.0	92.1
9	Br. Columbia..	124.4	232.0	180.2	157.6	155.5	154.1	164.6	163.1	163.2	164.6	170.4	164.5	129.6	106.9	106.0

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

1	Nova Scotia...	80.1	170.6	194.0	161.7	163.8	160.9	157.1	155.5	150.8	152.4	151.8	150.3	149.2	139.3	131.4
2	Prince Ed. Is..	77.2	181.8	193.9	174.6	196.6	179.1	174.3	167.0	162.8	152.4	154.5	153.9	152.9	150.8	138.7
3	New Brunswick	88.0	185.3	198.1	173.1	174.8	169.5	164.9	168.1	164.4	161.8	160.2	160.7	156.0	147.6	140.3
4	Quebec.....	93.7	195.0	197.6	183.1	183.8	175.4	172.8	177.5	175.4	174.9	174.9	173.3	167.0	157.1	149.2
5	Ontario.....	95.2	198.5	203.1	190.2	194.1	183.0	179.6	182.2	179.1	177.0	177.0	175.9	173.3	164.9	156.5
6	Manitoba.....	122.6	206.3	221.4	194.5	203.9	195.3	188.5	184.8	183.2	184.8	189.5	190.1	181.7	159.2	153.9
7	Saskatchewan..	139.2	210.3	216.5	205.8	201.7	195.2	186.4	181.2	182.7	183.8	181.2	174.9	160.7	112.6	102.6
8	Alberta.....	86.6	161.6	140.4	129.7	134.8	122.5	128.3	126.2	122.0	108.4	100.5	100.5	97.4	94.2	90.6
9	Br. Columbia..	117.8	182.6	184.5	166.0	156.1	152.4	147.1	147.6	147.1	147.1	147.6	147.6	146.1	137.2	128.3

## RENT

1	Nova Scotia...	81.3	107.7	122.9	123.3	117.7	118.5	117.5	117.9	117.9	117.9	117.9	121.1	126.9	126.9	117.5
2	Prince Ed. Is..	36.2	84.5	95.3	117.4	121.7	123.8	122.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	122.3	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.2
3	New Brunswick	63.7	119.8	128.1	131.1	138.7	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	139.4	135.6	132.4	124.2
4	Quebec.....	73.0	93.0	106.2	113.4	118.0	121.1	120.8	120.8	121.7	122.7	123.2	125.9	124.4	118.1	110.1
5	Ontario.....	84.9	154.8	147.2	152.6	151.7	154.4	152.8	151.8	151.2	153.1	154.3	155.8	153.3	139.6	123.2
6	Manitoba.....	152.7	159.6	181.2	181.2	181.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	176.6	153.5	131.8
7	Saskatchewan..	198.2	178.1	180.8	182.5	184.5	187.6	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	185.7	176.8	156.0	133.1
8	Alberta.....	156.8	154.7	158.5	161.2	157.7	150.8	148.0	151.8	152.4	151.8	157.9	161.7	160.4	143.6	125.5
9	Br. Columbia..	106.1	119.3	132.0	132.1	132.1	134.3	135.4	135.8	136.6	138.1	139.8	140.8	140.2	131.4	118.3

## GRAND TOTAL

1	Nova Scotia...	90.6	175.3	154.7	139.1	140.1	137.4	139.4	142.1	138.4	138.9	141.0	140.8	127.0	115.8	109.7
2	Prince Ed. Is..	68.0	154.5	138.3	131.5	136.2	133.7	135.6	137.3	134.0	131.2	135.3	136.3	123.1	112.4	110.2
3	New Brunswick	83.8	177.8	157.9	143.0	147.7	146.9	147.9	152.7	149.1	148.2	149.2	147.1	129.9	118.4	113.4
4	Quebec.....	86.5	166.0	145.6	134.3	136.7	131.4	137.4	141.0	138.1	138.3	140.3	138.8	121.1	108.2	103.6
5	Ontario.....	93.2	187.1	163.5	151.4	152.5	150.2	152.2	156.8	154.6	155.0	156.9	154.5	135.4	119.8	113.0
6	Manitoba.....	124.9	197.4	176.8	160.1	160.7	158.6	162.2	161.9	161.5	163.8	167.4	163.9	141.5	122.3	113.3
7	Saskatchewan..	145.5	202.1	177.2	162.8	163.9	162.1	165.3	164.8	166.2	167.2	170.0	164.7	139.5	117.0	107.4
8	Alberta.....	124.7	188.6	158.7	144.5	144.1	140.6	146.0	145.8	145.9	145.3	150.4	147.4	126.1	110.1	108.0
9	Br. Columbia..	117.2	186.6	164.1	150.0	147.2	146.9	152.0	151.5	151.5	153.0	156.7	153.9	135.2	119.1	113.0

TABLE XXIV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1920-1934—Concluded

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

## STAPLE FOODS

No.	Province	1934	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	Nova Scotia.....	106.6	106.4	107.8	113.7	110.3	106.2	103.0	103.9	105.2	105.2	105.8	105.2	105.6
2	Prince Edward Island.....	100.0	100.2	101.3	103.0	102.6	100.9	99.0	96.4	99.5	97.3	98.1	102.8	99.8
3	New Brunswick.....	105.6	105.2	107.3	111.2	108.8	104.0	102.4	102.2	103.7	104.5	104.1	106.6	108.2
4	Quebec.....	95.4	94.7	96.5	104.9	99.4	94.5	92.4	92.7	93.4	92.1	93.6	95.0	95.4
5	Ontario.....	104.1	101.8	104.4	111.4	107.5	103.3	101.7	102.2	102.9	102.8	104.1	103.9	102.6
6	Manitoba.....	97.0	96.2	98.7	100.6	97.2	95.0	93.4	94.0	97.7	97.0	97.6	98.4	98.3
7	Saskatchewan.....	99.5	100.0	102.8	103.3	102.4	97.9	96.6	96.6	99.9	97.0	99.1	98.7	99.9
8	Alberta.....	99.4	99.8	100.7	101.4	100.0	98.3	97.5	97.5	99.2	98.0	99.2	101.1	100.0
9	British Columbia.....	112.7	112.3	113.4	115.9	116.3	112.9	109.9	111.4	112.4	111.1	113.5	113.1	111.6

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

1	Nova Scotia.....	133.0	135.6	134.6	134.6	135.1	134.6	128.8	129.3	130.9	130.9	133.0	133.0	132.5
2	Prince Edward Island.....	142.9	145.5	145.5	145.5	145.5	145.5	145.5	141.4	141.4	140.3	140.3	140.3	140.3
3	New Brunswick.....	139.3	141.4	140.8	141.4	140.8	140.3	140.3	139.3	137.7	137.7	137.7	137.7	138.7
4	Quebec.....	149.7	146.1	146.6	150.3	150.3	151.3	151.3	150.3	150.3	149.7	150.3	148.7	150.3
5	Ontario.....	155.5	154.5	155.0	155.5	155.5	154.5	153.9	154.5	155.0	155.0	156.0	158.1	159.2
6	Manitoba.....	157.6	153.9	156.5	157.6	158.1	157.1	157.1	157.6	158.6	158.1	158.1	158.1	157.6
7	Saskatchewan.....	102.1	100.0	99.5	99.5	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2
8	Alberta.....	87.4	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	88.0	86.9	87.4	86.9
9	British Columbia.....	124.6	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.7	124.6	124.1	122.5	123.0	123.6	124.1	124.1

## RENT

1	Nova Scotia.....	111.8	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	111.4	111.4	111.4	111.4	111.4	111.4	111.4	111.4
2	Prince Edward Island.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1
3	New Brunswick.....	120.2	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8
4	Quebec.....	105.3	106.7	106.7	106.7	106.7	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4
5	Ontario.....	120.4	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.2	120.2	120.2	120.2	120.2	120.2	121.7	121.7
6	Manitoba.....	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1
7	Saskatchewan.....	129.3	128.2	128.2	128.2	128.2	125.7	125.7	125.7	125.7	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8
8	Alberta.....	116.6	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8
9	British Columbia.....	110.3	111.2	111.2	111.2	111.2	109.9	109.9	109.9	109.9	109.9	109.9	110.3	110.3

## GRAND TOTAL

1	Nova Scotia.....	111.7	112.2	112.7	115.8	114.1	111.9	109.2	109.7	110.6	110.6	111.2	110.9	111.0
2	Prince Edward Island.....	112.8	113.2	113.8	114.7	114.5	113.6	112.6	110.7	112.3	111.0	111.5	113.9	112.3
3	New Brunswick.....	114.9	115.3	116.3	118.4	117.1	114.5	113.2	113.0	113.6	114.0	113.8	115.1	116.1
4	Quebec.....	106.0	105.6	106.6	111.5	108.6	105.4	104.3	104.3	104.7	104.0	104.8	105.3	105.7
5	Ontario.....	116.4	114.9	116.4	120.1	118.1	115.8	114.9	115.2	115.7	115.6	116.4	117.1	116.6
6	Manitoba.....	114.6	113.7	115.3	116.4	114.7	113.4	112.6	113.0	115.1	114.7	114.9	115.4	115.2
7	Saskatchewan.....	109.7	109.4	110.7	111.0	110.8	107.6	107.0	107.0	108.7	106.9	108.0	107.7	108.4
8	Alberta.....	103.4	104.3	104.8	105.2	104.5	102.5	102.0	102.0	103.0	102.5	103.0	104.0	103.4
9	British Columbia.....	113.3	113.4	114.0	115.3	115.5	113.4	111.7	112.4	112.7	112.1	113.4	113.4	112.7

TABLE XXV—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS,  
FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN CERTAIN CITIES OF CANADA,  
1933 AND 1934

(Dominion Average for 1913=100)

1933

## STAPLE FOODS

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Halifax.....	102.9	100.5	98.4	102.4	101.5	102.5	102.6	103.9	102.5	102.3	103.4	106.7	102.3
Saint John.....	102.5	94.9	96.6	99.8	98.7	98.2	100.5	102.0	104.2	104.0	104.4	107.5	101.1
Montreal.....	96.5	92.7	89.9	93.6	93.0	92.1	95.0	97.3	95.1	98.1	97.5	98.7	95.0
Toronto.....	100.0	96.3	95.4	97.7	98.7	98.5	100.7	107.2	105.2	101.5	102.2	104.5	100.7
Winnipeg.....	94.5	94.0	96.2	97.5	97.1	95.7	96.4	103.8	96.7	94.7	95.5	97.6	96.6
Regina.....	89.2	90.9	91.2	91.5	91.1	93.3	93.2	102.2	95.4	96.0	94.8	97.8	93.9
Calgary.....	94.4	88.6	88.0	89.4	89.6	91.3	91.9	97.4	96.5	98.1	98.2	98.9	93.5
Vancouver.....	99.0	94.6	95.2	98.8	99.6	101.3	101.5	104.9	106.4	108.4	106.0	108.3	102.0

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

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## RENT

Halifax.....	170-9	170-9	170-9	170-9	170-9	157-9	157-9	157-9	157-9	152-6	152-6	152-6	162-0
Saint John.....	144-6	144-6	144-6	144-6	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	132-4
Montreal.....	134-1	134-1	134-1	134-1	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	128-9
Toronto.....	142-1	142-1	142-1	142-1	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	135-1
Winnipeg.....	157-9	157-9	157-9	157-9	142-1	142-1	142-1	142-1	142-1	136-8	136-8	136-8	146-1
Regina.....	152-6	152-6	152-6	152-6	144-6	144-6	144-6	144-6	144-6	144-6	144-6	144-6	147-4
Calgary.....	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	126-3	118-3	118-3	125-0
Vancouver.....	118-3	118-3	118-3	118-3	118-3	105-3	105-3	105-3	105-3	105-3	102-5	102-5	110-3

## TOTAL

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(Dominion Average for 1913=100)

1934

## STAPLE FOODS

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
Halifax.....	109-5	109-8	119-5	113-8	108-0	104-3	103-9	105-8	103-5	105-7	105-2	106-8	108-0
Saint John.....	109-4	108-7	117-4	112-2	105-1	105-0	104-7	105-8	106-3	104-8	106-2	108-5	107-8
Montreal.....	102-5	105-3	112-1	106-7	101-3	99-6	101-1	100-3	99-2	100-1	103-2	101-3	102-7
Toronto.....	106-0	109-8	116-7	111-6	109-3	108-2	107-3	105-3	106-4	109-6	108-7	107-4	108-9
Winnipeg.....	98-5	102-2	104-0	97-5	99-1	97-5	97-7	98-9	98-7	100-5	101-9	100-7	99-8
Regina.....	98-5	99-7	103-0	101-4	98-3	98-3	98-2	99-1	99-3	100-3	100-7	100-6	99-8
Calgary.....	102-9	104-8	104-0	104-3	102-5	101-1	98-6	99-5	98-0	100-4	100-3	99-3	101-3
Vancouver.....	108-4	112-3	116-1	112-3	111-8	107-9	109-1	107-9	108-6	110-6	109-8	103-8	109-9

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

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## RENT

[illegible]

## TOTAL

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## PRICES OF SERVICES

Data relating to service costs are collected by the Bureau in connection with its cost of living measurements. Results of annual investigations regarding street car fares, hospital charges, fuel gas, electric light rates, and telephone rates are also included in this report.

## STREET CAR FARES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1934

The average fare for Canada was unchanged at 6·4c. for the year 1934. The average fare for Saskatchewan was lowest at 5·5c., while Nova Scotia ranked highest at 7·4c.

A Dominion index number of car fares on a 1926 base declined from 106·4 in 1933 to 106·0 in 1934, but this index change was not sufficient to effect the corresponding fare by even one-tenth of a cent. Provincial index declines contributing to the decrease noted were as follows: Saskatchewan from 100·0 to 89·2, and Alberta from 100·0 to 98·3.

TABLE XXVI.—AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1920-1934

Province	1913	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926*	1927*	1928*	1929*	1930*	1931*	1932*	1933*	1934*
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
CANADA.....	·042	·050	·051	·059	·059	·060	·060	·060	·060	·061	·062	·063	·064	·064	·064	·064
Nova Scotia.....	·044	·053	·061	·060	·060	·069	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074
New Brunswick....	·047	·061	·070	·059	·055	·053	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059
Quebec.....	·044	·059	·061	·061	·061	·061	·061	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062
Ontario.....	·040	·039	·039	·057	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·060	·062	·063	·064	·064	·064	·064
Manitoba.....	·041	·056	·060	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·065	·072	·072	·072	·072
Saskatchewan.....	·043	·056	·061	·062	·061	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·055
Alberta.....	·041	·055	·058	·058	·057	·057	·057	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·057
British Columbia..	·051	·064	·065	·064	·064	·064	·063	·063	·063	·063	·063	·067	·067	·067	·067	·067

\*Fares from 1926 forward revised on basis of movements in actual tariffs in effect. Prior to 1926, fares based on total passenger revenue and passengers carried.

TABLE XXVII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1920-1934

(1926=100)

Province.	1913	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
CANADA.....	70·0	83·3	85·0	98·3	98·3	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	101·1	102·4	104·2	106·1	106·4	106·4	106·0
Nova Scotia.....	59·5	71·6	82·4	81·1	81·1	93·2	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
New Brunswick....	79·7	103·4	118·6	100·0	93·2	89·9	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
Quebec.....	71·0	95·2	98·4	98·4	98·4	98·4	98·4	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
Ontario.....	69·0	67·2	67·2	98·3	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	103·2	107·1	109·2	111·3	111·3	111·3	111·3
Manitoba.....	69·5	94·9	101·7	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	109·7	122·6	122·6	122·6	122·6
Saskatchewan.....	69·3	90·3	98·4	100·0	98·4	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	89·2
Alberta.....	70·7	94·8	100·9	100·0	98·2	98·2	98·2	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	98·3
British Columbia..	81·0	101·6	103·2	101·6	101·6	101·6	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	106·2	106·0	106·0	106·0	106·0

TABLE XXVIII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1920-1934

(1913=100)

Province	1913	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
CANADA.....	100·0	119·0	121·4	140·5	140·5	142·9	142·9	142·9	142·9	144·5	146·3	148·9	151·6	152·0	152·0	151·5
Nova Scotia.....	100·0	120·5	138·6	136·4	136·4	156·8	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2
New Brunswick....	100·0	129·8	148·9	125·5	117·0	112·8	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5
Quebec.....	100·0	134·1	138·6	138·6	138·6	138·6	138·6	140·9	140·9	140·9	140·9	141·0	141·0	142·2	142·2	142·2
Ontario.....	100·0	97·5	97·5	142·5	145·0	145·0	145·0	145·0	145·0	149·6	155·3	158·3	161·4	161·4	161·4	161·4
Manitoba.....	100·0	136·6	146·3	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	157·9	176·4	176·4	176·4	176·4
Saskatchewan.....	100·0	130·2	141·9	144·2	141·9	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	128·6
Alberta.....	100·0	134·1	141·5	141·5	139·0	139·0	139·0	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	139·1
British Columbia..	100·0	125·5	127·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	123·5	123·5	123·5	123·5	123·5	131·2	130·9	130·9	130·9	130·9

## RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913-1934

Returns received by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from 230 hospitals, indicate that rates in 1934 were 0.6 per cent. below those in 1933, but 3.8 per cent. higher than in 1926. In the tables that follow, weighted index numbers of rates and average costs are shown for each province, and for the Dominion as a whole, covering public ward, semi-private ward and private room rates, operating room fees, and maintenance costs per patient per day.

The most important change in hospital rates for 1934 occurred in the public wards index, which was 108.7 as against 109.5 in 1933. Semi-private rooms declined from 100.3 to 99.9, private rooms from 99.8 to 99.4, and operating room charges from 99.6 to 99.0. The average cost of maintaining a patient for one day receded from 93.6 to 92.7.

An average of public ward rates throughout the Dominion changed from \$1.99 to \$1.98, owing to slightly reduced rates for Quebec, Ontario, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia. Provincial averages ranged from \$1.50 for Prince Edward Island to \$2.54 for New Brunswick.

Semi-private rooms changed slightly from \$2.82 to \$2.81, lower rates for Nova Scotia, Ontario, and Alberta more than offsetting an increase shown for Saskatchewan. Provincial averages varied between \$2.10 for Ontario and \$3.34 for Alberta and British Columbia.

An average of private room rates fell from \$5.06 to \$5.04. The decrease was accounted for by declines in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, and Alberta. Rates for Saskatchewan registered an advance. The range of provincial averages was marked by New Brunswick at \$3.82 and Quebec at \$6.06.

A Dominion average of operating room charges moved down from \$8.14 to \$8.10, the following provinces contributing to the recession: Quebec, Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Quebec at \$9.59 showed the highest provincial average and Alberta the lowest at \$6.34.

The average cost per day of maintaining one patient, calculated upon a Dominion basis declined from \$3.25 to \$3.22. Provincial figures for Nova Scotia, Quebec, Saskatchewan, and Alberta were lower, while Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, and British Columbia recorded increases. Average rates by provinces moved within fairly narrow limits, ranging from \$2.58 for Nova Scotia to \$3.58 for Quebec. Because of differences in accounting methods cost of maintenance figures cannot be considered strictly comparable as between various institutions or provinces. It is believed, however, that these figures furnish a reliable basis upon which to calculate fluctuations in costs from year to year.



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TABLE XXIX.—HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1919-1934

Province	1913	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES FOR PUBLIC WARDS																	
P.E.I.....									1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Nova Scotia.....	0.91	1.17	1.18	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.86	1.86	1.86
New Brunswick.....									2.46	2.46	2.46	2.46	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54
Quebec.....	0.89	1.48	1.49	1.77	1.90	1.95	1.97	1.97	1.84	1.90	2.05	2.11	2.12	2.12	2.12	2.11	2.10
Ontario.....	1.00	1.38	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.69	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.73	1.72
Manitoba.....	1.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.51	1.51
Saskatchewan.....	1.13	1.60	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.97	2.45	2.45	2.43	2.45	2.45	2.40	2.35	2.24	2.20
Alberta.....	1.24	1.46	1.56	1.56	1.56	1.63	2.17	2.27	2.27	2.30	2.30	2.31	2.31	2.29	2.28	2.23	2.21
British Columbia.....	1.05	1.78	1.81	2.10	2.10	2.11	2.14	2.14	2.29	2.29	2.29	2.52	2.52	2.52	2.50	2.50	2.48
Dominion Average.....	0.99	1.47	1.54	1.67	1.71	1.73	1.77	1.78	1.83	1.86	1.96	2.03	2.04	2.03	2.03	1.99	1.98

AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS

P.E.I.....	1.60	2.25	2.33	2.51	2.53	2.53	2.56	2.56	2.50	2.50	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.51	2.51
Nova Scotia.....									3.16	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.20	3.19	3.19	3.18	3.08
New Brunswick.....									2.11	2.11	2.43	2.43	2.43	2.64	2.62	2.62	2.62
Quebec.....	1.64	2.11	2.21	2.35	2.37	2.50	2.52	2.91	3.12	3.15	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.21	3.19	3.17	3.17
Ontario.....	1.30	2.09	2.25	2.47	2.63	2.64	2.65	2.60	2.14	2.17	2.17	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.16	2.11	2.10
Manitoba.....	2.18	3.02	3.58	3.59	3.59	3.59	3.55	3.55	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.32	3.28	3.28	3.28
Saskatchewan.....	1.72	2.85	3.26	3.40	3.39	3.39	3.39	3.44	3.39	3.39	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.36	3.33	3.24	3.26
Alberta.....	2.16	2.79	2.99	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.52	3.45	3.45	3.37	3.38	3.34
British Columbia.....	1.89	2.76	2.84	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.52	3.40	3.40	3.39	3.39	3.39	3.34	3.33	3.34	3.34
Dominion.....	1.57	2.27	2.44	2.63	2.69	2.73	2.74	2.84	2.82	2.83	2.85	2.87	2.89	2.89	2.85	2.82	2.81

AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS

P.E.I.....									3.75	3.75	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87
Nova Scotia.....	1.87	2.42	2.76	2.85	3.00	3.00	3.02	3.07	3.82	3.99	4.01	4.04	4.11	4.02	4.02	4.02	3.89
New Brunswick.....									3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.81	3.81	3.85	3.83	3.82
Quebec.....	2.60	3.65	3.68	4.27	4.29	4.38	4.56	5.85	6.16	6.35	6.46	6.41	6.44	6.46	6.15	6.12	6.06
Ontario.....	2.54	3.79	4.18	4.52	4.63	4.64	4.62	4.59	4.64	4.66	4.60	4.76	4.75	4.75	4.66	4.60	4.58
Manitoba.....	3.98	5.23	5.97	6.03	6.10	6.10	6.10	6.10	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.05	5.99	5.97	5.91	5.80	5.80
Saskatchewan.....	3.13	3.67	4.91	5.34	4.96	4.96	5.09	4.80	4.62	4.62	4.96	4.96	4.96	4.89	4.75	4.70	4.80
Alberta.....	3.33	4.13	4.83	4.89	5.01	5.01	5.01	5.11	4.51	4.57	4.56	4.63	4.59	4.58	4.57	4.50	4.48
British Columbia.....	2.58	3.31	3.38	3.90	3.90	3.95	3.95	3.97	5.08	5.08	5.11	5.06	5.05	5.05	5.09	4.94	4.94
Dominion Average.....	2.68	3.68	4.05	4.45	4.49	4.52	4.58	4.92	5.07	5.14	5.25	5.23	5.24	5.23	5.11	5.06	5.04

AVERAGE OPERATING ROOM CHARGES

P.E.I.....									7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
Nova Scotia.....	4.55	6.77	6.77	6.87	6.87	6.87	6.87	6.28	7.39	7.39	7.40	7.43	7.43	7.37	7.37	7.37	7.37
New Brunswick.....	6.00	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	10.00	10.00	7.26	7.26	7.36	7.41	7.34	7.30	7.27	7.27	7.27
Quebec.....	5.58	6.95	7.00	7.16	7.24	7.70	8.70	8.74	9.26	9.65	9.69	9.69	9.69	9.68	9.66	9.60	9.59
Ontario.....	4.43	6.12	6.72	6.88	7.02	7.02	7.06	7.27	7.48	7.53	7.58	7.58	7.58	7.56	7.40	7.39	7.32
Manitoba.....	6.81	9.67	9.67	9.67	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	9.58	9.58	9.59	9.59	9.59	9.59	9.49	9.45	9.45
Saskatchewan.....	5.74	6.31	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.59	8.35	7.69	7.83	7.87	7.88	7.88	7.84	7.80	7.55	7.47
Alberta.....	5.12	5.69	5.69	5.91	5.91	5.69	6.50	6.50	6.99	7.02	7.10	7.10	7.04	7.02	6.57	6.45	6.34
British Columbia.....	4.73	6.21	6.39	6.94	6.94	6.94	6.94	7.06	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.57	8.56	8.52	8.52	8.52
Dominion Average.....	5.16	6.71	7.00	7.15	7.24	7.64	7.87	7.97	8.17	8.31	8.36	8.37	8.36	8.33	8.23	8.14	8.10

AVERAGE COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY

P.E.I.....									2.61	2.47	2.88	3.26	3.34	3.25	2.97	3.12	3.16
Nova Scotia.....	1.28	2.12	2.57	2.46	2.44	2.23	2.22	2.14	2.87	2.94	2.92	3.24	3.41	3.47	2.80	2.71	2.58
New Brunswick.....									3.24	3.21	3.35	3.28	3.17	3.22	3.03	2.87	2.91
Quebec.....	1.63	2.80	2.96	2.96	2.93	2.84	3.16	3.14	3.81	3.98	4.09	3.96	3.92	3.77	3.79	3.63	3.58
Ontario.....	1.49	2.57	3.02	3.40	3.32	3.44	3.39	3.52	3.51	3.33	3.35	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.63	3.42	3.42
Manitoba.....	2.20	2.98	3.31	3.31	2.90	3.01	3.26	3.09	3.04	3.08	3.17	3.12	3.33	3.18	3.09	2.91	2.91
Saskatchewan.....	2.29	3.02	3.52	3.33	3.34	3.36	3.34	3.14	3.19	3.22	3.20	3.18	3.24	3.16	3.16	2.90	2.74
Alberta.....	2.18	3.45	3.83	3.65	3.45	3.77	3.77	3.83	3.60	3.43	3.39	3.28	3.13	3.10	3.01	2.82	2.73
British Columbia.....	2.01	2.67	3.11	3.21	3.04	3.29	3.18	3.25	3.55	3.32	3.19	3.35	3.47	3.40	3.19	2.89	3.01
Dominion Average.....	1.68	2.72	3.08	3.22	3.12	3.17	3.25	3.26	3.48	3.45	3.49	3.62	3.63	3.58	3.44	3.25	3.22

TABLE XXX.—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1919-1934

Province	1913	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES (1926=100)																	
P.E.I.									100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Nova Scotia	59-1	76-2	76-5	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
New Brunswick									100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Quebec	44-9	74-6	75-2	89-0	95-9	98-5	99-3	99-3	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Ontario	66-7	91-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Manitoba	57-1	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Saskatchewan	52-7	74-8	89-9	89-9	89-9	89-9	89-9	92-3	100-0	100-0	99-3	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Alberta	52-2	61-6	65-6	65-6	65-6	68-9	91-4	95-8	100-0	101-6	101-5	102-0	102-0	101-2	100-0	98-7	97-7
British Columbia	49-0	83-2	84-7	98-1	98-1	98-4	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	110-4	110-4	110-4	109-3	109-3	108-6
Dominion Index	54-6	81-4	85-6	93-1	95-5	96-7	98-5	98-9	100-0	101-1	107-5	111-3	111-6	111-4	111-4	109-5	108-7

INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES (1913=100)																	
Nova Scotia	100-0	128-9	129-5	169-2	169-2	169-2	169-2	169-2	169-2	169-2	169-2	196-8	196-8	196-6	205-1	205-1	205-1
Quebec	100-0	166-1	167-4	198-2	213-6	219-3	221-2	222-7	230-5	248-3	255-2	256-1	256-1	256-3	255-4	254-1	254-1
Ontario	100-0	137-5	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	169-1	174-9	175-1	174-9	173-4	172-1
Manitoba	100-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	177-1	177-3	176-7	151-6	151-4
Saskatchewan	100-0	142-0	170-0	170-6	170-6	170-6	170-6	175-1	189-8	189-8	188-5	190-4	190-4	186-2	182-4	174-4	171-2
Alberta	100-0	118-1	125-7	125-7	125-7	132-0	175-2	183-6	191-6	194-7	194-5	195-4	195-4	193-9	192-9	189-1	187-2
British Columbia	100-0	169-7	172-8	200-1	200-1	200-7	204-0	204-0	204-0	204-0	204-2	225-2	225-2	225-2	223-0	223-0	221-5
Dominion Index	100-0	149-1	156-9	170-5	175-0	177-1	180-4	181-2	183-2	185-2	196-9	203-9	204-5	204-1	204-1	200-6	199-1

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS (1926=100)																	
P.E.I.									100-0	100-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	100-4	100-4
Nova Scotia	59-7	84-2	87-1	93-8	94-7	94-7	95-6	95-6	100-0	100-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	100-8	97-6
New Brunswick	66-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	115-3	115-3	125-1	125-1	124-1	124-1	124-1
Quebec	56-0	71-9	75-5	80-1	80-8	85-1	85-9	99-3	100-0	100-7	101-2	101-2	102-6	102-7	102-1	101-4	101-7
Ontario	48-5	77-8	83-6	92-0	97-8	98-1	98-4	96-6	100-0	101-2	101-0	102-4	102-6	102-7	100-6	98-5	97-7
Manitoba	63-0	87-1	103-5	103-5	103-8	103-8	102-5	102-5	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	98-3	98-2	98-2
Saskatchewan	50-1	82-7	94-7	98-9	98-6	98-6	98-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-9	99-9	99-9	98-4	95-6	96-3
Alberta	62-7	81-1	86-8	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	102-3	100-3	100-3	98-1	98-4	97-3
British Columbia	53-6	78-3	80-7	99-5	99-5	99-5	99-5	100-2	100-0	99-8	99-6	99-6	99-6	98-0	97-7	98-0	98-1
Dominion Index	54-0	78-7	84-4	91-0	93-5	94-8	95-1	98-4	100-0	100-6	101-4	102-1	102-8	102-7	101-5	100-3	99-9

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS (1913=100)																	
Nova Scotia	100-0	140-9	145-8	157-0	158-6	160-0	160-0	167-4	167-4	167-4	169-9	169-9	169-2	169-2	168-7	163-4	163-4
New Brunswick	100-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	177-2	178-5	179-7	180-6	180-6	183-1	183-3	182-2	181-0	181-5
Quebec	100-0	128-3	134-8	142-9	144-2	151-9	153-3	177-2	178-5	179-7	180-6	180-6	183-1	183-3	182-2	181-0	181-5
Ontario	100-0	160-3	172-2	189-5	201-4	202-1	202-8	198-9	206-0	208-5	208-1	210-9	211-4	211-6	207-2	202-9	201-3
Manitoba	100-0	138-3	164-3	164-4	164-8	164-8	162-8	162-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	156-1	155-9	155-9
Saskatchewan	100-0	165-1	189-2	197-5	196-9	196-9	196-9	199-7	199-7	199-7	199-5	199-5	199-3	197-9	196-5	190-9	192-3
Alberta	100-0	129-3	138-5	151-0	151-0	151-0	151-0	159-5	159-5	159-7	163-2	160-0	160-0	156-5	156-9	155-2	155-2
British Columbia	100-0	146-0	150-4	185-4	185-4	185-4	185-4	186-7	186-4	186-0	185-7	185-7	185-7	182-7	182-1	182-7	182-9
Dominion Index	100-0	145-8	156-3	168-6	173-1	175-6	176-1	182-2	185-2	186-3	187-8	189-1	190-4	190-2	188-0	185-8	185-0

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS (1926=100)																	
P.E.I.									100-0	100-0	103-3	103-3	103-3	103-3	103-3	105-0	105-0
Nova Scotia	58-0	75-2	85-4	88-4	93-1	93-1	93-8	95-4	100-0	104-3	104-8	105-6	107-4	105-1	105-1	105-1	101-7
New Brunswick	46-3	58-3	66-4	86-5	86-5	86-5	86-5	89-2	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	103-9	103-9	105-0	104-6	104-2
Quebec	43-9	61-6	62-1	72-1	72-3	74-0	77-0	98-8	100-0	103-2	105-0	104-2	104-6	105-0	100-0	99-4	98-5
Ontario	54-9	82-0	86-6	97-9	100-3	100-4	100-1	99-5	100-0	100-5	103-4	102-6	102-5	102-5	100-6	99-2	98-8
Manitoba	66-4	77-3	99-5	100-6	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-4	99-1	91-1	96-3	96-3
Saskatchewan	66-1	87-0	103-6	112-6	104-6	104-6	107-3	101-4	100-0	100-0	107-5	107-5	107-5	106-0	103-0	101-9	104-0
Alberta	65-2	80-8	94-6	95-7	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	100-0	101-1	101-0	102-5	101-6	101-5	101-3	99-7	99-2
British Columbia	65-1	83-3	85-2	98-2	98-2	99-4	99-4	104-0	100-0	100-0	100-7	99-7	99-4	99-4	100-3	97-3	97-3
Dominion Index	53-1	73-3	80-3	88-8	89-7	90-3	91-4	98-6	100-0	101-4	103-6	103-2	103-4	103-2	100-9	99-8	99-4

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Province	1913	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS (1913=100)																	
Nova Scotia.....	100-0	129-7	147-0	152-5	150-6	160-6	161-8	164-5	172-5	179-9	180-8	182-2	185-3	181-3	181-3	181-3	175-4
New Brunswick.....	100-0	125-8	143-3	186-7	186-7	186-7	186-7	192-5	215-8	215-8	215-8	215-8	224-2	224-2	226-6	225-7	224-0
Quebec.....	100-0	140-3	141-4	164-3	164-8	168-5	175-3	225-1	227-8	235-1	239-3	237-4	238-3	239-2	227-8	226-4	224-4
Ontario.....	100-0	149-5	164-9	178-3	182-7	182-9	182-3	181-2	182-1	183-0	183-3	185-8	186-7	186-7	183-2	180-6	179-9
Manitoba.....	100-0	131-4	149-8	151-5	153-1	153-1	153-1	153-1	150-6	150-6	150-6	151-2	149-7	149-2	147-7	145-0	145-0
Saskatchewan.....	100-0	117-4	156-9	170-5	158-3	158-3	162-5	153-5	151-4	151-4	162-8	162-8	162-8	160-5	155-9	154-3	157-5
Alberta.....	100-0	123-8	145-0	146-7	150-2	150-2	150-2	153-3	153-3	155-0	154-8	157-1	155-8	155-6	155-3	152-8	152-1
British Columbia.....	100-0	128-1	131-0	151-0	151-0	152-8	152-8	153-7	153-7	153-7	154-8	153-2	152-8	152-8	154-2	149-6	149-6
Dominion Index.....	100-0	138-2	151-4	167-4	169-1	170-3	172-3	185-9	188-5	191-1	195-3	194-5	194-9	194-5	190-2	188-1	187-4

INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES (1926=100)																	
P.E.I.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Nova Scotia.....	72-4	107-7	107-7	109-3	109-3	109-3	109-3	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-2	100-6	99-8	99-8	99-8	94-2	94-2
New Brunswick.....	60-0	75-0	75-0	75-0	75-0	75-0	75-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-4	102-1	101-2	100-6	100-2	100-2	100-2
Quebec.....	61-5	76-6	77-1	78-9	79-7	95-8	95-8	96-3	96-3	100-0	104-3	104-7	104-7	104-7	104-6	104-4	103-7
Ontario.....	60-4	83-4	91-7	93-8	95-7	95-7	96-3	99-2	100-0	100-4	101-4	101-4	101-4	101-1	99-0	98-9	97-9
Manitoba.....	68-1	96-7	96-7	96-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1	98-7	98-7
Saskatchewan.....	73-0	80-3	90-4	90-4	90-4	90-4	90-4	96-6	106-4	100-0	101-7	102-3	102-5	102-5	101-9	101-4	98-2
Alberta.....	78-7	87-6	87-6	90-9	90-9	87-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-5	101-6	101-6	100-8	100-5	94-0	92-4	90-8
British Columbia.....	66-1	87-0	89-5	97-1	97-1	97-1	97-1	98-9	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-9	99-3	99-6	99-4
Dominion Index.....	63-8	83-5	87-4	89-4	90-5	95-0	97-6	99-0	100-0	101-5	102-2	102-3	102-2	101-9	100-6	99-6	99-0

INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES (1913=100)																	
Nova Scotia.....	100-0	148-8	148-8	151-1	151-1	151-1	151-1	138-2	138-2	138-2	138-5	139-0	139-0	137-9	137-9	130-2	130-2
New Brunswick.....	100-0	125-0	125-0	125-0	125-0	125-0	166-7	166-7	166-7	166-7	169-0	170-2	168-7	167-7	167-0	167-0	167-0
Quebec.....	100-0	124-6	125-5	128-3	129-7	155-9	155-9	156-7	152-7	159-3	159-9	159-9	159-9	159-7	159-4	158-3	158-2
Ontario.....	100-0	138-1	151-8	155-4	158-4	158-5	159-4	164-2	165-6	166-3	167-9	167-9	167-9	167-4	163-9	163-8	162-1
Manitoba.....	100-0	141-9	141-9	141-9	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-9	146-9	146-9	146-9	145-5	144-9	144-9
Saskatchewan.....	100-0	109-9	123-8	123-8	123-8	123-8	132-3	145-7	136-9	139-2	140-0	140-3	140-3	139-5	138-8	134-4	133-1
Alberta.....	100-0	111-2	111-2	115-5	115-5	111-2	127-0	127-0	127-6	129-0	129-0	129-0	128-0	127-6	119-4	117-3	115-3
British Columbia.....	100-0	131-5	135-3	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	149-5	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-2	150-9	150-3	150-1	150-3
Dominion Index.....	100-0	130-8	137-0	140-1	141-8	148-9	153-0	155-1	156-7	159-1	160-1	160-3	160-1	159-7	157-6	156-1	155-1

INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY (1926=100)																	
P.E.I.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Nova Scotia.....	54-0	89-4	108-2	103-7	102-8	93-9	93-6	90-4	100-0	102-5	101-7	113-0	118-9	120-9	97-7	94-6	90-0
New Brunswick.....	42-7	76-3	90-5	109-2	99-7	106-8	103-6	102-4	100-0	99-3	103-5	101-5	98-0	99-8	93-8	88-9	90-0
Quebec.....	48-7	83-8	88-5	88-5	87-5	84-8	84-5	93-7	100-0	104-2	107-3	103-9	102-9	99-0	99-5	95-2	94-1
Ontario.....	43-0	97-1	108-1	108-7	95-6	98-1	97-7	101-4	100-0	94-7	95-3	108-3	108-3	108-2	103-1	97-2	97-0
Manitoba.....	71-8	97-0	98-0	98-7	94-6	98-1	106-5	100-9	100-0	101-4	104-3	102-8	109-5	104-7	101-9	95-8	95-8
Saskatchewan.....	68-1	89-5	104-8	98-7	99-2	99-7	99-0	93-3	100-0	100-0	100-2	99-5	101-6	99-0	99-1	90-8	85-9
Alberta.....	57-8	91-4	101-4	96-6	91-5	100-0	99-9	101-5	100-0	95-1	94-1	91-0	86-8	86-0	83-4	78-1	75-7
British Columbia.....	63-7	84-6	98-4	101-6	96-3	104-2	100-8	102-8	100-0	93-5	89-8	94-3	97-6	95-7	99-0	81-4	84-7
Dominion Index.....	49-5	81-1	92-7	96-9	94-0	95-3	97-6	98-2	100-0	98-9	100-2	104-2	104-6	102-9	99-8	93-6	92-7

INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY (1913=100)																	
Nova Scotia.....	100-0	165-4	200-2	192-0	190-2	173-8	173-2	167-3	185-1	189-7	188-2	209-2	220-1	223-8	180-8	175-1	166-6
New Brunswick.....	100-0	178-5	211-8	255-6	233-3	250-0	242-4	239-6	234-0	232-4	242-2	237-5	229-3	233-5	219-5	208-0	210-8
Quebec.....	100-0	172-2	181-7	181-8	179-7	174-2	194-1	192-5	205-4	214-0	220-4	213-4	211-4	203-3	204-4	195-5	193-3
Ontario.....	100-0	172-1	202-4	227-2	222-3	229-9	227-2	235-9	232-6	220-3	221-9	251-9	251-9	251-7	239-8	226-1	225-6
Manitoba.....	100-0	135-2	150-5	150-6	131-7	136-6	148-3	140-4	139-2	141-1	145-2	143-1	152-4	145-7	141-8	133-4	133-4
Saskatchewan.....	100-0	131-5	153-4	145-0	145-7	146-5	145-5	137-1	146-9	148-2	147-2	146-2	149-3	145-4	145-6	133-4	126-2
Alberta.....	100-0	158-2	173-6	167-1	158-3	173-0	172-9	175-6	173-0	164-5	162-8	157-4	150-2	148-8	144-3	135-1	131-0
British Columbia.....	100-0	132-8	154-4	159-4	151-1	163-5	158-2	161-3	156-9	146-7	140-9	148-0	153-1	150-2	140-9	127-7	132-9
Dominion Index.....	100-0	163-7	187-2	195-6	189-7	192-5	197-1	198-3	201-9	199-7	202-3	210-4	211-2	207-8	199-9	189-0	187-2



# INDEX NUMBERS AND PRICES OF MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES, 1913-1934

The Dominion index for manufactured fuel gas on the base 1926=100, fell from 94.4 in 1933 to 94.2 in 1934, continuing a decline first apparent in 1922. Among the provinces, Ontario alone registered a change, declining from 91.5 to 91.1. This was accounted for by lower rates for Guelph, Ottawa, and Sault Ste. Marie, which more than offset increases for Kingston and St. Thomas. Prices in Canada ranged from \$1.90 per thousand cubic feet at Halifax to \$0.65 at Guelph.

A natural gas index on the base 1926=100, moved down from 93.9 to 93.4. A decrease in the typical bill for Windsor, was of more importance than an increase in that for Chatham, resulting in a decrease in the Ontario index from 105.8 to 104.6. City quotations for the first thousand feet of gas consumed ranged from \$1.40 at Windsor, Ontario, to \$0.237 at Medicine Hat.

TABLE XXXI.—PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1918-1934

Net price per 1,000 cu. ft. as at the end of each year (exclusive of meter rent or other service charge).

	1913	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Nova Scotia— Halifax.....										1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90
New Brunswick— Saint John.....	1.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.25	2.25	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75
Quebec— Montreal.....	.90	.85	.85	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Quebec.....	1.20	1.25	1.25	1.75	1.75	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Sherbrooke....	1.25	1.50	1.50	1.57	1.57	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21
Ontario— Belleville.....	1.25	1.60	1.65	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60
Brockville.....	.90		1.40	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.70	1.53	1.44	1.38	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35
Guelph.....										1.05	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.90	.70	.65
Hamilton <sup>1</sup> .....										1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.75	.75	.75	.75
Kingston.....										1.44	1.44	1.40	1.40	1.35	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.25
Kitchener.....	1.10	1.35	1.35	1.80	1.70	1.60	1.60	1.50	1.30	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95
London.....	.90	.90	.90	.90	1.25	1.25	1.15	1.15	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Oshawa.....	1.40	1.75	1.75	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.00	2.00	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.65	1.65	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.76	1.76
Ottawa <sup>2</sup> .....	1.10	1.06	1.15	1.29	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
	1.12	1.22	1.35	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26
Owen Sound...	1.25	1.26	1.26	2.00	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.22	1.35	1.22	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12
Peterborough..	1.25	1.75	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.48	1.48	1.39	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30
Sault Ste. Marie										1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.60	1.60	1.54
Stratford.....	1.20	1.45	1.45	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.75	1.75	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65
Toronto.....	.70	.90	1.00	1.10	1.25	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80
Waterloo.....										1.65	1.30	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.15	1.15
Manitoba— Winnipeg.....	1.20	1.35	1.35	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47
Brit. Columbia— New Westminster	2.25	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	1.70	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.77	1.77	1.77
Vancouver.....	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.62	1.62	1.62
Victoria.....	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75

<sup>1</sup>Hamilton has been included with the manufactured gas companies, as the volume of natural gas distributed there is very small.

<sup>2</sup>First price for standard service; second price for dual service.







TABLE XXXVI.—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1918-1934

Weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1913=100)

—	1913	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
DOMINION.....	100-0	114-0	116-1	125-1	137-6	163-2	163-0	162-2	179-3	172-4	166-9	160-8	160-7	159-5	161-9	162-6	161-9	161-0
Provinces—																		
Maritime.....	100-0	100-0	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6
Ontario.....	100-0	114-7	113-8	129-9	150-2	172-2	171-8	171-2	208-3	209-5	209-5	209-5	209-1	209-1	221-4	223-5	221-7	219-1
Alberta.....	100-0	115-6	115-8	119-3	126-1	159-4	159-4	158-3	158-3	142-2	132-2	121-4	121-4	119-3	115-2	115-2	115-2	115-2
Cities—																		
Moncton.....	100-0	100-0	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6
Brantford.....	100-0	149-0	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6
Chatham.....	100-0	100-0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	218-2	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	249-9	254-7
Niagara Falls..	100-0	100-0	108-3	125-0	137-5	175-0	172-2	167-8	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0
St. Catharines..	100-0	100-0	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4
Sarnia.....	100-0	.....	118-5	155-6	155-6	223-7	223-7	223-7	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6
Welland.....	100-0	135-7	154-5	178-6	196-4	250-0	245-5	239-4	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5
Windsor.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	116-7	146-7	166-7	166-7	166-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	263-4	269-3	258-0	249-6
Woodstock.....	100-0	100-6	90-0	125-1	160-2	160-2	160-2	160-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2
Calgary.....	100-0	116-7	116-7	116-7	124-0	160-0	160-0	160-0	160-0	142-0	126-7	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1
Medicine Hat..	100-0	102-2	104-4	151-9	151-9	151-9	151-9	137-8	137-8	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2

## INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES

Computed by the Bureau's Transportation Branch in collaboration with the Prices' Division.

The accompanying table shows that charges for electricity for domestic lighting and, in the majority of cases, for other domestic uses, declined 39.1 per cent. from 1913 to 1934, the index being 60.9 in the latter year. In recent years, although the average domestic bill has been somewhat larger than formerly, rate reductions in the form of greater discounts, etc., have reduced the unit cost of electricity used in the home.

TABLE XXXVII.—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1925-1934

(1926=100)

—	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
CANADA.....	101.7	100-0	99-0	96-9	93-1	90-5	88-8	88-7	89-1	88-2
Prince Edward Island.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	84-6	84-6	84-6	84-6	74-6	74-6
Nova Scotia.....	100-1	100-0	97-2	95-2	92-7	78-3	72-7	72-1	71-5	71-5
New Brunswick.....	102-3	100-0	96-8	95-2	95-0	94-2	94-2	92-1	91-7	91-0
Quebec.....	101-6	100-0	99-0	98-7	93-7	87-9	85-3	85-1	84-9	82-3
Ontario.....	101-7	100-0	99-1	98-3	95-5	94-9	93-1	93-1	94-5	95-4
Manitoba.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-8	99-7	99-5	98-6	98-3	98-3	98-3
Saskatchewan.....	100-4	100-0	95-8	94-5	86-8	84-2	84-2	83-6	87-1	83-3
Alberta.....	104-9	100-0	99-4	98-0	80-1	79-3	78-8	78-8	78-8	78-8
British Columbia.....	103-1	100-0	100-0	83-6	82-9	82-9	82-9	83-8	83-8	83-3

TABLE XXXVIII.—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC  
LIGHT RATES, 1925-1934  
(1913=100)

	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
CANADA.....	69.9	68.7	68.0	66.5	63.9	62.2	61.0	60.9	61.1	60.9
Prince Edward Island.....	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	101.3	101.3	101.3	101.3	89.4	89.4
Nova Scotia.....	83.6	83.5	81.1	79.5	77.4	65.4	60.7	60.2	59.7	59.7
New Brunswick.....	70.5	68.9	66.7	65.6	65.4	64.9	64.9	63.4	63.2	63.1
Quebec.....	64.4	63.4	62.8	62.6	59.4	55.7	54.1	54.0	53.8	52.2
Ontario.....	61.6	60.6	60.0	59.5	57.9	57.5	56.4	56.4	57.2	57.9
Manitoba.....	99.9	99.9	99.9	99.7	99.6	99.4	98.5	98.2	98.2	98.2
Saskatchewan.....	97.6	97.2	93.1	91.8	84.4	81.9	81.9	81.3	80.8	80.8
Alberta.....	82.9	79.0	78.5	77.4	63.2	62.6	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3
British Columbia.....	70.4	68.3	68.3	57.1	56.6	56.6	56.6	57.2	57.2	57.2

## TELEPHONE RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS

### DOMESTIC TELEPHONES

The index number for domestic telephone rates in Canada on the base 1926=100 remained unchanged for 1934 at 107.4. The average 1934 rate for domestic use in Canada was \$2.58 per month, while provincial rates ranged from \$2.17 for British Columbia to \$2.94 for Manitoba.

### BUSINESS TELEPHONES

Taking average quotations in 1926 as equal to 100, the index of business telephone rates in Canada at 118.5 in 1934 showed no change from the previous year. Average rates for business telephones were highest in British Columbia at \$6.75, while the minimum rate of \$3.67 was reported by Prince Edward Island. The average Dominion rate of \$6.16 was the same as for 1933. It should be noted that the amounts of service given in the case of business telephones vary materially in different cities.

TABLE XXXIX.—DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS IN  
CANADA, 1913 AND 1931-1934

	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913 \$	1931 \$	1932 \$	1933 \$	1934 \$	1913 \$	1931 \$	1932 \$	1933 \$	1934 \$
DOMINION.....	74	1.25- 2.50	1.60- 3.17	1.60- 3.17	1.60- 3.17	1.44- 3.10	2.01	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58
Prince Edward Island.....	1	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
Nova Scotia.....	6	1.67- 2.17	2.25- 2.50	2.25- 2.50	2.25- 2.50	2.25- 2.50	2.00	2.43	2.43	2.43	2.43
New Brunswick.....	3	1.67- 2.50	2.25- 3.00	2.25- 3.00	2.25- 3.00	2.25- 3.00	2.16	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
Quebec.....	14	1.50- *2.40	1.85- 2.75	1.85- 2.75	1.85- 2.75	1.85- 2.75	2.31	2.67	2.67	2.67	2.67
Ontario.....	32	1.25- 2.08	1.60- 3.10	1.44- 3.10	1.44- 3.10	1.44- 3.10	1.84	2.56	2.56	2.56	2.56
Manitoba.....	3	1.66- 2.50	2.08- 3.00	2.08- 3.00	2.08- 3.00	2.08- 3.00	2.46	2.94	2.94	2.94	2.94
Saskatchewan.....	4	2.25- 2.58	2.33- 2.58	2.33- 2.58	2.33- 2.75	2.33- 2.75	2.25	2.56	2.56	2.68	2.68
Alberta.....	5	1.25- 1.67	2.50- 3.00	2.50- 3.00	2.50- 3.00	2.50- 3.00	1.67	2.81	2.81	2.81	2.81
British Columbia.....	6	1.50- 2.00	1.65- 2.20	1.65- 2.20	1.65- 2.20	1.65- 2.20	1.98	2.17	2.17	2.17	2.17

\*Approximate.

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TABLE XL.—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES,  
1913 AND 1931-1934

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1931	1932	1933	1934	1913	1931	1932	1933	1934
DOMINION.....	83.2	107.2	107.2	107.4	107.4	100.0	128.8	128.8	129.1	129.5
Prince Edward Island.....	73.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5
Nova Scotia.....	82.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5
New Brunswick.....	78.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	127.3	127.3	127.3	127.3
Quebec.....	95.3	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	100.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0
Ontario.....	79.7	110.9	110.8	110.8	110.8	100.0	139.2	139.1	139.1	139.1
Manitoba.....	78.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	126.8	126.8	126.8	126.8
Saskatchewan.....	87.9	100.0	100.0	104.8	104.8	100.0	113.8	113.8	119.3	119.3
Alberta.....	59.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.4	169.4	169.4	169.4
British Columbia.....	91.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5

TABLE XLI.—BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1931-1934

	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1931	1932	1933	1934	1913	1931	1932	1933	1934
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.83—6.00	2.95—7.20	2.95—7.20	2.95—7.20	2.95—7.20	4.21	6.15	6.15	6.16	61.6
Prince Edward Island.....	1	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67
Nova Scotia.....	6	2.67—3.92	3.35—7.00*	3.35—7.00*	3.35—7.00	3.35—7.00	3.54	5.81	5.81	5.81	5.81
New Brunswick.....	3	2.67—3.91	3.85—5.91*	3.85—5.91*	3.85—5.91	3.85—5.91	3.54	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39
Quebec.....	14	1.83—4.75	2.95—7.20	2.95—7.20	2.95—7.20	2.95—7.20	4.34	6.47	6.47	6.47	6.47
Ontario.....	32	1.83—4.33	3.33—7.20	3.33—7.20	3.33—7.20	3.33—7.20	3.77	6.01	6.01	6.01	6.01
Manitoba.....	3	3.16—5.25	3.58—6.75	3.58—6.75	3.58—6.75	3.58—6.75	5.10	6.53	6.53	6.53	6.53
Saskatchewan.....	4	3.09—4.00	3.42—4.00	3.42—4.00	3.42—4.25	3.42—4.25	3.09	3.96	3.96	4.14	4.14
Alberta.....	5	2.17—4.25	4.75—6.25	4.75—6.25	4.75—6.25	4.75—6.25	3.33	5.63	5.63	5.63	5.63
British Columbia.....	6	4.50—6.00	4.25—7.10	4.25—7.10	4.25—7.10	4.25—7.10	5.70	6.75	6.75	6.75	6.75

\*Measured service basis.

TABLE XLII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND  
1931-1934

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1931	1932	1933	1934	1913	1931	1932	1933	1934
DOMINION.....	80.6	118.4	118.4	118.5	118.5	100.0	146.8	146.8	146.9	146.9
Prince Edward Island.....	82.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	122.0	122.0	122.0	122.0
Nova Scotia.....	60.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	164.1	164.1	164.1	164.1
New Brunswick.....	65.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	152.3	152.3	152.3	152.3
Quebec.....	87.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	100.0	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3
Ontario.....	80.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	100.0	159.3	159.3	159.3	159.3
Manitoba.....	76.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2
Saskatchewan.....	78.0	100.0	100.0	104.5	104.5	100.0	128.2	128.2	134.0	134.0
Alberta.....	59.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.1	169.1	169.1	169.1
British Columbia.....	84.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	118.2	118.2	118.2	118.2



## SECURITY PRICES

### INVESTORS' INDEX NUMBERS

The general movement of common stock prices was upward in the first four months of 1934, with the average increase amounting to about 20 p.c. Roughly two-thirds of this gain was lost in the succeeding three months, after which an irregular recovery placed prices at the end of the year approximately 15 p.c. above levels at the beginning. Considerable variation occurred in the movements of different price groups. Industrials generally followed the course outlined above for all common stocks. Within this group, however, price behaviour varied widely. Beverages dropped sharply from 163.6 in January to 86.7 in July, and then recovered to 93.6. Oils moved almost steadily upward throughout the year from 147.0 to 177.8. Pulp and paper fluctuated narrowly between 9.6 and 13.8. The size of these numbers and the difference in the movements indicated, gives some idea of the variety existing in the industrial price field. The index for utilities declined gradually after the first three months of the year from 58.8 to 47.5. This index averaged 70 points less than the one for industrials during 1934. In other words, industrials were 23 p.c. above 1926 price levels, while utilities were 47 p.c. lower than at that time.

**TABLE XLIII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF 25 PREFERRED STOCKS, 1926-  
SEPTEMBER, 1935**

(1926=100)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1926.....	100.4	101.4	100.9	99.6	93.3	98.7	99.1	99.4	100.0	100.2	101.0	101.4
1927.....	102.1	102.5	102.7	102.6	102.5	102.1	102.5	103.8	104.8	107.8	110.8	111.8
1928.....	111.5	110.9	109.9	111.4	111.7	111.2	110.3	107.5	107.6	106.2	104.0	107.9
1929.....	107.4	108.1	106.8	104.3	104.3	104.8	104.8	105.6	105.1	102.9	99.8	100.4
1930.....	97.9	98.8	100.0	103.4	102.6	99.5	97.4	97.1	96.2	85.4	81.9	82.5
1931.....	83.2	83.4	84.2	78.8	73.8	72.6	71.8	69.1	64.2	63.9	66.5	63.0
1932.....	57.2	58.8	58.0	55.4	48.4	45.2	49.5	52.9	53.4	52.9	52.2	50.2
1933.....	49.6	49.6	47.3	47.2	54.6	58.5	61.9	61.7	61.0	59.7	59.1	60.2
1934.....	64.1	66.5	67.3	68.5	68.7	68.4	68.1	67.3	67.4	69.5	70.6	71.4
1935.....	73.5	73.8	71.2	69.2	68.4	68.4	69.6	70.9	69.2	.....	.....	.....

### INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS

Mining stock prices advanced rapidly during the first quarter of 1934, and were fairly steady during the second and third quarters. They declined rather sharply in October and November, but advanced moderately during December. An index of gold stock prices showed a net increase for the year of roughly 24 p.c. Gold stocks continued to advance for six months after prices for gold itself had ceased to rise, and similarly the total appreciation in gold stock prices since the mint par of \$20.67 per ounce was abandoned, has been very much greater than the currency premium established on gold. An index of base metal stock prices was 129.6 in December, as compared with 128.3 in January, and 164.2 in June, when prices were at the highest point of the year.

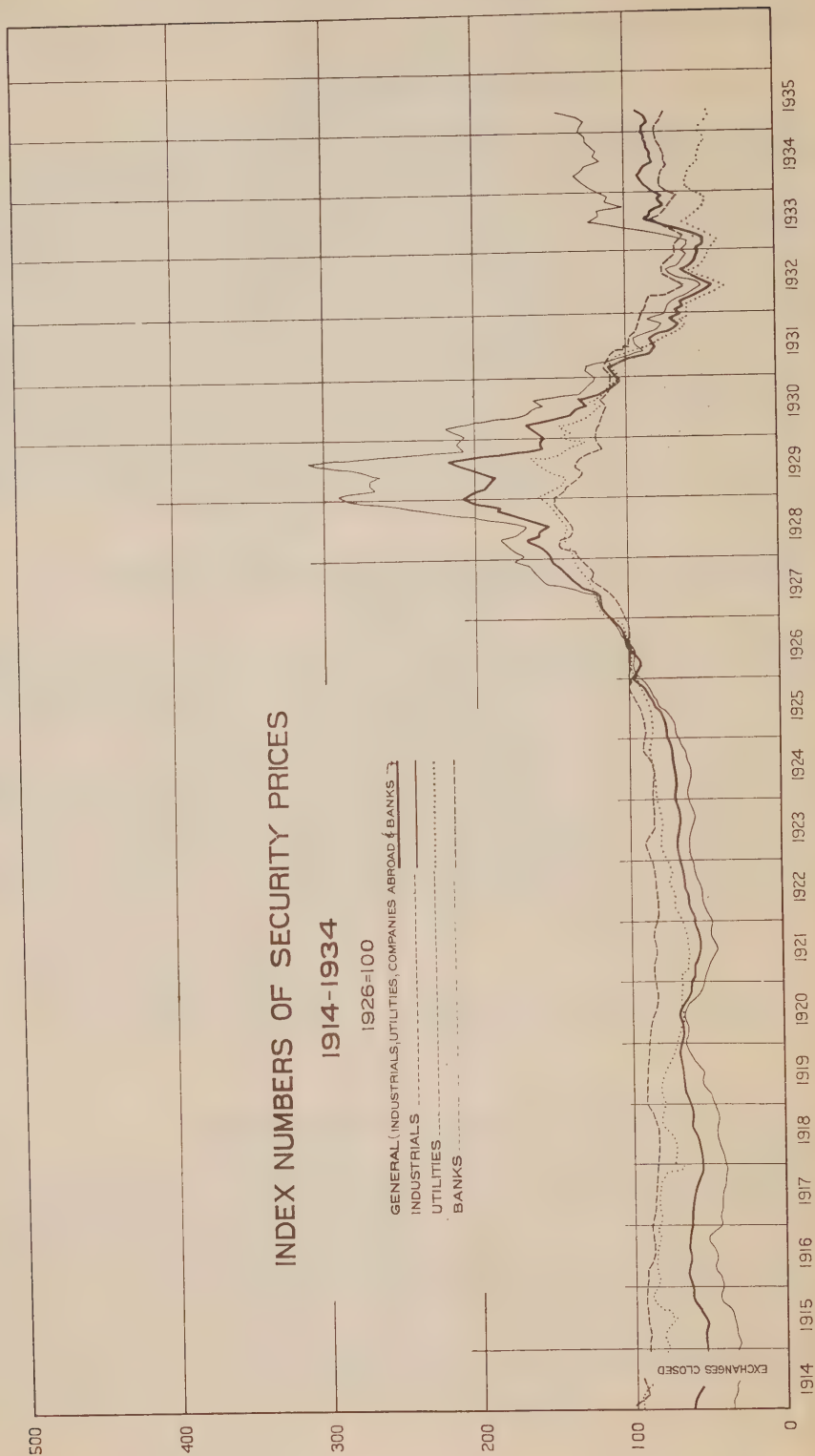


TABLE XLIV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS PRICES, 1931-  
SEPTEMBER, 1935  
(1926=100)

Month	Gold	Copper	Silver and Miscel- laneous	Total Index
1931				
No. of Stocks	11	4	5	20
January.....	68.1	74.4	34.1	68.5
February.....	72.0	82.7	36.8	73.3
March.....	72.3	96.7	43.9	77.1
April.....	77.5	103.7	39.2	82.3
May.....	72.9	90.1	35.1	75.9
June.....	68.6	75.1	31.5	69.1
July.....	66.8	79.1	32.0	68.6
August.....	66.0	77.1	33.1	67.8
September.....	62.6	67.8	32.1	63.1
October.....	60.7	58.4	29.4	59.5
November.....	64.4	68.6	32.3	64.6
December.....	59.0	62.4	27.6	59.0
1932				
January.....	60.1	62.5	26.5	59.7
February.....	57.5	61.2	22.2	57.3
March.....	57.6	63.4	21.4	57.8
April.....	52.6	56.5	18.3	52.4
May.....	50.2	47.9	15.5	48.4
June.....	49.9	47.8	16.8	48.3
July.....	57.2	55.6	21.0	55.6
August.....	58.1	69.7	26.3	59.7
September.....	56.4	81.0	28.4	60.9
October.....	55.0	71.0	24.4	57.5
November.....	58.1	76.5	23.6	60.9
December.....	62.7	70.9	21.9	63.1
1933				
*No. of Stocks	Gold 19	Base Metals 4	Total Index 23	
January.....	66.8	70.4	67.1	
February.....	74.7	79.9	75.3	
March.....	66.6	76.9	68.4	
April.....	72.9	83.7	74.5	
May.....	84.5	109.7	89.6	
June.....	97.5	128.0	104.1	
July.....	99.7	133.5	106.9	
August.....	100.5	136.5	107.4	
September.....	107.3	140.6	113.4	
October.....	108.6	131.8	112.2	
November.....	105.2	129.7	109.4	
December.....	100.4	127.1	105.1	
1934				
No. of Stocks	19	4	23	
January.....	104.7	128.3	108.9	
February.....	110.1	134.2	114.4	
March.....	124.3	147.1	128.1	
April.....	132.0	162.3	137.2	
May.....	124.2	156.5	129.8	
June.....	133.4	164.2	138.5	
July.....	133.3	158.3	137.2	
August.....	137.4	161.7	141.1	
September.....	136.7	154.9	139.2	
October.....	132.9	141.4	133.5	
November.....	125.7	129.0	125.5	
December.....	124.7	129.6	124.9	
1935				
No. of Stocks	19	4	23	
January.....	123.2	132.4	124.3	
February.....	123.4	131.2	124.2	
March.....	127.5	135.3	128.2	
April.....	124.5	149.1	128.7	
May.....	121.4	159.2	128.3	
June.....	116.3	153.2	123.0	
July.....	110.1	151.9	117.9	
August.....	105.8	155.4	115.2	
September.....	107.3	159.6	117.4	

\*Revised Jan. 15, 1934.



**\*TABLE XLV.—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1931-SEPTEMBER, 1935**

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)

(1926=100)

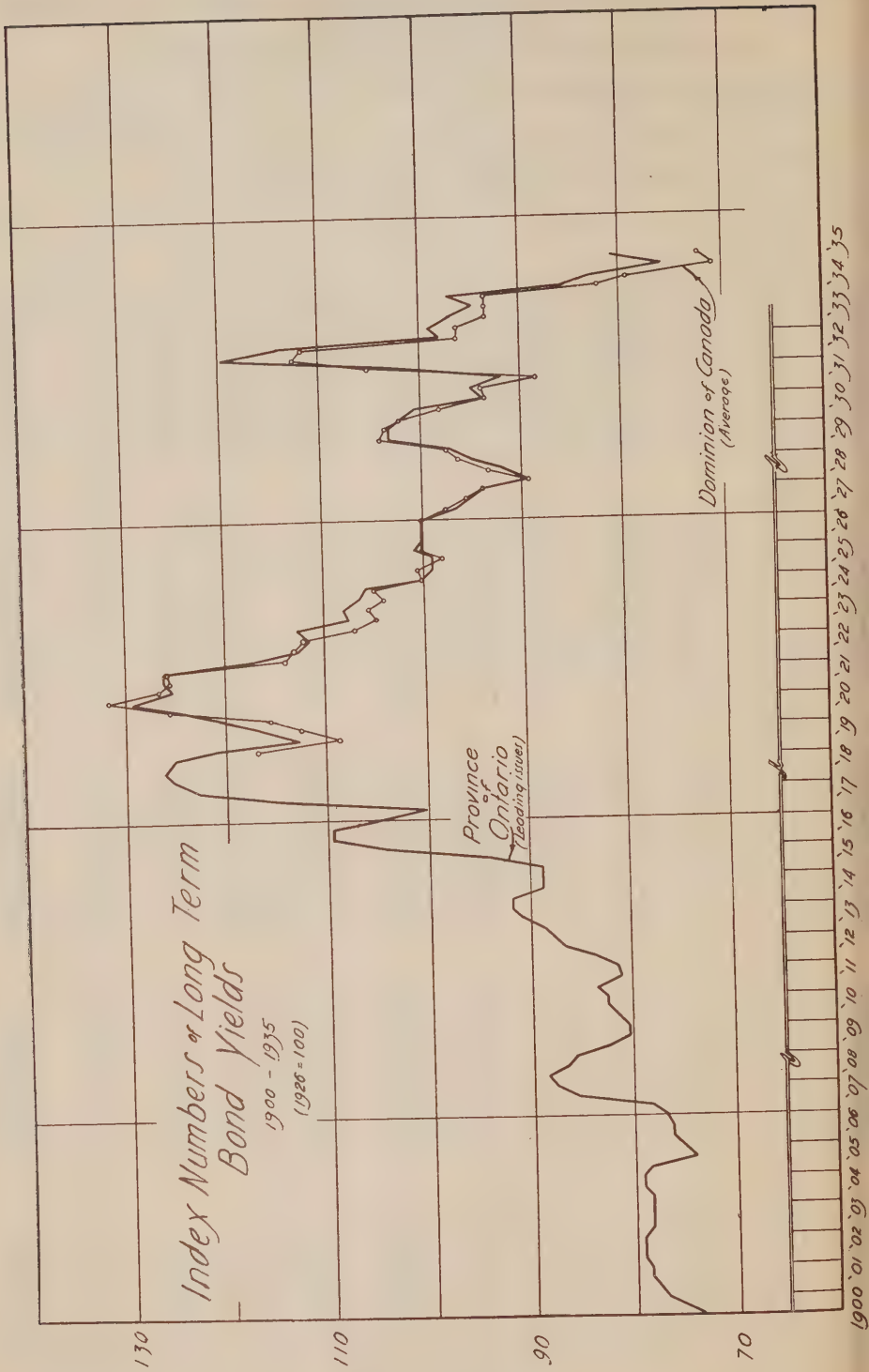
Month	GENERAL	BANKS	UTILITIES				INDUSTRIES		
	Total	Total	Total	Transportation	Telephones and Telegraph	Power and Traction	Total	Iron, Steel and Iron and Steel Products	Pulp and Paper
<b>1931</b>									
No. of Stocks	132	8	18	2	2	14	98	19	9
January.....	106.9	109.1	107.3	102.2	106.7	115.6	124.7	143.7	23.8
February.....	111.6	110.1	114.9	109.4	111.6	124.2	129.3	149.5	22.8
March.....	110.8	111.6	116.1	105.1	110.2	132.6	127.8	151.8	21.8
April.....	97.1	109.1	104.8	92.0	108.4	121.3	106.8	126.7	18.1
May.....	81.4	101.3	85.2	71.0	100.5	100.8	89.0	103.2	14.4
June.....	80.1	97.1	80.4	65.9	101.3	95.1	91.1	99.1	13.6
July.....	83.7	100.3	81.7	65.1	103.2	99.0	94.6	101.6	13.9
August.....	81.3	97.3	76.6	54.8	100.8	99.6	94.4	100.6	12.6
September.....	68.6	94.3	65.4	44.1	95.4	86.5	79.3	85.9	11.5
October.....	64.6	92.9	60.1	38.8	90.1	81.2	74.3	78.3	10.3
November.....	71.9	92.9	63.5	43.7	93.5	82.9	86.6	88.8	12.2
December.....	64.8	92.9	59.3	38.0	90.5	80.3	74.3	77.2	10.7
<b>1932</b>									
No. of Stocks	130	8	18	2	2	14	96	19	9
January.....	64.8	90.3	59.1	40.9	88.3	76.8	73.7	77.2	10.5
February.....	63.5	86.1	59.1	43.3	82.0	75.3	71.1	76.5	9.9
March.....	64.1	86.0	59.8	46.2	81.1	73.6	71.5	79.2	10.1
April.....	54.0	85.8	48.9	34.4	68.8	63.7	58.2	62.5	9.2
May.....	45.8	65.7	36.9	26.0	63.8	45.0	51.4	44.9	8.6
June.....	43.2	60.5	34.9	24.7	59.6	42.7	48.8	40.5	7.0
July.....	49.6	67.1	41.8	31.5	59.9	51.6	58.6	51.1	8.8
August.....	59.0	73.9	51.9	42.7	71.6	60.4	69.9	63.5	4.4
September.....	63.0	76.1	56.9	47.6	76.3	65.9	73.8	69.1	3.5
October.....	54.0	74.4	49.1	39.0	73.4	57.7	63.1	55.9	3.1
November.....	53.4	69.6	46.6	38.2	70.8	53.1	62.5	51.3	2.8
December.....	52.2	67.6	45.7	37.9	69.1	51.3	58.9	46.0	
<b>1933</b>									
No. of Stocks	126	8	19	2	2	15	93	19	8
January.....	52.9	67.8	45.9	36.6	72.2	52.4	60.7	50.8	4.0
February.....	49.2	66.0	40.4	28.0	65.9	50.0	58.0	46.1	5.0
March.....	48.9	62.8	39.9	26.5	66.4	50.7	59.1	46.6	3.2
April.....	53.8	60.3	40.4	29.3	63.4	49.2	69.7	50.6	3.8
May.....	66.1	65.2	49.5	38.6	72.4	58.4	88.6	68.2	5.5
June.....	77.4	73.4	56.4	45.9	77.5	65.5	107.1	86.5	9.3
July.....	86.5	80.4	61.5	50.0	85.5	71.2	122.3	102.3	12.3
August.....	81.8	76.0	56.8	43.2	85.3	67.7	117.2	95.2	11.2
September.....	81.6	74.8	53.5	39.4	84.9	64.3	119.1	88.6	10.8
October.....	73.3	71.7	48.5	32.5	83.0	60.4	103.6	75.7	8.9
November.....	76.8	68.4	47.8	31.5	84.2	59.7	113.4	78.6	8.5
December.....	75.3	64.7	47.8	32.5	86.4	58.1	111.4	79.3	7.8
<b>1934</b>									
No. of Stocks	121	8	20	2	2	16	87	17	6
January.....	81.6	71.7	53.5	38.6	86.2	64.8	118.6	98.1	11.4
February.....	86.5	76.7	58.0	42.1	88.8	70.9	123.8	114.6	13.6
March.....	88.0	76.9	58.8	43.3	90.0	71.1	128.5	113.6	13.2
April.....	90.7	76.1	58.1	42.0	90.9	70.7	133.0	114.9	13.2
May.....	88.6	75.2	56.7	40.2	90.0	69.7	128.0	106.9	13.8
June.....	87.2	72.7	54.5	37.9	90.2	67.0	126.1	104.7	12.5
July.....	81.3	73.6	50.6	32.9	89.6	63.4	116.6	97.8	10.5
August.....	83.8	73.1	51.2	33.4	89.4	64.4	120.1	100.7	9.9
September.....	83.8	74.9	50.1	33.1	90.6	61.7	118.8	98.8	9.6
October.....	85.2	76.1	49.0	31.1	92.7	60.8	122.0	107.7	9.8
November.....	86.0	78.3	46.5	28.6	93.7	57.5	125.3	111.4	11.0
December.....	86.2	79.0	47.5	29.1	97.6	58.5	125.6	119.8	11.6
<b>1935</b>									
No. of Stocks	121	9	20	2	2	16	87	15	6
January.....	88.6	80.1	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	129.7	129.4	14.0
February.....	87.8	79.9	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	128.8	126.4	13.4
March.....	84.4	76.8	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	125.6	117.0	11.6
April.....	86.4	75.0	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	130.8	119.4	10.5
May.....	93.6	73.1	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	144.4	121.9	10.5
June.....	93.8	72.0	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	145.2	118.6	10.6
July.....	92.4	71.7	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	142.8	122.2	12.0
August.....	94.7	70.6	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.2	146.1	122.1	12.0
September.....	93.6	65.9	43.6	25.7	100.3	58.6	147.1	118.7	12.4

\*For 1914-1930 Data see Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1933, Page 158.

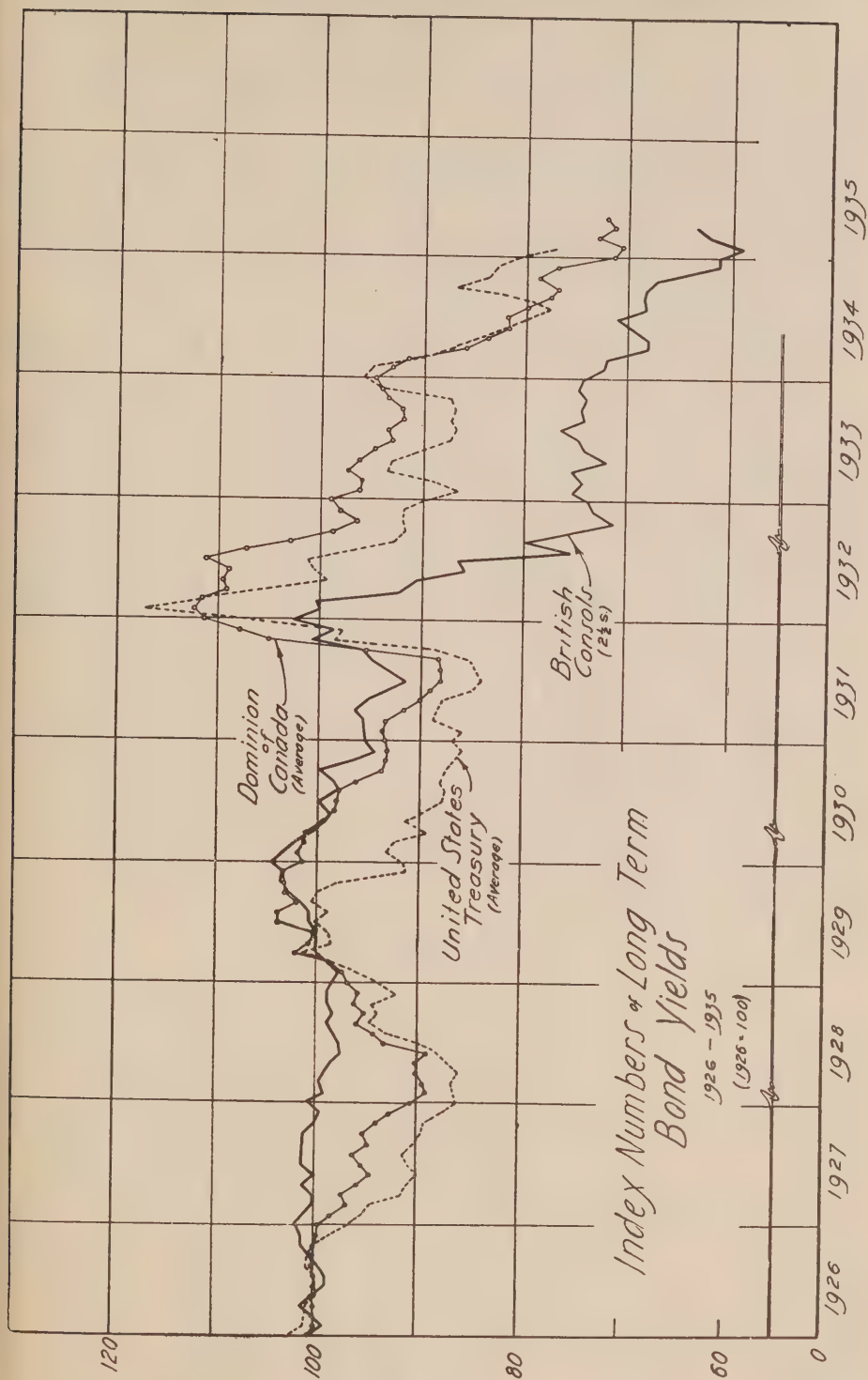
\*TABLE XLV.—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1931-SEPTEMBER, 1935(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)—*Concluded*  
(1926=100)

Month	Industrials						Companies Abroad		
	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Bever- ages	Miscel- laneous	Total	Industrial	Utility
1931 No. of Stocks	5	4	9	22	9	21	8	1	7
January.....	107.6	190.8	65.9	112.0	69.3	141.0	83.6	90.9	80.5
February.....	102.1	184.5	65.5	123.4	75.1	159.6	84.9	85.2	89.2
March.....	102.8	169.0	62.5	128.7	74.9	169.1	79.3	76.7	86.6
April.....	86.2	137.0	59.3	122.6	67.2	140.5	67.8	70.0	69.1
May.....	56.2	119.6	49.9	109.8	57.0	112.8	58.7	65.1	55.1
June.....	53.0	127.2	49.7	106.0	55.7	116.0	59.8	63.8	58.8
July.....	72.4	131.2	50.6	114.1	56.7	120.2	69.3	71.0	71.4
August.....	69.5	141.5	50.2	112.5	55.7	111.4	68.1	78.2	61.0
September.....	56.3	115.0	46.1	105.8	49.1	93.4	49.1	58.8	41.2
October.....	57.5	107.4	45.4	101.0	45.3	88.2	48.0	60.0	37.5
November.....	69.5	132.3	46.1	107.1	48.9	100.5	58.8	75.1	44.1
December.....	65.9	108.7	45.2	98.9	42.1	87.7	51.5	64.8	39.7
1932 No. of Stocks	5	4	9	21	8	21	8	1	7
January.....	66.5	107.8	44.9	94.7	42.5	86.9	54.3	67.1	42.9
February.....	64.9	106.3	39.6	89.6	40.6	81.7	54.5	65.2	44.8
March.....	65.5	116.8	38.3	87.8	40.3	82.4	55.8	67.0	45.7
April.....	63.7	87.7	32.5	83.2	36.1	62.2	47.4	59.1	37.1
May.....	63.1	90.1	29.1	76.5	25.3	47.1	49.4	66.3	34.9
June.....	62.6	84.8	28.3	73.0	30.2	43.3	46.5	59.6	35.1
July.....	38.3	97.0	28.9	81.2	35.6	55.6	49.9	65.6	36.0
August.....	47.4	110.0	38.5	89.7	44.1	78.7	52.7	72.8	35.7
September.....	53.0	113.0	42.3	90.8	44.1	89.2	56.5	77.6	38.7
October.....	49.8	97.4	38.0	86.5	40.7	73.9	47.4	64.3	33.1
November.....	48.3	95.9	38.7	85.9	43.3	74.2	48.3	67.9	31.8
December.....	43.7	91.8	38.2	83.7	37.7	70.8	49.6	69.9	32.3
1933 No. of Stocks	5	4	9	19	8	21	6	1	5
January.....	42.0	95.7	38.1	84.4	35.1	72.6	50.2	71.2	32.1
February.....	41.0	89.5	35.4	82.4	34.2	71.7	48.6	70.1	29.8
March.....	39.1	89.8	34.0	80.8	37.9	75.3	47.6	68.9	28.9
April.....	45.9	101.7	32.9	87.8	39.9	98.2	55.5	81.3	32.8
May.....	63.1	127.0	48.2	108.2	66.8	119.8	67.3	93.7	44.2
June.....	72.9	146.9	58.4	121.8	112.4	140.9	77.9	109.3	50.5
July.....	82.1	162.5	63.4	143.3	173.7	151.1	85.8	119.2	56.6
August.....	79.3	153.2	62.5	130.8	160.9	150.5	81.0	115.5	50.9
September.....	75.8	156.1	65.2	124.9	168.6	155.1	84.0	122.9	49.9
October.....	73.6	133.6	61.6	115.1	134.8	139.0	73.6	115.5	46.3
November.....	72.9	155.7	60.8	118.1	135.1	151.3	83.0	129.1	42.3
December.....	68.4	143.9	58.6	117.1	148.5	152.9	80.2	124.8	41.0
1934 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	18	8	20	6	1	5
January.....	74.9	147.0	66.6	122.6	163.6	160.9	86.4	133.5	45.0
February.....	77.1	153.7	73.3	128.2	148.5	169.0	91.9	141.6	48.3
March.....	77.1	152.2	76.3	129.4	141.8	189.2	89.2	140.3	44.3
April.....	75.2	159.4	76.8	134.3	138.0	198.4	98.3	161.4	42.6
May.....	74.3	159.0	79.1	129.9	113.8	190.5	99.3	166.4	40.0
June.....	74.1	161.9	77.7	128.1	113.5	182.5	101.1	175.1	35.5
July.....	72.4	153.8	72.7	123.3	86.7	168.9	93.7	161.4	37.6
August.....	73.2	158.0	73.1	125.5	91.3	174.7	100.5	171.2	36.6
September.....	72.6	160.2	71.9	123.4	93.8	168.4	104.8	176.3	41.4
October.....	68.4	169.0	74.4	126.6	89.2	168.8	108.6	183.1	42.4
November.....	66.0	180.8	74.3	128.1	98.4	164.6	111.2	191.8	39.6
December.....	71.0	177.8	74.3	130.3	93.6	166.2	109.0	187.4	39.4
1935 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	19	8	21	5	1	4
January.....	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	108.0	187.4	36.9
February.....	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	107.5	186.1	37.2
March.....	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	104.8	184.2	32.9
April.....	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	110.2	194.7	33.4
May.....	59.9	211.7	70.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	125.9	224.5	35.6
June.....	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	124.5	222.6	34.5
July.....	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	119.4	214.5	31.9
August.....	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	122.7	222.5	30.1
September.....	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	202.5	119.9	217.5	29.3

\*For 1914-1930 Data—See Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1933, Page 158.







# INDEX NUMBERS OF BOND YIELDS IN CANADA, 1900-1935

In the tables which follow there are listed two sets of bond yield index numbers, reflecting conditions in Canadian long-term markets. The first is a Dominion index covering the period 1919 to 1935 when the federal government financed a considerable portion of its long-term issues in the domestic market (for a description see Appendix B). The second is an index of yields for leading Ontario long-term bond issues.

The exceptional requirements of the war years turned the federal authorities to a field which had hitherto served mainly the needs of the provinces and municipalities. To the latter, therefore, it is necessary to go for earlier historical records of long-term bond yields in the internal market. Province of Ontario issues covering the years from 1900 to date are available in this field, and as noted above have been utilized in the construction of the Bureau's second long-term bond yield index. The relatively long period for which these records have been preserved make this series of considerable value. Upon it, have been based the following remarks pertaining to bond yield movements since 1900.

The gradual rise in yields during the years prior to 1913 reflected the demand for capital and the upward tendency in interest rates which prevailed throughout the Dominion during this period. The only serious disturbance affecting the Ontario index in these years was the financial crisis of 1907-8. Following its termination, the rise in yields continued and accelerated rapidly in the early war years. A temporary reaction in the latter part of 1916 and the winter of 1917 was attributed to a marked reduction in offerings of municipal bonds which coincided with greater demand from the United States for Canadian securities. With the entry of the United States into the war in April 1917, however, the American market was occupied with its own financial requirements, and Canadian yields again rose abruptly until the latter part of 1918. Then, with the pressure of war financing removed, and a plentiful supply of funds available for the purchase of the limited number of new issues, prices of bonds rose for a time, and, correspondingly, yields declined. This situation was quickly changed by an abrupt fall in the sterling rate at Montreal during the latter half of 1919, causing British holders of Canadian bonds to offer them on the Canadian market in large quantities, and for a time a state approaching demoralization existed. The severity of this condition is indicated by the Ontario yield index which reached an all time high of 134.7 in December 1920. This compared with the war time high of 126.3 in June 1918, when the burden of war financing reached its peak. The "thawing" of commercial loans and lower call money rates paved the way for a broader bond market in 1921, and yields fell steadily until 1928, when they were on approximately the same levels as in 1913. The speculative boom of 1929 carried money rates and bond yields upward again until the fall months of that year. A subsequent recession was interrupted by the financial crisis of 1931 and 1932, but since June 1932, yields have declined until they are now almost upon a par with those at the beginning of the century.

**TABLE XLVI.—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1935**

(1926=100)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January.....	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February.....	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March.....	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April.....	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May.....	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June.....	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
July.....	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
August.....	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
September.....	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
October.....	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
November.....	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2
December.....	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
January.....	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9
February.....	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2
March.....	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4
April.....	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2
May.....	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4
June.....	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4
July.....	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1
August.....	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6
September.....	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	.....
October.....	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	.....
November.....	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	.....
December.....	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	.....

TABLE XLVII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1900-1935

(1926=100)

	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	1912
January.....	73.1	77.9	79.3	78.5	78.5	78.5	76.2	78.3	88.7	82.5	81.4	83.5	83.5
February.....	74.1	78.5	79.3	78.5	78.5	75.2	76.2	81.4	87.7	81.4	82.5	81.0	85.6
March.....	75.2	78.7	79.3	78.5	79.3	74.1	76.2	85.6	86.6	80.4	82.5	81.0	86.6
April.....	77.2	78.7	79.3	78.5	79.3	75.2	76.8	87.7	85.6	80.4	82.5	81.4	87.7
May.....	77.7	79.3	78.5	78.5	78.3	76.2	77.2	88.7	83.5	81.4	83.5	83.5	88.7
June.....													
July.....													
August.....													
September.....													
October.....													
November.....													
December.....													

	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924
January.....	88.7	91.9	88.7	109.6	100.2	125.3	121.1	120.0	125.3	116.9	112.7	106.5
February.....	89.8	90.8	91.9	110.6	109.6	125.3	116.9	121.1	125.3	112.7	107.5	106.1
March.....	90.8	88.7	93.9	109.6	114.8	126.3	112.7	125.3	126.3	112.7	107.5	105.8
April.....	91.9	88.7	104.4	104.4	123.2	125.3	116.9	129.4	126.3	111.7	107.9	100.2
May.....	91.0	88.7	109.6	102.3	125.3	125.3	120.0	128.4	119.4	113.2	107.3	99.2
June.....												
July.....												
August.....												
September.....												
October.....												
November.....												
December.....												

	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
January.....	99.2	100.2	97.1	89.8	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.2	76.2
February.....	100.2	100.2	97.1	87.7	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3
March.....	100.2	100.2	96.0	88.7	101.3	101.3	92.9	110.6	100.0	90.1	79.5
April.....	100.2	100.2	95.2	88.7	103.3	101.3	92.9	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8
May.....	99.2	100.2	95.0	90.8	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5
June.....	99.2	100.2	95.0	91.9	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4
July.....	99.2	100.2	95.0	93.9	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2
August.....	99.2	100.2	95.0	96.0	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7
September.....	99.2	100.2	95.0	96.0	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	
October.....	100.2	100.2	93.9	95.0	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	
November.....	100.2	99.2	93.9	95.0	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	
December.....	100.2	99.2	90.8	96.0	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	

TABLE XLVIII.—YIELD OF ONTARIO BONDS, 1900-AUGUST, 1935

Month	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908
January.....	3.50	3.73	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.65	3.75	4.25
April.....	3.55	3.76	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.60	3.65	3.90	4.20
June.....	3.60	3.77	3.80	3.76	3.80	3.55	3.65	4.10	4.15
October.....	3.70	3.77	3.80	3.76	3.80	3.60	3.68	4.20	4.10
December.....	3.72	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.65	3.70	4.25	4.00

	1909	1910	1911	1912	1913	1914	1915	1916
January.....	3.95	3.90	4.00	4.00	4.25	4.40	4.25	5.25
April.....	3.90	3.95	3.88	4.10	4.30	4.35	4.40	5.30
June.....	3.85	3.95	3.88	4.15	4.35	4.25	4.50	5.25
October.....	3.85	3.95	3.90	4.20	4.40	4.25	5.00	5.00
December.....	3.90	4.00	4.00	4.25	4.40	4.25	5.25	4.90

	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924
January.....	4.90	6.00	5.80	5.75	6.00	5.60	5.40	5.10
April.....	5.25	6.00	5.60	5.80	6.00	5.40	5.15	5.08
June.....	5.50	6.05	5.40	6.00	6.05	5.40	5.15	5.07
October.....	5.90	6.00	5.60	6.20	6.05	5.35	5.17	4.80
December.....	6.00	6.00	5.75	6.45	5.72	5.42	5.14	4.75

	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
January.....	4.75	4.80	4.65	4.30	4.65	4.90	4.55	5.74	4.75	4.66	3.65
February.....	4.80	4.80	4.65	4.20	4.70	4.90	4.55	5.55	4.73	4.60	3.75
March.....	4.80	4.80	4.60	4.25	4.85	4.85	4.45	5.30	4.79	4.32	3.81
April.....	4.80	4.80	4.56	4.25	4.95	4.85	4.45	5.33	4.85	4.20	3.87
May.....	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.35	5.00	4.85	4.40	5.42	4.70	4.06	3.76
June.....	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.40	4.95	4.83	4.40	5.48	4.65	4.09	3.85
July.....	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.50	4.95	4.80	4.45	5.30	4.63	3.98	3.84
August.....	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.60	4.90	4.60	4.40	4.95	4.55	3.94	3.82
September.....	4.75	4.80	4.55	4.60	5.00	4.45	4.65	4.88	4.59	3.93	
October.....	4.80	4.80	4.50	4.55	4.95	4.50	4.95	4.70	4.63	3.97	
November.....	4.80	4.75	4.47	4.55	4.95	4.50	5.05	4.90	4.64	3.88	
December.....	4.80	4.75	4.35	4.60	4.90	4.50	5.20	4.92	4.72	3.65	



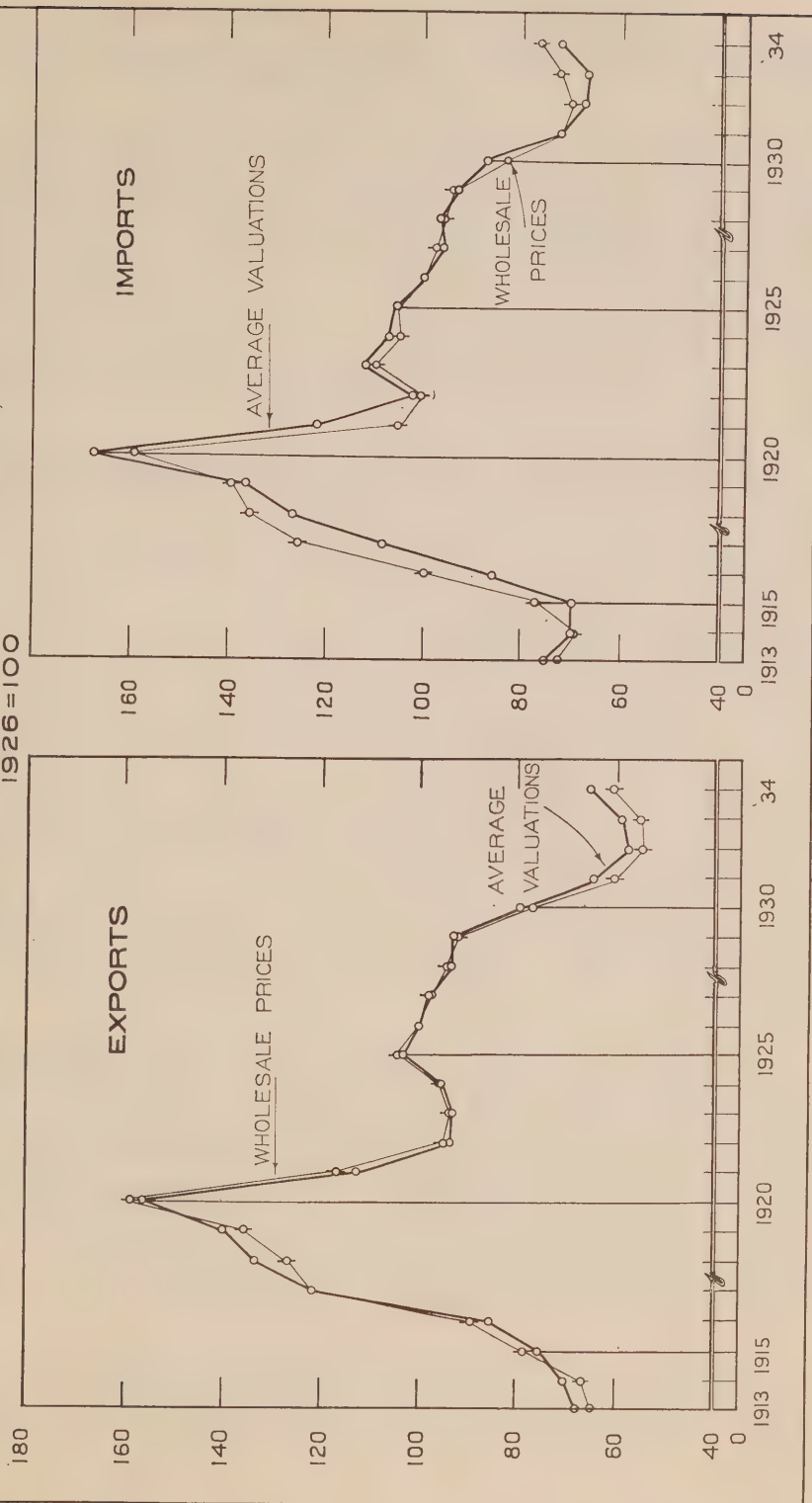
\*TABLE XLIX.—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1930-AUGUST, 1935

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York  
(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 421 Stocks	Industrials 351 Stocks	Railroads 33 Stocks	Utilities 73 Stocks
1930				
January.....	156.3	148.8	136.5	208.7
February.....	165.5	155.9	142.5	230.6
March.....	172.4	163.0	143.2	242.1
April.....	181.0	170.8	141.7	263.7
May.....	170.5	160.1	136.0	250.0
June.....	152.8	143.1	124.5	223.5
July.....	149.3	139.8	124.2	215.4
August.....	147.6	138.7	121.2	212.7
September.....	148.8	139.3	122.6	216.4
October.....	127.6	117.8	110.9	187.0
November.....	116.7	108.5	102.1	167.4
December.....	109.4	101.9	93.5	157.9
1931				
January.....	112.3	103.4	100.4	163.4
February.....	119.8	110.3	104.7	177.3
March.....	121.6	111.8	97.2	188.9
April.....	109.2	100.3	87.3	169.8
May.....	98.0	89.4	76.8	156.4
June.....	95.1	86.5	74.0	153.0
July.....	98.2	89.8	75.3	157.5
August.....	95.5	88.5	69.2	154.0
September.....	81.7	75.8	56.1	131.9
October.....	69.7	64.8	48.4	111.9
November.....	71.7	67.5	46.0	114.7
December.....	57.7	54.3	33.0	95.6
1932				
January.....	58.0	54.4	36.6	94.4
February.....	56.5	52.9	34.2	92.8
March.....	56.8	53.8	32.1	93.4
April.....	43.9	41.7	22.2	73.3
May.....	39.8	38.1	17.4	67.8
June.....	34.0	33.5	14.1	55.0
July.....	35.9	35.8	15.6	55.4
August.....	53.3	51.5	29.2	84.2
September.....	58.2	55.8	34.5	91.4
October.....	49.9	47.7	27.5	80.6
November.....	47.5	45.4	25.5	77.6
December.....	47.4	44.8	25.7	79.6
1933				
January.....	49.1	46.2	27.6	81.8
February.....	44.9	42.5	26.7	73.1
March.....	43.2	41.6	25.6	67.0
April.....	47.5	48.8	26.3	63.5
May.....	62.9	65.3	37.5	79.2
June.....	74.9	77.3	44.0	96.9
July.....	80.4	83.5	52.6	97.5
August.....	75.1	78.8	49.4	87.1
September.....	74.8	80.7	47.2	80.1
October.....	69.5	75.5	40.3	75.0
November.....	69.1	76.7	38.4	70.0
December.....	70.4	78.8	40.3	67.7
1934				
January.....	75.6	84.0	45.5	73.2
February.....	80.5	88.4	50.0	80.6
March.....	77.1	84.9	48.7	75.3
April.....	79.6	88.3	49.3	76.3
May.....	71.8	79.6	43.3	69.8
June.....	73.5	81.4	44.1	71.9
July.....	71.4	79.7	41.2	69.2
August.....	67.8	76.7	35.6	64.6
September.....	67.0	75.7	35.1	63.7
October.....	67.3	76.4	35.6	62.9
November.....	69.4	80.1	35.3	60.7
December.....	69.2	80.3	35.8	58.2
1935				
January.....	69.7	81.4	34.6	57.4
February.....	67.8	80.0	31.8	54.5
March.....	63.9	75.4	27.8	53.2
April.....	67.5	78.9	29.4	59.1
May.....	73.1	85.5	31.0	64.5
June.....	76.0	88.0	32.7	70.4
July.....	79.4	91.7	34.1	73.9
August.....	83.3	95.2	35.9	81.6

\*For 1918-1929 data, see 1913-1933 Prices and Price Indexes, page 175.

# CANADIAN INDEX NUMBERS OF EXPORT AND IMPORT AVERAGE VALUATIONS AND OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1934 1926=100



## AVERAGE VALUATION AND WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS

For a country such as Canada, whose economy is vitally affected by foreign trade, the importance of statistics relating to all phases of international commerce is readily apparent. Prices of imports and exports, although of less general concern than aggregate values, are nevertheless significant, and the examination of price fluctuations must form a part of any complete analysis of trade statistics. If trade value figures decline, it is important to know whether this represents a contraction of markets, or simply a reduction in prices with volume maintained at former levels. Indexes of both volume and price are necessary for a complete knowledge of such facts. They are also useful to determine the influence of tariff policy upon trade movements. It is likewise of considerable importance that repercussions of international price fluctuations upon domestic price levels may be observed, and measurements made of their effect.

The main purpose of these index numbers is to furnish a basis for general impressions relating to the field of international trade as a whole, with which to supplement specific knowledge relating to particular commodities and countries. The two sets of indexes presented herewith may be considered as complementary series dealing with price fluctuations. The first, based upon average valuations for important commodities, has been computed for some time past.

It differs from the second series, computed from wholesale prices, in several respects, the most important being that no exact continuity of quality is maintained as between valuation averages from year to year. Wheat exports, for example, may average No. 3 Northern in one year and No. 4 Northern in the next, but no account can be taken of this in reckoning the average value of exported wheat per bushel. Valuation indexes therefore measure the change in the average unit value of wheat, motor cars, woollen fabrics, etc., rather than changes due to price alone. There is a second difference related only to imports, average valuations of which are based on the fair market value in the country of origin. Wholesale prices for these same products include additional transportation and handling charges, and to that extent differ from import valuations. In spite of such differences, however, it has been found that the movements of wholesale price index numbers resemble fairly closely those for valuation indexes based upon similar lists of commodities. The similarity of behaviour is particularly noticeable for general indexes of imports and exports, although sometimes not so clearly apparent in the case of constituent group indexes.

Divergences between group indexes based upon average valuations and wholesale prices are frequently due to structural differences. For example, the valuation indexes are weighted by quantities derived from 1913 trade statistics, while the wholesale price indexes more recently constructed are weighted by an average of quantities for the years 1926-1931 inclusive. Between these two periods substantial changes occurred in the relative importance of such items as raw textiles, textile fabrics, farm implements, etc. The lists of commodities also differ somewhat, creating further minor divergences, more apparent in imports than among exports. The latter are dominated by a few items such as wheat, lumber and newsprint, while imports are more diversified and indexes are less influenced by preponderant commodities.

The movements of import and export average valuation and price indexes have shown marked similarity since 1913. The extent of their rise during the inflationary period beginning with the War was closely comparable, and it reached a climax for both imports and exports, as for all other major price groups, in the year 1920. The subsequent decline was slightly greater in the



case of exports, which include a larger share of primary products than do imports. Later differences in index movements of imports and exports are also due chiefly to primary products. Low grain prices in 1923 depressed export indexes slightly for that year when the tendency among other commodity prices as shown by import indexes was to advance. The increase in grain prices which followed in 1924 and 1925 was mainly responsible for the reverse situation when export indexes rose while imports were beginning the long decline that did not terminate until 1933. The relatively sharper reaction of exports in the last four years of this movement was again due chiefly to the influence of primary products, although drastic reductions occurred also in the important item of newsprint. Recovery during the past two years has been slightly more pronounced for exports than for imports.

Reference to Tables LI and LII will reveal more detailed information of price and average valuation movements of exports and imports between 1913 and 1934.

TABLE L.—INDEX NUMBERS OF EXPORT AND IMPORT VALUATIONS\* AND OF GENERAL WHOLESALE PRICES AND CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS, 1920-1934

(1913=100)

Year	General Wholesale Prices	Index Numbers of Canadian Farm Products	Index Numbers of Export Values	Index Numbers of Import Values
1920.....	243.5	258.2	229.7	220.2
1921.....	171.8	164.2	164.8	160.6
1922.....	152.0	138.5	137.8	135.3
1923.....	153.0	127.6	136.8	147.6
1924.....	155.2	139.1	139.6	141.7
1925.....	160.3	160.5	151.7	139.2
1926.....	156.2	159.8	147.0	131.2
1927.....	152.6	163.2	144.0	126.4
1928.....	150.6	158.4	137.6	127.1
1929.....	149.3	158.8	136.9	123.0
1930.....	135.3	127.7	116.8	116.0
1931.....	112.6	86.1	95.2	95.9
1932.....	104.2	75.1	85.1	90.4
1933.....	104.8	79.8	86.1	88.9
1934.....	111.8	92.6	96.1	95.9

\*For list of commodities included see Appendix A, Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1926.

TABLE LI.—INDEX NUMBERS OF EXPORT AND IMPORT VALUATIONS, 1914-1934

(1913=100)

## EXPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Exports
No. of Items	14	11	2	8	4	6	2	3	50
1914.....	104.1	107.0	102.8	99.7	109.6	99.7	104.2	101.7	103.4
1915.....	119.8	116.3	129.6	98.5	92.4	99.3	118.1	104.1	111.2
1916.....	131.5	131.8	153.4	106.2	90.2	139.2	139.5	102.3	125.4
1917.....	221.0	164.6	229.7	137.6	85.9	156.7	147.4	88.3	178.1
1918.....	238.1	191.5	283.4	153.6	90.7	158.1	203.8	132.2	195.9
1919.....	235.0	211.3	263.1	177.8	106.1	173.9	208.7	138.2	205.1
1920.....	256.1	209.1	190.1	250.5	131.4	167.3	275.9	138.8	229.7
1921.....	159.3	150.4	139.0	216.3	93.8	130.8	256.3	125.7	164.8
1922.....	129.3	136.2	117.1	168.3	107.9	123.6	189.2	117.0	137.8
1923.....	122.2	142.0	134.2	178.0	90.8	121.2	190.1	118.2	136.8
1924.....	133.1	136.3	161.1	173.3	88.3	123.3	181.1	109.0	139.6
1925.....	155.2	155.1	165.8	167.9	83.8	132.9	169.9	109.6	151.7
1926.....	150.9	148.0	140.3	162.4	82.9	129.4	172.8	107.6	144.0
1927.....	143.5	145.7	126.7	158.5	92.0	120.0	173.3	97.0	137.6
1928.....	132.1	155.7	143.7	156.4	81.0	121.1	172.8	87.4	137.6
1929.....	130.1	155.7	126.0	153.9	82.9	126.6	177.0	85.5	136.9
1930.....	99.0	145.9	89.4	142.2	80.5	109.4	164.0	83.7	116.8
1931.....	73.6	118.3	68.0	125.7	79.3	88.5	155.9	76.6	95.2
1932.....	69.3	98.9	47.8	109.4	79.1	78.1	140.7	70.5	85.1
1933.....	74.4	97.2	68.0	96.1	78.8	91.6	146.2	58.1	86.1
1934.....	91.2	110.5	68.4	98.5	75.3	95.3	143.7	59.3	96.1

## IMPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Imports	Combined Index of Imports and Exports
No. of Items	15	3	15	3	11	3	7	3	60	110
1914.....	96.7	102.4	96.0	92.3	87.5	92.6	93.0	93.8	92.7	98.6
1915.....	109.3	104.1	92.6	87.7	79.2	110.9	74.0	128.4	92.7	109.2
1916.....	130.0	119.1	121.5	92.3	94.2	143.6	92.9	210.3	114.7	120.0
1917.....	149.0	166.9	167.1	102.6	119.8	139.9	134.3	205.9	143.3	162.4
1918.....	159.9	152.3	241.9	130.2	131.3	123.6	149.6	246.8	166.4	182.0
1919.....	190.6	224.1	264.6	142.2	127.4	118.0	144.3	218.3	179.9	193.8
1920.....	264.2	203.3	285.4	298.6	146.4	103.5	207.1	230.6	220.2	225.4
1921.....	200.3	91.4	165.0	174.8	137.6	90.7	179.3	215.2	160.6	162.0
1922.....	131.8	85.3	156.5	161.3	103.5	93.7	181.6	164.3	135.3	136.1
1923.....	174.4	87.3	182.4	178.2	108.8	92.0	162.2	143.7	141.7	141.1
1924.....	167.2	78.9	181.7	167.0	107.4	87.1	145.4	146.9	140.0	140.0
1925.....	154.8	93.6	184.0	175.6	98.6	94.0	143.9	140.3	139.2	139.9
1926.....	149.6	86.9	158.0	164.7	95.0	98.0	141.7	148.7	126.4	136.1
1927.....	153.3	95.0	143.7	141.7	95.0	97.4	130.1	138.6	127.1	132.0
1928.....	144.4	119.2	153.8	142.1	93.6	99.9	124.8	134.3	123.0	130.0
1929.....	130.6	94.9	147.1	150.9	95.7	117.9	123.6	154.5	116.0	116.0
1930.....	117.0	75.1	123.0	144.8	99.4	148.2	117.2	151.7	95.9	95.9
1931.....	100.9	58.0	86.0	117.9	92.6	107.0	100.6	164.0	90.4	87.7
1932.....	87.2	36.6	74.6	114.8	94.1	123.5	87.4	155.3	88.9	87.7
1933.....	87.2	51.6	81.0	116.2	83.0	130.0	87.4	163.5	95.9	96.1
1934.....	95.5	53.4	95.3	112.8	85.4	134.6	96.7			

TABLE LII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1934

(1926=100)

EXPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Exports
13.....	60.6	61.3	63.2	58.3	73.9	89.0	98.7	75.3	64.7
14.....	67.8	60.2	59.6	58.4	71.6	82.6	80.1	75.1	66.5
15.....	84.7	63.3	66.4	57.3	82.7	113.7	106.6	75.1	78.1
16.....	91.9	74.3	82.7	63.4	111.9	143.7	106.6	74.2	88.7
17.....	142.4	94.9	166.3	78.6	160.6	141.8	122.0	85.6	120.5
18.....	145.5	107.5	196.1	88.9	177.9	126.1	128.7	105.6	126.2
19.....	151.1	142.8	181.7	106.4	148.3	119.3	128.3	108.2	134.8
20.....	168.2	136.9	139.7	156.2	196.1	129.9	152.4	128.9	158.1
21.....	109.9	96.5	95.5	141.6	137.9	90.3	138.6	120.6	116.5
22.....	84.4	96.5	82.5	105.9	110.3	90.2	129.1	106.9	94.7
23.....	77.1	92.6	94.9	114.2	124.0	92.9	101.7	100.4	93.5
24.....	88.2	82.6	104.4	108.9	118.8	96.2	99.7	98.1	95.7
25.....	107.7	94.7	114.3	103.9	107.1	106.1	93.4	98.1	104.5
26.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
27.....	97.0	105.3	88.1	99.1	97.4	90.7	89.2	100.7	97.8
28.....	88.8	111.3	95.3	98.7	91.9	87.5	83.8	98.2	94.2
29.....	89.3	107.9	85.8	91.9	91.3	88.0	83.7	95.6	92.2
30.....	65.3	94.2	69.5	87.3	87.4	75.4	81.5	92.9	77.4
31.....	41.7	70.7	56.7	78.3	82.7	66.2	67.8	87.9	60.5
32.....	40.4	55.7	39.6	68.1	81.3	65.2	66.1	68.3	54.9
33.....	44.9	58.0	46.1	60.0	75.8	68.6	65.7	69.9	55.2
34.....	53.4	64.5	59.1	62.5	78.0	67.6	71.2	72.2	60.6

IMPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Imports
3.....	78.0	92.3	63.3	.....	75.7	93.6	61.9	51.9	73.0
4.....	80.2	95.6	60.5	.....	68.6	79.1	55.2	55.4	69.3
5.....	92.1	104.9	57.0	.....	77.7	98.2	64.7	61.4	77.5
6.....	105.7	129.0	79.8	.....	112.2	146.9	67.6	88.5	100.0
7.....	122.1	148.0	117.4	.....	154.6	160.4	75.8	102.7	125.6
8.....	132.2	147.0	150.2	.....	152.3	162.9	86.4	116.9	135.5
9.....	145.6	212.9	167.6	.....	137.5	115.6	96.4	99.5	139.6
10.....	200.6	178.8	172.7	.....	152.1	118.4	118.5	114.1	158.8
11.....	102.8	101.4	98.4	.....	116.8	76.8	114.0	105.9	105.8
12.....	98.4	102.4	105.7	.....	101.2	79.2	104.4	99.2	100.4
13.....	113.7	101.6	127.7	.....	114.2	88.5	94.0	97.1	110.0
14.....	105.7	97.1	113.5	.....	113.2	88.2	93.8	95.7	105.0
15.....	111.9	108.2	112.9	.....	104.7	96.0	95.7	95.5	105.6
16.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
17.....	102.0	111.7	92.4	.....	98.1	94.7	93.2	98.0	97.7
18.....	94.0	132.0	94.7	.....	94.8	99.7	88.4	92.3	96.1
19.....	85.6	113.3	93.4	.....	95.0	116.9	89.4	92.0	94.2
20.....	75.0	94.5	75.5	.....	91.1	84.7	87.3	87.5	83.7
21.....	60.1	72.5	59.9	.....	88.7	57.5	80.3	83.3	72.4
22.....	57.6	59.1	52.6	.....	91.1	46.5	84.8	86.3	70.5
23.....	61.4	67.7	57.3	.....	92.2	59.1	79.4	86.9	73.0
24.....	65.0	69.7	64.2	.....	92.7	66.7	83.6	88.0	76.5



## NOTES ON WORLD PRICE TRENDS AND ECONOMIC CONDITIONS, 1934

The first signs of improvement which became evident in the summer months of 1933 developed in many countries into a definite but gradual recovery during 1934. Measurements of industrial production were generally higher than in 1933 and in some instances approximated the levels of 1929. There was also greater activity in foreign trade. Many countries able to furnish more favourable production records, however, laboured with serious financial problems related to unbalanced budgets and persistent passive trade balances. Money rates were generally low, and a plethora of funds for investment existed particularly in short-term markets. Unemployment, although less acute than in 1933, continued to be serious, and there were indications that a higher rate of business activity than existed in 1929 would be necessary to employ the same amount of labour then utilized. In other words, methods of production have become appreciably more efficient in the past five years. The above remarks apply fairly generally to countries outside of the gold 'bloc'. Within the 'bloc', however, further recessions in industrial activity were apparent, and the pressure of persistent deflation was revealed in occasional outbursts of political restiveness.

### UNITED KINGDOM

Improvement of a gradual character was revealed by the majority of economic indexes for the United Kingdom in 1934. Activity in the major fields of production was definitely higher than in 1933 and consequently there was a reduction in unemployment. Financial markets were firm and foreign exchanges remained relatively stable. Price levels also showed a definite tendency to remain unchanged. As the year closed, evidence of continued industrial progress was in conflict with less favourable employment figures, and the outlook was clouded by the complicated nature of international relations. The year 1934 was the most satisfactory since 1931, so far as statistical records were concerned, and future prospects were better than at that time.

Records of domestic trade for 1934 showed moderate improvement over those for the preceding year. The retail sales index issued by the Bank of England averaged about three points higher than in 1933, and in the final quarter stood at 116 as compared with 112 in the same period of 1933. Statistics of bank clearings, employment, and receipts from goods train railway traffic corroborated the evidence presented by retail sales.

External trade figures revealed an increase of £55.2 millions in imports retained for domestic use, and of £28.2 millions in exports. Imports retained for consumption in 1934 amounted to £681.1 millions and exports to £396.1 millions, which meant an excess of imports over exports amounting to \$285.0 millions as compared with £258.0 millions in 1933. The rise in imports was due largely to greater purchases of raw materials such as wood and timber, wool, and non-ferrous metal products. Meat imports also were higher. Exports mounted for beer and spirits, iron and steel products, machinery, and textiles.

Taking into consideration movements of silver bullion specie and invisible items of trade it is estimated by the Board of Trade that total imports and exports practically balanced in 1934. Greater imports of merchandise, silver bullion and specie were offset by estimated increases in government receipts from overseas, commission receipts, and income from overseas investment. Imports and exports were in substantial equilibrium in 1933 also.

Annual production records compared favourably with those of 1933 in most cases, although indexes of activity at the beginning of 1935 in some instances were lower than for January 1934. Industry generally, however, appeared to gain momentum in the final quarter of 1934 and to maintain its accelerated pace in the early part of 1935. The Board of Trade's index number of industrial activity averaged 110.5 for 1934 compared with 98.6 for 1933; the fourth quarter 1934 average was 116.0. Coal output for the year amounted to 221 million tons, an increase of 14 million tons over 1933, but figures for the opening months of 1935 were slightly lower than those corresponding for 1934. Pig iron and steel production mounted sharply, pig iron from 4.1 million to 6.0 million tons and steel from 7.0 million to 8.9 million tons. An index of building and construction advanced from 112 in 1933 to 128 in 1934. Output of electrical energy increased from 13,562 to 15,439 k.w. hours and rayon production mounted from 84.1 million to 93.1 million pounds.

A decided reduction in the amount of Treasury bills available in the open market contributed to another break in short-term money rates. The minimum of  $\frac{3}{4}$  of one p.c. informally agreed upon by clearing banks was swept away, and Treasury bills again were quoted as low as  $\frac{1}{4}$  of one p.c. Considerable amounts of funds were switched to gilt-edged securities as a result of lower short-term rates. Reviving trade produced a slightly larger volume of commercial bills than were in evidence during 1933, but this increase was not a major factor in money market movements. The Bank of England discount rate remained at 2 p.c. throughout the year, the same level that has been maintained since the latter part of 1932. Bank clearings mounted from £32,138 millions in 1933 to £35,484 millions in 1934, the largest total since 1931.

Devaluation of the United States dollar to 59.06 p.c. of its former parity on January 31, 1934, created unsettlement in the exchange situation for a time, and considerable pressure upon gold currencies developed during the balance of the year. The London rate on dollars dropped back from 5.12 at the end of March to 4.94 at the end of December, largely correcting earlier undervaluation of the dollar. Currencies allied with sterling, moved within very narrow limits in the London market throughout 1934. The official German reichsmark also fluctuated narrowly but registered marks were quoted at discounts ranging as high as 40 p.c. A German moratorium on the transfer service of long and medium term loans led to an exchange agreement attempting to link the value of German exports to the United Kingdom, to imports from the United Kingdom. Gold movements in 1934 which were large, bore little relation to monetary policy. London became to a greater extent the world's clearing house for gold shipments and the repository of hoarded stocks owned by citizens of other countries. It was said that the Exchange Equalization Fund dealt to some extent in gold during the year, but these operations related mainly to ear-marked holdings and consequently involved few actual transfers. Bank of England reserves fluctuated narrowly around £192 millions.

Improvement in the employment situation apparent to a marked extent in the first half of 1934 failed to be maintained in the last six months. Nevertheless, registered unemployed in December 1934, at 2,086,000, totalled roughly 150,000 less than in the preceding December. Employment was better maintained in the so-called heavy trades than in industry generally. A slight net increase in weekly wage rates, the first since 1926, was more than counterbalanced by advances in living costs. Working days lost owing to labour disputes amounted to 960,000 as compared with 1,070,000 in 1933, according to calculations made by the Ministry of Labour.

Wholesale price levels, according to the Board of Trade index remained stable during 1934, although the average index for the year was 88.1 as compared with 85.7 for 1933. Quarterly average indexes varied between 88.7 (first quarter) and 87.6 (second quarter) (1930=100). Foods were higher than in the preceding year but textiles and minerals registered moderate declines. Rising food prices were reflected in the slight increase of the Ministry of Labour's cost of living index, which during the latter half of the year ranged from one to three points above corresponding figures for 1933. December indexes were 143 for 1933 and 144 for 1934 (July 1914=100).

## UNITED STATES

Recovery made irregular progress during 1934. A gradual rise in business activity in the first half of the year was followed by an abrupt midsummer recession and continued decline until the fall quarter. Indexes of business and production then moved rapidly upward to levels slightly above midsummer high points. The Federal government continued its regulatory policies designed to promote recovery in industry and agriculture. The formal revaluation of the United States dollar at 59.06 p.c. of its former gold parity was effected on January 31, thus ending the decline in dollar exchange which commenced in March 1933. Another important monetary development of the year was the nationalization of silver and the subsequent sharp rise in prices for that metal.

The Federal Reserve Board's index of industrial production averaged 79 in 1934 as compared with 76 for 1933. A broader index of general business activity showed exactly the same gain, rising from 71.8 to 74.8. Mineral output was better maintained throughout the year than was the production of manufactured goods. In the fall months, however, manufactures responded more readily to improving conditions than did minerals. Pay-rolls were appreciably larger in 1934 than in the preceding year as indicated by the Bureau of Labor Statistics index which

mounted from 48.5 to 61.9. Indexes for January 1934 and 1935 of 75.1 and 80.5 respectively pointed to a more gradual rate of expansion in 1934. Statistics of freight-car loadings reflecting the movement of merchandise showed little change during 1934, their fluctuations being indicated by monthly index numbers which ranged between 66 and 57. Retail sales were definitely larger than in 1933, returns from chain stores, department stores, and automobile agencies all showing appreciable gains. Foreign trade figures also increased, exports mounting from \$1,675 millions to \$2,133 millions, and imports from \$1,450 millions to \$1,655 millions.

Although the volume of agricultural products marketed was slightly less than in 1933, rising prices were of sufficient consequence to offset lower volume, and cash income received for agricultural products was slightly higher than in the year preceding. An index of marketings fell from 89 to 82, while an index of cash income received, mounted from 51.6 to 58.0 (1923-1925=100).

Money was plentiful in financial markets and interest rates declined. Commercial paper of from 4 to 6 months maturity was quoted at  $\frac{3}{4}$  of one p.c. in December as compared with  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  p.c. a year earlier. Bank loans were curtailed, forcing money into the long-term market. This produced a moderate rise in bond prices, and was reflected in higher investment holdings by banks. Bank debits outside of New York city, which are considered a good measure of commercial activity, mounted from \$11,989 millions in 1933 to \$13,832 millions in 1934. Common stock prices moved definitely lower from February to December as indicated by Standard Statistics price indexes of 80.5 and 69.2 for those respective months. New capital issues, according to the Commercial and Financial Chronicle, rose fairly sharply from the depression low point of \$87.8 millions in 1933 to \$182.9 millions in 1934. Corporation profits were materially higher than in 1933. Federal revenue receipts were almost \$300 millions lower than expenditures and the gross federal debt increased by over \$440 millions.

Commodity wholesale prices continued to rise throughout 1934, the greatest advances being recorded for farm products and foods. Finished product prices, however, also averaged higher. The general wholesale index of the Bureau of Labor Statistics mounted from 72.2 for January 1934 to 78.8 for January 1935 (1926=100). Living costs also advanced, the National Industrial Conference Board index rising from 77.5 to 81.6 during the same interval (1923=100). Foods led other budgetary groups in this movement upward.

## FRANCE

A deceptive upturn in commerce and industry during the latter part of 1933 gave way before further deflationary pressure in 1934. Political considerations complicated economic ills, and several governments were overthrown during the year, due in part to deflationary policies.

A general index of industrial production declined from 106 in January to 93 in December. Most branches of industry with the exception of the metal working and mining sections showed substantial decreases in activity during 1934. The following January and December indexes for leading industries reveal the extent of this recession: Textiles 76 and 59, construction 86 and 75, rubber 963 and 781 (1913=100). Foreign trade continued to shrink, due mainly to a sharp curtailment in imports amounting to 19 p.c. Exports were  $3\frac{1}{2}$  p.c. lower in value but 10 p.c. greater in volume, and the import surplus was cut from 9,937 millions in 1933 to 5,239 million francs in 1934. Total railway tonnage transported fell from 16.5 million to 15.5 million tons, but in spite of this the annual railway deficit was reduced slightly. The 1934 crop added further stocks to the wheat surplus, and the legislation guaranteeing minimum prices to producers was replaced late in 1934 by a measure calculated to restore freer markets. The number of unemployed increased from 332,266 at the end of 1933 to 419,129 twelve months later.

Money markets were tight during the disturbed period at the beginning of the year but later when calm was restored, short-term rates declined and money previously hoarded was returned to circulation. Frequent borrowing by the national government was instrumental in advancing the rates on long-term money, which further curtailed the volume of private issues on the market. An index of prices for common stock shares fell from 222 for December 1933 to 174 for December 1934. Gold reserves of the Bank of France at the end of 1934, at 82,123 million francs, were over 5,000 million francs higher than they had been a year earlier.



Both wholesale and retail prices recorded substantial declines during 1934. The *Statistique Générale* wholesale index of 126 commodities fell from 407 in December 1933 to 344 (1913=100) in December 1934, a much sharper net recession than that registered in the preceding year. Vegetable products, animal products, and textiles moved definitely lower, while minerals showed little change. A retail price index for Paris dropped from 520 in December 1933 to 466 for December 1934 (1914=100).

### GERMANY

Production figures for Germany were generally higher than in 1933, and unemployment records correspondingly were lower. Rising imports and declining exports, however, helped to intensify financial problems which have become progressively more embarrassing in recent years. A moratorium declared on commercial long-term debts revealed the gravity of this situation.

A general index of industrial production for Germany rose from 69.0 in 1933 to 85.8 in 1934. This represented chiefly an increase in capital goods, an index for which advanced from 58.5 to 81.0, whereas consumption goods mounted only from 84.8 to 93.1. Indexes for leading industries in 1933 and 1934 respectively, showed the following changes: Textiles from 90.7 to 98.8, automobiles from 59.7 to 95.6, and residential building from 37.2 to 50.8 (1928=100). Output of coal, pig iron, steel and zinc all showed large gains over comparable figures for 1933. The number of registered unemployed, exclusive of persons in labour camps, fell from 3,772,792 in January 1934 to 2,973,544 in January 1935. Imports mounted from Rm.4,203.6 millions to Rm.4,451.0 millions, while exports dropped from Rm.4,871.4 millions to Rm.4,167.0 millions.

The Reichsbank discount rate remained unchanged throughout the year at 4 p.c., while short-term rates averaged appreciably lower than in 1933. This occurred in spite of a reduction in Reichsbank gold reserves from Rm.395 millions to Rm.84 millions. Currency circulation increased from Rm.5,722 millions to Rm.5,986 millions. The Reich budget for 1934-35 balanced at Rm.6,456 millions. Bond prices advanced during 1934 and the market for common stocks was also stronger as indicated by a price index which advanced from 65.2 in 1933 to 75.9 in 1934.

The Federal Statistical Office index number of wholesale price movements advanced from 96.3 in January 1934 to 101.1 in January 1935. This compared with an average of 93.3 for 1933 (1913=100). Living costs mounted less rapidly from 120.4 in January 1934 to 122.4 in January 1935 (1914=100). This was considered indicative of a slight decrease in workers' living standards in view of unchanging wage levels.

### ITALY

Financial difficulties overshadowed evidence of greater industrial activity during 1934. Lower gold reserves, a higher import surplus, additions to the national debt, and weakness of the lira in foreign exchange markets bore testimony to the acuteness of the situation.

Greater activity in production was reflected in an advance of 7.8 points to 88.3 for the *Ministere delle Corporazioni* index for Italy. Movements for various industrial groups entering into this series were as follows: Engineering from 71.6 to 75.5, automobiles from 82.0 to 84.2, textiles from 76.3 to 73.6, and building from 77.1 to 128.7 (1928=100). An index of employment rose from 71.4 to 72.1. Agricultural production records revealed declines for the two most important crops, wheat and grapes, although small increases occurred for other grains, sugar beets and potatoes. A rise in imports from 7,432 million to 7,665 million lire and a decrease in exports from 5,991 million to 5,232 million lire caused the import surplus to mount from 1,441 million to 2,433 million lire.

An acceleration in the drain of gold reserves was followed by an increase in the official discount rate from 3 p.c. to 4 p.c. in November 1934. Commercial rates also stiffened about his time. The gold outflow appeared to have been checked by the end of the year, when reserves were slightly above the extreme low of 5,796.5 million lire touched on December 10. Despite vigorous efforts to balance the Budget, further borrowing was necessary and the national debt increased roughly 2,500 million to 105,164 million lire.

Commodity prices continued to decline moderately for the first half of the year and then commenced to rise sharply. This movement was led by vegetable and animal products, and building materials. Textiles, chemicals, and minerals, however, fell still further. Prof. Pachi's index of wholesale prices showed a slight net increase for the year, the January 1935 number being 277.2 as compared with 275.7 for January 1934 (1913=100). Living costs had not reacted to any extent by the end of 1934 to higher wholesale prices. A cost of living index for leading towns fell from 74.77 in January 1934 to 69.75 for January 1935 (June 1927=100). This more than offset a slight recession in hourly wage rates paid to workers.

## JAPAN

There were numerous points of parallel between economic conditions in Japan and in leading European countries during 1934. Industrial production was well maintained, but financial difficulties were serious. The deficit in the Japanese 1934-35 Budget, while less than in the preceding year, amounted to more than one-third of total expenditures. Unfavourable weather conditions resulted in sharp curtailment of the staple crop, rice, although other grain yields were slightly better than in 1933.

Individual records of leading steel and textile concerns revealed appreciable increases over 1933, and a general production index moved on levels considerably higher than in the preceding year. October figures for 1933 and 1934 respectively were 135.3 and 147.9 (1928=100). Earnings of 1,000 industrial concerns in the first half of 1934 were given by Mitsui Gomei Kaisha as 299.7 million yen as compared with 242.2 millions in the same half of 1933. Foreign trade expanded materially, imports rising from 1,883 million to 2,244 million yen, and exports from 1,828 million to 2,134 million yen. Rice production declined from 102.7 million kintals in 1933 to 73.6 millions in 1934, while grain harvests mounted from 25.1 million to 28.0 million kintals.

Money rates showed little movement and the Bank of Japan's discount rate remained unchanged at 3½ p.c. The market for new capital was active under the stimulus of heavy governmental borrowing. The Budget deficit for 1934-35 amounted to 895.8 million yen, and it was anticipated that the 1935-36 Budget would show another deficit of 787.4 million yen. This would mean that expected revenue would be short by more than one-third of contemplated expenditures. An index of industrial market share prices declined from 215.1 in January 1934 to 192.0 in January 1935 (January 1930=100).

The Bank of Japan's wholesale price index moved within narrow limits during the year as indicated by January 1934 and 1935 numbers of 97.1 and 98.4 respectively (1913=100). A cost of living index for Tokyo mounted from 147.3 to 150.9 in the same interval (July 1914=100).

## OTHER COUNTRIES

*Argentina.*—Efforts of the Argentine government to combat depression in 1934 appeared to be meeting with a measure of success. Profits for the first year's operation in exchange market were more than \$96 millions of which approximately \$9 millions were necessary to meet losses due to the maintenance of basic prices to the producer for grain. By maintaining the peso in the official market at a higher value than it was quoted in the free market, the government in effect, was able to bonus exports at the expense of imports, since imports had to be paid for largely in terms of free market rates. Both imports and exports advanced with the latter making the larger gain. Imports mounted from roughly 897 million to 1,110 million pesos, while exports increased from 1,121 million to 1,438 million pesos. Interest rates showed little variation and the government was able to carry out conversion operations of considerable magnitude. Firmed prices for farm products helped materially to alleviate the depressed condition of agriculture. It was stated that living costs did not record much change.

*Australia.*—Continued progress was revealed by Australian economic records of 1934. Improvement was gradual and showed signs of slackening in the closing months of the year. Bank clearings, for example, were slightly lower in the six capital cities in December 1934, than in the preceding December, although gains were shown for the other eleven months.

Production of iron and steel manufactures was well maintained and activity in the building industry was far greater than in 1933. The value of both imports and exports increased, imports mounting £3.6 million (Australian) to £74.8 million and exports were £15.9 million higher at £113.6 million. With the exception of wheat, yields for agricultural products were well maintained, and an index of prices for agricultural products likewise remained steadily above 1933 levels. Trade union unemployment percentages were reduced repeatedly from 23.0 in the final quarter of 1933 to 18.8 in the same period of 1934.

The Melbourne index number of wholesale prices mounted from 1,436 in December 1933 to 1,500 in August 1934, and then dropped to 1,459 in December (1911=100). A retail price index for items of household expenditure advanced from 1,337 for the fourth quarter of 1933 to 1,361 for the same quarter of 1934 (1911=100).

*Austria.*—In spite of persistent political unrest, progress was made towards economic rehabilitation. A general index of industrial production mounted from 67.3 in 1933 to 72.3 in 1934. Consolidations among banking institutions strengthened the country's financial structure. Foreign trade expanded, exports rising from 748 million to 863 million schillings and imports from 1,148 to 1,154 million schillings. The number of dole recipients declined from 316,000 to 290,000. Although agricultural production declined, prices were relatively high, due to protection. A turnover index for consumption goods fell from 83 to 80, but a corresponding index for capital goods mounted from 66 to 73.

A wholesale price index number for Austria was 109 in both January and December 1934, having ranged between 108 and 113 during the intervening months. It averaged two points higher than in 1933 (Jan.-June 1914=100). A cost of living index for Vienna declined from 106.0 in January 1934 to 104.6 in January 1935 (July 1914=100).

*Belgium.*—As in other countries which still adhered to the gold standard, the temporary upturn in economic activity discernible in 1933, gave way again to continued recession in 1934. This reaction was aggravated by a prolonged strike in the wool textile industry during the first half of the year. An index of industrial production declined from 70.7 in December 1933 to 68.3 in December 1934, and unemployment percentages conversely were slightly higher. Imports fell from 15,200 million to 14,020 million francs, while exports dropped from 14,330 million to 13,700 million francs. The 1934 regular Budget for ordinary expenditure was balanced by current revenue, but the Extraordinary Budget involving capital expenditure was financed by loans. The amount of shipping handled by the Port of Antwerp showed a minor increase.

A wholesale price index for Belgium moved almost steadily downward from 484 in January 1934 to 472 in January 1935 (April 1914=100). A cost of living index likewise declined during this same interval from 181.0 to 172.6 (1921=100).

*Czechoslovakia.*—Devaluation of the Czech krone in February 1934 acted as a stimulus to recovery. Energetic measures were taken to prevent an undue rise in prices subsequent to this. Industrial activity accelerated for the first three quarters of the year, but reacted slightly in the final quarter. Measured in terms of the devalued krone, exports for 1934 rose sharply to 296.3 million kronas as compared with 5,922.4 millions in 1933. Imports increased slightly from 6,124.6 millions to 6,406.3 millions. Lack of moisture reduced crop yields materially. Long-term credit was still difficult to obtain.

An index number of wholesale prices rose sharply from 645 in January to 666 in February, following devaluation, then declined slightly before continuing on upward to 694 in December (July 1914=100). The Prague index of retail prices moved erratically as indicated by the following monthly figures: January 685, April 679, June 695, and December 679 (July 1914=100).

*India.*—Moderate improvement was discernible in economic conditions in 1934. Crops were good and prices proved somewhat better than in the preceding year. The developing textile and steel industries operated at high levels of output, although the former was forced to meet active Japanese competition. This was reduced materially, however, by protective measures aimed at non-British producers. Lower purchasing power together with extensions of the principle of protection have reduced Indian imports sharply from 1929 to 1933. Both imports



and exports were higher, however, in 1934, imports rising from 1,148 million to 1,253 million rupees and exports from 1,444 million to 1,483 million rupees. Railway traffic was heavier than in 1933, although there was still a deficit of 77·5 million rupees on the year's operations.

Both the Bombay and Calcutta index numbers of wholesale prices registered appreciable gains during 1934. The former mounted from 95 to 101 between January 1934 and 1935 while the latter advanced from 90 to 94 in the same interval. Increases in cereals were chiefly responsible for this movement, although raw cotton and jute also were dearer. Declines occurred for tea, metals and hides and skins. There was no indication of any substantial change in living costs.

*Netherlands.*—Deflationary forces continued to gain ground during 1934, although production and trade figures were fairly well maintained. An index of production averaged 71·6 as compared with 70·9 in 1933. Foreign trade volume showed slight change from 1933, but values were lower. Imports declined from 1,209·2 million to 1,038·1 million guilders and exports from 725·6 million to 711·7 million guilders. Unemployment totals increased, rising rapidly in the closing months of the year. Although the gold reserves of the Netherlands Bank dropped about 80 million guilders there was no evidence of tension in money markets. Share values on the Amsterdam exchange continued to move downward.

Commodity prices showed little change as indicated by wholesale price indexes of 79 in January 1934 and 77 in January 1935 (1913=100). A retail prices index for Amsterdam fell from 80·7 in the final quarter of 1933 to 78·6 in the same quarter of 1934 (1923-1924=100).

*Poland.*—The struggle towards recovery through deflation continued in Poland, with still no signs of definite improvement. A moderate increase in industrial activity was credited chiefly to government works designed to relieve economic stress. The number of unemployed was greater than in 1933. Trade figures showed an increase in exports from 960 million to 976 million zlotys, but imports fell from 827 million to 799 million zlotys. In spite of the larger active trade balances, gold holdings of the Bank of Poland were reduced by 33 million zlotys. This compared with losses of 75 million zlotys in 1933 and 174 million in 1932.

Commodity prices declined, as indicated by January 1934 and 1935 wholesale price indexes of 57·8 and 52·9 respectively (1928=100). A retail price index for Warsaw fell from 68·7 to 63·8 in the same period (1928=100).

*South Africa.*—The record of recovery presented by South Africa for 1934 was very favourable both when compared with data of the preceding year, and with those of other countries. Building activity showed a spectacular increase, and industrial production was greater than in 1933. Motor vehicle registrations of 27,239 in the first ten months were almost double those in the same period of the preceding year. Agricultural production approximated normality again after the severe drought of 1933, and farm product prices also were higher. A gain in gold mining operations resulted in a £2,000,000 rise in dividend disbursements by the industry. The total amounted to £15,878,498. Recipients of relief benefits declined by roughly one half in 1934.

Wholesale prices continued upward, an average for the year being given as 1,112 or 9 points above the 1933 average of 1,018 (Jan. 1914=1,000). The sharpest rise occurred for cereals. A cost of living average for leading cities dropped from 1,174 in December 1933 to 1,157 in December 1934 (1914=1,000).

*Sweden.*—The index of industrial production in Sweden for 1934 was 105·8 as compared with 86·5 in 1933 and 105·8 in 1929. It is significant of the trends of the times, however, that in spite of production levels on a par with those of five years ago, trade union unemployment percentages in 1934 were roughly twice as large as in 1929. Imports and exports, as in 1933, almost balanced at Kr. 298 million and Kr. 293 million respectively. In 1932 there was an import balance of Kr. 207 million. Although small sales of gold were made during the year, the acquisition of further supplies of foreign exchange caused bank reserves to increase. An index of share prices for industrial securities mounted from 71·7 in January 1934 to 85·8 in January 1935.

A slightly firmer tendency in commodity prices was revealed by an index of wholesale prices which advanced gradually from 112 in January 1934 to 115 in January 1935 (1913 = 100). During the same period a retail prices index for Sweden rose from 98.8 to 100.0 (September 1931 = 100).

### FOREIGN EXCHANGE, 1934

The outstanding feature of 1934 foreign exchange history from a Canadian point of view, was the gradual approach of the £ sterling, the United States dollar and the Canadian dollar towards their previous exchange parities. Although all three of these units are now worth only about 60 p.c. of former gold values, the end of 1934 found the Canadian and American dollars practically at par, and the £ sterling commanding close to \$4.86 at both New York and Montreal. This situation has not been paralleled since September 1931. During the year, a small premium on American dollars at Montreal gradually gave place to a discount which for a short time in September exceeded 3 p.c. Sudden weakness in Canadian funds in December reduced this discount to about 1 p.c. The premium on sterling increased from 4.5 p.c. in January to about 6 p.c. in April, but by September, the pound was fluctuating narrowly around \$4.86. Subsequent weakness in the dollar caused sterling again to rise to a premium of about 1 p.c. towards the middle of December. During 1934, in countries formally adhering to old gold parities (including France, Belgium, Holland and Germany) most exchanges appreciated by approximately 4 p.c. The Italian lira however, showed no net appreciation during this period. The Scandinavian currencies, the Australian, New Zealand, and South African pounds, the Indian rupee, and the Brazilian milreis moved closely in line with the £ sterling. The Japanese yen followed the general movements of sterling, but due to a weak tendency registered a net decline of 6 p.c. at Montreal for 1934; this decline was 2 p.c. greater than the fall in sterling.

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TABLE LIII.—MONTHLY AVERAGE EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1934

NOTE.—The nominal closing quotations in Canadian funds upon which these averages are based, have been supplied by the Bank of Montreal.

1934	Australia Pound 4.8666	*Austria Schilling 1.407	Belgium Belga 1.390	Czecho- slovakia Krone	Denmark Krone 2.680	*Finland Markka 0.282	France Franc 0.392	Germany Reichs- Mark 2.382	Holland Guilder 4.020	Italy Lira 0.0526	Norway Krone 2.680	Spain Peseta
January.....	\$ 4.0535	\$ 1.805	\$ 2.224	\$ 0.4753	\$ 2.295	\$ 0.220	\$ 0.6254	\$ 3.781	\$ 6.409	\$ 0.8389	\$ 2.557	\$ 1.309
February.....	4.0550	1.884	2.212	0.4541	2.272	0.226	0.6523	3.931	6.667	0.8655	2.556	1.346
March.....	4.0808	1.904	2.238	0.4181	2.283	0.228	0.6602	3.978	6.747	0.8610	2.568	1.368
April.....	4.1104	1.908	2.243	0.4177	2.300	0.229	0.6615	3.954	6.775	0.8560	2.587	1.369
May.....	4.0720	1.902	2.240	0.4180	2.281	0.228	0.6613	3.942	6.783	0.8515	2.565	1.370
June.....	4.0028	1.885	2.222	0.4139	2.241	0.224	0.6556	3.813	6.734	0.8546	2.521	1.359
July.....	3.9706	1.877	2.211	0.4121	2.229	0.221	0.6520	3.818	6.696	0.8489	2.507	1.354
August.....	3.9515	1.873	2.220	0.4111	2.216	0.221	0.6510	3.862	6.655	0.8477	2.493	1.352
September.....	3.8767	1.867	2.210	0.4108	2.172	0.216	0.6487	3.917	6.666	0.8446	2.443	1.347
October.....	3.8677	1.867	2.202	0.4126	2.165	0.215	0.6495	3.964	6.677	0.8443	2.436	1.350
November.....	3.8908	1.840	2.279	0.4091	2.177	0.216	0.6436	3.995	6.599	0.8352	2.450	1.335
December.....	3.9028	1.866	2.212	0.4140	2.183	0.217	0.6519	3.970	6.680	0.8445	2.456	1.352

\*Commercial Intelligence Journal.



TABLE LIII.—MONTHLY AVERAGE EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1934—Concluded

NOTE.—The nominal closing quotations in Canadian funds upon which these averages are based, have been supplied by the Bank of Montreal.

1934	Sweden Krona ·2680	Switzer- land Franc ·1830	*Argentine Peso (paper) ·4244	*Brazil Milreis ·1196	*Mexico Peso ·4985	*Hong Kong Dollar ·3650	India Rupee ·3650	Japan Yen ·4985	*Shanghai Dollar	Great Britain Pound 4·8666	New York Dollar 1·00
January.....	·2623	·3091	·2602	·0873	·2786	·3831	·3846	·3046	·3467	\$	\$
February.....	·2625	·3205	·3016	·0883	·2791	·3887	·3850	·3022	·3486	5·0702	1·0047
March.....	·2637	·3239	·2564	·0876	·2775	·3903	·3853	·3019	·3496	5·0777	1·0084
April.....	·2655	·3244	·2535	·0873	·2763	·3816	·3882	·3039	·3415	5·1065	1·0022
May.....	·2632	·3250	·2377	·0854	·2778	·3656	·3841	·3030	·3276	5·1476	·9979
June.....	·2587	·3228	·2465	·0842	·2770	·3633	·3771	·2980	·3285	5·1002	·9982
July.....	·2574	·3222	·2470	·0844	·2758	·3737	·3754	·2959	·3372	5·0122	·9922
August.....	·2557	·3224	·2688	·0841	·2721	·3791	·3730	·2943	·3418	4·9851	·9883
September.....	·2507	·3213	·2668	·0824	·2708	·3828	·3654	·2904	·3453	4·9509	·9769
October.....	·2500	·3215	·2601	·0824	·2728	·3975	·3648	·2822	·3436	4·8551	·9714
November.....	·2514	·3173	·2508	·0818	·2718	·4052	·3669	·2846	·3276	4·8431	·9791
December.....	·2521	·3202	·2490	·0814	·2749	·4189	·3682	·2855	·3391	4·8724	·9761
										4·8865	·9878

\*Commercial Intelligence Journal.

TABLE LIV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	Albania	Argen- tine	Common- wealth of Aus- tralia	Austria	Belgium	Bulgaria	Canada		Chile
	Authority	Official	Banco de la Nacion	Common- wealth Statist- ical Melbourne	Federal Statist- ical Office	Ministry of Industry and Labour	Official	Dominion Bureau of Statistics		Official
	Number Commodities	23	108	192	47 (b)	130	55	502 (h)		—
	Base Period	1927	1925	1913	Jan.-July, 1914	April, 1914	1914	1926	1913	1913
1	1913			76				64.0	100.0	100.0
2	1914					(d) 100	100	65.5	102.3	
3	1915							70.4	109.9	
4	1916							84.3	131.6	
5	1917							114.3	178.5	
6	1918							127.4	199.0	
7	1919							134.0	209.2	
8	1920							155.9	243.5	
9	1921		108	174.9		(e) 366		110.0	171.8	
10	1922		99	161.6	99	367		97.3	152.0	
11	1923		102	178.7	124	497		98.0	153.0	
12	1924		110	173.3	136	573		99.4	155.2	
13	1925		111	169.5	136	558		102.6	160.3	
14	1926		100	168.4	123	744	2.947	100.0	156.2	
15	1927	100	98	167.0	133	847	3.017	97.7	152.6	
16	1928	104	99	164.7	130	843	3.237	96.4	150.6	193
17	1929	100	96	165.7	130	851	3.447	95.6	149.3	192
18	1930	88	92	146.7	117	744	2.788	86.6	135.3	167
19	1931	90	89	131.3	109	626	2.332	72.1	112.6	152
20	1932	74	90	129.7	112	532	2.071	66.7	104.2	230
21	1933	57	86	129.5	108	501	1.821	67.1	104.8	340
22	1934	51	98	135.2	110	473	1.873	71.6	111.8	344
23	1931 January	(a) 91	88	133.6	(c) 105	(f) 661	(g) 2.464	75.9	118.6	150
24	February	91	88	133.1	107	658	2.374	75.5	117.9	153
25	March	91	87	133.8	107	660	2.330	74.5	116.4	150
26	April	93	86	133.0	108	652	2.342	73.9	115.4	150
27	May	93	87	132.4	107	640	2.326	72.5	113.2	160
28	June	94	87	131.0	110	642	2.319	71.8	112.2	159
29	July	91	86	131.3	114	635	2.348	71.3	111.4	154
30	August	88	86	128.6	110	616	2.282	70.5	110.1	140
31	September	88	87	127.8	108	597	2.271	69.7	108.9	146
32	October	87	96	128.9	109	591	2.319	69.9	109.2	142
33	November	87	97	131.3	112	584	2.326	70.7	110.4	148
34	December	89	94	131.0	112	573	2.283	70.4	110.0	151
35	1932 January	88	92	130.0	114	557	2.231	69.5	108.6	147
36	February	86	92	132.2	112	554	2.236	68.9	107.6	153
37	March	80	92	132.2	113	548	2.237	69.0	107.8	161
38	April	79	91	131.5	112	539	2.132	68.2	106.5	190
39	May	73	91	129.4	116	526	2.113	67.4	105.3	214
40	June	72	90	127.8	115	514	2.112	66.4	103.7	223
41	July	66	90	128.4	112	512	2.039	66.5	103.0	230
42	August	69	89	130.1	112	524	2.000	66.7	104.2	240
43	September	66	88	132.4	110	533	1.971	65.9	102.9	283
44	October	67	88	129.0	111	529	1.926	65.0	101.5	294
45	November	69	87	127.0	111	525	1.865	64.7	101.1	289
46	December	68	86	125.6	108	522	1.843	64.0	100.0	338
47	1933 January	68	85	123.5	108	521	1.873	63.8	99.7	340
48	February	66	85	122.2	106	512	1.838	63.5	99.2	345
49	March	62	85	122.5	107	504	1.797	64.3	100.4	343
50	April	60	85	124.8	107	501	1.813	65.3	102.0	357
51	May	56	85	129.2	108	502	1.830	66.7	104.2	358
52	June	55	86	132.3	109	507	1.807	67.5	105.4	358
53	July	55	87	133.7	111	506	1.845	70.5	110.1	353
54	August	53	86	134.6	108	501	1.795	69.5	108.6	356
55	September	52	85	136.1	108	496	1.839	68.9	107.6	352
56	October	52	85	132.8	109	489	1.798	67.9	106.1	338
57	November	53	85	130.0	108	485	1.830	68.9	107.6	330
58	December	54	94	132.0	108	484	1.793	69.0	107.8	322
59	1934 January	52	97	133.8	109	484	1.742	70.7	110.4	329
60	February	50	97	133.5	110	483	1.844	72.1	112.6	337
61	March	50	97	134.1	113	478	1.818	72.1	112.6	337
62	April	50	96	135.2	112	474	1.816	71.3	111.4	343
63	May	49	98	133.8	110	470	1.858	71.1	111.1	343
64	June	51	98	134.5	110	472	1.893	72.0	112.5	352
65	July	51	99	136.3	110	471	1.891	72.0	112.5	353
66	August	52	102	137.9	110	474	1.937	72.2	112.8	354
67	September	52	101	137.2	108	470	1.931	71.9	112.3	353
68	October	52	99	137.2	108	467	1.951	71.3	111.4	344
69	November	52	98	135.1	109	466	1.910	71.1	111.1	343
70	December	51	99	134.1	109	468	1.882	71.1	111.1	342

(a) End of month. (b) No. of commodities changed from 42 to 47. (c) Fifteenth of month. (d) April. (e) Average of five months. (f) Second half of month. (g) Last week or end of month. (h) No. of commodities changed in 1926 from 236 to 502.

## IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1934

China		Czecho-Slovakia	Danzig	Denmark	Dutch East Indies	Egypt	Estonia	Finland	No.
National Tariff Commission, Shanghai	Ministry of Industries, North China	General Bureau of Statistics	Official	Official	Official	Department of Statistics, Cairo	Official	Official	
154	100	126		118	92	23	44	139	
1926	1926	July, 1914	1913-1914	1913	1913	Jan. 1, 1913- July 31, 1914	1913	1926	
	67			100	100		100		1
	67	(c) 100			(c) 98				2
	69					103			3
	74					128			4
	80					176			5
	82				215	211			6
	81				248	231			7
	89				279	316			8
	89				191	173			9
104.6	86				170	146	(113)		10
98.6	90				173	132	(114)		11
102.0	94		143		173	143	(116)		12
97.9	97		151	210	166	152	124		13
99.3	100		146	163	159	132	114	100	14
100.0	103		146	153	154	121	114	101	15
104.4	108		142	153	149	120	121	102	16
101.7	111		135	150	148	116	117	98	17
104.5	116		121	130	134	104	102	90	18
114.8	123	119	106	114	105	97	91	84	19
126.7	113	108	91	117	86	84	83	90	20
(a) 112.4	101	96	90	125	71	71	85	89	21
103.8	92	84	88	132	67	87	85	90	22
97.1		(e)	(d)						
	118	109	112	118	119	100	94	86	23
119.7	122	109	110	117	115	100	93	86	24
127.4	124	111	113	116	111	105	93	86	25
126.1	125	110	109	115	108	100	94	85	26
126.2	125	109	108	113	106	97	93	84	27
127.5	125	112	108	110	104	97	93	83	28
129.2	123	108	107	110	103	94	93	82	29
127.4	124	105	103	109	103	92	92	81	30
130.3	124	105	103	109	99	91	90	79	31
129.2	121	104	102	113	97	95	88	82	32
126.9	121	104	100	117	97	92	86	87	33
124.8	119	102	98	119	95	91	85	92	34
121.8									
119.3	117	101	95	118	93	89	85	94	35
	119	101	95	119	92	91	85	93	36
	118	101	94	117	91	93	86	92	37
116.7	118	100	91	115	89	90	84	89	38
115.7	117	97	93	114	86	86	83	88	39
113.6	114	98	89	113	84	81	81	87	40
111.8	112	98	90	115	82	78	83	89	41
111.3	111	100	89	117	82	77	81	89	42
109.8	109	100	90	119	82	78	81	90	43
108.7	107	99	91	118	81	80	81	90	44
106.9	107	99	90	120	79	79	82	91	45
107.5	107	97	89	119	78	76	81	90	46
108.6	109	96	87	117	75	73	82	90	47
107.6	108	96	87	124	74	72	82	89	48
106.7	106	95	89	123	72	70	80	89	49
104.5	103	96	90	122	71	68	80	88	50
104.2	101	98	91	123	71	65	79	88	51
104.5	103	98	90	123	72	67	79	89	52
103.4	101	97	91	125	72	69	89	90	53
101.7	98	97	91	126	71	68	91	90	54
100.4	97	96	90	128	69	68	91	90	55
100.3	95	96	91	127	68	73	90	90	56
99.9	94	95	90	128	68	75	89	90	57
98.4	93	95	90	129	67	73	89	89	58
97.2	92	94	89	130	68	75	88	90	59
98.0	92	81	88	131	69	79	89	90	60
96.6	91	81	88	129	68	79	88	90	61
94.6	89	80	88	128	68	75	87	89	62
94.9	89	81	88	128	67	81	85	89	63
95.7	89	85	88	128	67	84	85	89	64
97.1	91	84	88	129	66	89	83	89	65
99.8	95	84	87	134	67	92	83	90	66
97.3	93	84	87	135	67	102	81	90	67
96.1	92	84	87	135	67	99	82	90	68
98.3	93	84	88	136	67	96	82	90	69
99.0	95	85	88	135	67	98	83	90	70

(a) Average for ten months only. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) July. (d) 10th and 20th of month. (e) First of following month. (f) Since February 1934, compiled according to new gold parity.



TABLE LIV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	France		Germany	Greece	Hungary	India		Indo-China	Italy		Japan
	Authority	Statistique Générale	Statistique Générale	Federal Statistical Office	Official	Official	Dept. of Statistics, Calcutta	Labour Office, Bombay	Statistique Générale, Saigon	Bachi	Milan Chamber of Commerce	Bank of Japan
	Number of Commodities	45	126	400 (b)	60	52	72	43	37	150	125	56
	Base Period	July, 1914	1913	1913	Jan. 1913-July, 1914	1913	July, 1914	July, 1914	1913	1913	1913	1913
1	1913	102	100	100		100			100	100	100	100
2	1914	104		99			(d) 100	(d) 100				96
3	1915	143					112					97
4	1916	192					128					117
5	1917	267					145					149
6	1918	346		208			178	239				196
7	1919	364		339			196	223				236
8	1920	520		1,367			201	216				259
9	1921	352		1,428			178	198		531 (e)	517	200
10	1922	334		10,059			176	187			529	196
11	1923	428		7,478,700		122	172	181		512	536	199
12	1924	499		(b) 137.3		138	173	182		512	554	206
13	1925	561		141.8		140	159	163	132	596	646	202
14	1926	718	695	134.4		124	148	149	131	603	654	179
15	1927	630	642	137.6		132	143	147	142	495	527	170
16	1928	634	645	140.0		135	145	146	144	462	491	171
17	1929	623	627	137.2	1,811 (c)	121	141	145	150	445	481	166
18	1930	543	554	124.6	1,646	96	116	126	150	383	411	137
19	1931	462	502	110.9	1,471	95	96	109	128	328	342	116
20	1932	407	427	96.5	1,766	92	91	109	117	304	310	122
21	1933	388	398	93.3	1,997	76	87	98	106	280	283	136
22	1934	366	376	98.4	1,969	79	89	95	96	273	276	134
23	1931 January	494	541	115.2	1,541	91	98	111	135	342	362	120
24	February	492	538	114.0	1,530	92	99	112	132	338	358	119
25	March	492	539	113.9	1,502	94	100	111	131	339	356	120
26	April	494	540	113.7	1,515	93	98	110	128	337	353	119
27	May	480	520	113.3	1,499	95	97	106	125	332	347	116
28	June	477	518	112.3	1,474	93	93	108	123	327	339	114
29	July	466	500	111.7	1,459	95	93	108	124	324	337	116
30	August	455	488	110.2	1,417	92	92	107	133	322	331	115
31	September	437	473	108.6	1,420	96	91	107	128	319	330	113
32	October	423	457	107.1	1,436	97	96	107	127	322	330	111
33	November	417	447	106.6	1,429	99	97	107	127	320	329	111
34	December	413	442	103.7	1,428	99	98	111	124	319	326	114
35	1932 January	414	439	100.0	1,419	98	97	114	123	317	326	121
36	February	421	446	99.8	1,424	99	97	113	121	314	323	122
37	March	427	444	99.8	1,507	99	94	112	120	315	322	120
38	April	425	439	98.4	1,619	97	92	110	119	311	319	116
39	May	421	438	97.2	1,829	97	89	111	119	305	313	114
40	June	408	425	96.2	1,899	96	86	109	118	297	304	111
41	July	404	430	95.9	1,904	94	87	106	116	296	300	118
42	August	394	415	95.4	1,877	89	91	107	115	287	300	112
43	September	397	413	95.1	1,894	86	91	107	114	300	307	127
44	October	392	412	94.3	1,902	80	91	107	115	299	304	128
45	November	391	413	93.9	1,939	82	90	104	114	298	302	134
46	December	390	413	92.4	1,983	81	88	105	112	296	299	140
47	1933 January	390	411	91.0	2,020	82	88	104	112	292	296	140
48	February	390	404	91.2	2,032	83	86	100	111	286	293	136
49	March	385	390	91.1	2,017	82	82	96	107	281	287	134
50	April	384	387	90.7	2,033	80	84	96	107	279	282	133
51	May	382	383	91.9	1,987	79	87	97	107	279	282	134
52	June	396	403	92.9	1,988	79	89	98	108	281	285	136
53	July	397	401	93.9	2,007	73	91	100	110	279	283	138
54	August	394	397	94.2	2,008	71	89	98	110	278	282	136
55	September	386	397	94.9	1,985	70	88	98	107	276	281	138
56	October	384	397	95.7	1,963	71	88	98	106	274	277	136
57	November	383	403	96.0	1,957	70	88	96	103	273	275	135
58	December	389	407	96.2	1,963	71	89	95	104	275	277	133
59	1934 January	388	405	96.3	1,975	71	90	95	104	276	278	133
60	February	384	400	96.2	1,970	74	89	95	103	275	276	134
61	March	380	394	95.9	1,945	74	88	93	100	275	275	134
62	April	378	387	95.8	1,936	75	89	93	99	273	275	134
63	May	372	381	96.2	1,928	83	90	94	99	273	274	133
64	June	363	379	97.2	1,936	81	90	96	99	272	275	132
65	July	361	374	98.9	1,956	79	89	95	99	270	273	132
66	August	363	371	100.1	1,984	81	89	96	100	271	275	134
67	September	360	365	100.4	2,001	83	89	96	102	270	275	135
68	October	352	357	101.0	2,005	82	89	95	95	272	276	137
69	November	349	356	101.2	1,994	83	88	96	96	274	277	137
70	December	344	344	101.0	1,994	84	88	98	95	276	279	137

(a) End of month. (b) Since 1924, new series. (c) Since January, 1929, new index. (d) July. (e) Average of eight months.

## IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1934—Continued

Latvia	Lithuania	Nether- lands	New Zealand	Norway		Peru	Poland	Portugal	No.
Official	Official	Central Bureau of Statistics	Govern- ment Statistic- ian	Official	Okono- misk Revue	Official	Commerce Reports	Banco de Portugal	
61	88	48	180	95	100	58	238	—	
1913	1913	1913	1909-1913	1913	Dec. 31, '13- June 30, '14	1913	1928	June 1927	
100	100	100	100	100		100			
109	109	109	105.3		115	104			1
		146			159	120			2
		224			233	146			3
		276			341	176			4
		376	170.5		345	212			5
		304	178.2		322	220			6
		292	209.2		382	239			7
		182	194.2		298	205			8
		160	166.5		233	190			9
		151	159.8	232	233	189			10
		156	163.4	268	269	192			11
		155	162.7	253	251	202			12
	145	145	155.3	198	196	203			13
	134	148	147.8	167	160	203			14
	134	149	149.2	(c) 157	155	192		(e) 100.0	15
129	134	142	148.8	149	148	186	100	(e) 114.2	16
120	129	117	144.9	137	138	178	96	(e) 103.9	17
102	108	97	134.6	122	123	175	86	(e) 98.4	18
85	94	79	129.7	122	125	170	75	(e) 88.5	19
85	76	74	130.8	122	124	180	66	89.6	20
84	68	78	133.8	124	126	188	59	86.8	21
83	61		(b)	(b)	(d)	(b)	56	93.8	22
		105	142.2	128	126	175	(d) 76		23
88	98	104	139.0	126	125	178	76		24
88	97	103	138.1	124	124	178	77		25
87	96	102	136.5	123	123	178	78		26
86	96	102	134.9	121	122	181	78		27
86	95	97	134.3	120	122	179	77		28
84	94	100	132.8	120	123	177	76		29
85	95	97	133.2	120	119	174	74		30
86	94	94	133.2	117	122	174	72		31
85	95	91	133.6	119	122	170	71		32
82	91	89	134.4	119	125	169	71		33
82	88	89	134.2	122	127	169	70		34
81	87	85							
86	83	84	134.4	123	127	165	68		35
88	82	83	133.0	123	127	163	68		36
88	83	82	132.5	122	125	164	68		37
90	82	80	131.6	120	125	163	69		38
89	81	79	131.3	120	124	164	70		39
86	77	78	130.8	120	124	175	68		40
86	75	76	130.8	122	124	176	65		41
83	73	75	130.8	123	124	174	65		42
84	71	76	131.1	123	126	174	63	(b)	43
84	69	77	130.4	123	125	176	62	87.2	44
85	69	77	128.6	124	125	178	61	88.0	45
84	69	76	127.3	123	124	173	60	88.8	46
83	66	75	126.6	122	123	172	59	88.4	47
84	66	74	131.5	121	123	172	60	87.5	48
84	65	72	131.6	121	123	174	60	85.8	49
84	64	71	131.5	121	123	179	60	84.1	50
86	64	72	132.3	121	124	178	60	83.7	51
85	64	73	132.1	121	125	180	60	84.1	52
84	65	73	132.7	121	126	181	61	86.1	53
85	63	73	132.5	122	126	182	58	86.0	54
84	63	75	131.7	123	126	184	58	86.9	55
83	63	75	131.7	123	125	187	58	88.0	56
82	63	76	131.8	122	124	186	58	89.7	57
83	63	77	132.0	122	124	187	58	91.1	58
84	64	79	133.6	120	124	187	58	93.2	59
84	64	80	133.9	122	125	189	58	94.8	60
83	66	79	134.0	122	125	184	57	97.5	61
82	65	79	133.2	123	125	187	56	100.0	62
82	62	77	134.0	123	125	188	56	97.7	63
83	62	76	133.7	123	125	190	56	94.4	64
83	61	77	133.6	124	127	189	56	93.3	65
83	59	78	134.2	127	128	191	56	91.5	66
83	57	77	133.7	126	127	191	55	90.7	67
84	57	77	133.8	127	127	188	55	90.0	68
83	56	77	134.0	126	127	187	54	91.6	69
86	56	78	133.8	125	128	185	54	91.3	70

(a) Revised since January, 1931. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) New series beginning 1928. (d) End of month. (e) June.

TABLE LIV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE

No.	Country	South Africa	Spain	Sweden		Switzerland	Turkey	United Kingdom			
	Authority	Census and Statistics Office	Director of General Statistics	Gotebergs Handels Tidning	Commerce Dept.	Federal Labour Department	Official	Board of Trade	Economist	Statist	Times
	Number of Commodities	188	74	47	160	78	52	150	58	45	60
	Base Period	1913	1913	July 1, '13 June 30, '14	1913	July, 1914	1913 1914	1913	1927	1913	1913
1	1913.....	100.0	100		100			100.0		100.0	100.0
2	1914.....	96.9		116		(b) 100.0				100.0	
3	1915.....	107.0	119	145						127.1	
4	1916.....	122.6	141	185						159.5	
5	1917.....	140.7	166	244						206.1	
6	1918.....	153.1	207	339						226.5	
7	1919.....	164.8	204	330						241.9	
8	1920.....	223.3	221	347	359			307.3		295.3	(d) 251.2
9	1921.....	160.4	190	211	222	200.1		197.2		182.4	(d) 162.1
10	1922.....	128.4	176	162	173	157.9		158.8		154.1	(d) 158.6
11	1923.....	126.6	172	157	163	169.9		158.9		151.8	(d) 169.1
12	1924.....	128.7	183	155	162	171.2		166.2	115.7	164.0	(d) 179.3
13	1925.....	127.6	188	157	161	160.5		159.1	112.0	159.5	(d) 152.8
14	1926.....	123.3	181	144	149	144.5		148.1	104.0	148.0	(d) 142.1
15	1927.....	124.0	172	141	146	142.2	1,262	141.6	100.0	144.0	(d) 141.9
16	1928.....	120.7	167	144	148	144.6	1,296	140.3	98.1	141.2	(d) 137.5
17	1929.....	115.1	171	134	140	141.2	1,316	136.5	92.4	135.3	(d) 128.8
18	1930.....	102.6	172	115	122	126.5	1,000	119.5	77.6	114.1	(d) 103.2
19	1931.....	99.5	174	105	111	109.7	859	104.2	64.9	96.5	(d) 99.5
20	1932.....	91.5	173	101	109	96.0	738	101.6	62.6	94.0	(d) 98.2
21	1933.....	93.1		100	107	91.0	648	100.9	63.1	93.7	(d) 98.2
22	1934.....	101.7			114	89.8	672	104.1	65.9	96.4	
23	1931 January....	(a) 102.1	173	107	115	115.2	897	106.9	66.3	100.8	100.4
24	February.....		175	108	114	114.7	909	106.2	66.5	100.6	99.9
25	March.....		174	107	113	113.6	865	105.9	66.2	100.6	100.7
26	April.....	99.1	172	108	112	112.2	827	105.7	65.4	99.3	99.2
27	May.....		169	107	111	110.8	900	104.4	63.6	96.7	96.3
28	June.....		170	105	110	110.4	881	103.2	63.6	97.2	97.2
29	July.....	98.1	174	105	110	109.5	844	102.2	62.5	94.4	94.5
30	August.....		178	104	109	108.1	830	99.5	62.3	93.1	94.7
31	September.....		176	100	107	106.3	827	99.2	65.1	94.9	98.6
32	October.....	98.6	174	100	108	106.4	811	104.4	65.5	96.8	99.6
33	November.....		174	103	110	106.2	810	106.4	65.9	97.6	99.4
34	December.....		176	103	111	103.1	797	105.8	65.8	100.5	99.5
35	1932 January....	96.3	176	101	109	101.4	768	105.8	65.4	99.6	98.9
36	February.....		178	101	110	99.6	767	105.3	67.0	102.0	100.0
37	March.....		180	101	109	98.7	778	104.6	65.3	98.9	97.4
38	April.....	94.4	181	101	109	97.7	769	102.4	62.7	97.0	96.7
39	May.....		177	101	109	95.6	752	100.7	60.5	94.4	93.9
40	June.....		174	100	108	94.5	743	98.1	58.8	90.6	90.3
41	July.....	89.1	172	101	108	93.6	719	97.7	60.1	92.8	93.2
42	August.....		171	101	108	95.0	712	99.5	61.9	94.9	96.0
43	September.....		171	101	110	94.8	688	102.1	64.0	94.6	97.7
44	October.....	86.9	169	100	110	94.8	693	101.1	62.0	91.6	95.3
45	November.....		170	100	109	94.2	704	101.1	62.3	91.6	94.2
46	December.....		169	98	108	91.8	692	101.0	61.1	91.4	94.2
47	1933 January....	87.3	170	97	106	91.3	681	100.3	61.2	91.5	94.7
48	February.....		168	97	106	90.1	677	98.9	60.1	90.6	92.5
49	March.....		166	96	105	90.0	662	97.6	59.8	90.6	91.7
50	April.....	90.0	164	96	105	91.1	645	97.2	61.4	92.4	93.2
51	May.....		163	99	106	91.6	626	99.2	63.6	95.2	95.3
52	June.....		163	102	106	91.2	656	101.7	65.0	95.6	97.5
53	July.....	95.3	164	103	108	91.7	652	102.3	65.3	96.1	97.5
54	August.....		165	102	108	90.9	638	102.5	65.2	95.5	99.3
55	September.....			100	109	90.8	637	103.0	65.0	94.9	98.3
56	October.....	99.7		101	109	90.7	625	102.6	64.0	94.7	98.3
57	November.....			101	110	91.0	624	102.8	63.1	93.3	97.7
58	December.....			102	110	91.3	625	102.8	63.9	94.1	98.3
59	1934 January....	106.0		104	112	91.8	635	104.6	65.7	97.1	101.1
60	February.....			106	112	91.4	634	105.3	65.9	97.1	100.0
61	March.....			106	112	90.9	638	103.8	65.4	96.7	99.9
62	April.....	104.1		107	113	89.6	616	102.8	65.4	95.3	98.3
63	May.....			106	113	89.0	610	102.4	65.4	95.4	99.9
64	June.....			107	114	89.0	637	103.6	65.3	94.9	97.7
65	July.....	98.0		108	114	88.9	661	103.4	66.2	96.9	99.9
66	August.....				114	89.8	661	105.5	67.1	98.1	102.2
67	September.....				114	89.1	681	105.2	65.7	96.6	
68	October.....	98.6			114	89.6	706	104.1	65.2	95.4	
69	November.....				115	89.4	731	104.1	64.7	95.3	
70	December.....				115	89.0	736	104.4	65.7	97.4	

(a) Monthly average. (b) July. (c) End of month. (d) December.



## PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1934—Concluded

United States							Yugoslavia	
Bureau of Labor Statistics	Irving Fisher	Bradstreet		Dun		Annalist	National Bank	
(a) 784	200	106	106	200	200	72 series	55	No.
1926	1926	—	1913	—	1913	1913	1926	
69.8	69.8	9.2115	100	120.887	100			1
68.1	68.1	8.9034	97	122.211	101	100.0		2
69.5	69.5	9.8530	107	126.393	104			3
85.5	85.5	11.8237	128	148.807	122			4
117.5	117.5	15.6385	170	204.121	169			5
131.3	131.3	18.7117	203	229.220	190			6
138.6	138.6	18.6642	203	230.846	190			7
154.4	154.4	18.8095	204	248.721	205			8
97.6	97.6	11.3696	123	170.451	141			9
96.7	96.7	12.1185	132	171.660	142			10
100.6	101.1	13.4028	146	189.787	157			11
98.1	98.9	12.8672	140	189.322	157			12
103.5	105.2	13.9445	151	197.694	164			13
100.0	100.0	13.0207	141	189.398	157	158.9		14
95.4	94.2	12.7787	139	187.092	155	150.2	100.0	15
96.7	97.9	13.2823	144	194.521	161	144.7	103.4	16
95.3	96.3	12.6727	138	191.043	158	149.0	106.2	17
86.4	86.3	10.7451	117	174.453	144	145.6	100.6	18
73.0	71.4	8.7604	95	147.353	122	127.6	86.6	19
64.8	61.6	7.0949	77	134.303	111	104.1	72.9	20
66.0	64.6	7.8557	85	144.661	120	91.0	65.2	21
75.0	76.6	9.2195	100	166.082	137	94.9	64.4	22
		(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	113.2	63.2	
78.2	77.7	9.5082	103	159.719	132	114.8	75.7	23
76.8	76.1	9.3087	101	156.039	129	111.1	74.8	24
76.0	75.9	9.1690	100	153.546	127	109.3	74.6	25
74.8	74.4	9.2291	101	152.525	126	106.1	75.5	26
73.2	71.4	8.9134	97	149.419	124	102.9	75.4	27
72.1	70.1	8.6416	94	145.885	121	101.1	73.8	28
72.0	69.8	8.7756	95	146.591	121	101.9	74.4	29
72.1	69.3	8.7927	95	145.598	121	101.7	73.6	30
71.2	68.7	8.4909	92	141.724	117	100.5	71.6	31
70.3	68.3	8.2962	90	136.416	113	100.5	69.5	32
70.2	68.3	8.0877	88	140.369	116	102.0	68.6	33
68.6	67.0	7.9123	86	140.401	116	97.6	67.2	34
67.3	65.0	7.7325	84	140.681	116	94.0	67.8	35
66.3	63.7	7.5243	82	140.344	116	92.3	67.3	36
66.0	63.1	7.3186	79	139.219	115	91.1	67.8	37
65.5	62.2	7.1515	78	136.864	113	90.7	66.1	38
64.4	61.0	6.9183	75	132.324	109	88.8	65.4	39
63.9	59.6	6.6824	73	128.879	107	88.6	64.9	40
64.5	60.4	6.7266	73	125.316	104	92.1	65.6	41
65.2	61.8	6.7950	74	128.761	107	94.2	62.6	42
65.3	62.7	7.1724	78	134.099	111	95.2	61.8	43
64.4	61.1	7.2753	79	136.555	113	91.0	63.9	44
63.9	60.3	6.9568	76	134.700	111	88.4	64.7	45
62.6	58.5	6.8855	75	133.898	111	85.7	64.8	46
61.0	56.4	6.7906	74	130.166	108	82.4	67.6	47
59.8	55.3	6.5324	71	128.435	106	80.4	68.4	48
60.2	56.1	6.3532	69	127.606	106	81.9	67.0	49
60.4	57.2	6.5359	71	128.172	106	83.8	66.3	50
62.7	60.3	6.9845	76	133.488	110	90.5	64.9	51
65.0	63.7	8.0214	87	139.931	116	94.5	66.1	52
68.9	69.0	8.3373	91	149.178	123	103.4	63.7	53
69.5	70.5	9.0095	98	156.134	129	102.7	60.7	54
70.8	71.2	8.9918	98	160.265	133	104.8	60.7	55
71.2	71.6	9.0512	98	162.632	135	106.2	61.5	56
71.1	71.7	8.8480	96	160.433	133	104.8	63.1	57
70.8	71.7	8.8126	96	159.491	132	103.3	62.3	58
72.2	72.3	8.8329	96	162.309	134	105.2	62.9	59
73.6	73.7	9.0110	98	164.530	136	108.1	63.6	60
73.7	74.3	9.2627	101	165.026	137	108.2	63.3	61
73.3	73.3	9.1697	100	163.415	135	108.6	63.0	62
73.7	75.2	9.1552	99	161.331	134	110.8	64.1	63
74.6	77.3	9.1404	99	163.985	136	114.3	65.6	64
74.8	77.9	9.2351	100	167.156	138	114.4	62.8	65
76.4	78.3	9.3216	101	167.912	139	117.7	61.1	66
77.6	80.1	9.4778	103	169.188	140	120.3	63.2	67
76.5	79.1	9.4566	103	170.032	141	116.3	63.6	68
76.5	78.9	9.2791	101	168.005	139	116.4	62.7	69
76.9	78.7	9.2913	101	170.099	141	118.0	62.3	70

(a) Number of commodities changed from 550 to 784 since January, 1926.

(b) First of month.

TABLE LV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND

No.	Country	Australia		Austria		Belgium		Bulgaria		Canada		Chile	
		Localities		Localities		Localities		Localities		Localities		Localities	
		30 Towns		Vienna		59 Localities		12 (67) Towns (f)		69 Localities		Santiago	
		Base Period		July, 1914		1921		1914		1926		March, 1926	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
										(g)	(g)		
1	1913.....									65.4	66.2		
2	1914.....			100 July	100 July			100	100	66.0	68.9		
3	1915.....									67.3	69.5		
4	1916.....									72.5	77.5		
5	1917.....									85.6	100.0		
6	1918.....			1,057						97.4	114.6		
7	1919.....			2,374						107.2	122.5		
8	1920.....			4,828						124.2	141.1		
9	1921.....			(b) 15,476	57,600	100	100	11,409	1,766	109.2	107.9		
10	1922.....			460,733	539,783	93	90	1,899	2,337	100.0	91.4		
11	1923.....	99.6	101.1	(c) 74	1,250,108	109	106	1,868	2,399	100.0	92.1		
12	1924.....	98.0	97.2	88	1,480,583	128	127	2,057	2,705	98.0	90.7		
13	1925.....	99.1	100.2	97	1,612,150	136	137	2,339	3,024	99.3	94.7	99.3	
14	1926.....	100.6	102.7	103	(c) 116	165	171	2,871	2,813	100.0	100.0		
15	1927.....	99.7	100.4	106	119	203	208	2,814	2,883	98.9	98.6		108
16	1928.....	100.3	98.9	108	119	208	207	2,875	2,992	99.9	101.0		108
17	1929.....	102.6	104.7	111	122	220	218	2,941	2,992	99.9	98.6		108
18	1930.....	97.1	94.6	111	118	228	209	2,960	2,439	99.2	98.6		108
19	1931.....	87.0	83.0	106	108	204	176	2,329	1,913	89.6	77.3		104
20	1932.....	82.8	80.0	108	110	184	150	2,137	1,765	81.4	64.3		113
21	1933.....	80.3	75.4	105	104	182	150	2,012	1,680	77.7	63.7		140
22	1934.....	81.6	78.6	105		175		1,905		78.7	69.4		140
		(a)		(d)		(e)				(h)	(h)		
23	1931 January.....		87.6	106	109	219	195			94.9	89.1		102
24	February.....	90.1	86.4	105	106	212	187			93.9	85.6		99
25	March.....		85.4	105	105	209	183			92.2	82.8		101
26	April.....		85.1	104	104	207	180			91.5	80.5		104
27	May.....	88.0	84.0	104	104	205	177			90.2	77.7		103
28	June.....		83.3	106	108	205	177			88.7	75.0		104
29	July.....		81.1	107	110	203	175			88.6	74.7		105
30	August.....	85.5	80.5	107	109	201	172			88.9	75.5		106
31	September.....		80.4	107	109	201	173			87.7	73.5		106
32	October.....		80.5	108	111	200	170			86.3	71.4		104
33	November.....	84.5	81.2	108	110	198	168			86.4	71.5		103
34	December.....		80.9	108	110	193	161			85.9	71.2		105
35	1932 January.....		81.4	109	111	190	157	2,210	1,886	84.8	69.6		97
36	February.....	84.4	82.9	108	110	186	151	2,196	1,849	83.8	66.5		96
37	March.....		82.5	108	109	183	148	2,196	1,851	83.3	66.1		100
38	April.....		82.4	107	107	180	144	2,165	1,833	83.1	65.4		102
39	May.....	89.5	81.2	107	108	180	145	2,161	1,824	81.2	62.9		105
40	June.....		80.3	109	113	180	144	2,163	1,830	80.4	62.1		108
41	July.....		80.0	108	110	180	144	2,162	1,829	80.1	61.4		108
42	August.....	82.3	79.6	107	109	178	143	2,143	1,778	80.8	63.5		114
43	September.....		79.2	108	110	184	151	2,136	1,762	80.4	63.0		127
44	October.....		78.6	108	110	187	159	2,135	1,767	79.8	63.6		130
45	November.....	81.1	76.4	107	109	190	159	2,134	1,766	79.9	63.9		132
46	December.....		75.9	107	109	188	157	2,127	1,748	79.5	64.0		133
47	1933 January.....		74.6	106	106	186	154	2,124	1,742	79.1	62.8		140
48	February.....	79.9	74.2	105	103	187	156	2,128	1,753	78.4	60.6		141
49	March.....		73.4	104	103	183	150	2,126	1,748	77.8	60.4		139
50	April.....		74.6	104	103	181	148	1,989	1,712	78.1	61.3		142
51	May.....	80.3	75.0	105	103	177	143	1,974	1,677	77.0	61.9		141
52	June.....		75.9	106	106	177	143	1,969	1,666	77.0	62.2		141
53	July.....		75.4	105	104	177	144	1,976	1,687	77.2	63.2		141
54	August.....	80.6	76.7	105	104	179	147	1,970	1,673	78.6	67.8		144
55	September.....		76.8	105	104	182	151	1,970	1,673	78.8	65.9		146
56	October.....		76.4	106	104	183	153	1,974	1,681	77.9	65.4		143
57	November.....	80.5	75.0	105	104	183	154	1,950	1,706	78.1	65.8		142
58	December.....		76.9	106	104	183	154	1,959	1,728	78.4	66.6		140
59	1934 January.....		76.7	106	104	181	150	1,965	1,742	78.2	67.7		136
60	February.....	80.9	77.1	105	102	178	147	1,977	1,773	78.7	69.4		135
61	March.....		77.4	105	101	174	141	1,962	1,737	79.9	72.9		136
62	April.....		79.1	105	101	171		1,949	1,703	79.4	71.0		137
63	May.....	81.8	79.8	104	100	168	132	1,897	1,686	78.5	68.6		139
64	June.....		77.7	105	102	169	134	1,894	1,681	78.2	67.6		141
65	July.....		77.9	104	100	170	137	1,905	1,709	78.4	68.4		142
66	August.....	81.7	78.9	104	100	176	143	1,895	1,683	78.7	69.3		141
67	September.....		79.1	105	101	176	143	1,898	1,690	79.0	68.8		143
68	October.....		80.5	105	101	178	149	1,832	1,711	79.3	69.4		132
69	November.....	82.0	79.5	105		179	150	1,840	1,720	79.4	69.9		143
70	December.....		79.4	105		175	144	1,839	1,720	79.0	69.3		147

(a) Quarterly index. (b) December. (c) Gold index, since 1926, new series. (d) Middle of month. (e) Fifteenth month. (f) Yearly figures 1921-1930=65 towns, 1931-32=67 towns; monthly figures 12 towns. (g) Recalculated on base. (h) First of month.

## RETAIL FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1934

China				Czechoslovakia		Danzig		Denmark		Dutch East Indies		Egypt		No.
Shanghai		Peiping		Prague		Danzig		100 Localities		Java and Madura		Cairo		
1926		1927		July, 1914		1913-1914		July, 1914		1913		Jan. 1913-July, 1914		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
				(a) 100	(a) 100			(a) 100	(a) 100	100	100			
												102	99	
												121	123	
												154	190	
												189	216	
												202	224	
								261	262	266		237	281	
								232	227	213	216	196	196	
								200	184	173	172	176	172	
				(c) 692	(c) 769			206	189	160	158	162	152	
				695	787	124	123	216	204	167	166	161	148	
				724	827	141	143	211	201	166	165	165	158	
100-0	100-0	102-0	103-7	716	800	134	126	184	160	174	174	160	158	
106-7	106-7	100-0	100-0	747	850	140	138	177	152	160	158	153	147	
102-5	92-1	101-6	101-5	748	842	141	138	175	150	148	148	152	144	
107-9	98-4	106-5	107-6	744	813	142	139	173	148	158	157	151	146	
121-8	118-8	109-6	111-8	746	782	135	124	165	136	152	152	148	141	
125-9	107-5	95-8	92-5	713	712	124	109	155	120	106	102	138	123	
119-1	101-3	91-2	85-4	700	677	113	96	155	116	80	76	132	112	
107-2	86-9	81-0	72-4	693	657	110	92	161				125	101	
106-4	86-4	79-5	69-9	685	633	108	90	167				127	110	
				(b)	(b)			(d)	(d)					
120-9	104-9	96-1	92-7	725	731	129		159	127	128		140	130	
136-0	122-0	98-4	95-4	715	722	124				121		142	131	
132-2	117-4	98-7	96-4	711	712	124				117		142	131	
121-3	98-7	98-9	97-5	720	726	125		157	123	111		140	126	
120-3	98-7	94-7	91-8	722	732	125				105		138	121	
121-0	99-6	96-1	93-4	730	748	126				101		135	119	
119-2	96-4	93-9	90-4	729	738	126		154	119	100		134	118	
130-9	116-5	93-8	89-6	709	699	123				101		135	119	
135-3	124-4	97-4	94-3	715	713	123	106			101	97	136	121	
127-3	110-0	97-8	94-8	708	705	123	106	154	119	99	95	137	121	
125-2	103-2	92-2	87-2	696	681	122	105				92	136	121	
121-2	97-0	91-2	85-9	695	678	120	105				88	136	121	
122-8	98-2	91-0	85-5	695	670	118	102	154	118	90	85	138	121	
136-4	122-8	91-4	86-2	687	654	117	101			89	84	136	118	
127-2	114-2	91-0	85-8	708	685	114	97			87	83	134	117	
117-2	99-1	97-7	94-7	694	665	114	96	155	115	85	81	134	116	
117-5	98-4	95-5	91-6	706	689	115	98			82	78	131	112	
121-3	107-3	93-4	89-5	709	694	115	99			79	75	130	109	
118-7	101-4	91-3	86-8	697	667	111	96	154	115	78	74	128	106	
119-0	103-6	91-8	86-2	686	646	111	94			76	72	128	104	
118-2	102-6	90-4	83-0	695	668	110	92			74	70	128	107	
113-5	94-9	89-6	81-9	703	684	111	94	156	119	73	69	130	111	
108-7	87-9	87-2	78-3	710	699	111	93			73	69	131	112	
108-0	84-5	84-0	75-2	710	699	109	90			73	68	130	110	
110-5	87-3	85-9	77-2	708	686	108	88	155	115		65	129	108	
113-4	94-8	85-4	76-7	705	679	110	92				65	130	108	
111-2	92-3	84-5	75-3	690	649	110	92				66	128	104	
106-3	85-2	84-7	76-7	687	644	110	90	157	117		68	127	102	
106-8	86-0	80-2	71-8	696	662	109	92				65	126	102	
105-4	84-1	79-8	72-1	702	676	109	89				62	124	98	
106-6	86-3	79-9	72-2	696	662	113	98	160	121		61	124	99	
107-2	90-0	80-0	71-7	689	651	111	94				60	124	98	
106-0	88-0	79-8	71-3	687	644	110	92				60	125	99	
106-9	88-1	78-8	70-3	687	644	109	92	163	124			121	99	
103-2	83-2	75-6	66-0	688	647	109	92					122	98	
102-6	79-8	76-9	66-8	681	634	109	92					122	99	
101-8	78-0	77-3	67-3	685	635	109	92	163				123	101	
103-5	80-4	78-8	69-1	680	624	109	92					124	105	
98-9	75-0	76-6	66-7	680	623	108	90					125	105	
99-0	74-2	79-2	70-2	679	620	108	89	164				124	102	
98-5	74-4	74-8	63-7	684	630	108	89					123	102	
98-5	75-4	75-1	64-5	695	653	110	94					125	105	
106-9	90-2	78-7	68-3	693	653	108	91	166				127	112	
115-7	102-8	85-6	78-4	691	648	108	90					128	113	
118-1	106-7	85-2	77-1	685	633	107	89					132	122	
113-3	98-9	83-8	75-3	686	633	108	90	169				131	120	
108-8	89-7	79-3	69-2	682	625	107	89					130	117	
110-4	90-4	79-5	69-8	679	622	108	90					130	116	

(a) July. (b) Middle of month. (c) Average for last seven months. (d) First of month.



TABLE LV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country	Estonia		Finland		France			Germany		Greece		Hungary	
	Localities	Tallinn		21 Towns		Paris		300 Towns	72 Towns		44 Towns		Budapest	
	Base Period	1913		Jan.-June 1914		July, 1914			1913-1914		1914		1913	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
						(a)	(e)	(f)			(m)			
1	1913	100	100			(a) 100	(e) 100	(f) 100			100	100	100	100
2	1914													
3	1915													
4	1916													
5	1917													
6	1918													
7	1919													
8	1920				1,058	342	371	386	(a) 1,065	(a) 1,252	351	351		
9	1921	(a) 85	(a) 104	1,171	1,254	309	337	374	(a) 1,250	(a) 1,491	398	393		
10	1922	(a) 91	(a) 98	1,139	1,143	296	301	317	(a) 5,392	(a) 6,836	636	632		
11	1923	(a) 102	(a) 115	1,147	1,079	334	332	349	(a) 3,765	(a) 4,651	1,181	1,213	(n) 116	(n) 45
12	1924	(a) 94	(a) 106	1,170	1,093	369	380	406	(k) 127-6	(k) 136-3	1,235	1,271		
13	1925	107	118	1,212	1,147	400	425	450			147-8	1,414	1,455	108
14	1926	106	118	(d) 154	(d) 145	505	554	571			144-4	1,633	1,673	102
15	1927	105	112	158	146	514	556	559			151-9	1,790	1,843	111
16	1928	112	120	161	150	519	549	537			152-3	1,868	1,929	117
17	1929	117	126	160	147	556	(h) 102	609			153-8	1,923	1,987	117
18	1930	104	103	147	127	581	100	609			147-3	1,682	1,719	106
19	1931	(b) 100	(b) 91	135	113	569	99	605			135-9	1,276	(l) 1,576	101
20	1932	94	80	134	117	526	88	535			120-9	1,123	1,773	98
21	1933	88	77	131	117	520	83	501			118-5	1,099	1,904	91
22	1934	87	76	128	114	516	78	474			121-7	1,162	1,937	89
23	1931 January	(c) 98	(c) 95	140	117		(i) 106		(g) 140-4		133-5	1,734	1,664	99
24	February	98	96	138	115	590	105	636			131-0	1,726	1,646	99
25	March	98	96	138	115		104				129-6	1,692	1,603	100
26	April	98	96	137	114		104				129-2	1,682	1,592	100
27	May	(h) 106	95	135	111	589	102	616			129-9	1,678	1,590	100
28	June	104	93	133	110		100				130-9	1,668	1,576	100
29	July	105	94	133	110		100				130-4	1,658	1,566	102
30	August	103	91	135	114	565	97	608			126-1	1,643	1,539	102
31	September	100	87	132	110		97				124-9	1,633	1,527	103
32	October	97	83	132	111		92				123-4	1,641	1,529	102
33	November	96	82	135	116	531	89	560			131-9	1,647	1,541	100
34	December	95	80	137	120		89				119-9	1,646	1,542	100
35	1932 January	95	81	137	120		91				124-5	1,643	1,538	99
36	February	96	81	136	119	534	91	546			122-3	1,631	1,526	98
37	March	97	83	136	119		90				122-4	1,657	1,560	98
38	April	97	83	134	116		91				121-7	1,697	1,594	97
39	May	96	81	133	114	535	90	536			121-1	1,748	1,654	99
40	June	95	80	131	114		87				121-4	1,830	1,777	99
41	July	96	83	132	116		85				121-5	1,818	1,811	98
42	August	94	80	133	117	517	85	531			120-3	1,822	1,764	99
43	September	93	79	133	116		85				119-5	1,840	1,782	99
44	October	91	77	133	117		85				119-0	1,856	1,797	98
45	November	90	76	135	120	516	86	526			118-8	1,864	1,802	96
46	December	89	75	133	119		86				118-4	1,878	1,822	95
47	1933 January	88	75	132	117		86				117-4	1,914	1,873	95
48	February	87	74	131	115	523	86	517			116-9	1,908	1,863	94
49	March	88	75	130	114		85				116-6	1,897	1,845	93
50	April	86	73	130	113		85				116-6	1,883	1,825	93
51	May	86	74	130	113	516	83	491			118-2	1,887	1,837	92
52	June	85	74	129	115		81				118-8	1,886	1,841	92
53	July	89	77	131	118		80				118-7	1,886	1,837	90
54	August	92	81	132	120	516	79	491			118-4	1,905	1,870	90
55	September	91	81	132	120		82				111-1	1,903	1,870	89
56	October	89	77	132	121		83				112-3	1,907	1,855	87
57	November	89	78	131	119	526	83	504			120-4	1,915	1,855	87
58	December	90	79	129	115		84				114-2	1,950	1,917	88
59	1934 January	89	78	127	111		83				120-9	1,949	1,898	88
60	February	89	79	126	110	526	84	493			120-7	1,947	1,901	89
61	March	89	78	126	113		81				120-6	1,923	1,865	88
62	April	89	79	127	111		79				120-6	1,923	1,869	89
63	May	89	79	127	111	522	79	471			120-3	1,911	1,852	91
64	June	88	77	126	111		78				121-5	1,916	1,916	90
65	July	88	77	126	112		76				122-9	1,910	1,865	89
66	August	86	75	129	115	511	77	470			123-3	1,921	1,898	90
67	September	85	73	129	116		74				122-5	1,943	1,962	89
68	October	84	72	130	118		76				122-0	1,993	1,905	89
69	November	85	72	133	123	504	75	461			122-3	1,952	1,912	88
70	December	85	72	131	120		74				122-2	1,955	1,927	88

(a) July. (b) Revised from May, 1931. (c) End of month. (d) Since date of stabilization gold index. (e) Prior to 1914. (f) 300 towns, including alcohol and petroleum; corresponding figures for 1929: Paris, 611; other towns, 583. (g) 300 towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, excluding Paris. Since 1929: 29 foodstuffs. (h) Monthly average. (i) Since 1929: 55 foodstuffs; base 1930. (j) Fifteenth of month. (k) Average of quarter. (l) Since 1924, new series in Reichsmark prices. (m) Prior to 1931: old series: 106 towns. (n) Prior to 1931, excluding clothing and rent. (o) December.

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India		Indo-China		Irish Free State				Italy		Japan		No.
Bombay		Saigon		105 Towns and Localities		Milan		50 Towns		Tokio		
July, 1914		1925		July, 1914		Jan.-June 30, 1914		June, 1927		July, 1914		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
(a) 100	(a) 100			100	100	100	100			(a) 100	(a) 100	2
(a) 104	(a) 105											3
(a) 108	(a) 105											3
(a) 118	(a) 114											5
(a) 149	(a) 142											5
(a) 186	(a) 187											6
(a) 190	(a) 188											7
173	169											8
164	159			188	191	541	559					9
154	149			184	188	501	515			236	257	10
157	151			186	190	494	499			221	228	11
155	150	100	100	186	190	527	528			221	233	12
155	152	99	100	190	193	611	622			218	236	13
154	151	103	99	185	179	654	655			199	217	14
147	144	106	103	175	170	(e) 588	(e) 559			189	211	15
149	146	113	104	174	169	530	517	92	94	184	202	16
137	134	121	112	176	169	545	543	94	96	181	203	17
110	102	105	92	171	160	530	519	91	91	155	173	18
109	102	92	76	161	147	485	452	82	79	136	151	19
102	95	85	69	157	141	468	431	78	74	137	158	20
97	87	78	60	151	131	449		75	70	146	161	21
(b) 117	(b) 111	(c) 111	(c) 101	(d) 164	(d) 151	(b) 488	(b) 467	(b) 84	(b) 83	(d) 139	(d) 153	22
113	106					494	463	84	81	140	154	23
111	103					496	465	84	81	139	153	24
111	104					496	467	84	81	140	154	25
110	102	105	92	156	139	489	460	83	81	138	154	26
109	101					488	457	83	80	134	148	27
108	100					486	452	82	80	134	149	28
108	100	106	93	157	143	481	444	81	78	134	150	29
108	100					477	438	80	76	134	151	30
108	100					473	435	80	76	130	145	31
108	100	98	84	165	155	474	437	80	76	130	147	32
109	101					473	438	79	75	135	156	33
110	103					470	431	79	75	139	164	34
110	102	96	81	162	151	470	433	79	75	139	162	35
111	103					478	446	80	76	136	157	36
108	99					481	450	80	77	135	155	37
107	99	94	78	159	144	474	442	79	77	134	155	38
107	99					472	438	79	76	132	151	39
109	102					465	427	78	74	130	149	40
109	102	91	74	153	134	456	411	76	71	132	152	41
109	101					455	410	76	71	138	159	42
109	102					462	423	77	72	140	160	43
110	103	89	71	155	135	465	428	77	73	142	161	44
110	103					468	434	77	74	146	166	45
109	101					463	426	77	74	148	167	46
106	98	87	71	151	130	461	423	76	73	146	162	47
106	98					458	417	76	72	144	159	48
101	93					451	405	75	70	144	159	49
100	91	86	70	148	126	444	398	75	70	143	159	50
104	95					447	403	75	70	142	156	51
103	95					447	402	74	70	143	158	52
103	94	86	71	149	129	440	391	74	68	144	160	53
102	94					446	402	74	69	147	161	54
100	91					448	405	74	69	148	162	55
101	92	82	63	156	140	445		74	69	149	165	56
98	88					450		74	69	149	164	57
96	86					457		75	71	147	162	58
96	85	80	62	152	133	450		74	70	148	164	59
94	84					448		74	69	149	166	60
93	83					447		74	69	149	166	61
94	83	78	60	149	129	424		70	66	149	166	62
95	85					419		69	65	148	162	63
97	87					420		69	65	147	161	64
100	90	77	59	152	134	415		69	65	148	162	65
100	91					416		69	65	149	163	66
101	92	78	61	157	143	418		69	65	150	164	67
99	90					421		70	66	149	164	68
						424		70	67	150	166	69

(a) July. (b) Average from sixteenth of current month to fifteenth of following month. (c) Average of quarter. Fifteenth of month. (e) Since 1927, new series.

TABLE LV.—INDEX NUMBER OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country		Latvia		Lithuania		Luxemburg		Netherlands		New Zealand		Norway	
	Localities		Riga		84 Towns		9 Towns		Amsterdam		25 Towns		31 Towns	
	Base Period		1930		1913		Jan.-June, 1914		1911-1913		1926-1930		July, 1914	
	Nature of Index		Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913.....				100	100					(d) 62.8	(d) 70.3	(d) 100	(d) 100
2	1914.....										67.6	80.3		
3	1915.....										72.4	85.7		
4	1916.....										78.6	92.0		
5	1917.....										85.0	98.5		
6	1918.....										91.2	102.7		
7	1919.....										101.9	116.5	300	319
8	1920.....								202	217	103.4	113.4	277	295
9	1921.....								182	184	95.2	95.8	231	231
10	1922.....						374	348						
11	1923.....				110		442	415	174	171	95.9	96.5	218	217
12	1924.....				136		497	470	177	176	98.4	100.5	239	250
13	1925.....				151		520	492	179	176	100.4	103.0	243	256
14	1926.....				141	146	616	597	(b) 168	(b) 161	101.0	102.6	206	197
15	1927.....				141	145	776	746	168	163	100.1	98.3	186	173
16	1928.....				137	144	811	758	169	166	100.6	100.4	(f) 173	168
17	1929.....				134	142	871	807	168	162	100.4	101.3	166	158
18	1930.....	100	100	115	117	886	809	161	150	98.1	97.4	161	152	152
19	1931.....	91	89	105	102	783	685	151	136	90.6	84.4	153	139	139
20	1932.....	79	75	88	85	686	553	141	119	83.8	77.5	149	134	134
21	1933.....	76		75		686		139	119	79.5	73.2	147	131	131
22	1934.....	72		70		661		140	120	80.8	77.4	148	132	132
23	1931 January.....			107	108	(a) 848	(a)	(c)	(c)	(e)	(e)	(g)	(g)	(g)
24	February.....			106	106	827				93.2	87.9	156	144	144
25	March.....			105	105	802		154	140		85.6	155	143	143
26	April.....			104	103	798					85.1	154	141	141
27	May.....			104	101	797				91.3	84.7	153	139	139
28	June.....			105	102	787		154	141		83.9	151	138	138
29	July.....			108	106	794					82.4	152	140	140
30	August.....			107	104	796				89.1	82.0	152	138	138
31	September.....			108	103	787		151	137		81.2	150	136	136
32	October.....			104	100	782					83.4	150	136	136
33	November.....			101	96	752				88.8	83.2	150	136	136
34	December.....			99	96	741	615	145	126		83.5	150	136	136
35	1932 January.....			95	92	726	595				82.7	150	135	135
36	February.....	79	69	93	90	701	561			87.5	81.0	150	135	135
37	March.....	78	68	94	93	698	560	141	119		79.2	150	135	135
38	April.....	79	70	93	89	684	542				79.7	150	134	134
39	May.....	77	78	93	90	681	541			83.9	78.7	149	133	133
40	June.....	80	83	90	87	665	520	141	119		77.8	149	133	133
41	July.....	81	84	87	86	679	542				76.1	149	133	133
42	August.....	79	81	86	84	679	543			82.1	76.1	149	133	133
43	September.....	77	78	83	79	675	543	141	120		75.8	149	134	134
44	October.....	84	82	81	76	689	563				76.5	149	133	133
45	November.....	79	74	81	77	699	578			81.1	74.5	149	134	134
46	December.....	75	68	80	77	694	571	140	119		71.3	148	132	132
47	1933 January.....	70	61	78	75	699	576				70.7	147	130	130
48	February.....	71	64	78	75	695	570			79.7	72.7	147	130	130
49	March.....	73	66	76	73	680	550	138	116		71.2	147	130	130
50	April.....	74	69	76	71	678	550				71.4	147	130	130
51	May.....	75	79	75	70	671	542			79.6	72.7	147	130	130
52	June.....	78	83	76	71	684	561	137	117		72.3	147	130	130
53	July.....	80	85	78	72	680	557				73.2	148	132	132
54	August.....	78	82	76	70	698	584			79.6	74.1	148	133	133
55	September.....	76	79	73	68	686	569	140	119		74.6	148	132	132
56	October.....	83	83	72	68	688	570				75.3	147	132	132
57	November.....	78		73	70	686	568			80.0	75.1	147	130	130
58	December.....	72		73		685		143	125		75.0	146	129	129
59	1934 January.....	68		73		678					75.0	145	128	128
60	February.....	70		73		665				80.4	76.3	145	128	128
61	March.....	70		76		653		142	122		76.9	145	128	128
62	April.....	71		73		645					77.7	147	130	130
63	May.....	72		73		646				81.2	78.0	147	130	130
64	June.....	77		73		649		140	120		77.8	148	132	132
65	July.....	76		72		653					78.0	148	133	133
66	August.....	71		69		662				80.7	77.4	150	136	136
67	September.....	70		66		663		140	120		77.1	149	135	135
68	October.....	78		66		666					77.1	149	135	135
69	November.....	74		65		662				81.0	78.0	149	134	134
70	December.....	69		64		650		139	118		79.2	149	134	134

(a) First of following month. (b) Since March 1926, new series. (c) First of following month. (d) July. (e) Middle of month. (f) New method of calculation since 1928. (g) Fifteenth of month.



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Palestine	Peru	Poland	Portugal	Roumania	Saar Territory	No.
3 Towns	Lima	Warsaw	Entire Country	20 Towns	Sarrebruck	
January, 1922	1913	1928	June, 1914	1913	July, 1914	
Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
.....	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	104	107	(e) 1,000	(e) 1,000	100	100
.....	112	115	.....	.....	(h) 100	(h) 100
.....	123	123	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	142	145	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	164	162	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	188	188	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	210	208	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	199	183	.....	.....	.....	.....
88.2	190	174	.....	.....	(f) 1,305	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,708	.....
76.6	180	166	.....	.....	2,500	.....
79.4	187	168	.....	.....	2,985	.....
83.8	200	179	.....	.....	3,250	.....
82.1	201	182	.....	.....	3,552	.....
77.4	194	177	.....	.....	3,855	.....
73.7	181	161	.....	.....	3,964	.....
69.4	177	159	.....	.....	4,244	.....
61.4	169	157	.....	.....	(4,206)	.....
55.3	158	148	.....	.....	(g) 3,004	.....
56.6	151	143	.....	.....	(g) 2,796	.....
54.9	148	139	.....	.....	2,512	.....
55.1	150	148	.....	.....	2,319	.....
.....	(a)	.....	.....	.....	2,235	.....
57.6	163	152	.....	.....	(d)	.....
56.3	160	145	.....	.....	3,222	.....
54.2	159	144	.....	.....	3,215	.....
53.1	160	145	.....	.....	3,184	.....
54.3	160	149	.....	.....	3,078	.....
54.5	160	150	.....	.....	3,077	.....
53.3	160	151	.....	.....	3,053	.....
52.2	160	151	.....	.....	2,972	.....
53.2	155	147	.....	.....	2,939	.....
55.9	153	146	.....	.....	2,884	.....
58.4	153	146	.....	.....	2,850	.....
59.8	153	145	.....	.....	2,817	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,776	.....
59.8	152	143	.....	.....	1,914	.....
58.9	151	142	.....	.....	1,917	.....
56.9	150	144	.....	.....	1,919	.....
56.5	150	144	.....	.....	1,951	.....
55.2	150	143	.....	.....	1,927	.....
55.6	152	144	.....	.....	1,904	.....
54.1	153	146	.....	.....	1,918	.....
54.8	152	144	.....	.....	1,920	.....
55.1	152	145	.....	.....	1,967	.....
57.1	152	140	.....	.....	1,971	.....
59.7	151	142	.....	.....	2,080	.....
56.1	150	137	.....	.....	2,000	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,439	.....
57.8	147	136	.....	.....	2,431	.....
54.0	145	131	.....	.....	2,661	.....
55.1	145	135	.....	.....	2,453	.....
53.9	145	134	.....	.....	2,455	.....
52.0	147	134	.....	.....	2,392	.....
53.1	149	138	.....	.....	2,574	.....
54.8	151	141	.....	.....	2,491	.....
53.4	153	147	.....	.....	2,301	.....
54.7	150	142	.....	.....	2,229	.....
55.7	151	145	.....	.....	2,200	.....
56.0	149	141	.....	.....	2,216	.....
57.7	148	140	.....	.....	2,229	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,263	.....
53.6	147	142	.....	.....	2,290	.....
55.9	146	142	.....	.....	522	.....
54.2	148	145	.....	.....	517	.....
54.5	148	145	.....	.....	518	.....
53.4	149	145	.....	.....	516	.....
53.7	151	149	.....	.....	511	.....
54.7	150	148	.....	.....	510	.....
55.2	154	155	.....	.....	507	.....
56.9	152	151	.....	.....	508	.....
55.7	152	152	.....	.....	505	.....
57.1	154	153	.....	.....	516	.....
56.4	150	146	.....	.....	511	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	520	.....
53.6	147	142	.....	.....	517	.....
55.9	146	142	.....	.....	517	.....
54.2	148	145	.....	.....	518	.....
54.5	148	145	.....	.....	516	.....
53.4	149	145	.....	.....	519	.....
53.7	151	149	.....	.....	513	.....
54.7	150	148	.....	.....	516	.....
55.2	154	155	.....	.....	514	.....
56.9	152	151	.....	.....	509	.....
55.7	152	152	.....	.....	500	.....
57.1	154	153	.....	.....	502	.....
56.4	150	146	.....	.....	504	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	504	.....

(a) Middle of month. (b) Since Oct., 1933, including heating. (c) New series. (d) Last week of month. (e) June, 1921-1929: 71 towns, excluding rent. (g) Since 1931 new method of calculation. (h) July.

TABLE LV.—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1934—Concluded

Country	South Africa	Spain	Sweden	Switzerland	Turkey	United Kingdom	United States	Yugoslavia
Localities	9 Towns	Madrid	49 Towns	34 Towns	Istanbul	630 Towns	51-173 Localities	3 Towns
Base Period	1914	1914	July, 1914	June, 1914	1914	July, 1914	1923	July, 1914
Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living
	Foods	Foods	Foods	Foods	Foods	Foods	Foods	Foods
1913	100	100	100	(b)100	(e)100	1,000	1,000	68-4
1914	100	100	100	(b)100	(e)100	1,000	1,000	70-0
1915	105	107	108	(b)100	(e)100	1,000	1,000	69-3
1916	112	111	116	(b)100	(e)100	1,000	1,000	77-7
1917	122	124	126	(b)100	(e)100	1,000	1,000	100-1
1918	131	125	154	(b)219	(b)258	204	223	115-1
1919	145	136	174	(b)257	(b)318	222	244	127-2
1920	179	178	190	(b)270	(b)287	224	242	139-1
1921	162	145	189	(b)236	(b)231	200	213	96-8
1922	135	119	181	(b)190	(b)178	164	163	100-0
1923	131	117	177	(b)174	(b)158	164	165	99-8
1924	133	120	184	(b)171	(b)155	169	172	107-7
1925	133	120	189	(b)176	(b)168	168	169	109-8
1926	131	118	187	(b)172	(b)156	162	160	106-4
1927	131	118	189	(b)169	(b)148	160	158	105-6
1928	131	117	176	(b)173	(b)156	161	157	107-2
1929	131	115	181	(b)169	(b)148	161	156	100-6
1930	128	110	187	(b)164	(b)138	158	152	83-1
1931	123	105	196	(b)158	(b)127	150	141	69-1
1932	118	96	207	(b)156	(b)124	138	126	1,374
1933	115	99	180	(b)153	(b)120	131	117	1,076
1934	116	104	184	(b)155	(b)123	129	115	1,189
	(a)	(a)	(c)	(c)	(f)	(g)	(g)	(c)
1931 Jan.	126	108	198	207	156	148	1,242	1,215
Feb.	125	107	196	207	155	146	1,232	1,188
Mar.	124	107	194	203	153	144	1,223	1,174
April.	124	107	188	196	151	142	1,208	1,140
May.	125	108	184	192	150	141	1,202	1,142
June.	123	106	187	195	150	141	1,209	1,154
July.	123	104	191	201	149	139	1,170	1,093
Aug.	122	103	192	204	149	139	1,176	1,048
Sept.	122	102	197	208	148	138	1,189	1,063
Oct.	122	103	198	211	147	137	1,197	1,053
Nov.	122	102	201	214	147	137	1,197	1,053
Dec.	121	100	202	216	145	134	1,198	1,052
	(a)	(a)	(c)	(d)	(d)	(g)	(g)	(c)
1932 Jan.	120	99	197	207	144	132	1,203	1,067
Feb.	120	99	197	207	142	129	1,205	1,080
Mar.	119	99	193	202	142	128	1,200	1,092
April.	119	99	197	203	140	128	1,182	1,059
May.	119	98	184	188	139	126	1,181	1,084
June.	118	96	179	184	138	125	1,196	1,115
July.	117	94	179	183	138	124	1,168	1,037
Aug.	117	93	178	182	137	123	1,143	958
Sept.	116	93	180	185	136	122	1,132	931
Oct.	116	93	184	190	136	123	1,151	978
Nov.	116	93	186	192	135	122	1,159	1,000
Dec.	115	93	179	183	134	120	1,142	958
	(a)	(a)	(c)	(d)	(d)	(g)	(g)	(c)
1933 Jan.	112	93	177	180	133	118	1,094	955
Feb.	113	94	181	185	133	117	1,089	955
Mar.	113	95	184	185	132	116	1,061	881
April.	114	97	180	181	131	116	1,045	854
May.	114	98	178	178	130	116	1,046	852
June.	115	99	179	185	131	116	1,038	835
July.	114	98	180	181	131	116	1,020	795
Aug.	114	97	180	181	131	116	1,022	803
Sept.	115	99	183	183	131	117	1,027	812
Oct.	116	103	185	185	131	117	1,037	807
Nov.	117	105	180	180	131	117	1,035	803
Dec.	117	105	179	183	131	117	1,033	837
	(a)	(a)	(c)	(d)	(d)	(g)	(g)	(c)
1934 Jan.	116	104	183	183	131	117	1,087	904
Feb.	116	104	187	187	131	116	1,074	913
Mar.	116	104	186	186	130	115	1,059	901
April.	117	105	186	186	130	115	1,051	906
May.	117	106	183	183	129	115	1,028	920
June.	116	104	181	181	129	115	1,031	924
July.	116	103	181	181	129	114	1,026	906
Aug.	116	104	183	183	129	114	988	925
Sept.	116	103	181	181	129	114	997	947
Oct.	116	104	186	186	129	115	993	908
Nov.	116	103	189	189	129	114	986	887
Dec.	116	102	184	184	129	114	986	887

(a) Middle of month. (b) July. (c) First of following month. (d) New method of calculation since 1932. (e) June  
 (f) End of month. (g) First of month.

## REVISION OF WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS, 1934

Since 1928, when the Bureau's wholesale price index was transferred to a new base (1926 = 100), a number of commodity price series, then included, have ceased to be important commercially, while others have presented considerable difficulties in maintaining continuity. It was decided, therefore, to revise the index, removing faulty price series, and at the same time adding others which would make the index more representative. This was done at the beginning of 1934. Minor revisions also were made in the weighting of certain raw materials, viz., rubber, sugar, cotton, and silk, all of which are subject to further manufacture. The total group weights assigned to these commodities combined with their products were left unchanged, but the raw materials instead of receiving nominal weights were given weights in keeping with the relationship of their value as raw materials bore to the value of corresponding finished products. The number of price series removed amounted to 13, and 78 new series were added, raising the total number from 502 to 567.

In all sub-groups affected by revisions, new base aggregates were calculated by reference to revised and unrevised data for December 1933. The manner of doing this may best be explained by illustration.

Suppose:

1926 Base Aggregate	= 50
Unrevised December 1933 Aggregate	= 30
December 1933 Index	= 60.0
Revised December 1933 Aggregate	= 42
Then the revised 1926 Base Aggregate	$= 100 \times 42 = 70$
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	60

This base aggregate gives the same index for December with reference to the revised December aggregate, as the old base aggregate did with reference to the unrevised December aggregate, and continuity is thereby maintained.

Additions to and subtractions from the list of price series now utilized may be observed on the following table. A complete list of price series now used, together with the weighting system employed is also shown.



# SUMMARY OF REVISIONS MADE IN THE DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS INDEX NUMBER OF WHOLESALE PRICES, 1934

	Additions	Subtractions	1933 Total	1934 Total
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.....	17	6	124	135
	Canned Fruit..... 3	Fruits, Fresh Domestic. 3		
	Corn Syrup ..	Apples		
	Orange Marmalade			
	Strawberry Jam			
	Flour and Milled Products..... 3	Vegetables..... 3		
	Cornmeal	Turnips		
	Flour, No. 1 Patent Winnipeg	Carrots		
	Flour, No. 2 Patent Winnipeg	Parsnips		
	Vegetable Oils..... 2			
	Soya Bean Oil			
	Palm Oil			
	Rubber..... 3			
	Women's Rubber No. 1			
	Tubes (2 Items)			
	Sugar and Its Prod. and Glucose. 3			
	Sugar, Raw, Vancouver			
	Sugar, Granulated, Vancouver			
	Sugar, Yellow No. 3, Vancouver			
	Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices... 2			
	Coffee, Green, Kenya Best			
	Coffee, African Medium			
	Vegetables..... 1			
	Baked Beans			
ANIMAL PRODUCTS.....	5	3	74	76
	Hides and Skins..... 1	Boots and Shoes..... 1		
	Packer Hides, Native Cows	Men's Shoes		
	Leather, Unmanufactured..... 4	Eggs..... 2		
	Packer Bends, No. 1 and No. 2	Storage (firsts)		
	Packer Bends No. 3	Storage (seconds)		
	Shoulders			
	Bellies			
FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.....	25		60	85
	Cotton Yarn and Thread..... 3			
	Cotton Yarn (Hosiery), 24's			
	Cotton Yarn, 20's white cop			
	Cotton Yarn, 30's white cop			
	Cotton Fabrics..... 2			
	Pillow Cotton (42" wide)			
	Cotton Duck (60" No. 1)			
	Knit Goods..... 2			
	Men's Cotton Combinations			
	2 thread			
	Men's Cotton Combinations, 34-44			
	Flax, Hemp and Jute Products.. 2			
	Jute Bags, No. 98			
	Burlap Bags, No. 100			
	Silk Raw..... 6			
	Artificial Silk Products..... 3			
	Rayon Yarn, 100 denier			
	Rayon Yarn, 150 denier, "A" weaving			
	Rayon Yarn, 100 denier, bright weaving			
	Wool Yarn..... 2			
	Worsted Cloth Yarn, 2/24s-58's			
	Worsted Cloth Yarn, 2/24s-60's			
	Wool Hosiery and Knit Goods.. 3			
	Men's Cashmere half hose,			
	Combinations, Woollen, Men's,			
	Shirts and Drawers			
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	Flannel, White			
	Suiting, fancy worsted			

SUMMARY OF REVISIONS MADE IN THE DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS  
 INDEX NUMBER OF WHOLESALE PRICES, 1934—Concluded

	Additions	Subtractions	1933 Total	1934 Total
WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....	6	1	44	49
	Lumber and Timber..... 6	Furniture..... 1		
	3 Pine Items			
	1 Fir Item			
	2 Cedar Prices			
IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....	6	1	39	44
	Rolling Mill Products..... 4	Pig Iron and Steel Billets 1		
	Boiler Plate	Pig Iron, Basic		
	Galv. Corrugated Iron			
	Steel Sheets, Black, 10 gauge			
	Mild Steel Tank, Quality Plates			
	Hardware..... 2			
	Machine Bolts 7/16" Diam.			
	Hot Pressed, and Forged			
	Square Nuts, Tapped			
NON-FERROUS METALS.....	3		15	18
	Aluminium sheet			
	Brass Valves			
	Tin Ingots, 99.25%			
NON-METALLIC MINERALS.....	11	1	73	83
	Clay and Allied Material			
	Products..... 2	Coke..... 1		
	Stucco			
	Sewer Pipe			
	Coal..... 2			
	Coal, Welsh Anthracite, No. 1			
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	Manufactured Gas..... 3			
	Asphalt..... 2			
	Asbestos and Its Products			
	Asbestos Pipe			
	Asbestos Mill Board			
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.....	5	1	73	77
	Explosives..... 2	Organic Chemicals..... 1		
	Paints, Prepared..... 2	Ethylene Glycol		
	Soap..... 1			
	Soap, Toilet, Best			
TOTAL.....	78	13	502	567

## DESCRIPTION OF THE DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS LONG-TERM DOMINION BOND YIELD INDEX

Index numbers of bond yields are frequently presented in the form of average yields for a specified list of issues. This procedure has several advantages, the chief being that it reveals at a glance the actual level of yields at any specified time. It is also possible to make secondary calculations from average yields with a greater measure of assurance than when utilizing percentage relatives. This latter form has been chosen by the Bureau, however, because it facilitates comparison with other index series already calculated, such as those for wholesale commodity prices and prices of common stocks.

"Long-term" bonds are defined arbitrarily as issues maturing in not less than seven years. The effect of including issues with a maturity any shorter than this is illustrated by reference to the behaviour of yields for Dominion  $4\frac{1}{2}$ 's of 1940, in the years 1932 to 1934 inclusive. In 1932 yields for this issue approximated very closely those for other Dominion 4 p.c. and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  p.c. issues. In 1933, the yields of  $4\frac{1}{2}$ 's of 1940 were always just a little lower than other 4's and  $4\frac{1}{2}$ 's, and by the end of 1934 they were down to 2.5 p.c., while yields for other similar issues ranged between 3.0 p.c. and 3.5 p.c. The Dominion  $4\frac{1}{2}$ 's of 1940 were dropped from the Bureau's index at the beginning of 1933.

Dominion internal long-term bonds have an average maturity of roughly 16 years, as compared with 22 years for Dominion issues which have been made payable in New York, and 45 years for those floated in London. The relatively short life of internal issues has necessitated fairly frequent substitutions in the list of issues included. This list is shown following, with issues currently included being marked by an asterisk, and dates of inclusion and deletion noted in brackets.

x	Dominion of Canada $4\frac{1}{2}$ p.c., 1949-1959	(Jan. 1932)
x	Dominion of Canada $4\frac{1}{2}$ p.c., 1948-1958	(Jan. 1932)
x	Dominion of Canada 4 p.c., 1947-1952	(Dec. 1932)
x	Dominion of Canada $4\frac{1}{2}$ p.c., 1946	(Jan. 1926)
x	Dominion of Canada $4\frac{1}{2}$ p.c., 1944	(Jan. 1926)
x	Dominion of Canada 5 p.c., 1943	(Oct. 1923)
	Dominion of Canada $4\frac{1}{2}$ p.c., 1940	(Jan. 1926-Dec. 1932)
	Dominion of Canada $5\frac{1}{2}$ p.c., 1937	(Jan. 1919-Dec. 1925)
	Dominion of Canada $5\frac{1}{2}$ p.c., 1934	(Jan. 1920-Dec. 1925)
	Dominion of Canada $5\frac{1}{2}$ p.c., 1933	(Jan. 1919-Dec. 1925)
	Dominion of Canada 5 p.c., 1931	(Jan. 1919-Oct. 1923)

The limited number of constituents may seem to provide an inadequate basis for an index number series, and would undoubtedly be open to question where it not for the exceptional homogeneity of the data included. Despite the marked fluctuations in yields during the past few years, the yield of no single issue has varied more than 6.5 p.c. from the average of all yields included at any time since 1926. In terms of actual yield this extreme difference amounted to 0.22 points. Such marked similarity of fluctuations is not common in the field of index number construction.

The use of non-taxable issues in years prior to 1926 may also be criticized because of the difference between yields for taxable and non-taxable bonds. The yields on the  $5\frac{1}{2}$  p.c. issues of 1934 (non-taxable) and 1937 (taxable), for example, differ on the average by approximately 0.50 or by over 10 p.c. between 1920 and 1926. There is no such wide variation, however, between the relative movements of the yields for these two issues. Separate index numbers for each coincided frequently during the years from 1920 to 1926, and were never more than two points, i.e., about 2 p.c. apart, for two consecutive months. Since it was impossible to obtain an adequate representation of non-taxable issues for these earlier years, this similarity of behaviour was considered reasonable justification for employing both types of issues.



The necessity of substituting new issues from time to time has made unavoidable the use of a chain system of calculation. Between periods of substitution, however, the index is calculated in exactly the same manner as a fixed base aggregative formula. Substitutions are effected in the following manner.

Suppose:

The 1926 base aggregate	=500
The index for month S in year 10	= 60·0
The index aggregate in month S before substitution of issues	=300
The index aggregate in month S after substitution of issues	=420
Then the revised base aggregate	=420 x 100 =700
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	60·0

In relation to the revised aggregate of 420 for month S, this new base also gives an index of 60·0 and continuity is thereby maintained.

The Bureau's index of Dominion long-term bond yields is a weighted series, each issue receiving a degree of importance commensurate with the amount of the issues outstanding. Tests have shown, however, that it makes very little difference whether or not weights are used, because of the close relationship between fluctuations of the individual constituents of the index.



















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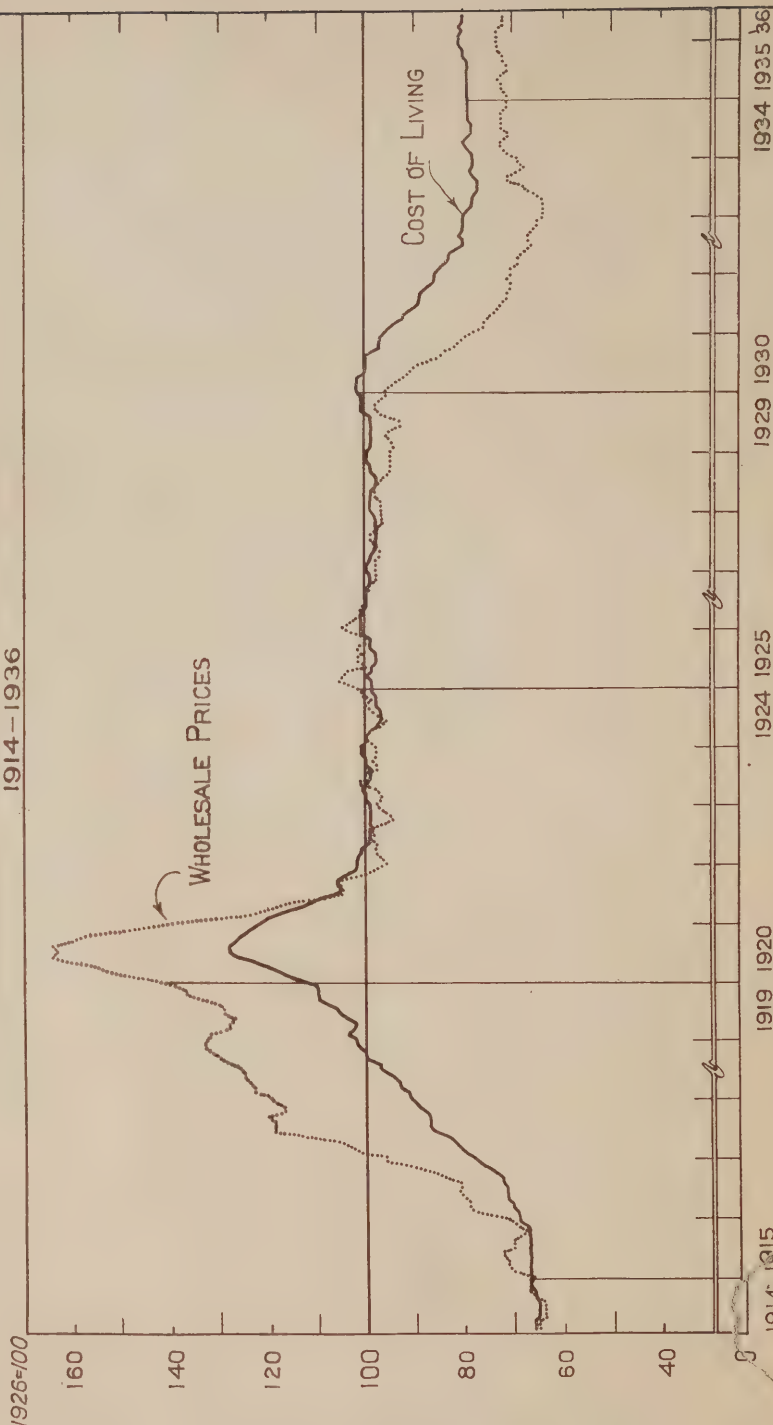
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## PREFACE

This report, the fourteenth on the subject of Prices and Price Indexes issued annually by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, deals chiefly with the year 1935, but data are included for earlier years, in many instances back to 1913. In the case of wholesale prices, annual index numbers are available back to 1867.

The report includes statistics of domestic and foreign wholesale and retail prices, security prices, bond yields, rates of exchange, prices of services (including hospital services, street car fares, electricity, gas, telephone rates), and interest rates.

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## THE COURSE OF WHOLESALE PRICES, 1867-1935

Price levels were high in 1867 following the American Civil War and the Austro-Prussian War of 1866, and rose again in 1872 after the Franco-German War. From 1873 to 1897, a period of declining prices occurred, marked by a notable disparity between the growth in the world's supply of gold and commodities. It was also a time of disputes and political unrest in debtor communities, culminating in the case of the United States, in the free coinage of silver dollars in 1896.

Following the discoveries of new gold fields in South Africa and the cyanide process of recovering gold from low grade ore, the world supply of gold increased, with the result that the general trend of prices was upward from around 1890 until the outbreak of the Great War. In consequence the index on the base 1913=100, rose from a low of 68.1 in 1897 to 102.3 in 1914. From 1915 prices climbed at a progressively increasing rate to a peak of 243.5 in 1920, due to the combined influence of monetary inflation and scarcity of commodities. Then followed a drastic collapse which caused the index to drop to 152.0 in 1922, and with the exception of a minor recovery, which reached a maximum of 160.3 in 1925, the trend of prices was thereafter steadily downward until 1933. In 1930 this movement was accelerated, and the index fell from 149.3 in 1929 to 135.3, and then to 112.8 in 1931. Still further recessions in prices in 1932 brought the index to 104.2, the lowest level since 1914. The first rise in eight years advanced the annual number fractionally to 104.8 in 1933. This upward movement continued throughout 1934 and 1935, the index for the latter year being 112.6.

Table II shows the yearly movements of Canadian wholesale prices from 1867 to date, with the year 1913 taken as the basis of calculation. Succeeding tables of a summary nature, covering various periods from 1890 forward are given on this base also, adjacent to the same data upon a 1926 base. Of these, Table IV, showing the movement of prices by groups from 1890 to 1934 is the most comprehensive.

TABLE I—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1867-1935\*

(1926=100)

Unweighted		Unweighted	Weighted	Unweighted		Weighted	Unweighted		Weighted
1867.....	85.1	1885.....	59.3	1902.....	55.2	51.1	1919.....	134.0	
1868.....	82.4	1886.....	58.1	1903.....	55.6	51.8	1920.....	155.9	
1869.....	81.0	1887.....	58.8	1904.....	55.7	52.4	1921.....	110.0	
1870.....	79.1	1888.....	59.9	1905.....	56.2	54.0	1922.....	97.3	
1871.....	79.7	1889.....	59.3	1906.....	59.3	54.2	1923.....	98.0	
1872.....	86.9	1890.....	59.5	1907.....	61.6	58.6	1924.....	99.4	
1873.....	85.7	1891.....	58.5	1908.....	58.2	58.5	1925.....	102.6	
1874.....	82.6	1892.....	55.2	1909.....	58.5	59.5	1926.....	100.0	
1875.....	77.3	1893.....	54.5	1910.....	60.4	60.2	1927.....	97.7	
1876.....	74.6	1894.....	51.6	1911.....	60.8	62.2	1928.....	96.4	
1877.....	73.7	1895.....	51.0	1912.....	63.7	65.4	1929.....	95.6	
1878.....	66.8	1896.....	48.7	1913.....	64.0	64.0	1930.....	86.6	
1879.....	64.7	1897.....	48.4	1914.....	61.4	65.5	1931.....	72.1	
1880.....	72.3	1898.....	49.8	1915.....	91.4	70.4	1932.....	66.7	
1881.....	70.4	1899.....	52.1	1916.....	.....	84.3	1933.....	67.1	
1882.....	71.8	1900.....	54.9	1917.....	.....	114.3	1934.....	71.6	
1883.....	67.9	1901.....	54.1	1918.....	.....	127.4	1935.....	72.1	
1884.....	64.4								

TABLE II—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1867-1935\*

(1913=100)

Unweighted		Unweighted Weighted		Unweighted Weighted		Unweighted Weighted		
867.....	133.0	1885.....	92.7	1902.....	86.2	79.8	1919.....	209.2
868.....	128.7	1886.....	90.7	1903.....	86.9	80.9	1920.....	243.5
869.....	126.5	1887.....	91.9	1904.....	87.0	81.8	1921.....	171.8
870.....	123.5	1888.....	93.5	1905.....	87.8	84.4	1922.....	152.0
871.....	124.5	1889.....	92.6	1906.....	92.6	84.6	1923.....	153.0
872.....	135.7	1890.....	93.0	1907.....	96.2	91.6	1924.....	155.2
873.....	133.8	1891.....	91.4	1908.....	90.9	91.4	1925.....	160.3
874.....	129.0	1892.....	86.2	1909.....	91.4	92.9	1926.....	156.2
875.....	120.7	1893.....	85.2	1910.....	94.3	94.0	1927.....	152.6
876.....	116.6	1894.....	80.6	1911.....	95.0	97.2	1928.....	150.6
877.....	115.1	1895.....	79.6	1912.....	99.5	102.2	1929.....	149.3
878.....	104.3	1896.....	76.0	1913.....	100.0	100.0	1930.....	135.3
879.....	101.0	1897.....	75.6	1914.....	.....	102.3	1931.....	112.6
880.....	112.9	1898.....	77.8	1915.....	.....	109.9	1932.....	104.2
881.....	109.9	1899.....	81.4	1916.....	.....	131.6	1933.....	104.8
882.....	112.1	1900.....	85.8	1917.....	.....	178.5	1934.....	111.8
883.....	106.0	1901.....	84.5	1918.....	.....	199.0	1935.....	112.6
884.....	100.6							

\*NOTE.—As the weighted index has not been compiled for years previous to 1890, the old unweighted series is also shown.

TABLE III—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1935

CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1926=100)

Groups	I Vegetable Products	II Animals and Their Products	III Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	IV Wood, Wood Products and Paper	V Iron and Its Products	VI Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	VII Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	VIII Chemicals and Allied Products	All Commodities
Number of commodities	59 67 124 135	47 50 74 76	23 28 60 85	26 21 44 49	30 26 39 44	14 15 15 18	21 16 73 83	27 13 73 77	247 232 506 567
1890.....	55.5	45.5	53.8	38.5	77.9	109.4	50.0	49.6	51.5
1891.....	58.8	45.2	49.2	38.2	72.1	101.9	48.7	49.8	51.5
1892.....	47.9	45.2	46.8	38.8	69.5	92.8	49.4	48.9	47.8
1893.....	48.3	47.6	46.7	38.6	67.9	86.0	49.0	48.6	48.5
1894.....	44.2	43.6	43.9	39.6	63.2	73.1	47.9	48.2	45.3
1895.....	44.3	42.3	43.7	37.3	61.0	72.0	47.0	47.6	44.4
1896.....	42.2	39.9	44.5	35.9	61.6	75.4	46.9	47.9	42.9
1897.....	43.5	42.2	43.7	35.8	56.4	70.4	46.0	46.8	43.6
1898.....	48.5	43.6	43.0	36.1	56.2	72.0	45.6	46.6	45.6
1899.....	46.4	45.9	43.4	37.1	64.4	95.3	45.8	46.3	46.5
1900.....	42.9	48.5	48.4	40.6	75.1	102.4	48.5	49.0	47.9
1901.....	47.1	48.3	46.4	40.3	67.9	100.2	51.7	51.1	48.9
1902.....	50.1	51.2	46.6	42.6	67.7	84.3	53.6	49.9	51.1
1903.....	51.6	49.5	47.0	47.9	67.3	82.7	55.5	50.2	51.8
1904.....	54.6	48.2	51.0	48.0	62.9	85.1	54.7	51.7	52.4
1905.....	55.3	52.4	50.6	49.3	62.0	93.8	53.2	52.0	54.0
1906.....	52.2	53.2	54.4	52.6	65.8	108.3	52.1	50.8	54.2
1907.....	59.1	57.1	55.3	55.3	68.0	115.3	54.2	58.3	58.6
1908.....	61.7	56.5	50.8	54.4	66.6	86.9	55.6	57.5	58.5
1909.....	62.0	60.3	52.4	53.3	63.3	84.6	54.7	53.4	59.5
1910.....	59.0	63.1	55.8	58.5	62.3	87.8	54.1	54.8	60.2
1911.....	62.5	60.9	54.3	62.1	63.2	87.0	53.3	59.1	62.2
1912.....	68.0	67.6	52.5	62.2	64.0	100.0	56.8	61.9	65.4
1913.....	58.1	70.9	58.2	63.9	68.9	98.4	56.8	63.4	64.0
1914.....	64.8	72.6	56.9	60.3	67.3	94.7	53.7	65.3	65.5
1915.....	75.6	74.0	58.3	65.5	73.9	106.9	52.7	68.1	70.4
1916.....	87.0	85.0	77.6	64.0	104.6	135.1	58.0	73.0	84.3
1917.....	124.5	110.4	114.6	79.8	151.8	143.9	71.6	98.1	114.3
1918.....	127.9	127.1	157.1	89.1	156.9	141.9	82.3	118.7	127.4
1919.....	136.1	140.8	163.8	109.6	139.1	133.5	93.6	117.5	134.0
1920.....	167.0	145.1	176.5	154.4	168.4	135.5	112.2	141.5	155.9
1921.....	103.5	109.6	96.0	129.4	128.0	97.0	116.6	117.0	110.0
1922.....	86.2	96.0	101.7	106.3	104.6	97.3	107.0	105.4	97.3
1923.....	83.7	95.0	116.9	113.0	115.8	95.3	104.4	104.4	98.0
1924.....	89.2	91.8	117.9	105.9	111.0	94.8	104.1	102.5	99.4
1925.....	100.6	100.3	112.5	101.6	104.5	103.9	100.3	99.6	102.6
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	98.3	101.9	93.7	98.5	96.2	91.5	96.5	98.3	97.7
1928.....	93.0	108.1	94.5	98.7	93.2	92.0	92.5	95.3	96.4
1929.....	91.6	109.0	91.3	93.9	93.7	99.2	92.9	95.4	95.6
1930.....	77.7	99.1	81.8	88.7	91.1	80.7	91.3	92.8	86.6
1931.....	56.9	73.9	73.4	79.1	87.4	64.6	86.5	86.7	72.1
1932.....	54.8	59.7	69.7	69.1	86.3	59.0	85.5	83.9	66.7
1933.....	50.3	59.4	69.7	62.8	85.4	64.3	84.4	81.3	67.1
1934.....	66.6	67.2	72.9	65.4	87.0	64.3	86.0	81.2	71.6
1935.....	67.3	70.4	70.2	64.6	87.2	69.1	85.5	79.1	72.1
1934									
January.....	64.4	65.9	72.7	65.1	86.6	67.0	86.0	80.6	70.7
February.....	65.6	70.6	74.4	65.2	87.1	66.8	86.2	80.5	72.1
March.....	65.8	70.4	74.5	65.3	87.2	66.0	86.2	81.0	72.1
April.....	64.5	67.8	74.4	65.5	87.2	65.7	85.7	81.6	71.3
May.....	65.2	65.9	74.2	65.7	87.4	64.5	85.5	81.9	71.1
June.....	67.4	67.1	73.8	66.2	87.5	64.1	85.6	81.9	72.0
July.....	68.5	66.0	72.9	65.8	87.1	63.0	86.1	81.8	72.0
August.....	70.0	65.6	72.0	65.4	87.1	63.2	86.1	81.8	72.0
September.....	68.6	67.4	71.8	65.3	86.0	62.1	86.1	81.7	71.9
October.....	66.6	67.8	71.4	65.2	86.7	62.2	86.1	80.5	71.3
November.....	66.5	66.7	71.3	64.9	86.7	63.1	86.0	80.3	71.1
December.....	66.7	66.2	71.5	64.5	86.8	63.7	86.1	80.4	71.1
1935									
January.....	66.8	67.3	71.1	64.6	86.9	64.0	86.4	80.5	71.4
February.....	67.1	69.3	71.0	64.8	87.2	63.9	86.3	80.4	71.8
March.....	67.4	69.7	70.4	64.4	87.6	65.2	85.8	80.5	71.9
April.....	65.4	69.1	70.3	63.9	87.4	67.9	85.8	80.0	72.6
May.....	68.0	69.2	70.5	63.9	87.4	70.7	85.3	79.8	72.2
June.....	66.1	68.7	70.4	63.9	87.2	69.6	85.1	79.8	71.4
July.....	66.0	68.6	70.8	64.3	87.1	68.9	84.6	79.8	71.4
August.....	66.1	69.9	70.6	64.2	87.1	69.9	85.0	79.5	71.4
September.....	67.5	72.1	68.8	65.1	87.2	71.1	85.2	76.9	72.1
October.....	68.4	73.6	69.2	65.0	87.2	73.7	85.0	77.4	73.1
November.....	67.2	73.0	69.6	65.3	87.2	73.4	85.0	77.4	72.7
December.....	67.1	73.0	69.6	65.9	87.2	71.5	85.4	77.5	72.7



TABLE IV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1935

CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1913=100)

Groups		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	All Commodities
		Vegetable Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	
Number of commodities	(1890-1899)	59	47	23	26	30	14	21	27	247
	(1900-1912)	51	39	20	18	22	11	19	23	203
	(1913-1925)	67	50	28	21	26	15	16	13	236
	(1926-1933)	124	74	60	44	39	15	73	73	505
	(1934-1935)	135	76	85	49	44	18	83	77	567
1890	95.6	64.2	92.4	60.2	113.1	111.2	88.1	78.3	80.5	
1891	101.2	63.8	94.5	59.8	104.6	103.6	85.8	78.6	80.5	
1892	82.5	63.7	80.4	60.7	100.9	94.3	86.9	77.1	74.7	
1893	83.2	67.2	80.2	60.4	98.6	87.4	86.3	76.6	75.8	
1894	76.1	61.5	75.5	61.9	91.7	74.3	84.3	76.1	70.8	
1895	76.3	59.7	75.1	58.4	88.5	73.2	82.8	75.0	69.4	
1896	72.6	56.3	76.4	56.2	89.4	76.6	82.5	75.5	67.0	
1897	74.9	59.5	75.0	56.1	81.9	71.5	81.0	73.8	68.1	
1898	83.5	61.5	73.9	56.5	81.6	74.1	80.2	73.5	71.3	
1899	79.9	64.7	74.6	58.0	93.4	96.8	80.6	73.1	72.6	
1900	73.9	68.4	83.2	63.5	109.0	104.0	85.4	77.4	74.8	
1901	81.1	68.1	79.7	63.1	98.5	101.8	91.1	80.6	76.4	
1902	86.2	72.3	80.1	66.6	98.3	85.6	94.4	78.8	79.8	
1903	88.9	69.8	80.7	75.0	97.6	84.0	97.7	79.2	80.9	
1904	94.0	68.0	87.6	75.1	91.3	86.5	96.3	81.6	81.8	
1905	95.2	74.0	87.0	77.2	89.9	95.3	93.6	82.0	84.4	
1906	89.9	75.0	93.5	82.3	95.5	110.0	91.8	80.1	84.6	
1907	101.7	80.6	96.3	86.5	100.0	117.1	95.4	92.0	91.6	
1908	106.2	79.7	87.3	85.1	96.7	88.3	97.9	90.8	91.4	
1909	106.7	85.1	90.0	83.4	91.8	86.0	96.3	84.2	92.9	
1910	101.6	89.1	95.8	91.6	90.4	89.2	95.2	86.5	94.0	
1911	107.6	86.0	93.3	97.2	91.7	88.4	93.8	93.3	97.2	
1912	117.1	95.4	90.2	97.4	92.8	101.6	100.0	97.6	102.2	
1913	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1914	111.6	102.5	97.8	94.3	97.7	96.2	94.5	103.0	102.3	
1915	130.2	104.4	100.2	88.5	107.2	108.6	92.8	107.4	109.9	
1916	149.8	119.9	133.3	100.1	151.8	137.3	102.2	123.1	131.6	
1917	214.4	155.8	196.8	124.9	220.2	146.2	126.0	154.8	178.5	
1918	220.2	179.4	269.9	139.4	227.3	144.2	144.9	187.3	199.0	
1919	234.4	198.7	281.4	171.6	201.8	135.6	163.8	185.4	209.2	
1920	287.6	204.8	303.3	241.6	244.4	137.7	197.5	223.3	243.5	
1921	178.2	154.6	165.0	202.5	185.7	98.6	205.4	184.7	171.8	
1922	148.4	135.4	174.7	166.4	151.8	98.9	188.4	166.4	152.0	
1923	144.2	134.1	200.9	176.8	168.0	96.8	183.8	164.8	153.0	
1924	153.6	129.5	202.5	165.8	161.0	96.3	183.4	161.8	155.2	
1925	173.3	141.5	193.3	159.0	151.6	105.6	176.6	157.1	160.3	
1926	172.2	141.1	171.8	156.5	145.1	101.6	176.1	157.8	156.2	
1927	169.3	143.8	161.0	154.2	139.6	93.0	169.9	155.1	152.6	
1928	160.1	152.5	162.4	154.5	135.2	93.5	162.9	150.4	150.6	
1929	157.7	153.8	156.9	147.0	136.0	100.8	163.6	150.5	149.3	
1930	133.8	139.8	140.5	138.8	132.2	82.0	160.8	146.4	135.3	
1931	98.0	104.3	126.1	123.8	126.8	65.6	152.3	136.8	112.6	
1932	94.4	84.2	119.7	108.1	125.2	59.9	150.6	132.4	104.2	
1933	102.1	83.8	119.7	98.3	123.9	65.3	148.6	123.3	104.8	
1934	114.7	94.8	125.2	102.4	126.2	65.3	151.4	128.1	111.8	
1935	115.9	99.3	120.6	101.1	126.5	70.2	150.6	124.8	112.6	
January	110.9	93.0	124.9	101.6	125.7	68.1	151.4	127.2	110.4	
February	113.0	99.6	127.8	102.0	126.4	67.9	151.8	127.0	112.6	
March	113.3	99.3	128.0	102.2	126.5	67.1	151.8	127.8	112.6	
April	111.1	95.7	127.8	102.5	126.5	66.8	150.9	128.8	111.4	
May	112.3	93.0	127.5	102.8	126.8	65.5	150.6	129.2	111.1	
June	116.1	94.7	126.8	103.6	127.0	65.1	150.7	129.2	112.5	
July	118.0	93.1	125.2	103.0	126.4	64.2	151.6	129.1	112.5	
August	120.5	92.6	123.7	102.4	126.4	64.0	151.6	128.6	112.8	
September	118.1	95.1	123.4	102.2	125.7	63.1	151.6	128.9	112.3	
October	114.7	95.7	122.7	102.0	125.8	63.2	151.6	127.0	111.4	
November	114.5	94.1	122.5	101.6	125.8	64.1	151.4	126.7	111.1	
December	114.9	93.4	122.8	100.9	125.9	64.7	151.6	126.9	111.1	
January	115.0	95.0	122.1	101.1	126.1	65.0	152.2	127.0	111.5	
February	115.5	97.8	122.0	101.4	126.5	64.9	152.0	126.9	112.2	
March	116.1	98.3	120.9	100.8	127.1	66.2	151.1	127.0	112.3	
April	119.5	97.5	120.8	100.0	126.8	69.0	151.1	126.2	113.2	
May	117.1	97.6	121.1	100.0	126.8	71.8	150.2	125.9	112.8	
June	113.8	96.9	120.9	100.0	126.5	70.7	149.9	125.9	111.5	
July	113.7	96.8	121.6	100.6	126.4	70.0	149.0	125.9	111.5	
August	113.8	98.6	121.3	100.5	126.4	71.0	149.7	125.5	112.0	
September	116.2	101.7	118.2	101.9	126.5	72.2	150.0	121.3	113.2	
October	117.8	103.8	118.9	101.7	126.5	74.9	149.7	122.1	114.1	
November	115.7	103.0	119.6	102.2	126.5	74.6	149.7	122.1	113.6	
December	115.5	103.0	119.6	103.1	126.5	72.6	150.4	122.3	113.6	

## WHOLESALE PRICES, 1935

Wholesale price levels continued to make gradual gains during 1935, as indicated by the Bureau's general wholesale price index number which mounted from 71.1 in December, 1934, to 72.6 in December, 1935. The corresponding index for December, 1933, was 69.0. This advance has been due largely to the irregular rise in prices for primary products which influenced the general index more than minor declines among manufactured goods. The continued improvement in primary product price levels relative to those for manufactured goods has restored to a considerable extent price group relationships existing prior to the prolonged decline beginning in 1929. That recession created much economic distress by destroying equilibrium which had not been disturbed seriously for nearly a decade. The extent of the subsequent corrective movement which dates from February, 1933, may be gauged from the brief table following which shows that 1926 group relationships have been restored to a considerable extent, although the general price level is still about 28 p.c. lower than at that time. Farm products are still at a relative disadvantage, but the amount is smaller than it has been since the first half of 1930.

	February 1933	December 1933	December 1934	December 1935
All Commodities.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Producers' Goods.....	91.5	93.2	96.1	95.6
Consumers' Goods.....	108.2	106.2	102.5	102.3
Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	79.7	85.4	90.4	92.7
Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Materials.....	105.2	104.3	102.0	100.4
Building Materials.....	117.6	116.8	114.5	114.6
Canadian Farm Products.....	67.6	77.7	86.6	90.1

(All Commodities=100 for each period)

Although fluctuations of commodity groups during 1935 were not spectacular, individual commodity price levels underwent considerable adjustments. Some idea of these changes may be obtained from the percentages of rise or fall shown for typical descriptions of basic commodities in the table which follows. The advance of 7 p.c. for wheat compares with one of 32 p.c. in 1934, whereas oats dropped 34 p.c. after a rise of 47 p.c. in the preceding year. Other coarse grains in 1935, likewise, lost much of earlier gains. Both cattle and hog prices moved higher, the former just about balancing a decline of nearly 20 p.c. that occurred in 1934. Beef hides also advanced sharply, their increase being approximated only by the meteoric rise of raw silk prices in the closing months of the year. Substantial gains in nearly all non-ferrous metals were more than sufficient to cancel 1934 losses. Silver, alone, among the commercially important non-ferrous metals, showed decided weakness which developed in December 1935, when powerful support was withdrawn from the London market. Ferrous metals exhibited customary stability.

PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN WHOLESALE PRICES OF IMPORTANT  
COMMODITIES, BETWEEN DECEMBER, 1934, AND DECEMBER, 1935

Beef Hides.....	+ 50.0	Raw Rubber.....	+ 5.3
Raw Silk.....	+ 48.6	Hogs.....	+ 4.6
Pig Lead.....	+ 44.6	Raw Cotton.....	- 3.4
Copper.....	+ 28.6	Pig Iron.....	unchanged
Cattle.....	+ 20.4	Steel Bars.....	unchanged
Wheat.....	+ 6.9	Oats.....	- 34.3

## VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

Prices for constituents of the Vegetable Product group were unusually stable during 1935, with the result that monthly price indexes remained between limits of 69.4 (April) and 66.0 (July). The annual average of 67.3 was slightly above that of 66.6 for 1934. Grains and milled products contributed materially to both the April high and the July low points of the year, with sub-

sequent recovery being insufficient to bring them back to April levels. Fresh fruits and vegetables were firm throughout, while sugar, rubber products, tea, coffee, cocoa, and spices showed little change.

*Fruits.*—Although year end prices for fresh fruits were generally higher than for December 1934, annual averages were somewhat lower, for whereas December prices in 1934 were at the lowest levels for the year, December prices in 1935 were at the highest. A general index for fresh fruits was 77.3 for 1935 against 82.7 for 1934. Imports of oranges and lemons were slightly higher with prices a little lower than in the preceding year. An improved export outlet for apples caused prices to rise materially above 1934 levels despite a four per cent increase in the domestic crop. Dried fruit quotations with the exception of American raisins averaged slightly less than in the preceding year as indicated by annual indexes of 86.6 for 1934 and 82.6 for 1935. Corresponding numbers for canned fruits were 68.5 and 70.0 respectively, the rise being attributed to firmer quotations for cherries and strawberry jam.

*Grains.*—An index of grain prices completed two cyclical movements during 1935, ending up on approximately the same level from which it started. Movements throughout the year corresponded closely to the fluctuations in wheat prices. A moderate rise in wheat during the first four months topped by a five cent advance in April was strongly influenced by prospects of greatly reduced southern hemisphere supplies. In the earlier stages of this movement Liverpool wheat quotations moved upward faster than those posted at Winnipeg, but in the latter stages this condition was reversed. From early in May until the third week of July, prices moved irregularly lower as prospects favoured good crops in North American producing areas. Late in July, however, rust damage to North American spring wheat and drought in the Argentine sent prices forward erratically at first and then more precipitately during September, when No. 1 Manitoba Northern cash quotations mounted approximately 14c. to touch 96c. per bushel. During the final quarter, prices moved unevenly lower, with free offerings of Canadian and Australian wheat and moderate improvement in the Argentine outlook contributing to an easier tone in world markets. The December average of No. 1 Manitoba Northern cash wheat, Fort William and Port Arthur in storage basis, was 84.7c. per bushel as compared with 90.8c. for October, 81.4c. for July, 87.6c. for April, and 79.0c. for January.

Other grains, with the exception of flax, declined sharply during 1935. Apart from interruptions of a minor character, No. 2 C.W. oats dropped from 44.2c. for January to 29.8c. per bushel for December; No. 2 C.W. rye fell from 54.3c. to 41.6c. per bushel in the same interval, and No. 3 C.W. barley from 50.4c. to 33.8c. per bushel. No. 1 C.W. flax averaged 145.8c. per bushel for December as against 143.6c. for January.

*Milled Products and Bread.*—Movements of the milled product index offered almost a perfect parallel for those of the grain series described above, with the exception that the decline from April to July was rather more severe. Flour prices which dominate this group mounted from \$5.20 in January to \$5.70 per barrel in April for No. 1 patent Manitobas at Montreal, then dropped to \$4.90 in June, recovered to \$5.80 in October, and closed the year at \$5.70, the same as in January. Rolled oats, bran, and shorts, along with flour showed practically no net change from 1934, while corn meal and malt advanced slightly. The milled product index averaged 69.8 for 1935 as compared with 68.3 for 1934, while a bakery product index gained fractionally from 82.8 to 83.0. Wholesale bread prices ranged from 4.4c. to 6.0c. per pound in the larger Canadian cities.

*Vegetable Oils.*—An index for vegetable oils rose sharply from 56.3 for 1934 to 70.8 for 1935. Cottonseed, cocoanut, peanut and chinawood oil were higher, the last named averaging more than double 1934 prices. Linseed oil quotations declined slightly.

*Rubber.*—Fluctuations in raw rubber prices during 1935 were largely influenced by the continuing problem of export control in the Dutch East Indies and the unsettled outlook of the monetary situation, especially in the Netherlands. A decline during the first three months of the year was followed by a partial recovery in the second quarter. In the third quarter, an expected decrease in world rubber stocks did not materialize and a second decline in prices occurred, followed by a rise during October on the further reduction of export quotas to 60 per cent. Prices dropped again slightly in November and December, the result of difficulties with Dutch native production, and ended the year a little above the 1934 closing point. A reduction



of 100,000 tons occurred in world stocks, completely offsetting the rapid increase which took place during 1934. World consumption decreased slightly, although the United States, the major consuming country, showed an increase of some 22,000 tons.

The average yearly price per pound, of 12-4c., for Ceylon plantation ribbed smoked sheets, New York basis, was practically unchanged from 1934, although plantation first latex crepe sheets dropped from 14-1c. per pound in 1934 to 12-6c. in 1935. Balloon tires, 5-50-17-4, averaged \$11.99 in 1935 as compared with \$11.92 in 1934.

*Sugar.*—An improvement in the statistical position of sugar, and greater sensitiveness of prices were among the main features of the industry during 1935. World consumption, as estimated by B. W. Dyer and Co. for the year ended August 30th, showed an increase of 1.1 million tons, which exceeded a slight increase in production, and contributed to the steady reduction in world stocks which has been continuing gradually since 1931. The price of Cuban raw sugar, 96° centrifugal, c. and f. New York, advanced from under \$2.00 per cwt. in January to a peak of \$2.76 in October, the highest since 1927. Price fluctuations were largely influenced by changing sentiment as to the constitutionality of the A.A.A. and prospects for the continued control of sugar output. The average price during the year was \$2.37 per cwt. as compared with \$1.66 in 1934. British West Indies raw sugar at Montreal fluctuated narrowly between \$1.90 per cwt. in January and \$1.95 at the end of the year, with an average of \$1.90 as compared with \$1.97 for the previous year. The price of standard granulated sugar at Montreal dropped from \$4.90 per cwt. to \$4.71 during September continuing at the same level until the end of the year.

*Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.*—After noteworthy price increases during 1934, a reactionary tendency developed among the beverages of this group in 1935. This caused the beverage price index to decline to 70.7 from 71.7 for the preceding year. Lower tea prices with the exception of Ceylon varieties were responsible for the International Tea Committee deciding to retain export quotas of 82½ p.c. of basic quantities for 1936-37. Markets were affected during 1935 by heavier shipments from countries outside of the restriction agreement, but London stocks nevertheless were lower at the end of 1935 than twelve months earlier, and the outlook favoured firmer markets. Toronto average prices for Ceylon and India pekoe tea were 44-0c. per pound for 1935 as compared with 43-7c. for 1934, while choice to medium Japan tea remained unchanged at 45-0c. per pound.

Although world production of coffee dropped sharply from 39,314,000 bags in 1934 to 25,612,000 in 1935, prices declined with a world consumption estimate showing a fall of approximately two million bags to 22,681,000 for 1935. The prospect of larger production in 1936 together with pressure from mild coffees and the temporary withdrawal of market support by the Brazilian government tended to depress prices. Good quality Santos coffee at Toronto fell from 16-1c. to 15-3c. per pound, while good quality Jamaica coffee declined from 15-5c. to 14-1c. per pound between 1934 and 1935.

Cocoa prices reacted moderately in 1935 when estimates of production mounted to 645,500 metric tons as compared with 593,200 tons in 1934. Consumption, however, was about 41,000 tons greater than in 1934, so that no material increase in stocks occurred. Green cocoa beans, Estates Trinidad, fell from 7-6c. to 6-8c. per pound at Toronto between 1934 and 1935.

*Tobacco.*—Prices for Canadian tobacco averaged slightly higher for 1935 than for the preceding year despite a sharp increase in production. The tobacco price index mounted from 41.4 for 1934 to 42.6 for 1935, while production estimates for Canadian tobacco advanced from 38,734,000 pounds to 54,473,000 pounds. Imports of unmanufactured tobacco approximated 5,545,000 pounds, over 2,000,000 pounds less than in 1934; exports of about 7,610,000 pounds were more than 1,000,000 pounds less than in the year preceding. A price average for Ontario burley tobacco rose from 9-0c. to 9-3c. per pound, and other descriptions with the exception of dark types scored comparable gains. Dark pipe tobacco advanced from 8-4c. to 12-1c. per pound, while air and fire cured dark types averaged almost a cent per pound less than in 1934.

*Vegetables.*—An index for vegetables averaged 46.0 for 1935 as compared with 45.7 for 1934. Potatoes declined further in price in most areas despite a smaller crop, while onions were sharply higher. Potato production fell from over 48 million cwt. for 1934 to less than 39 million cwt. for 1935, with exports remaining of small proportions. Grade "A" potatoes at Saint John averaged



75·3c. per cwt. as compared with 91·9c. per cwt. in 1934, although an average of Ontario potatoes at Toronto advanced from 63·1c. to 70·6c. per 90 pound bag. Standard grade onions at Vancouver rose from \$1.61 to \$2.06 per cwt. Canned tomatoes, at the factory, fell from 88·3c. to 77·9c. per dozen tins.

*Miscellaneous Vegetable Products.*—Lower prices for hay and straw were instrumental in reducing this index from 71·4 for 1934 to 67·0 for 1935.

### ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Livestock prices moved sharply upward in 1935 and moderate advances were noted for fish, hides, fresh meats and milk. These were sufficient to outweigh losses for furs, shoes, and prepared and cured meats and the index for Animals and Their Products rose from 67·2 in 1934 to 70·4 in 1935.

*Livestock.*—Quotations for all animal descriptions averaged higher but the rise in cattle prices was the most pronounced. Markets were supported by heavy sales both for export and domestic requirements. Shipments to the United Kingdom were the main strengthening factor in the first few months. A sharp rise in United States prices, however, seemed to divert the bulk of export sales to that market for the balance of the year, and sales of cattle and calves at 103,000 and 21,000 head respectively, reached the highest level in recent years. Improvement in feed and pasturage conditions, co-incidental with reduced quantities of cattle in Ontario, was followed by a strong movement of store grades from the west to the east. Marketings of all grades at stock yards throughout 1935 totalled 838,894 head as compared with 700,817 in 1934, while calves marketed at stock yards aggregated 409,074 and 371,110 for these respective years. Uniformly moderate price advances were shown by hogs despite the fact that British bacon quotations remained comparatively low. Shipments to Great Britain were greater than in 1934 while further improvement in quality and smaller domestic run were reported. The movement across the border strengthened markets still further. While quantities sent to the United States were not great, an additional outlet for surpluses remained available. Marketings at stock yards fell from 964,311 head in 1934 to 832,949 head in the following year. Fluctuations in lamb prices were mostly narrow and the spread between the high and low monthly averages for the Dominion was \$1.70 per cwt. Quality showed improvement and runs, as indicated by sales at stock yards, were 19,936 less at 439,339 head. A substantial influx from the west into Ontario for winter feeding was reported.

Steers, good and choice, over 1,050 pounds, rose from \$5.51 in 1934 to \$6.44 per cwt. in 1935 at Toronto and from \$4.18 to \$5.36 per cwt. at Winnipeg. Good veal calves mounted from \$6.61 to \$7.73 per cwt. at Toronto and from \$4.97 to \$5.79 per cwt. at Winnipeg. Bacon hogs moved up from \$8·72 to \$8·98 per cwt. at Montreal. This same grade averaged \$8.61 per cwt. in 1934 and \$8.97 per cwt. in 1935 at Toronto, while averages at Winnipeg for these respective years were \$7.73 and \$8.00 per cwt. Good handyweight lambs were quoted at \$6.99 per cwt. in 1934 and \$7.54 per cwt. in 1935 at Montreal. At Toronto they were \$7.62 and \$7.71 per cwt. and at Winnipeg \$6.11 and \$6.36 per cwt. respectively.

*Fishery Products.*—Gains for salt spring mackerel and for certain grades of canned salmon influenced the index more than losses for dry shore cod fish, fresh haddock and halibut, and the index for this series rose from 70·9 to 71·5. Salmon price movements were varied. Due chiefly to a substantial carryover of chums from 1934 the British Columbia pack of canned salmon declined about 49,000 cases. All grades did not share in this decrease, and considerable gains for pinks and cohoes were reported, although the pack of sockeyes and chums was lower. Salmon landings at 1,422,000 cwt. were between 8,000 and 9,000 cwt. greater than in 1934. Unsettled conditions in the export market situation for dried fish served as a curb on the cod catch which at 1,523,000 cwt. aggregated 191,000 cwt. below the previous year's figures.

The wholesale selling price of salt spring mackerel rose from \$6.58 to \$7.67 per barrel f.o.b. Maritime points. Price paid to fishermen for dry shore cod fish declined from \$4.49 to \$4.09 per quintal at Halifax. Sockeye salmon fell from \$15.17 to \$15.00 per case at Montreal and cohoes quoted on the same basis rose from \$8.58 to \$9.22 per case.

*Furs.*—Although quotations for lynx advanced sharply, recessions for other furs were of major importance and the index fell from 56·9 in 1934 to 51·7 in the following year. The number of pelts taken in Canada in 1935 aggregated 4,917,332 against 6,063,391 in 1934.

Beaver, I and II, extra large and large, declined from \$10.85 in 1934 to \$9.63 per skin in 1935. Silver fox,  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{3}{4}$  silver, moved down from \$40.83 to \$39.05 per pelt during the same period. Lynx, I and II, extra large and large, mounted from \$17.94 to \$25.56 per pelt.

*Milk and Its Products.*—Generally higher prices were paid to producers for fresh milk and the index for milk and its products advanced from 64.7 in 1934 to 68.2 in the following year. Total estimated production of fresh milk in 1935 aggregated 16,311,000,000 gallons or slightly below the 16,329,000,000 gallon total produced in the previous year. The output of nearly all milk products increased, the factory make of cheese rising from 99,347,000 pounds in 1934 to 100,360,000 pounds in the following year and creamery butter from 234,853,000 pounds to 238,855,000 pounds during the same period. Creamery butter in storage at the end of the year amounted to 31,751,000 pounds or 0.7 p.c. less than at the close of 1934. The estimated make of dairy butter declined almost 3,000,000 pounds during 1935 to 106,949,000 pounds. Average prices paid to producers for fresh milk, delivered at dairy at specified centres, for 1934 and 1935 were as follows: Charlottetown 12.7c. and 15.6c. per gallon; Toronto \$1.55 and \$1.73 per 8 gallon can; Regina 17.5c. and 18.5c. per gallon, and Vancouver 43.0c. and 53.0c. per pound butterfat. Fresh milk delivered at railway station averaged \$1.58 and \$1.70 per 100 pounds at Montreal and \$1.57 and \$1.67 per 100 pounds at Winnipeg in 1934 and 1935 respectively. Quotations for creamery butter for these years averaged 24.3c. and 24.9c. per pound at Montreal, 24.7c. and 25.1c. per pound at Toronto and 24.5c. and 25.3c. per pound at Vancouver. New large cheese at Montreal advanced from 10.4c. to 11.5c. per pound. The same grade, Toronto, delivered at the nearest railway station, in quantities of 40 pounds or more was 12.8c. in 1934 against 13.6c. per pound in 1935.

*Eggs.*—Average price changes were slight and the index for eggs at 60.5 for 1935 was only 0.3 above that for last year. In the early months unusually heavy receipts of fresh supplies were reported, but gradual adjustments followed. Production estimated at 223,540,000 dozen showed a rise of 268,000 dozen over the previous year. Cold storage holdings at the close of the year at 1,252,274 dozen were 64 p.c. less than at the close of 1934. Eggs, Grade "A" Large, averaged 31.5c. in 1934 and 31.2c. per dozen in 1935 at Montreal, and 29.7c. and 29.3c. per dozen for these respective years at Toronto. This same grade rose from 21.2c. to 22.0c. per dozen at Saskatoon, and from 23.2c. to 27.4c. per dozen at Calgary.

*Hides and Skins.*—Higher quotations for practically all classes of hides and skins advanced this index from 57.7 in 1934 to 69.2 in 1935. Packer hides, native steers, rose from 9.4c. per pound in 1934 to 12.2c. per pound, basis Toronto freight, in 1935. Beef hides country cured, flat No. 1 and 2, moved up from an average of 4.6c. to 6.3c. and sheep skins, country cured, advanced from 68.9c. to 69.6c. per skin at Toronto between these two years.

*Leather Unmanufactured.*—Unmanufactured leather prices also moved upward, advancing an index from 77.7 in 1934 to 79.0 in the following year. Packer crops No. 1 and 2 rose from 30.5c. to 31.8c. per pound, basis f.o.b. distributing points. On the same basis, packer bends No. 1 and 2, mounted from 33.6c. to 36.0c. per pound for these respective years.

*Leather Manufactured.*—Unlike raw materials the index for manufactured leather dropped from 87.3 in 1934 to 81.2 in 1935.

Men's shoes averaged higher at \$3.76 per pair at factory in 1935, as compared with \$3.55 per pair in the previous year. On the other hand, women's shoes dropped from \$1.97 to \$1.80 per pair between 1934 and 1935.

*Fats.*—Gains in prices of lard at all points caused the index for oils and fats to rise from 57.8 in 1934 to 72.7 in the following year. Lard, pure, in tierces, was quoted at the following prices per pound, at specified Canadian cities: Montreal, 8.9c. in 1934 and 12.6c. in 1935; Toronto, 10.6c. and 14.2c.; Winnipeg, 10.6c. and 13.9c.; and Vancouver, 12.0c. and 14.0c. for 1934 and 1935 respectively.

## FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

An increase in world textile consumption occurred during 1935, with an extension in the use of wool and rayon being particularly marked. Wool and silk prices advanced, although cotton was cheaper, and the Canadian price index for all fibres, textiles and textile products dropped from 72.9 in 1934 to 70.2 in 1935.



*Cotton.*—The situation with regard to American cotton was overcast in the first half of the year by uncertainty as to the crop loan policy to be adopted by the A.A.A. In August a reduction was made from 12c. to 9c., but following a sharp break in prices, the loan level soon was reset at 10c. per pound. The probability of the sale of certain stocks, ineligible for cotton loans, below the pegged price caused a sharp decline in the price of raw cotton during March, followed by partial recovery in the ensuing month. A second decline to the year's low point, occurred in August as already noted, on the announcement of the new loan level and increased crop estimates. The market gradually strengthened toward the end of the year, influenced by the reduction in crop estimates and finished only a few points below the 1934 closing price.

With a decrease in world production during the year 1934-35, world stocks on July 31st totalled 13,904 thousand bales, the lowest figure since 1931-32. In spite of the fact that production is likely to increase, estimates for the year 1935-36 allowed for a still further reduction in world stocks by placing probable consumption as high as 26 million bales.

The average yearly price of raw cotton, upland middling, New York, dropped from 12·2c. per pound in 1934 to 11·9c. in 1935 and a Canadian index for raw cotton from 70·4 to 69·6. In contrast to the decline in price of American cotton, Egyptian cotton at London advanced sharply during the latter part of the year.

*Cotton Fabrics.*—A reduction during September and October in the prices of the majority of cotton fabrics included in the index was chiefly responsible for the decrease from 79·3 in the January price index to 72·0 in December and in the yearly average from 78·7 for 1934 to 76·4 for 1935.

*Wool.*—Decreased production accompanied by an extremely high rate of consumption contributed to the firm price position of wool. A drop of 83 million pounds in Australian output was largely responsible for a decline in world production from 3,314 million pounds in 1934 to 3,215 million pounds in 1935. Total exports of wool in grease from Canada amounted to 7,602,813 pounds, an increase of over 3 million pounds from 1934, while imports into Canada increased slightly, totalling 4,408,429 pounds. Canadian prices of raw wool advanced almost continuously from May until the end of the year. Averages for eastern bright,  $\frac{1}{4}$  blood, low or medium staple, rose from 14c. to 18c. per pound, while western domestic, semi-bright  $\frac{3}{8}$  blood, and western range, semi-bright,  $\frac{1}{2}$  blood rose from 13c. to 18c. and from 13c. to 19c. per pound for 1934 and 1935 respectively. The index for woollen yarns advanced from 79·6 in January to 84·5 in December and for woollen cloth from 72·3 to 75·8.

*Silk.*—Following moderate fluctuations during the first half of the year, the price of raw silk advanced rapidly during the latter half, influenced largely by reports of damage to the Japanese crop, and by a seasonal increase in demand. Silk consumption, although above the 1934 level, did not show an increase proportionate with the advance in other textiles. Production was lower, due to a 9·1 p.c. decrease in the Japanese crop. World stocks on December 31st stood at 195,000 bales, 34,000 bales less than in 1934. Raw silk prices in Canadian funds at New York advanced from \$1.71 per pound in January for special grand XX, 85 p.c., 13-15 deniers, to a peak price in November of \$2.34 and, for the same description, 20-22 deniers, from \$1.51 to \$2.25 per pound. The general index for raw silk, after declining slightly during the first three months of the year from the January level of 24·1, advanced as high as 34·9 in November and dropped again in December to 33·0, averaging 27·0 for the year as compared with 21·0 in 1934.

*Rayon.*—Rayon consumption continued to expand rapidly during 1935, with world production reaching a new high level of 966 million pounds. Canadian output accounted for 10 million pounds of this total, an increase of 14 p.c. over the previous year as compared with a 23 p.c. gain in world production. The use of rayon in the textile industry is steadily being extended and offers increasing competition to silk and cotton products. After remaining steady in the first three quarters of the year, the price index for rayon yarns declined from 50·8 to 49·6 in October, averaging 50·5 for the year as compared with 56·1 in 1934.

*Miscellaneous Fibre Products.*—The index for this group advanced from 49·9 in January to 51·9 in December with a yearly average of 50·9 as compared with 51·5 in 1934. Comparative 1934 and 1935 average prices for three of the commodities included in the index were as follows: raw jute, 1st mark, \$4.27 and \$4.33 per cwt., Manila hemp, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  p.c. fair current, 3·8c. and 5·9c. per pound, and Mexican sisal current shipment, 3·6c. and 4·1c. per pound.

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## WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER

The index for wood and its products declined from 64·6 to 63·9 during the first six months of the year, then advanced to 65·9 in December, averaging 64·6, slightly below the 1934 index of 65·4. The most important price variations comprised advances in pine and cedar lumber and declines in spruce lumber and wood pulp.

*Newsprint.*—World production of newsprint established a new high record during 1935 with total output reaching 7,628,000 tons. Canadian production accounted for 36 p.c. of the total and increased 6 p.c. from the previous year, while exports from Canada amounted to over 51 million cwt., an increase of 3 million cwt. Prices remained unchanged at the low point reached in 1934 with the Canadian quotation for newsprint rolls, f.o.b. mills at \$1.66 per cwt.

*Wood Pulp.*—In contrast to the smaller amount of all grades of wood pulp exported from Canada during 1934, exports in 1935 increased appreciably, amounting to 13,249,492 cwt. as compared with 12,112,818 cwt. in the previous year. Comparative average prices, 1934 and 1935, for unbleached sulphite, newsgrade, were \$38.86 and \$37.60 per ton and for ground-wood pulp, No. 1, \$20.90 and \$19.15 per ton respectively.

*Lumber and Timber.*—Increased export trade and brisker domestic demand served to strengthen lumber prices in 1935. A decrease in the value of lumber and timber exports to the United Kingdom was more than offset by an \$8,000,000 increase in exports to the United States, and the reduction at the end of the year in the general tariff on Canadian lumber from \$4 to \$2 per thousand feet, was expected to facilitate trade during 1936. Total exports were valued at \$50,180,178 as compared with \$45,034,824 in 1934. Log production for the year was estimated at 2,500,000,000, the highest figure since 1929.

Comparative average prices for 1934 and 1935, for certain grades of lumber were as follows: Canadian white pine, No. 1 cuts, \$89.58 and \$92.50 per thousand bd. ft., merchantable sawn spruce deals, 3" x 3"—3" x 6", \$18.21 and \$15.08 per thousand bd. ft., fir, No. 1 common, 3" x 4" — 4" x 12", \$17.25 and \$15.29 per thousand bd. ft. and cedar shingles, No. 1, \$2.01 and \$2.43 per thousand.

*Furniture.*—Price advances in all the items included in the furniture group occurred during the last four months of the year and raised the index to 70·7 in December. The average for the year was 66·8 as compared with 65·7 in 1934.

## IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS

With production and demand both increasing, iron and steel prices remained at practically stable levels, and the total index for iron and its products at 87·2 compared with 87·0 for the previous year. Continued expansion in the Canadian steel industry during the year reflected to a great extent increased activity in automobile and farm implement manufacture, and in the building trades. Production of steel ingots and castings and of pig iron amounted to 935,682 and 599,794 long tons respectively, an increase of 23 p.c. and 48 p.c. from the preceding year, while exports of iron and steel from Canada reached their highest level since 1918, accounting for more than 10 p.c. of total domestic output. World production of steel, although still well below the peak production of 1929, totalled 95 million tons, a figure 20 p.c. in advance of that for 1934. Foundry pig iron, No. 1, moved up from \$20.46 per gross ton in 1934 to \$20.50 per gross ton, f.o.b. sellers' works, in the following year.

*Rolling Mill Products.*—With advances in the prices of tin plate, steel tank plate and steel sheets, the index for this group rose from 90·9 in 1934 to 92·0 in 1935. Comparative prices of the above items for the two years were as follows: steel tank plates, \$1.76 and \$1.81 per cwt., light cold rolled sheets, No. 20, U.S. gauge, \$2.89 and \$2.97 per cwt., steel sheets, galvanized, No. 24, U.S. gauge, \$3.81 and \$4.01 per cwt., steel sheets, hot rolled and annealed, No. 10, \$3.15 and \$3.23 per cwt., tin plate, standard coke, \$5.83 and \$6.08 per box.

*Hardware.*—Continuing increase in sales volume was reported for 1935, with practically no change in prices. The Canadian hardware price index averaged 87·5 for the year as compared with 87·3 in 1934, and the only change in items included occurred in the case of wood screws and steel thumb latches with comparative January-December prices of 17·3c. and 16·3c. per gross, and \$1.27 and \$1.25 per dozen respectively.



## NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

A noteworthy rise in antimony prices together with lesser advances for copper, lead, zinc and silver brought the index for this group for 1935 up to 69.1 as compared with 64.3 in 1934.

*Copper.*—Definite improvement in the copper situation was recorded in 1935. Early in the year, seven of the greater copper interests agreed to a restriction program whereby world output would be reduced by approximately 20,000 tons per month, as from June 1, 1935. Canada sanctioned an agreement not to augment production materially, and the United States approved measures to keep exports at a minimum until advancing prices fully warranted an increase. Subsequently world stocks were reduced about 112,000 tons to a total of 410,000 tons at the close of the year. World consumption rose from 1,498,136 tons in 1934 to 1,795,578 tons in 1935 with higher totals recorded for all countries except Germany, Hungary, and Portugal.

Copper, electrolytic, domestic, rose from \$8.22 in 1934 to \$8.49 per cwt., carlots, f.o.b. Montreal in 1935. Copper sheets, carlots or less, f.o.b. Montreal, averaged 17.7c. in 1935 as against 16.4c. per pound in the previous year.

*Lead and Its Products.*—Price advances in lead came largely as a reaction to an improved statistical position. Consumption increased and the output was limited somewhat by an informal agreement among principal producers. Notable declines in production occurred in France, Greece and Spain, but in North American countries considerable gains were recorded. World consumption aggregated 1,426,700 metric tons, which was 82,000 tons in excess of the previous year's figure. This rise was ascribed to a greater demand for armament purposes, together with heavier purchases for cables and building requirements. In the United Kingdom monthly absorption towards the close of the year was estimated to be in the neighborhood of 30,000 tons.

Domestic lead advanced from \$3.41 to \$4.81 per cwt., carlots, f.o.b. Montreal. Lead pipe averaged 11.1c. per pound net at Montreal in 1935, compared with 11.3c. per pound in 1934.

*Silver.*—Speculative buying was very active in silver markets in the first half of the year. Early in February, lows, which were not again reached till the December collapse, were established at both New York and London. By the middle of February a definite reaction was apparent and the upward movement gathered momentum till April 26 when peak prices of 81c. in New York and 36½d. per ounce in London were reached. In the meantime (April 24) in order to compete with world markets, the United States Treasury advanced the price of newly mined silver to 77.57c. per ounce. As no further rise in the official United States price followed the records established on the 26th, weakness developed and the following day quotations at New York and London dropped sharply by 4½c. and 1½d. respectively. From then onward price movements were less erratic, being influenced still by the revised buying policy of the United States Treasury. World production of silver mounted from 184.4 millions ounces in 1934 to 208.0 millions in 1935. Of this amount, Canada contributed about 16.6 million ounces, almost the same as in 1934. Acquisitions by the United States government advanced from 307.1 millions in 1934 to 543.8 million ounces in 1935.

Fine silver at New York averaged 64.3c. per ounce (Canadian funds) in 1935 and 47.4c. per ounce in 1934.

*Tin.*—A persistent artificial shortage of spot tin was reported in 1935, and at times markets were seriously disturbed by this scarcity. As the tight position became more intense, quota allocations were raised during the second quarter to 45 p.c. of standard tonnages. This brought but little relief, and frequently extreme prices had to be paid in the London market for prompt delivery. Quotas continued to be raised at intervals till by January 1, 1936, the figure stood at 90 p.c. of allotted tonnages. Buffer stocks of over 8,000 tons were gradually liquidated during the latter part of the year. World visible supplies fell from 22,100 long tons at the end of 1934 to 13,800 long tons at the end of 1935. Tin ingots, Straits, averaged 56.9c. in 1934 and 55.5c. in 1935, per pound, f.o.b. Toronto.

*Zinc and Its Products.*—The generally upward movement in Canadian zinc prices was accelerated following the change in the basis of British duty on zinc from 10 p.c. ad valorem to 12½s. per ton. Production increased in most countries as no restriction measures were in force, although rumours of the renewal of the zinc cartel were prevalent from time to time. World output rose from 1,184,000 metric tons in 1934 to 1,349,000 tons in 1935, and consumption advanced from 1,159,000 tons to 1,351,100 tons during the same period.

Zinc, domestic, prime, western or g.o.b. grades averaged \$3.99 per cwt. in 1935 against \$4.06 per cwt., carlots, f.o.b. Montreal in 1934. The zinc sheet base price in 1-10 casks, f.o.b. Montreal, was 5.3c. as against 5.5c. per pound in 1934.

### NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Coal quotations averaged higher but clay and allied products, petroleum products, lime, sand and gravel, cement and asbestos prices were easier and the index for non-metallics moved down from 86.0 in 1934 to 85.5 in 1935.

*Building Brick and Other Clay Products.*—Minor downward revisions were recorded in prices of clay products. Production of building bricks at 93,348 M was over 7,000 M above the 1934 figure, reflecting the increase in building contracts awarded in 1935. These were valued at \$160,305,000 or 28 p.c. greater than in 1934. Sewer pipe prices were easier while production was valued at \$481,239 in 1935 as against \$436,433 in 1934. Hollow building tile 12" × 12" × 4" dropped from \$92.50 to \$90.00 per M f.o.b. plant (Quebec) carlots. Vitrified sewer pipe 6" at Toronto averaged 15.0c. per foot in 1935 as compared with 22.4c. per foot in the preceding year. Brick prices remained substantially unchanged.

*Coal.*—Advances were rather general for Canadian coal prices and were more than sufficient to offset declines for certain imported grades, so that the coal index rose from 90.0 in 1934 to 91.0 in 1935. Coal made available for consumption in Canada at 26,455,284 tons was about 862,000 tons less than in 1934. Production and exports exceeded the previous year's figures but imports were more than 800,000 tons less. American anthracite, egg, fell from \$12.12 to \$11.75 per gross ton, f.o.b. Toronto, carlots. Welsh cobbles moved down from \$12.75 to \$12.13 per gross ton, ex yard, Montreal. Run-of-mine domestic, f.o.b. mines B.C. rose from \$3.50 to \$3.79 per ton. No. 1 buckwheat Welsh anthracite mounted from \$8.88 to \$9.08 per gross ton ex yard Montreal.

*Coke.*—Quotations for coke were easier in 1935. Canadian production at 2,282,411 tons showed a gain of approximately 39,000 tons over 1934 and imports aggregated 930,221 tons in 1935 as against 523,858 tons in 1934. Metallurgical coke f.o.b. plant, British Columbia declined from \$6.00 in 1934 to \$5.73 per ton in 1935. Coke for domestic use, quoted on the same basis, moved down from \$7.54 to \$7.25 per ton during this period.

*Petroleum and Its Products.*—Reductions in prices of gasoline and coal oil were of greater significance than advances for fuel oil, and the index for the petroleum sub-group moved down from 76.3 in 1934 to 74.9 in the following year. Recessions in the prices of gasoline and coal oil in 1935 were occasioned by keen competition in major Canadian centres, while conditions in the United States also had a bearing on the Canadian outlook. The abandonment of the oil code exercised an unsettling effect upon markets, and this was further augmented by a continued production of crude oil largely in excess of demand. Imports into Canada of crude petroleum, in its natural state, .7900 specific gravity or heavier, at 60°, aggregated 1,156,788,480 gallons as against 1,072,327,425 gallons in 1934. Crude oil, Salt Creek, rose from \$2.95 in 1934 to \$2.97 per barrel f.o.b. Regina in 1935. Motor gasoline tank wagon prices, per gallon, for 1934 and 1935 were as follows at various Canadian centres: Halifax 18.6c. and 18.0c.; Montreal 18.0c. and 16.1c.; Toronto 16.3c. and 15.8c.; Vancouver 20.8c. and 19.5c. Quotations were unchanged at the following centres: Winnipeg 21.7c.; Regina 23.0c. and Calgary 22.5c. Price changes in coal oil occurred at Halifax when quotations dropped from 20.9c. to 19.5c. per gallon and at Toronto from 17.5c. to 17.3c. per gallon.

*Lime.*—The index for lime fell 2.4 p.c. during 1935 to 99.7, influenced by price recessions in Ontario. Increases in the output from all provinces brought the Dominion total to 406,225 tons or 29,000 tons greater than in 1934. Quicklime, f.o.b. plant, Ontario, fell from \$3.50 in 1934 to \$7.50 per ton in 1935.

*Cement.*—Continued stability both as to price and volume was apparent in cement. In 1935, sales of 3,648,086 tons valued at \$5,580,043 were made as compared with 3,783,226 tons valued at \$5,667,946 in the previous year. Cement was quoted at \$1.70 at Montreal, \$2.10 at Toronto, \$2.68 at Winnipeg, \$3.35 at Regina and \$2.49 per barrel (exclusive of sacks and discount) at Vancouver. These were the same prices as obtained in 1934.

*Asbestos and Its Products.*—Firm prices and increased production featured the asbestos industry in 1935. Output advanced from 155,980 tons in 1934 to 210,467 tons in the following year.

Asbestos, crude No. 1, averaged the same as last year at \$500.00 per ton, f.o.b. mine. Asbestos mill board fell from \$9.00 to \$8.67 per cwt., Eastern Canada.

### CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

Easier prices predominated in all the sub-divisions of the Chemicals and Allied Products group except organic chemicals and industrial gases, and the index fell from 81.2 in 1934 to 79.1 in 1935.

*Inorganic Chemicals.*—Slightly easier prices obtained for the majority of commodities in this series. Production generally was higher and in the case of sulphuric acid reached the greatest level on record at 222,410 tons. Lump alum dropped from \$2.12 to \$2.04 per cwt., in barrels, ton lots, ex wharf Montreal or Saint John. Copper sulphate crystals declined from \$3.69 to \$3.63 per cwt., in 5 ton lots, c.i.f. ocean ports.

*Organic Chemicals.*—Organic chemical prices again moved forward and brought the index from 74.3 in 1934 to 75.9 in 1935. Wood alcohol, 97 p.c., advanced from 65.4c. to 75.0c. per gallon f.o.b. Montreal. Refined glycerine in drum lots at Toronto, averaged 1c. higher at 14.8c. per pound.

*Dyeing and Tanning Materials.*—The index for this group fell 1.5 points from 107.2 in 1934 to 105.7. The major decline occurred in tanstuffs which registered a recession of 3.1 points to 108.9 in 1935. Auromine O (yellow) declined from 77.8c. in 1934 to 77.0c. per pound in 500 pound barrels f.o.b. warehouse. Hemlock extract, liquid dropped from \$5.13 to \$4.86 per 100 pounds in 1-5 barrel lots f.o.b. Montreal, during this period.

*Paint Materials.*—A drop of 4.2 points was registered by this series which averaged 74.4 for 1935. The value of Canadian production of paints, pigments and varnishes rose \$1,143,000 to \$20,031,000 in 1935. Pure white paint, first quality, averaged \$3.33 per gallon at Montreal as compared with \$3.55 per gallon in 1934. Coloured paints, quoted on the same basis, fell from \$3.35 to \$3.20 per gallon.

*Fertilizers.*—A fractional decline changed the index for fertilizers from 75.9 in 1934 to 75.8 for the following year. Production showed further expansion and the value at \$5,948,000 was over \$480,000 greater than in 1934. Sulphate of potash, 50 p.c.  $K_2O$  dropped from \$54.00 to \$50.00 per ton carlots freight prepaid Quebec. Bone meal 3 p.c. N 21 p.c.  $TP_2O_5$  fell from \$37.61 to \$35.00 per ton, carlots freight prepaid Ontario.

*Explosives.*—Lower prices for dynamite were largely responsible for the index for explosives moving down from 83.4 in 1934 to 77.9 in the following year. Gunpowder, black, sporting was unchanged at \$8.46 per 25 pound keg, f.o.b. Beloeil, Quebec. Dynamite 40 p.c. gelatin, dropped from \$12.60 to \$11.75 per 100 pounds carlots f.o.b. factory.



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1932-1935

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS</b>									
Fruits, Fresh, Dried and Canned..			54.8		59.3		66.6		67.3
Fruits, Fresh.....			90.2		76.7		81.4		77.1
Bananas.....	per pound	.065	89.1	.054	74.8	.053	80.3	.048	77.3
Bananas <sup>(1)</sup> .....	7 hands	1.206	72.3	1.233	74.0	2.971	85.7	2.892	72.7
Lemons, 300's.....	per bunch								
Oranges, 90's-360's.....	per box	6.116	141.9	6.594	153.0	5.377	124.8	5.081	117.9
	per case	5.392	87.9	4.596	72.4	4.929	77.6	4.579	72.1
<b>Fruits, Dried</b>									
			94.9		85.6		86.6		82.6
Currants, Australian, 2 Crown...	per pound					.112	89.2	.101	80.5
Currants, Australian, 3 Crown...	"	.124	111.0	.120	107.2	.117	104.6	.109	97.4
Raisins, Thompson's seedless...	"	.136	104.3	.114	87.3	.118	90.4	.125	95.7
Raisins, Australian, 3 Crown...	"					.109		.099	
Prunes, California, 50's-60's <sup>(2)</sup> ...	"	.077	64.7	.090	76.1	.108	83.2	.099	76.3
<b>Fruits, Canned</b>									
			74.3		68.7		68.5		70.0
Peaches, 2's, heavy syrup, stand-									
ard <sup>(3)</sup> .....	per dozen	1.575	78.8	1.580	79.0	1.604	80.2	1.604	80.2
Cherries, 2's, heavy syrup, red,	"	1.404	70.2	1.280	64.0	1.288	64.4	1.329	66.5
pitted <sup>(3)</sup> .....	"	2.110	71.5	1.760	59.3	1.833	62.1	1.675	56.8
Raspberries, 2's, heavy syrup,	"					3.825		3.950	
red <sup>(3)</sup> .....	"					.428		.428	
Corn Syrup.....	case					.639		.658	
Orange Marmalade.....	4 lb. tins								
Strawberry Jam.....	"								
<b>Grains</b>									
			39.3		44.3		54.9		58.8
Barley, No. 3 C.W.....	per bushel	.349	56.2	.352	56.7	.464	74.7	.396	63.7
Barley, No. 4 C.W.....	"	.325	55.5	.327	55.9	.444	75.9	.360	61.5
Barley, Ontario, good malting...	"	.277	61.0	.364	58.9	.486	78.7	.588	83.2
Barley, No. 6.....	"	.287	52.0	.304	55.1	.410	74.4	.334	60.6
Corn, American yellow, No. 2.....	"	.755	90.4	.842	100.8	1.035	124.0	1.239	148.4
Corn, American yellow, No. 3.....	"	.746	90.8	.830	101.0	1.028	125.1	1.228	149.5
Flax, No. 1 C.W.....	"	.820	41.2	1.187	59.6	1.498	75.2	1.359	68.2
Flax, No. 2 C.W.....	"	.780	40.0	1.147	58.8	1.458	74.7	1.319	67.6
Flax, No. 3 C.W.....	"	.615	34.3	1.002	55.9	1.353	75.5	1.178	65.7
Oats, No. 2 C.W.....	"	.291	53.1	.295	53.8	.386	70.4	.385	70.2
Oats, No. 3 C.W.....	"	.266	56.0	.271	57.1	.357	75.2	.341	71.8
Oats, No. 3 C.W.....	"	.252	55.8	.275	60.9	.364	80.5	.324	71.7
Oats, Ontario.....	"	.252	55.4	.263	57.8	.347	76.2	.322	70.8
Oats, No. 1 feed Western.....	"	.237	55.7	.244	57.3	.322	78.0	.294	69.1
Oats, No. 2 feed Western.....	"	1.038	84.7	1.083	88.4	1.175	95.9	1.108	90.4
Peas, No. 2 white, Ontario.....	"	.368	39.7	.422	47.7	.538	58.0	.442	47.7
Rye, No. 2 C.W.....	"	.340	39.0	.413	47.3	.501	57.4	.403	46.2
Rye, No. 3 C.W.....	"	.330	38.8	.398	46.8	.478	56.2	.373	43.9
Rye, rejected.....	"	.390	44.8	.371	42.6	.502	57.7	.459	48.5
Wheat, No. 2 Ontario.....	"	.475	36.3	.673	51.5	.881	67.4	.779	59.6
Wheat, No. 1 Manitoba North-	"	.556	37.2	.610	40.8	.748	50.0	.844	56.5
ern.....	"	.525	36.4	.588	40.8	.715	49.6	.814	56.4
Wheat, No. 2 Manitoba North-	"	.498	35.7	.570	40.9	.694	49.8	.769	55.2
ern.....	"								
<b>Flour and Other Milled Products</b>									
			56.0		58.3		68.3		69.8
Flour, spring, No. 1 patent,									
Montreal.....	per 2-98's								
	jute	4.812	54.6	5.090	57.7	5.500	62.4	5.425	61.5
Flour, No. 1 patent, at Winnipeg.	per bbl.					4.758		5.192	
Flour, spring, No. 2 patent,									
Montreal.....	per 2-98's	4.212	50.6	4.480	53.8	4.975	59.8	5.017	60.3
	jute					4.458		4.867	
Flour, No. 2 patent, at Winnipeg.	per bbl.	2.428	41.5	2.974	50.9	3.928	67.2	3.662	62.6
Flour, Ontario.....									
Oatmeal.....	per 98 lb.	2.791	77.7	2.980	83.0	3.238	90.1	3.162	88.0
	sack								
Rolled oats.....	per 90 lb.	2.533	77.2	2.700	82.2	2.942	89.6	2.858	87.1
	sack								
Corn Meal.....	per 98's								
	jute	.817	75.0	.810	74.3	2.679		2.900	
Malt.....	per bushel	19.667	50.3	19.330	49.5	25.000	64.0	24.25	62.0
Gluten Meal.....	per ton	19.366	65.5	18.320	61.9	23.879	80.7	23.95	81.0
Bran, Manitoba.....	"	20.669	65.6	19.380	61.5	24.918	79.1	25.15	79.8
Shorts, Manitoba.....	"								

(1) Per 100 pounds in 1934.

(2) Previous to 1934, 60's-70's.

(3) Squats in 1934 and 1935.



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1932-1935—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Bakery Products.....									
Bread, plain white, Halifax.....	per pound	81.8		81.7		82.8		83.0	
Bread, plain white, Saint John.....	"	81.9		81.9		81.9		81.9	
Bread, plain white, Montreal.....	"	78.8		78.8		73.8		75.0	
Bread, plain white, Toronto.....	"	77.2		77.2		81.9		81.9	
Bread, plain white, Winnipeg.....	"	90.1		90.1		90.1		90.1	
Bread, plain white, Regina.....	"	83.3		83.3		83.3		83.3	
Bread, plain white, Calgary.....	"	77.8		67.6		68.7		69.4	
Bread, plain white, Vancouver.....	"	80.9		67.2		60.9		62.4	
Biscuits, soda.....	"	73.6		76.6		79.6		79.6	
		112		114		115		129	
Vegetable Oils.....									
Cottonseed oil, refined.....	per pound	57.6		56.1		56.3		70.8	
Linseed oil, raw.....	per gallon	67.7		58.4		58.4		70.5	
Cocanut oil, Manila.....	per cwt.	532		640		747		70.8	
Olive oil, Italian <sup>(1)</sup> .....	per 128 fluid ozs.	4.671		4.260		3.445		5.607	
		1.715		1.680		1.610		1.624	
Peanut oil, oriental crude.....	per cwt.	76.7		69.8		85.1		85.8	
Chinawood oil.....	per pound	5.275		4.950		4.138		6.687	
Soya Bean oil, crude.....	per cwt.	52.9		57.1		67.1		127.2	
Palm oil, crude.....	"					5.375		5.456	
						3.292		5.05	
Rubber and Its Products.....									
Rubber, raw, plantation, Ceylon, ribbed smoked sheets.....	per pound	51.7		53.4		55.7		56.8	
Rubber, raw, plantation, standard latex thick crepe.....	"	0.039		0.064		0.128		0.124	
Rubber, raw, upriver, fine, Para.....	"	8.0		13.1		26.2		25.4	
Rubbers, men's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	per pair	0.048		0.071		0.141		0.126	
Rubbers, women's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	"	9.7		14.4		28.5		25.5	
Rubber tires, balloon, 4.75-19 <sup>(2)</sup> .....		0.069		0.086		0.105		0.103	
Rubber tires, balloon, 5.50-17 <sup>(3)</sup> .....		15.9		19.8		24.2		23.7	
Tubes, B19 <sup>(2)</sup> .....		0.673		0.687		0.686		0.686	
Tubes, C17 <sup>(3)</sup> .....									
		6.798		7.070		5.598		5.98	
		11.230		11.630		11.921		11.99	
						1.255		1.81	
						1.836		2.21	
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose.....									
Sugar, granulated, Montreal.....	per cwt.	73.9		97.8		93.9		82.7	
Sugar, granulated, Vancouver.....	"	4.378		5.823		5.557		4.832	
Sugar, yellow, No. 1, Montreal.....	"	73.5		97.7		93.3		81.1	
Sugar, yellow, No. 3, Vancouver.....	"	4.094		5.538		5.392		4.698	
Glucose, 44°, Beaume.....	"	5.272		99.3		94.5		81.5	
Molasses, Barbados, extra fancy.....	per gallon	5.023				4.681		4.388	
Sugar, raw, preferential, B.W.I.....	per cwt.	4.681		114.1		118.5		4.404	
Sugar, raw, Vancouver.....	"	4.34		83.1		92.5		4.31	
		1.973				40.0		1.899	
		2.415						2.282	
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.....									
Cocoa beans, green, Estates Trinidad.....	per pound	66.7		63.6		71.7		70.7	
Cocoa beans, Grenada.....	"	0.066		0.059		0.076		0.068	
Cocoa beans, Jamaica.....	"	46.3		41.2		53.0		47.5	
Cocoa beans, Accra, good, fermented.....	"					0.059		0.064	
Chocolate liquor, cheapest grade.....	"	0.070		0.067		0.072		0.070	
Chocolate liquor, best grade.....	"	60.6		58.4		62.8		61.0	
Cocoa butter, imported.....	"	190		130		110		110	
Coffee, green, Santos, good quality.....	"	240		190		170		170	
Coffee, green, Bogota, good quality.....	"	109		43.3		134		134	
Coffee, green, Jamaica, good quality.....	"	183		63.9		59.8		56.1	
Coffee, green, Kenya, best.....	"	245		61.0		59.9		56.7	
Coffee, green, African, medium.....	"	168		66.0		62.0		56.4	
Tea, Pekoe, Ceylon and India.....	"					253		246	
Tea, Japan, choice to medium.....	"	325		63.5		82.1		82.6	
Black pepper.....	"	485		82.2		82.2		450	
		208		186		204		179	

<sup>1</sup> Previous to 1934—per gallon.<sup>2</sup> Previous to 1935—4.40-21.<sup>3</sup> Previous to 1935—5.25-21.

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(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Vegetables.....			40.3		53.7		45.7		46.0
Potatoes.....			26.0		44.4		33.9		33.4
Potatoes, Canada "A", Charlottetown.....	per 90-lb. bag	.338	20.3	.556	33.4	.564	33.9	.418	25.1
Potatoes, Halifax.....		.717	30.2	.960	40.4	.933	39.3	.763	32.1
Potatoes, Canada "A", Saint John.....	per cwt.	.674	22.7	.987	33.2	.919	30.9	.753	25.4
Potatoes, Quebec whites.....	per 90-lb. bag	.548	23.2	.790	42.1	.701	37.4	.671	35.8
Potatoes, Ontario.....		.600	22.1	1.030	37.9	.931	23.2	.706	26.0
Potatoes, Manitoba.....	per cwt.	.571	43.3	.980	74.2	.612	46.4	.599	45.4
Potatoes, Canada "B", Vancouver.....		.542	27.0	.810	40.3	.775	38.5	.729	36.3
Onions.....			91.1		73.5		71.7		81.0
Onions, Ontario.....		2.084	85.8	1.835	75.5	1.664	68.5	1.758	72.3
Onions, British Columbia.....		2.106	103.7	1.397	68.8	1.613	79.5	2.084	101.7
Canned Vegetables.....			68.2		76.1		73.4		72.2
Canned corn, 2's standard, Ontario.....	per dozen	.789	68.6	.850	73.9	.804	69.9	.875	76.1
Canned peas, 2's standard, No. 4.....		.844	65.8	1.005	78.3	1.063	82.9	.931	72.6
Canned tomatoes, 2 1/2's standard.....		.857	69.3	.940	76.0	.883	67.3	.779	62.9
Baked beans, 18 ounce tins.....						1.113		1.150	
<b>Tobacco</b>									
Tobacco.....			44.6		43.4		41.4		42.6
Tobacco, Ontario, burley.....	per pound	.100	45.5	.108	48.9	.090	50.0	.093	51.7
Tobacco, light cigarette, high grade.....		.240	41.4	.233	40.1	.275	47.4	.292	50.3
Tobacco, light pipe.....		.250	50.0	.209	41.8	.214	42.8	.224	44.8
Tobacco, mahogany pipe.....		.220	48.9	.164	36.4	.160	35.6	.169	37.6
Tobacco, dark pipe.....		.180	51.4	.083	23.6	.084	24.0	.121	34.6
Tobacco, dark type, air cured, high grade.....		.100	35.7	.089	31.8	.093	33.0	.085	30.4
Tobacco, dark type, fired, high grade.....		.125	41.7	.110	36.7	.113	37.5	.105	35.0
Tobacco, No. 1, Quebec leaf.....						.113		.113	
<b>Miscellaneous</b>									
Hay, timothy, No. 2, Quebec.....	per ton	9.063	62.7	10.000	69.2	12.833	88.8	10.167	70.3
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Quebec.....		7.000	56.2	8.320	66.8	11.000	88.3	8.625	69.2
Hay, timothy, No. 2—good No. 2, Ontario.....		12.189	73.2	9.522	57.2	16.078	96.6	13.495	81.1
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Ontario.....		10.531	70.5	7.828	52.4	14.271	95.5	11.542	77.3
Hay, alfalfa, Ontario.....		12.178	67.2	9.800	54.1	16.542	96.7	14.750	59.5
Hay, Saskatoon.....		11.833	67.7	11.167	54.5	12.479	59.1	12.250	56.0
Hay, Edmonton.....		10.667	59.9	9.625	54.1	6.167	57.7	9.917	92.9
Straw, oat, Montreal.....		5.042	71.5	5.325	75.5	7.478	106.1	5.542	78.6
Straw, wheat, baled, Toronto.....		7.438	71.2	6.438	61.6	9.820	94.0	9.375	89.7
Straw, oat, baled, Toronto.....		6.875	67.8	5.917	58.3	8.606	84.8	8.563	84.4
Straw, wheat, Edmonton.....		4.333	49.1	2.841	32.2	2.875	32.5	3.250	36.8
Straw, oat, Edmonton.....		4.333	41.3	3.000	28.6	3.167	30.2	4.375	41.7
Rosin.....	per barrel	8.079	45.7	7.260	41.1	8.133	46.1	8.775	49.7
Turpentine.....	per gallon	.806	59.1	.790	57.9	.829	60.7	.804	58.9
Starch, laundry.....	per pound	.078	97.0	.076	95.0	.080	100.0	.083	103.8
Vinegar, pure spirit, XXX grade.....	per gallon	.250	73.5	.259	76.2	.272	80.0	.272	80.0
Rice, Rangoon "B".....	per cwt.	3.100	71.6	2.892	66.8	2.862	66.1	2.791	64.5
Rice, Japan.....		4.209	59.2	3.919	55.2	3.353	47.2	3.570	50.3
Rice, Chinese Peking.....		3.675	69.8	3.269	62.1	3.392	64.5	3.961	75.3
Rice, Blue Rose.....						5.212		4.720	
Tapioca, Singapore, medium pearl.....	per pound	.058	87.3	.064	97.1	.070	106.2	.070	106.2
Tapioca, Penang.....		.055	90.7	.062	101.8	.068	111.7	.068	111.7

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Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>									
Fishery Products			59.7		59.4		67.2		70.4
Dry shore cod fish	per quintal	3.448	63.9	3.330	62.9	4.489	70.9		71.5
Cod, fresh steak, headless (1)	per pound		62.5		60.5		81.6	4.094	74.4
Mackerel, salt, spring	per barrel	6.250	47.4	4.730	35.9	6.583	24.9	7.667	29.0
Smoked herring	box	1.833	91.6	1.750	87.5	1.688	84.4	1.500	75.0
Smoked nanan haddie	per pound	.080	89.3	.077	85.9	.094	104.9	.088	98.2
Sole, fresh	"							.055	
Smoked filets, cod	"	.092	70.1	.077	58.9	.106	81.0	.093	71.1
Haddock, fresh	"	.043	72.7	.043	72.7	.051	86.2	.045	76.1
Filets of haddock, fresh (1)	"							.108	
Whitefish (fresh and frozen)	"	.103	75.5	.109	80.0	.120	88.1	.119	87.3
Halibut, No. 1	per cwt.	6.275	41.6	6.475	43.0	7.110	47.2	7.075	47.0
Salmon, canned, sockeye	per case	14.268	76.2	14.410	77.0	15.169	81.0	14.995	80.1
Salmon, canned, coho	"	9.596	70.2	9.080	66.4	8.579	62.8	9.220	67.5
Salmon, canned, pinks	"	4.657	62.1	4.690	62.5	5.198	69.3	5.402	72.0
Salmon, canned, chums	"	4.067	65.7	3.850	62.2	4.509	72.8	4.226	68.2
Lobsters, canned	"	16.396	54.7	16.080	53.6	21.375	71.3	22.583	75.3
<b>Furs</b>									
Beaver	per skin	14.095	51.3		55.7		56.9		51.7
Weasel	"	.682	49.5	11.793	41.4	10.852	38.1	9.331	32.7
Red fox	"	7.594	31.8	.583	27.1	.774	36.0	.678	31.6
Silver fox	"	34.934	52.6	7.375	51.1	8.000	55.4	6.850	47.4
White fox	"	19.750	45.9	39.250	51.6	40.828	53.7	39.048	51.3
Marten	"	9.362	54.1	24.300	66.6	24.350	66.7	17.792	48.7
Mink	"	8.276	53.5	12.542	71.7	11.900	68.1	11.672	66.8
Lynx	"	18.250	47.9	9.643	55.9	11.638	67.4	9.750	56.5
Muskrat, spring	"	1.198	78.9	18.917	81.8	17.938	77.6	25.563	110.5
Muskrat, fall and winter	"	.565	56.2	.760	35.6	1.158	54.3	1.119	52.5
	"		36.1	.430	27.4	.831	53.0	.885	56.5
<b>Hides and Skins</b>									
Beef hides, country cured	per pound	.031	37.0		56.4		57.7		69.2
Packer hides, native steers	"	.057	33.0	.041	30.8	.046	34.6	.063	47.4
Packer hides, native cows	"		42.6	.095	70.5	.094	69.8	.122	90.6
Calf skins, city cured	"					.080		.096	
Sheep skins, city cured	per skin	.045	29.2	.103	34.8	.085	28.7	.105	35.5
Sheep skins, country cured	"	.583	30.9	.808	69.5	.922	79.3	.817	70.2
	"	.450	32.3	.471	90.1	.689	131.7	.696	133.1
<b>Leather (Unmanufactured)</b>									
Packer Crops, No. I and II	per pound		78.1		79.3		77.7		79.0
Packer Crops, No. III	"					.305	79.1	.318	82.4
Packer Bends, No. I and II	"					.235		.298	
Packer Bends, No. III	"					.336		.360	
Shoulders	"					.309		.328	
Bellies	"					.234		.233	
Box sides, B	"					.183		.186	
Harness leather, No. 1	per foot	.195	74.3	.209	79.6	.206	78.5	.212	80.8
Gun metal calf, M No. 1	per pound	.360	81.2	.365	82.3	.358	80.8	.360	81.2
	per foot	.318	78.7	.313	77.4	.321	79.4	.312	77.1
<b>Leather (Manufactured)</b>									
Women's shoes	per pair		90.6		89.4		87.3		85.3
Men's shoes	"	2.309	93.3	2.284	92.3	1.966	85.6	1.795	81.2
	"					3.549	87.5	3.761	87.3
<b>Live Stock</b>									
Steers, Toronto, over 1,050 lbs.	per cwt.	5.511	61.2		55.3		69.4		79.4
Steers, Winnipeg, over 1,050 lbs.	"	4.589	75.2	4.630	63.2	5.506	75.1	6.438	87.8
Calves, good veal, Toronto	"	6.407	76.6	3.670	61.3	4.180	69.8	5.362	89.5
Calves, good veal, Winnipeg	"	5.167	54.4	6.200	52.7	6.609	56.2	7.733	65.7
Hogs, bacon, Montreal	"	4.888	69.3	4.840	64.9	4.973	66.7	5.789	77.6
Hogs, bacon, Toronto	"	4.696	36.1	5.880	43.4	8.724	64.4	8.982	66.3
Hogs, bacon, Winnipeg	"	3.963	35.3	5.540	41.6	8.608	64.6	8.973	67.4
Lambs, good handyweight, Montreal	"		32.6	4.810	39.5	7.728	63.5	8.001	65.7
Lambs, good handyweight, Toronto	"	5.962	50.2	6.170	52.1	6.985	58.9	7.536	63.6
Lambs, good handyweight, Winnipeg	"	6.769	51.9	6.920	53.0	7.622	58.4	7.706	59.0
	"	5.443	50.2	5.320	49.0	6.108	56.3	6.355	58.6

(1) New item.



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		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Meats and Poultry.....			53.4		52.5		67.9		70.6
Meats, Fresh.....			60.7		55.6		65.4		73.8
Beef, carcass, good steer beef, Montreal.....	per pound	.106	76.8	.089	64.5	.099	71.7	.114	82.6
Beef, carcass, good steer beef, Toronto.....	"	.110	82.7	.094	70.7	.092	80.0	.108	93.9
Beef, carcass, good steer beef, Winnipeg.....	"	.094	75.8	.079	63.6	.076	61.2	.084	67.6
Beef, carcass, good steer beef, Vancouver.....	"	.113	88.4	.089	69.6	.096	75.1	.113	88.4
Beef, carcass, good cow beef, Montreal.....	"	.081	71.1	.067	59.1	.074	65.3	.081	71.5
Beef, carcass, good cow beef, Toronto.....	"	.078	72.6	.066	61.9	.063	72.4	.076	87.4
Beef, carcass, good cow beef, Winnipeg.....	"	.065	67.3	.048	49.5	.047	48.5	.058	59.8
Beef, carcass, good cow beef, Vancouver.....	"	.082	81.5	.063	62.5	.071	70.4	.075	74.4
Veal, good veal carcass, Montreal.....	"	.099	58.5	.094	55.3	.098	57.6	.107	62.9
Veal, good veal carcass, Toronto.....	"	.105	53.8	.093	47.7	.089	50.8	.121	62.1
Veal, good veal carcass, Winnipeg.....	"	.098	62.5	.086	54.6	.089	56.5	.104	66.0
Lamb, good, Montreal.....	"	.128	58.9	.142	65.3	.145	66.7	.145	66.7
Lamb, good, Toronto.....	"	.134	52.9	.139	54.9	.149	58.8	.152	60.0
Lamb, good, Winnipeg.....	"	.130	52.0	.133	53.2	.138	55.2	.141	56.4
Lamb, good, Vancouver.....	"	.148	50.7	.148	50.7	.154	52.8	.154	52.8
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Montreal.....	"	.076	35.0	.089	40.9	.127	58.2	.131	60.0
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Toronto.....	"	.079	38.1	.090	43.6	.124	60.1	.133	64.5
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Winnipeg.....	"	.065	31.6	.079	38.3	.120	58.5	.127	62.0
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Vancouver.....	"	.085	40.3	.097	45.7	.134	63.2	.140	66.0
Pork carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Toronto.....	"	.083	38.8	.093	43.7	.132	62.0	.139	65.3
Pork carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Winnipeg.....	"	.068	33.1	.084	41.0	.126	61.5	.130	63.4
Fowl, dressed.....	"	.133	58.0	.111	48.4	.118	51.5	.121	52.8
Meats, Prepared.....			44.2		49.8		73.7		70.4
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.....	per pound	.112	33.0	.132	38.9	.234	69.0	.227	66.9
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.....	"	.134	40.6	.158	47.9	.267	80.9	.238	71.2
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.....	"	.136	38.1	.173	48.4	.270	75.5	.243	68.0
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.....	"	.147	36.0	.181	44.3	.275	67.4	.243	59.5
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.....	"	.128	39.6	.148	45.8	.211	65.3	.223	69.0
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.....	"	.145	45.4	.161	50.4	.224	70.2	.245	76.8
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.....	"	.141	43.8	.160	49.6	.222	68.8	.247	74.1
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.....	"	.160	45.7	.163	46.6	.218	62.3	.229	65.4
Mess pork, barrelled, Montreal.....	per barrel	16.000	40.3	16.580	41.7	21.333	53.7	23.583	59.3
Mess pork, barrelled, Toronto.....	"	21.333	59.9	21.130	59.3	25.958	72.9	25.083	70.4
Mess pork, barrelled, Winnipeg.....	"	21.333	54.0	25.500	64.6	28.458	72.0	26.750	67.7
Mess pork, barrelled, Vancouver.....	"	22.210	46.8	19.040	40.1	22.417	47.2	24.167	50.9
Milk and Its Products.....			59.2		60.2		64.7		68.2
Milk, Charlottetown.....	per gallon	.147	73.4	.128	64.0	.127	63.5	.158	79.0
Milk, Halifax.....	"	.246	101.1	.234	96.1	.220	90.4	.215	88.3
Milk, Saint John.....	"	.200	75.5	.165	62.3	.200	75.5	.187	70.6
Milk, Montreal.....	per cwt.	1.488	63.2	1.420	60.3	1.575	66.9	1.697	72.1
Milk, Quebec.....	per gallon	.138	56.1	.142	58.0	.150	61.2	.162	66.1
Milk, Ottawa.....	per cwt.	1.358	55.4	1.400	57.1	1.537	62.7	1.813	74.0
Milk, Toronto.....	per 8 gallon can	1.222	60.7	1.318	65.5	1.551	77.1	1.730	86.0



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Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
<b>Milk and Its Products—Con.</b>									
Milk, Hamilton.....	per gallon	•162	61.1	•160	60.4	•188	70.9	•210	70.2
Milk, Winnipeg.....	per cwt.	1.377	63.7	1.530	70.8	1.570	72.6	1.668	77.1
Milk, Saskatoon.....	per pound	•463	74.1	•463	74.1	•467	74.7	•480	76.8
	butter fat								
Milk, Regina.....	per gallon	•176	76.5	•176	76.5	•175	76.1	•185	80.4
Milk, Calgary.....	per cwt.	1.567	65.5	1.688	70.6	1.883	78.7	1.950	81.5
Milk, Edmonton.....	"	1.642	70.4	1.608	68.9	1.788	76.6	1.850	79.3
Milk, Vancouver.....	per pound	•400	54.0	•453	61.1	•430	58.0	•522	70.5
	butter fat								
Milk, Victoria.....	per gallon	•223	95.5	•207	88.8	•193	82.8	•199	85.4
Condensed milk.....	per case	8.100	100.0	8.100	100.0	8.100	100.0	8.100	100.0
Evaporated milk.....	"	4.433	86.9	3.810	74.7	3.600	70.6	3.600	70.6
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Montreal.....	per pound	•226	57.9	•233	59.7	•243	62.3	•249	63.8
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Toronto.....	"	•227	54.7	•235	56.6	•247	59.5	•251	60.5
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Winnipeg.....	"	•220	55.6	•218	55.1	•232	58.6	•235	59.4
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Regina.....	"	•212	54.6	•226	58.2	•238	61.3	•253	65.2
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Calgary.....	"	•228	60.1	•225	59.5	•234	61.9	•238	62.9
Butter, No. 1 prints, Vancouver (1).....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	•245	.....	•253	.....
Cheese, new, large, at Montreal.....	"	•112	57.0	•104	52.8	•104	52.8	•115	58.3
Cheese, old, large, at Montreal.....	"	•173	67.6	•158	69.5	•154	67.8	•150	66.0
Cheese, large, coloured, new, at Toronto.....	"	•101	47.9	•108	51.2	•128	50.4	•136	53.5
<b>Oils and Fats.....</b>									
Lard, Montreal.....	per pound	•075	49.8	•084	54.4	•089	57.8	.....	77.1
Lard, Toronto.....	"	•093	52.4	•101	57.0	•106	60.0	•126	72.8
Lard, Winnipeg.....	"	•085	45.4	•098	52.3	•106	56.4	•139	80.4
Lard, Vancouver.....	"	•094	47.5	•106	53.7	•120	60.8	•140	70.9
Tallow.....	"	•042	47.7	•045	51.1	•047	53.4	•064	72.7
<b>(2) Eggs.....</b>									
Fresh, Grade A large, Halifax.....	per dozen	•298	60.6	•272	53.2	•324	60.2	•321	60.5
Fresh, Grade A large, Saint John.....	"	•282	63.1	•267	57.6	•309	68.6	•311	68.0
Fresh, Grade A large, Montreal.....	"	•304	60.4	•280	57.2	•315	66.2	•312	66.6
Fresh, Grade A large, Toronto.....	"	•280	65.4	•261	60.2	•297	67.7	•293	67.1
Fresh, Grade A large, Winnipeg.....	"	•220	60.6	•203	56.5	•249	64.3	•256	63.4
Fresh, Grade A large, Saskatoon.....	"	•175	52.3	•182	48.2	•212	59.1	•220	60.8
Fresh, Grade A large, Calgary.....	"	•218	43.1	•203	44.8	•232	52.2	•274	54.2
Fresh, Grade A large, Vancouver.....	"	•238	52.8	•245	49.2	•262	56.2	•252	66.3
Fresh, Grade B, Halifax.....	per dozen	•271	60.4	•228	62.2	•245	66.5	•240	64.0
Fresh, Grade B, Saint John.....	"	•251	59.5	•171	53.1	•225	57.1	•233	55.9
Fresh, Grade B, Montreal.....	"	•258	62.6	•221	40.5	•227	53.3	•238	55.2
Fresh, Grade B, Toronto.....	"	•243	59.7	•209	53.6	•229	55.1	•228	57.8
Fresh, Grade B, Winnipeg.....	"	•192	50.7	•170	51.4	•207	56.3	•211	56.0
Fresh, Grade B, Saskatoon.....	"	•149	50.7	•155	44.9	•185	54.6	•179	55.7
Fresh, Grade B, Calgary.....	"	•193	40.3	•165	41.9	•188	50.0	•213	48.4
Fresh, Grade B, Vancouver.....	"	•214	51.6	•216	44.1	•236	50.3	•217	57.0
Fresh, Grade C, Halifax.....	per dozen	•208	59.1	•185	59.7	•213	65.2	•202	59.9
Fresh, Grade C, Saint John.....	"	•188	62.5	•162	55.6	•192	64.0	•203	60.7
Fresh, Grade C, Montreal.....	"	•192	54.9	•173	47.3	•204	56.1	•212	59.4
Fresh, Grade C, Toronto.....	"	•166	56.8	•151	51.2	•214	60.4	•207	62.7
Fresh, Grade C, Winnipeg.....	"	•141	51.7	•120	51.1	•176	66.7	•179	64.5
Fresh, Grade C, Saskatoon.....	"	•118	46.8	•125	39.9	•162	58.5	•165	59.5
Fresh, Grade C, Calgary.....	"	•134	39.2	•116	41.5	•151	53.8	•177	51.5
Fresh, Grade C, Vancouver.....	"	•189	44.8	•247	38.8	.....	50.5	•155	59.2
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.....</b>									
Raw Cotton.....		.....	69.7	.....	69.7	.....	72.9	.....	70.2
Raw cotton, upland middling.....	per pound	•073	41.7	•004	53.7	•122	70.4	•119	69.6
Raw cotton, middling, 1 <sup>st</sup> to 1-1/16".....	"	•085	43.7	•106	54.6	•138	69.8	•138	68.0
Yarn and Thread.....		.....	79.0	.....	82.3	.....	85.5	.....	82.2
Cotton thread, 6 cord.....	per gross	10.560	90.7	10.440	89.7	10.480	90.0	10.080	86.6
Cotton yarn, 10's, white, single hosiery cops.....	per pound	•209	56.8	•251	68.2	•303	82.3	•296	80.4
Cotton yarns, 24's, hosiery cones (1).....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	•349	.....	•338	.....
Cotton yarns, 20's, white cop. (1).....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	•333	.....	•323	.....
Cotton yarns, 30's, white cop. (1).....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	•373	.....	•345	.....

(1) New item. No index comparison possible.

(2) Previous to November, 1933: Eggs fresh extras, firsts, seconds.

TABLE V.—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1932-1935—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued.</b>									
Cotton Fabrics.....			76.5		77.6		78.7		76.4
Cottonades, 8 oz. cloth, 2.00 yds. to lb.....	per pound	.383	65.8	.399	68.5	.432	74.2	.430	73.8
Denim, black, 2.40 yds. to lb.....	"	.365	67.9	.377	70.2	.418	77.8	.400	74.5
Denim, blue, 2.40 yds. to lb.....	"	.372	65.3	.395	69.3	.403	70.7	.386	67.7
Ticking, 2.00 yds. to lb.....	"	.415	68.6	.423	69.9	.453	74.9	.434	71.7
Shirting, 4.00 yds. to lb.....	"	.497	72.0	.532	77.1	.572	82.9	.580	84.1
Flannelette, about 5.00 yds. to lb.....	"	.501	65.5	.500	65.3	.516	67.4	.511	66.7
Dress gingham, 6.50-7.75 yds. to lb.....	"	.929	85.5	.975	89.8	.959	88.3	.905	83.3
Apron gingham, 4.20 yds. to lb.....	"	.635	79.5	.658	82.5	.695	87.1	.704	88.2
Cotton blankets, 12/4 (3½ lbs. per pr.).....	"	.461	85.3	.471	87.2	.502	92.9	.495	91.6
Pillow cotton, 42" wide (1).....	per yard					.227		.225	
Wide cotton duck, 60", No. 1 (1).....	"					1.001		.996	
Bleached flannelette, about 4.50 yds. to lb.....	per pound	.496	69.1	.475	66.2	.481	67.1	.477	66.5
Bleached flannelette, about 5.75 yds. to lb.....	"	.517	70.3	.497	67.5	.507	68.9	.495	67.3
Napped sheeting, 72", unbleached..	"	.423	72.4	.402	68.8	.425	72.8	.425	72.8
Grey cotton.....	per yard	.080	62.5	.089	69.4	.093	76.4	.097	75.6
Bleached cotton.....	"	.081	76.1	.097	82.0	.094	88.6	.094	88.6
Cotton sheeting, 8/4.....	"	.206	71.7	.215	74.8	.229	79.7	.227	79.0
Print.....	"	.115	85.7	.128	90.7	.136	96.4	.135	95.7
Gingham, Canadian, 6.37 yds. to lb.....	"	.165	97.9	.174	103.5	.175	104.1	.168	99.9
Knit Cotton Goods.....			80.0		77.8		82.0		82.6
Men's cotton underwear, Balbriggan.....	per dozen pr.	3.600	80.0	3.500	77.8	3.688	82.0	3.675	81.7
Men's cotton combinations (1).....	"					9.250		9.667	
Men's cotton combinations, 34-44 (1).....	"					7.296		7.350	
Miscellaneous Cotton Products.....									
Sash cord, Hercules, No. 8.....	per pound	.493	96.0	.540	105.2	.434	109.1	.406	102.1
Miscellaneous Fibres and Their Products.....			49.9		48.4		51.5		50.9
Linen thread, 3 cord, best quality.....	per dozen	.825	87.4	.888	89.8	.960	97.1	1.023	103.4
Raw jute, first marks.....	pr cwt.	5.264	48.4	4.720	43.4	4.271	54.7	4.333	55.5
Hessian, 10½ oz. 40" wide.....	per 100 yds.	5.604	49.5	5.730	50.7	6.146	54.3	5.604	49.5
Manila hemp, "I", 12½ p.c. fair current.....	per pound	.045	30.4	.044	29.7	.038	25.7	.059	39.9
Mexican sisal.....	"	.028	31.2	.035	39.0	.036	40.1	.047	45.7
Binder twine, sisal, 500 feet.....	"	.064	48.6	.059	44.8	.075	56.9	.064	48.6
Rope, Manila.....	"	.163	60.0	.138	50.6	.144	52.9	.152	55.0
Linen huck towelling, 18" (1).....	per yard					.395		.393	
Jute Bags, No. 98 (1).....	per 1000 bags					104.354		104.625	
Burlap bags, No. 100 (1).....	"					101.771		100.750	
Raw Silk.....			29.8		28.2		21.0		27.0
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c. 13/15 denier (1).....	per pound					1.536		1.904	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 13/15 denier (1).....	"					1.418		1.812	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 13/15 denier (1).....	"					1.362		1.746	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 13/15 denier (1).....	"					1.325		1.700	
Silk, raw, XX, 73 p.c., 13/15 denier (1).....	"					1.297		1.677	
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c., 20/22 denier (1).....	"					1.313		1.701	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 20/22 denier (1).....	"					1.286		1.671	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 20/22 denier (1).....	"					1.264		1.649	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 20/22 denier (1).....	"					1.245		1.631	

(1) New item. No index comparison possible.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1932-1935—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Silk Thread and Yarn.....			69.9		62.8		63.9		63.9
Silk spool, 50 yds., letter "A".....	per dozen	550	76.4	600	66.7	600	66.7	600	66.7
Silk machine twist, 16 oz.....	per pound	10.375	69.6	9.330	62.6	9.500	63.7	9.500	63.7
Silk Hosiery.....			74.3		66.5		65.9		65.8
Hosiery, men's, pure silk.....	per dozen	5.260	75.1	5.860	75.6	5.888	76.0	5.758	74.3
Hosiery, women's, pure silk.....	"	11.313	73.9	9.540	62.3	5.921		6.025	
Silk Fabrics.....			57.0		51.5		49.4		46.3
Crepe de Chine (1).....	per yard						45.6		44.0
Flat crepe (1).....	"						42.9		41.2
Georgette, 3 thread (1).....	"						51.5		49.9
Faille (1).....	"					1.017	49.6		43.3
Artificial Silk and Its Products.....			64.4		60.9		56.1		50.5
Rayon yarn, 150 deniers.....	per pound	815	53.4	813	53.3	763	50.0	713	46.8
Rayon yarn, 100 deniers (1).....	"					888		813	
Rayon yarn, 150 deniers, weaving (1).....	"					671		600	
Rayon yarn, 100 deniers, bright weaving (1).....	"					808		725	
Hosiery, women's, artificial silk (2).....	per dozen	3.520	91.7	4.790	79.8	4.220	70.3	2.500	62.5
Raw Wool.....			31.7		47.0		61.3		50.4
Raw wool, eastern bright, 1/4 blood.....	per pound	103	33.5	137	44.8	181	59.2	153	50.0
Raw wool, western domestic, semi-bright, 3/4 blood.....	"	090	30.3	145	48.9	190	64.1	151	50.9
Raw wool, western domestic, semi-bright, 1/2 blood.....	"	094	29.6	157	49.7	199	63.0	160	50.7
Yarns, Wool.....			67.7		69.3		88.5		82.2
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36, 56's.....	per pound	739	66.9	720	65.2	1.002	90.7	968	87.6
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36, 58's.....	"	766	63.6	770	63.9	1.099	91.2	1.067	88.5
Worsted cloth yarn, 2/24, 58's (1).....	"					1.006		915	
Worsted cloth yarn, 2/24, 60's (1).....	"					1.069		956	
Worsted cloth yarn, fine, 2/45, 64's.....	"	971	63.2	990	64.4	1.217	79.2	1.121	72.9
Worsted cloth yarn, 4 ply, 8's, 46's.....	"	654	79.7	700	85.3	833	101.5	750	91.4
Hosiery and Knit Goods.....			81.5		81.5		91.3		87.1
Hosiery, men's, woollen.....	per dozen	3.664	80.5	2.680	81.0	3.229	97.6	3.017	91.2
Men's cashmere half hose (1).....	per dozen pair					4.750		4.150	
Knitted woollen underwear, men's.....	per dozen	15.063	86.3	14.630	83.8	15.454	88.6	14.917	85.5
Men's woollen combinations (1).....	"					32.000		31.167	
Men's woollen shirts and drawers (1).....	"					20.000		20.000	
Wool Blankets.....	per pound	762	77.8	663	67.7	816	83.3	75	76.5
Cloth.....			70.0		73.9		79.6		72.9
Woollen cloth, fine grade (2).....	per yard	1.750	66.0	1.870	70.6	2.063	77.8	1.529	70.7
Woollen cloth, coarse grade, 46's top (2).....	"	1.200	80.4	1.290	86.5	1.383	92.7	1.013	88.2
Serge, botany, 64's top, 16-17 oz.....	"	1.831	66.6	1.770	69.6	1.915	75.3	1.702	67.0
Serge, botany, 64's top, 13-14 oz.....	"	1.511	72.0	1.510	75.1	1.642	81.7	1.531	76.2
Flannel, white, 32" per yard (1).....	"					621		650	
Suiting, fancy, worsted, 13 oz. (1).....	"					1.983		1.721	
Carpets.....			93.0		85.4		88.5		92.5
Carpets, Wilton, 9' x 12' (2).....		46.960	93.7	35.270	85.4	38.513	88.8	40.30	92.9
Carpets, Axminster, 9' x 12'.....		27.370	91.2	23.850	85.5	24.700	88.6	25.76	92.4
OOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....			69.1		62.8		65.4		64.4
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....			68.2		55.3		53.9		54.0
Newsprint paper rolls.....	cwt.	2.170	66.8	1.710	52.6	1.660	51.1	1.660	51.1
Paper, Manila, No. 1.....	"	5.400	82.9	5.320	81.7	5.363	82.3	5.400	82.4

(1) New item. No index comparison possible.

(2) New price series in 1934.

(3) New grade.



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Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—</b>									
<i>Continued</i>									
Lumber and Timber.....			68.8		70.8		78.6		77.8
Canadian white pine.....			82.2		81.4		87.2		88.5
"C" selects and better, 1" thick.....	per M feet board measure	78.333	68.1	75.000	65.2	79.583	69.2	80.000	69.6
No. 1 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 10/16.....	"					89.583		92.500	
No. 2 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 10/16.....	"					66.583		69.500	
No. 1 and 2 common, 1 x 8-3/16.....	"					44.750		45.000	
No. 3 common, 1 x 8-6/16.....	"					31.917		30.500	
No. 4 common, 1 x 8-9/16.....	"					26.583		27.000	
No. 5 common, 1 x 4-9/16.....	"					22.667		23.000	
No. 6 common, 1 x 4 and up, 6/16.....	"					14.750		16.833	
Lath, No. 1.....	per M	4.833	48.1	4.750	47.3	4.750	47.3	5.354	53.3
<b>Spruce.....</b>									
Quebec spruce deals, 2" x 4", 8/16.....	per M feet board measure		59.4		60.4		74.2		70.6
Quebec spruce lumber, 3" x 8", 8/16.....	"	18.542	60.0	19.420	62.8	25.545	82.6	26.583	86.0
Lath, spruce, Quebec, 1 1/2" x 4".....	per M	25.542	71.0	25.000	69.5	30.727	85.5	31.583	87.8
Lath, Maritime, No. 1, 1 1/2" x 4".....	"	3.646	54.7	3.380	50.7	3.750	56.2	3.750	56.2
Merchantable sawn spruce deals, 3" x 3" and up.....	per M feet board measure	2.708	53.3	2.310	45.5	2.250	44.3	2.250	44.3
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 3" to 2" x 6".....	"	13.292	60.8	13.920	63.6	18.208	83.2	15.083	69.0
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 7".....	"	10.408	47.3	11.790	53.6	13.833	62.9	12.042	54.7
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 7".....	"	13.814	57.6	14.290	63.5	16.354	72.7	14.542	60.6
<b>Hardwoods.....</b>									
Maple, hard, 4/4" f.a.s.....	per M feet board measure		71.8		67.2		71.2		75.3
Maple, soft, C. and B.....	"	61.667	69.2	45.000	61.7	54.000	64.1	60.000	71.2
Oak, red, plain, f.a.s.....	"	41.667	83.3	40.000	80.0	40.000	80.0	40.000	80.0
Birch, C. and B.....	"	74.000	67.0	75.000	67.9	75.000	67.9	75.000	67.9
	"	46.667	76.3	42.000	68.7	47.833	77.4	51.083	83.5
<b>Hemlock.....</b>									
Hemlock, 2" mill run.....	per M feet board measure		77.5		68.3		72.4		74.9
Hemlock, 2" culls.....	"	19.500	78.0	17.250	69.0	18.292	73.2	18.958	75.8
	"	13.417	71.3	11.330	60.2	12.000	63.7	12.083	64.2
<b>Fir.....</b>									
No. 1 common fir timber, 3" x 4" to 4" x 12", 12'-40'.....	per M feet board measure		64.6		69.4		85.2		78.8
No. 1 common fir timber, 6" x 6" to 12" x 12", 12'-40'.....	"	12.000	69.6	13.750	79.7	17.250	100.0	15.292	88.6
Clear fir, No. 1 and 2, D4S, 1 x 6.....	"	13.750	76.6	14.500	80.7	17.333	96.5	15.292	85.5
Drop siding, 1" x 6", No. 2 and better.....	"					49.292		43.854	
Flooring, fir, 1" x 4", No. 1 and 2 f.g.....	"	17.000	58.6	19.670	67.8	25.000	86.2	24.667	85.5
Clear fir casing, No. 1 and 2, 1 x 5.....	"	14.458	55.6	14.250	54.8	14.500	55.8	15.125	58.3
No. 1 common fir dimension, 2" x 4", 12' - 14'.....	"					53.729		50.021	
	"	9.083	61.1	9.290	62.5	13.000	87.4	12.042	81.4
<b>B.C. Cedar.....</b>									
No. 1 common cedar boards, 1" x 8", 10'.....	per M feet board measure		69.4		81.7		69.0		77.7
No. 1 common cedar shiplap, 1 x 8.....	"	13.417	76.1	14.250	80.9	15.083	85.6	14.833	84.4
Bevel siding, 3" x 6".....	"	24.000	73.3	25.170	76.9	28.833	88.0	25.125	81.4
Clear cedar bungalow siding, 3" x 10-8" x 18'.....	"					53.792		52.896	
Shingles, XXX, 3 x 6 1/2, clear.....	per M	2.146	67.6	2.640	83.1	2.013	63.4	2.429	76.6



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		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—</b>									
<i>Concluded</i>									
Pulp.....			71.3		67.3		70.9		66.9
Sulphite pulp, unbleached, news-grade.....	per ton	37.755	70.6	35.290	66.0	38.863	72.6	37.597	70.3
Sulphite pulp, bleached.....	"	55.000	68.8	52.500	65.6	55.000	68.8	53.500	66.9
Groundwood pulp, No. 1.....	"	21.554	72.6	20.428	68.9	20.896	70.4	19.154	64.6
Furniture (composite).....			71.8		63.9		65.7		66.8
Matches, silent 3's, non-poisonous (1).....	per case	10.488	75.8	10.540	76.2	10.540	76.2	8.68	76.2
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....</b>									
Pig Iron and Steel Billets.....			86.3		85.4		87.0		87.2
Pig iron, No. 1, foundry.....	per gross ton	22.100	86.9	20.510	80.6	20.458	80.4	20.500	80.6
Pig iron, malleable.....	"	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2
Steel billets, mild, 4 x 4 and larger.....	"	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5
<b>Rolling Mill Products.....</b>									
Steel bars, structural grade.....	per cwt.	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5
Merchant bars, mild steel.....	"	2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8
Steel rails, open hearth.....	per gross ton	47.000	98.3	45.670	95.6	43.333	90.7	43.000	90.0
Light cold rolled sheets, No. 20, U.S.G. (2).....	per cwt.	1.799	94.7	1.765	92.9	1.758	92.5	1.810	95.3
Structural shapes, open hearth.....	"	3.184	74.1	2.703	62.9	2.888	67.2	2.966	69.0
Steel sheets, galvanized, No. 24, U.S.G.....	"	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0
Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 24, U.S.G.....	"	3.571	72.7	3.540	72.1	3.808	77.5	4.008	81.6
Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 10, U.S.G.....	"	3.627	91.5	3.470	91.0	3.383	87.4	3.388	87.5
Iron boiler plate, 3/4" (3).....	per pound net	2.890	88.9	2.710	85.8	3.150	84.9	3.233	87.1
Galvanized corrugated iron sheets, No. 28 gauge.....	per 100 square ft.					.036		.034	
Steel sheets, black, No. 10 gauge.....	per cwt.					4.758		4.850	
Mild steel tank plates, quality, 1/2" to 1" thick.....	"					3.375		3.400	
Tin plate, standard coke (4).....	per box	5.440	94.9	5.650	102.3	5.825	105.6	6.079	110.2
<b>Pipe.....</b>									
Pipe, cast iron 4".....	per ton	50.000	89.9	48.000	89.0	48.000	89.0	48.000	85.2
Steel pipe, butt-weld, black, 1".....	per foot	.073	89.6	.073	87.3	.073	87.3	.069	87.3
<b>Hardware.....</b>									
Tools and hand implements.....			88.3		86.7		87.3		87.5
Hammers, plain face.....	per dozen	10.720	88.8	10.720	82.7	10.720	85.4	10.720	86.6
Axes, chopping.....	"	10.400	79.4	10.700	79.4	12.093	79.4	12.010	79.4
Shovels and spades, plain back.....	"	12.000	69.3	11.000	71.3	11.292	80.6	11.500	80.1
<b>Other Hardware.....</b>									
Wash tubs, No. 1.....	per dozen	11.248	88.2	10.650	88.1	10.820	88.2	10.820	88.1
Pails, No. 12.....	"	3.475	88.1	3.460	83.4	3.520	84.7	3.520	84.7
Boilers, range, 30 gallon.....	each	6.948	76.5	7.170	76.2	7.433	77.5	7.650	77.5
Chain, 3/4" bright coil.....	per cwt.	8.550	73.2	8.550	75.6	8.550	78.3	8.550	80.6
Machine bolts, 7/16" diameter, 6" long (3).....	"		96.6		96.6		96.6		96.6
Square nuts, hot pressed and forged (3).....	"					4.200		4.200	
Wire cloth, painted screen.....	per 100 square ft.					10.400		10.400	
Wire nails, base.....	per keg	1.900	93.3	1.900	93.3	1.900	93.3	1.850	90.8
Screws, wood, No. 6.....	per gross	2.800	86.0	2.800	86.0	2.800	86.0	2.800	86.0
Steel thumb latches, No. 2.....	per dozen	.173	92.5	1.73	92.5	.173	92.5	.171	91.4
Bright steel safety hasps.....	per 100 ft.	1.199	75.9	1.208	76.5	1.245	78.8	1.267	80.2
Flat barn door track.....	"	.691	83.3	.700	84.3	.663	79.9	.636	76.6
Screen door hinges, No. 20.....	per gross	7.676	91.9	7.738	92.7	7.924	94.9	8.056	96.5
<b>Wire.....</b>									
Wire, barbed, galvanized.....	per cwt.	12.660	86.1	12.720	86.5	12.720	86.5	12.720	86.5
Wire, galvanized, No. 9.....	"		82.8		81.8		86.7		86.8
Wire, annealed, No. 9.....	"	3.500	81.4	3.500	81.4	3.733	86.8	3.750	87.2
Wire, galvanized, No. 9.....	"	3.450	83.1	3.330	80.2	3.450	83.1	3.450	83.1
Wire, annealed, No. 9.....	"	3.250	83.3	3.250	83.3	3.500	89.7	3.500	89.7

(1) Previous to 1935—4's.

(2) Previous to 1934—Automobile Body Plates No. 20.

(3) New item in 1934.

(4) Previous to 1934—per box (100 pounds).

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1932-1935—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded</b>									
Scrap, Iron and Steel.....			43.9		40.7		55.6		56.5
Steel scrap, heavy melting, charging box size.....	per gross ton	6.834	47.1	6.875	47.3	9.208	63.4	9.583	66.0
Steel scrap, heavy melting, over charging box size.....	"	4.917	37.9	5.250	40.4	7.458	57.5	7.500	57.8
Scrap, turnings and borings.....	"	4.000	32.4	4.000	32.4	6.375	51.7	6.417	52.0
Scrap, No. 1, machinery cast iron.....	per net ton	10.500	54.8	7.580	39.5	9.833	51.3	9.917	51.7
Scrap, No. 2, machinery cast iron.....	"	7.292	42.9	5.580	32.8	7.125	41.9	6.958	40.9
Miscellaneous									
Car axles.....	per ton	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0
<b>NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>									
Aluminium and Its Products.....			59.0		64.3		64.3		69.1
Aluminium sheet.....	per pound					.270		.270	78.5
Aluminium, virgin, 98-99 p.c.....	"	.260	96.1	.250	92.4	.214	79.1	.207	76.5
Antimony, Chinese, 99 p.c.....	per cwt.	6.258	37.0	6.958	41.1	8.625	51.0	14.521	85.8
Copper, Brass, and Their Products.....			51.2		58.3		57.6		59.9
Copper, electrolytic, domestic.....	per cwt.	7.516	47.7	8.684	55.1	8.220	52.1	8.488	53.8
Copper sheets.....	per pound	.212	86.6	.175	86.0	.164	80.8	.177	87.2
Electrolytic copper wire bars.....	per cwt.	6.612	47.3	7.892	56.4	8.578	61.3	8.904	63.6
Copper wire, solid bare.....	per pound	.116	60.1	.127	65.4	.130	67.2	.135	69.8
Brass sheets, yellow.....		.146	70.1	.152	73.0	.157	75.4	.168	80.7
Brass valves.....	each					1.428		1.475	
Lead and Its Products.....			43.8		46.2		42.8		48.9
Lead, domestic.....	per cwt.	3.511	43.1	3.705	45.4	3.409	41.8	3.925	48.1
Lead pipe.....	per pound	.101	67.0	.105	69.7	.113	75.0	.111	73.6
Silver.....	per ounce	.317	51.1	.376	60.7	.474	76.5	.643	103.7
Tin Ingots, 99-25 p.c.....	per pound					.555		.537	
Tin Ingots, Straits.....	"	.294	44.0	.457	68.3	.569	85.0	.555	82.9
Zinc and Its Products.....			42.2		50.9		46.1		45.3
Zinc, domestic.....	per cwt.	3.724	42.2	4.488	50.9	4.059	46.0	3.992	45.2
Zinc sheets (1).....	per pound	.053	52.8	.052	62.1	.055	65.5	.053	63.1
Solder									
Solder, 50-50.....	"	.169	43.6	.258	66.4	.318	81.9	.308	79.3
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>									
Clay and Allied Material Products.....			85.5		84.4		86.0		85.5
Brick, soft mud process, common.....	per M	18.875	105.7	19.000	106.4	19.000	106.4	19.000	106.4
Brick, stiff mud process, wire cut.....	"	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5
Brick, stiff mud process, No. 1.....	"	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8
Brick, common, plastic.....	"	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1
Brick, dry press, No. 1, Quebec.....	"	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6
Brick, dry press face, Toronto.....	"	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2
Brick, sand-lime.....	"	12.333	82.2	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7
Hollow blocks, building tile.....		105.000	94.6	95.830	86.3	92.500	83.3	90.000	81.1
Stucco, mixing plant.....	per ton					11.950		11.950	
Sewer pipe, vitrified, 6'.....	per foot					.224		.150	
Pottery			84.6		84.2		87.7		88.2
Cups and saucers, No. 1.....	per dozen	1.100	81.5	1.070	79.3	1.100	81.5	1.100	81.5
Dinner sets, printed.....	per set	14.806	92.5	13.330	96.8	14.250	103.5	14.500	105.3
Coal			91.0		87.5		90.0		91.0
Coal, U.S. anthracite, egg.....	gross ton	12.997	95.8	12.389	91.4	12.117	89.4	11.753	86.7
Coal, U.S. bituminous, run of mine.....	per ton	5.654	87.4	5.354	86.4	5.733	92.6	5.858	94.6
Coal, U.S. bituminous, slack.....	"	5.154	83.6	4.854	82.5	5.125	87.1	5.250	89.3
Coal, bituminous, run of mine, N.S. Coal, Welsh anthracite, No. 1 buckwheat.....	per gross ton	5.813	95.6	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3
Coal, Welsh cobbles.....	"					8.883		9.075	
Coal, western domestic double screened, lump, Drumheller.....	"	4.000	95.2	3.775	89.9	3.513	72.3	3.625	74.6
Coal, western domestic, screened, lump, Lethbridge.....	"	4.813	88.5	4.670	85.9	4.250	78.2	4.150	76.3

(1) New price series in 1933.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1932-1935—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products—Con.									
Coal—Con.									
Coal, western domestic, screened, lump, Edmonton.....	per ton	2-958	82.6	2-770	77.3	2-783	77.7	2-900	80.9
Coal, domestic, run of mine, B.C.....	"	4-270	100.0	3-760	88.1	3-500	82.0	3-792	88.8
Coal, domestic, slack, B.C.....	"	3-600	97.6	3-300	89.4	3-000	81.3	2-771	75.1
Coal, house lump, B.C.....	per gross ton					7-155	85.2	7-228	86.0
Coal, washed slack, B.C.....	"					3-401	82.9	3-990	97.2
Coal tar, crude.....	per barrel	9-966	104.9	10-230	107.7	10-230	107.7	10-273	108.1
Coke									
Coke, by-product, N.S.....	per ton	7-000	99.8	5-50	94.2	5-708	93.4	6-000	93.1
Coke, metallurgical, Ont.....	"	7-417	103.8	7-00	81.5	7-000	84.6	7-000	88.9
Coke, by-product, Ont.....	"	7-417	102.3	7-00	96.6	7-000	96.6	7-000	96.6
Coke, metallurgical, B.C.....	"	7-400	98.9	7-00	93.3	7-000	93.3	7-000	93.3
Coke, for domestic use, B.C.....	"	8-300	100.0	7-933	96.4	7-542	81.1	5-729	77.4
Manufactured gas.....	per 10,000 feet					12-154	90.9	7-250	87.3
Glass and Its Products.....			77.9		78.1		83.2		80.1
Window Glass.....			93.2		91.8		107.8		94.7
Window glass, 16 oz. 40 U.I.....	per box	4-321	93.2	4-256	91.8	4-464	96.3	3-921	84.6
Window glass, 21 oz. 60 U.I.....	"	8-004	93.2	7-883	91.8	9-792	114.0	8-601	100.2
Plate Glass.....			66.0		66.0		66.0		66.0
Plate glass, 3'-4', super.....	per square foot	525	59.1	525	59.1	525	59.1	525	59.1
Plate glass, 10'-12', super.....	"	800	61.8	800	61.8	800	61.8	800	61.8
Plate glass, 25'-50', super.....	"	1-006	71.0	1-006	71.0	1-006	71.0	1-006	71.0
Tumblers.....	per gross	4-054	89.1	4-180	91.9	4-408	96.9	4-450	97.8
Petroleum and Its Products									
Crude Oil.....			74.6		74.8		76.3		74.9
Crude oil, mid-continent.....	per barrel	2-920	75.7	2-525	67.5	2-725	72.2	2-715	72.3
Crude oil, Salt Creek.....	"	3-167	79.2	2-780	65.4	2-946	70.6	2-968	70.4
Gasoline.....			73.0		70.7		70.8		68.5
Halifax.....	per gallon	200	70.8	184	65.1	186	65.8	180	63.7
Montreal.....	"	176	69.8	168	66.5	180	71.3	161	63.8
Toronto.....	"	179	71.0	173	68.5	163	64.6	158	62.6
Winnipeg.....	"	202	71.0	198	69.7	217	76.4	217	76.4
Regina.....	"	242	75.5	238	74.4	230	71.9	230	71.9
Calgary.....	"	217	74.1	209	71.4	225	76.9	225	76.9
Vancouver.....	"	200	90.9	202	91.8	208	94.5	195	88.6
Coal Oil.....			75.5		75.6		78.6		77.8
Halifax.....	per gallon	220	85.3	210	81.4	209	81.0	195	75.6
Montreal.....	"	166	72.7	157	68.9	170	74.6	170	74.6
Toronto.....	"	175	76.6	163	71.5	175	76.8	173	75.9
Winnipeg.....	"	172	68.0	182	72.1	202	80.0	202	80.0
Regina.....	"	212	75.6	222	79.3	215	76.8	215	76.8
Calgary.....	"	187	71.1	197	74.9	210	79.8	210	79.8
Vancouver.....	"	230	100.0	232	100.9	240	104.3	240	104.3
Fuel oil, Toronto.....	"	068	72.2	075	79.6	080	84.9	080	84.9
Lubricating oil, Toronto.....	"	294	93.2	293	93.0	293	93.0	296	94.0
Asphalt.....									
Asphalt, Montreal.....	per ton					14-300	88.6	14-800	91.4
Asphalt, Toronto.....	"					17-600	95.3	18-100	98.7
Salt.....									
Salt, vacuum, fine.....	per barrel	1-910	114.6	1-870	114.4	1-750	110.8	1-550	92.6
Salt, vacuum, coarse.....	"	2-270	136.4	2-270	133.6	2-270	125.0	1-897	110.7
Salt, dairy.....	"	3-120	104.0	3-120	104.0	3-120	104.0	2-780	94.5
Salt, table.....	per barrel of 80 bags	4-405	118.1	4-410	118.2	4-160	111.5	3-240	92.7
Sulphur.....	per gross ton	26-700	113.6	23-701	100.9	21-729	92.5	22-220	86.9
Plaster.....									
Hard wall plaster, neat, N.B.....	per ton	9-235	95.8	9-350	98.1	9-592	104.1	10-350	107.1
Hard wall plaster, neat, Ontario.....	"	10-250	97.2	10-660	98.4	11-950	101.0	11-950	108.9
Plaster of Paris.....	per barrel	4-938	91.1	5-000	94.8	5-000	106.2	5-000	106.2



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1932-1935—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT<sup>1</sup> MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Lime.....	per ton	6.438	91.7	6.000	94.8	6.000	102.1	6.000	99.7
Quick lime, high calcium.....	"	7.500	93.8	8.150	101.9	8.500	106.3	7.500	93.8
Quick lime, grey.....	"	8.000	92.7	8.000	92.7	8.000	92.7	8.000	92.7
Hydrated lime, in paper bags.....	"	11.500	92.0	11.920	95.4	13.250	106.0	13.250	106.0
Hydrated lime, finishing.....	"								
Cement.....	per barrel	1.690	105.3	1.700	105.5	1.700	105.2	1.700	105.2
Portland cement, Montreal.....	"	2.090	113.3	2.100	114.0	2.100	114.0	2.100	114.0
Portland cement, Toronto.....	"	2.670	107.0	2.680	107.5	2.680	107.5	2.680	107.5
Portland cement, Winnipeg.....	"	3.340	87.5	3.350	87.9	3.350	87.9	3.350	87.9
Portland cement, Regina.....	"	2.726	90.3	2.597	90.5	2.491	90.5	2.491	90.5
Portland cement, Vancouver.....	"		92.7		88.3		84.7		84.7
Sand and Gravel.....	per ton	1.250	87.5	1.250	87.3	1.250	91.2	1.150	88.0
Sand, concrete, Montreal.....	"	1.054	111.1	1.000	111.1	1.000	111.1	1.000	102.2
Sand, concrete, Toronto.....	"	1.150	78.0	1.150	74.1	1.150	74.1	1.000	74.1
Sand, concrete, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard		100.0		100.0		100.0		100.0
Sand, concrete, Vancouver.....	"	.758	68.9	.875	79.5	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9
Gravel, pit run, Montreal.....	per ton	1.125	90.0	1.040	83.2	1.000	80.0	1.000	80.0
Gravel, pit run, Toronto.....	"	1.443	82.5	1.430	81.7	1.632	93.3	1.563	89.3
Gravel, pit run, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0
Gravel, pit run, Vancouver.....	"	.758	68.9	.875	79.5	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9
Crushed Stone.....	per ton	1.158	84.7	.690	75.2	.600	81.8	.613	73.4
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Montreal.....	"	1.610	82.7	1.600	81.7	1.829	42.9	1.588	43.8
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Toronto.....	per cubic yard	.608	87.0	1.030	86.5	1.130	98.9	1.130	85.8
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Vancouver.....	"		48.6		82.4		90.4		90.4
Building Stone.....	per cubic foot		64.8		64.4		64.7		64.3
Stanstead granite, base stock blocks.....	"	.821	82.1	.780	78.0	.750	75.0	.750	75.0
Stanstead granite, die stock blocks.....	"	1.240	82.7	1.030	68.7	1.250	83.3	1.021	68.1
Dolomite, silver grey, rough blocks.....	"	.800	64.0	.800	64.0	.800	64.0	.800	64.0
Asbestos and Its Products <sup>(1)</sup> .....	per ton	450.000	71.2	450.000	72.7	450.000	77.6	500.000	77.6
Asbestos, crude, No. 1.....	"	200.000	89.3	200.000	89.3	200.000	89.3	200.000	89.3
Asbestos, crude, No. 2.....	"	110.000	69.1	100.000	69.1	120.000	69.1	120.000	69.1
Spinning stock.....	"	60.000	59.5	60.000	59.5	60.000	64.9	60.000	64.9
Shingle stock.....	"	30.000	92.3	30.000	92.3	32.500	92.3	32.500	92.3
Mill board and paper stocks.....	"	10.000	66.7	11.330	66.7	12.000	72.2	12.000	72.2
Fillers, floats and other short fibre.....	per foot						80.0	12.000	80.0
Asbestos, pipe covering, 3 ply <sup>(2)</sup> .....	per cwt.					.551	91.4	.558	92.5
Asbestos, mill board <sup>(2)</sup> .....	"					9.000	116.1	8.667	111.8
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.....</b>									
Inorganic Chemicals.....	per pound		83.9		81.3		81.2		79.1
Ammonia, anhydrous.....	"	.165	91.6	.165	90.2	.165	89.5	.165	87.9
Arsenious oxide (white arsenic).....	per cwt.	.042	101.5	.041	101.5	.035	101.5	.033	101.5
Nitric acid, 36".....	per ton	7.750	126.5	7.750	126.5	7.750	108.0	7.750	101.9
Hydrochloric acid (muriatic), 18".....	per cwt.	25.000	96.9	25.000	96.9	25.000	96.9	25.000	96.9
Sodium sulphate (Glauber's salt).....	per ton	1.000	104.2	1.000	104.2	.817	104.2	.800	104.2
Sodium bicarbonate, 99.8 p.c. pure.....	per cwt.	3.283	100.0	3.000	100.0	3.000	81.7	3.000	80.0
Bleaching powder, 35 p.c. available chlorine.....	"	1.750	122.4	1.750	122.4	1.750	122.4	1.750	122.4
Soda ash, 58 p.c. light.....	"	1.655	102.2	1.680	102.2	1.680	102.2	1.630	102.2
Caustic soda, 76-77 p.c.....	per ton	2.790	88.4	3.475	89.7	3.350	89.7	3.238	87.0
Calcium carbide.....	"	87.000	97.0	87.000	97.0	87.000	95.5	87.000	90.4
Grey acetate of lime.....	per cwt.	2.500	100.2	2.500	100.2	3.333	100.2	3.333	100.2
Alum, lump.....	"	2.283	76.9	1.920	76.9	2.116	102.6	2.040	93.6
Borax, commercial.....	"	3.928	87.8	3.560	88.1	3.500	97.1	3.600	71.1
Copper sulphate (blue vitriol) crystals.....	per ton	3.508	77.6	3.630	70.3	3.693	69.1	3.631	73.6
Magnesium sulphate (Epsom salts).....	"	25.000	71.1	25.000	73.6	25.000	74.9	25.000	73.6
Sulphuric acid, 66° Beaumé.....	per pound	16.000	100.0	16.000	100.0	16.000	100.0	16.000	100.0
Chlorine, liquid.....	"	.093	114.3	.093	114.3	.093	114.3	.093	114.3
Sodium cyanide, 98-99 p.c.....	per ton	.162	100.0	.153	100.0	.153	100.0	.147	100.0
Sodium bichromate.....	"	.082	79.2	.077	75.7	.087	75.7	.087	72.8
Sal ammoniac (ammonium chloride) grey.....	per ton	.044	98.6	.048	92.3	.043	104.3	.039	104.3
Calcium chloride, flake.....	per cwt.	30.750		32.000		29.375		25.850	
Aluminium sulphate.....	"	1.500	85.7	1.500	85.7	1.535	87.7	1.550	88.6

(1) Previous to 1934, Asbestos Crude. (2) New item in 1934.

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(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1932		1933		1934		1935	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
<b>Organic Chemicals.</b>									
Acetic acid, 99 p.c. glacial, crystal.	per pound	120	100.0	120	100.0	120	100.0	120	100.0
Alcohol, methyl, 97 p.c.	per gallon	850	97.7	700	80.5	654	75.2	750	86.2
Alcohol, denatured.	"	450	81.8	396	72.0	400	72.7	400	72.7
Cream of tartar, 98 p.c.	per pound	235	123.7	237	124.7	255	134.2	255	134.2
Formaldehyde.	"	083	72.9	083	72.9	070	61.5	068	59.8
Glycerine, refined.	"	112	40.4	114	41.1	138	49.7	148	53.3
<b>Coal Tar Products.</b>									
Creosote oil, crude.	per imperial gallon		96.8		92.2		90.4		86.4
Benzol, pure.	"	153	98.7	141	91.0	140	90.0	149	96.1
	"	330	94.1	330	94.1	319	90.9	253	72.1
<b>Tanning and Dyeing Materials.</b>									
Dyeing Materials.			98.9		103.5		107.2		105.7
Direct black (oxydiamine black)	per pound	236	80.6	289	101.5	300	103.3		103.1
Sulphur black (katigen, deep black)	"	206	93.5	205	93.2	205	93.2	205	93.2
Nigrosine water, soluble.	"	399	102.3	400	102.6	400	102.6	400	102.6
Methylene blue.	per cwt.	828	78.8	863	82.2	950	90.5	950	90.5
Indigo, synthetic, 20 p.c. paste.	per pound	135	128.6	135	128.6	135	128.6	135	128.6
Auromine O, yellow.	"	764	81.1	780	82.8	778	82.6	770	81.8
Alkali blue.	"	2.023	103.7	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3
<b>Tanning Materials.</b>									
Quebracho extract, liquid.	per cwt.	3.500	100.0	3.820	109.1	4.200	120.0	4.225	108.9
Hemlock extract, liquid.	"	4.850	99.8	5.030	103.5	5.134	105.6	4.861	100.0
Logwood extract, liquid.	"	9.729	100.1	10.420	107.2	11.917	122.6	11.417	117.5
<b>Explosives.</b>									
Gunpowder.	per 25 pound keg						83.4		77.9
Dynamite, 40 p.c. Gelatine.	per cwt.					8.459	100.7	8.459	100.7
	"					12.604	82.8	11.750	77.2
<b>Paint Materials.</b>									
Shellac.	per pound	127	34.4	137	37.1	243	70.0		67.0
White lead, basic carbonate.	per cwt.	8.143	72.7	8.410	75.1	7.800	65.9	161	43.6
Zinc oxide.	"	6.679	96.6	6.304	91.2	6.249	69.6	7.996	71.4
Red lead, 85 p.c.	"	6.500	63.5	6.500	63.5	6.750	90.4	5.654	81.8
Lithopone.	"	5.113	97.4	4.933	94.0	4.456	65.9	6.813	66.6
Litharge.	per pound	063	50.1	057	45.6	058	84.9	4.524	86.2
Lamp black, pure dry.	"	090	64.3	103	73.6	105	46.4	054	43.2
Carbon black.	"	076	64.8	071	60.4	080	75.0	105	75.0
Putty, pure linseed oil.	per cwt.	3.200	69.8	3.200	69.8	3.075	68.1	083	70.6
	"						64.1	3.050	63.6
<b>Paint, Prepared.</b>									
Paint, pure white.	per gallon						78.6		74.4
Paint, coloured.	"					3.550	77.8	3.333	73.0
	"					3.350	79.5	3.200	76.0
<b>Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals</b>									
Acid, citric.	per pound	221	85.8		72.9		74.9		73.7
Acid, tartaric, crystals.	"	260	83.3	185	69.7	200	75.4	230	86.7
Chloroform, U.S.P.	"	330	104.0	210	84.0	263	105.2	247	98.8
Ether, commercial (1).	"	210	77.6	330	77.6	376	88.5	385	90.6
Potassium iodide.	"	3.925	97.7	208	96.7	180	93.0	180	93.0
Hydrogen peroxide, 10 vol.	"	050	90.8	3.025	69.9	1.948	45.0	1.600	37.0
Camphor, refined, slabs.	"	050	81.6	050	81.6	050	81.6	050	81.6
Quinine.	per ounce	585	57.1	545	53.2	653	63.7	675	65.9
Castor oil.	per pound	460	87.6	480	91.4	547	104.2	535	101.9
Iodine, crude.	"	117	75.3	090	58.1	090	58.1	091	58.7
	"	4.633	103.2	3.600	80.2	1.850	45.0	1.825	37.1
<b>Fertilizers.</b>									
Muriate of potash.	per ton	46.979	122.2	48.880	127.1	48.000	75.9	48.000	75.8
Dried blood.	"	46.167	59.0	48.880	61.1	57.483	127.4	48.000	127.4
Superphosphate.	"	13.333	72.1	14.350	77.6	18.333	71.9	54.000	67.5
Basic slag.	"	14.500	79.7	17.190	94.5	20.667	85.3	19.000	88.5
Sulphate of potash.	"	54.313	105.4	55.440	107.6	54.000	113.6	20.500	112.6
Tankage.	"	30.754	76.9	32.050	80.1	41.454	104.8	50.000	97.0
Bone meal.	"	39.406	103.7	40.440	106.4	37.611	103.6	42.000	105.0
Cyanamid.	"	35.000	70.0	35.880	71.8	35.500	99.0	35.000	92.1
Sulphate of ammonia.	"	32.794	43.7	34.650	46.2	40.510	71.0	35.000	70.0
Nitrate of soda.	"	51.875	76.6	47.710	70.4	44.250	54.0	40.000	53.3
	"						65.3	46.000	67.9
<b>Industrial Gases.</b>									
Acetylene.	per 100 cubic feet		88.7		88.7		88.7		88.7
Oxygen.	"	2.750	91.7	2.750	91.7	2.750	91.7	2.750	91.7
	"	1.575	78.8	1.575	78.8	1.575	78.8	1.575	78.8
<b>Soap.</b>									
Soap, common laundry.	per case		92.6		92.6		87.1		85.1
Soap, toilet.	"	5.000	92.6	5.000	92.6	4.800	88.9	5.000	92.6
	"					5.650		4.808	

(1) Previous to 1934 ether, anaesthetic.



TABLE VI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
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(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.....</b>	66.8	67.1	67.4	69.4	68.0	66.1	66.0	66.1	67.5	68.4	67.2	67.1
Fruits—												
Fresh, Dried and Canned.....	76.3	75.5	76.4	78.0	73.9	75.7	80.3	74.3	74.8	76.6	81.6	81.7
Fruits, Fresh.....	76.3	75.4	76.3	77.8	72.4	75.1	81.4	73.4	74.7	77.4	84.0	84.0
Fruits, Dried.....	83.6	83.6	85.6	85.2	85.2	83.2	83.2	82.6	80.4	78.9	78.8	80.3
Fruits, Canned.....	68.9	68.1	67.6	71.6	71.8	71.5	71.1	69.6	69.6	69.6	69.6	69.6
Grains.....	57.9	57.7	58.4	62.2	60.5	57.3	56.4	57.4	61.0	61.5	57.9	57.0
Flour and other Milled Products.....	70.6	70.8	71.2	74.1	71.2	67.2	66.2	67.0	68.9	71.6	69.0	69.3
Bakery Products.....	82.7	82.7	82.7	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.2	83.4	83.4
Vegetable Oils.....	66.1	72.9	72.9	73.3	74.0	71.5	66.4	64.2	68.9	75.9	73.5	69.5
Rubber and Its Products.....	57.6	57.6	57.1	57.1	57.3	57.4	56.0	55.9	55.8	56.3	56.5	56.5
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose.....	83.6	83.5	83.7	83.8	83.9	83.9	83.4	83.5	80.6	81.0	80.9	80.9
Ten, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.....	71.4	71.8	71.1	70.9	70.2	69.9	70.3	70.4	70.4	70.4	70.5	70.4
Vegetables.....	38.5	41.1	41.4	42.6	41.1	40.2	49.5	48.6	48.9	48.0	54.4	57.4
Onions.....	74.2	82.3	86.8	92.6	98.5	103.2	66.9	68.4	68.4	63.0	62.4	74.9
Potatoes.....	23.3	26.3	26.1	27.2	24.1	22.9	35.8	39.3	39.2	38.3	47.4	49.9
Vegetables, Canned.....	72.7	71.8	71.6	71.1	71.7	71.4	70.9	71.3	72.4	73.5	74.3	74.3
Tobacco.....	41.4	41.4	41.4	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	42.2	48.2
Miscellaneous.....	73.5	73.5	73.2	71.2	69.5	69.4	67.8	63.5	62.3	61.5	58.2	59.5
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....</b>	67.3	69.3	69.7	69.1	69.2	68.7	68.6	69.9	72.1	73.6	73.0	73.0
Fishery Products.....	73.9	73.5	73.4	71.3	68.9	71.7	69.9	70.2	72.2	72.4	71.5	70.4
Furs.....	51.5	52.3	52.3	52.3	50.3	50.3	51.0	51.0	52.7	52.7	52.7	51.9
Hides and Skins.....	59.6	57.8	56.4	61.5	68.6	68.9	60.8	63.5	73.7	83.3	86.8	84.0
Leather, unmanufactured.....	74.7	75.3	75.3	75.3	76.3	77.3	78.0	78.0	80.8	84.6	85.7	85.7
Leather, manufactured.....	85.8	85.3	85.3	85.3	84.7	84.7	84.7	84.7	84.8	85.3	85.8	85.3
Live Stock.....	69.4	74.3	81.1	85.1	89.2	86.2	81.1	82.0	80.6	74.2	72.3	77.2
Meats and Poultry.....	66.6	66.5	68.6	70.0	72.4	73.5	72.8	73.3	74.3	72.5	69.7	68.6
Meats, Fresh.....	66.6	67.1	72.4	75.2	80.8	82.8	78.5	75.3	74.2	76.4	76.5	73.6
Meats, Canned, Cured, etc.....	67.3	69.7	67.3	67.5	66.5	66.8	69.5	74.2	66.6	71.0	70.9	69.0
Milk and Its Products.....	67.0	71.4	71.6	69.5	67.4	63.0	63.2	64.2	86.9	87.1	87.1	80.8
Oils and Fats.....	67.0	70.4	71.8	70.5	69.9	74.1	75.5	83.0	86.9	87.1	87.1	80.8
Eggs.....	58.9	57.0	48.6	44.3	46.7	51.2	55.8	60.6	69.5	73.3	81.5	78.0
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.....</b>	71.1	71.0	70.4	70.3	70.5	70.4	70.8	70.6	68.8	69.2	69.6	69.6
Cotton, Raw.....	73.2	73.4	68.0	69.1	72.1	69.6	72.1	66.6	63.7	66.6	72.1	70.4
Cotton Yarn and Thread.....	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.1	82.1
Cotton Fabrics.....	79.3	79.3	78.7	78.0	78.1	78.1	78.1	78.1	72.9	71.9	71.9	72.0
Cotton Knit Goods.....	81.3	81.3	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3
Sash Cord.....	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	101.3	101.3	101.3	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5
Flax, Hemp and Jute Products.....	49.9	50.0	50.2	50.0	50.0	50.0	51.7	51.6	51.8	51.9	51.9	51.9
Silk, Raw.....	24.1	23.8	22.1	23.6	23.7	22.7	23.6	28.7	30.0	34.4	34.9	33.0
Silk Thread and Yarn.....	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9
Silk Hosiery.....	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	67.8	67.8	68.4
Silk Fabrics.....	46.5	46.9	46.5	46.5	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2
Artificial Silk Products.....	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	49.6	49.6	49.6
Wool, Raw.....	44.1	44.1	42.5	42.5	45.3	48.6	55.5	54.7	53.9	54.7	59.6	59.6
Wool Yarns.....	79.6	79.9	79.2	79.6	81.2	82.1	83.2	83.6	84.4	84.4	84.3	84.5
Wool Hosiery and Knit Goods.....	89.0	89.0	88.1	88.1	88.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1
Wool Blankets.....	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5
Wool Cloth.....	72.3	71.5	71.5	71.5	71.5	72.0	72.0	72.9	72.9	73.5	73.5	73.5
Carpets.....	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....</b>	64.6	64.8	64.4	63.9	63.9	63.9	64.3	64.2	65.1	65.0	65.3	65.9
News Print and Wrapping Paper.....	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0
Lumber and Timber.....	77.1	77.4	76.4	76.0	76.3	76.3	78.0	77.4	79.9	78.5	79.0	81.0
Canadian White Pine.....	87.9	87.9	86.9	86.9	87.5	87.8	89.4	89.4	89.6	89.6	89.6	89.6
Spruce.....	72.0	71.6	71.0	71.0	71.0	71.0	71.0	69.7	69.7	69.7	69.7	69.7
Hardwoods.....	74.6	74.6	74.6	74.6	74.6	75.3	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9
Hemlock.....	73.2	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.5
Fir.....	80.8	81.2	78.6	77.2	77.6	77.4	77.4	76.5	78.1	75.1	76.3	84.3
B.C. Cedar.....	66.5	68.7	68.2	68.2	68.2	68.2	78.0	78.2	94.1	88.4	89.9	91.1
Pulp.....	69.2	69.2	69.2	66.7	66.7	65.9	64.8	65.4	66.3	67.1	67.0	70.7
Furniture (composite).....	65.5	65.5	65.5	65.5	65.4	65.4	65.5	65.5	66.2	70.7	70.7	70.7
Matches.....	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....</b>	86.9	87.2	87.6	87.4	87.4	87.2	87.1	87.1	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2
Pig Iron and Steel Billets.....	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0
Rolling Mill Products.....	91.2	91.9	92.0	91.9	91.9	91.9	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1
Pipe.....	89.0	89.0	89.0	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3
Total Hardware.....	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6
Tools and Hand Implements.....	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6
Other Hardware.....	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	87.9	87.9	87.9
Wire.....	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8
Scrap Iron and Steel.....	50.9	50.9	53.9	61.3	61.3	58.7	55.4	55.4	57.6	57.6	57.6	57.6
Miscellaneous.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
<b>NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....</b>	64.0	63.9	65.2	67.9	70.7	69.6	68.9	69.9	71.1	73.7	73.4	71.5
Aluminum.....	81.0	81.2	81.0	78.2	77.9	77.9	77.9	78.2	78.5	78.5	77.1	77.1
Antimony.....	82.7	84.2	82.7	84.2	82.7	82.7	85.7	87.1	94.5	91.1	88.6	88.6
Brass, Copper and Products.....	55.3	54.7	55.6	58.6	61.0	59.2	57.7	59.3	62.1	65.8	65.1	65.9
Lead and Its Products.....	41.0	41.0	41.9	42.9	46.0	46.3	48.3	51.7	53.3	58.2	58.5	57.5
Silver.....	87.8	88.3	95.2	110.4	120.2	116.2	110.4	107.5	106.3	107.0	108.6	94.2
Tin Ingots.....	79.6	78.8	76.0	79.5	79.5	79.6	80.2	77.4	77.6	79.3	79.6	78.0
Zinc and Its Products.....	41.4	41.3	41.3	41.9	44.7	43.3	44.3	46.3	47.9	50.7	50.9	49.5
Solder.....	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	82.4	82.4	78.5



TABLE VI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
IN CANADA, 1935—Concluded  
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(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>												
Clay and Allied Material Products	86.4	86.3	85.8	85.8	85.3	85.1	84.6	85.0	85.2	85.0	85.0	85.4
Pottery	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4	88.4
Coal	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2
Coke	91.7	91.7	90.2	90.1	89.5	89.9	90.2	90.7	91.4	92.0	91.9	92.5
Manufactured Gas	93.2	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.0	93.0
Coal Tar	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0
Glass and Its Products	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	113.2
Window Glass	83.4	80.7	80.7	80.7	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5
Plate Glass	107.8	97.1	97.1	97.1	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2
Glassware	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0
Petroleum Products	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8
Crude Oil	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	74.0	74.6	74.6	73.3	73.3	73.6
Gasoline	71.9	72.2	72.5	72.5	72.4	72.2	72.2	72.2	72.3	72.7	72.5	72.4
Kerosene	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	67.1	68.1	68.1	65.8	65.8	66.3
Asphalt	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	77.1	77.1	77.1
Salt	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4
Sulphur	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	85.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2
Plaster	94.2	94.3	95.1	94.5	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.2	94.5	95.5	95.1	94.8
Lime	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.1
Cement	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7
Sand and Gravel	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2
Crushed Stone	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	89.0	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3
Building Stone	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	84.8
Asbestos and Its Products	64.7	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS</b>	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8
Inorganic Chemicals	80.5	80.4	80.5	80.0	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.5	76.9	77.4	77.4	77.5
Organic Chemicals	88.6	88.7	88.6	87.8	87.6	87.6	87.8	87.6	87.6	87.8	87.7	87.8
Coal Tar Products	75.9	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	75.9	75.8	75.9	75.8	75.8	75.6	75.9
Dyeing and Tanning Materials	91.8	94.1	94.1	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8
Dyeing Materials	105.9	106.0	105.9	105.4	105.4	105.9	105.4	106.0	105.9	106.5	105.2	105.2
Tanning Materials	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1
Explosives	109.4	109.5	109.4	108.2	108.2	109.4	108.2	109.5	109.4	110.7	107.7	107.7
Paint Materials	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
Paints, Prepared	69.7	67.3	66.5	66.2	66.2	66.2	66.2	66.2	66.3	66.9	68.5	68.5
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8	79.8
Fertilizers	75.3	75.3	75.3	74.4	72.9	72.9	72.9	71.1	71.1	74.0	74.0	74.2
Industrial Gases	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8
Soup	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.7
	84.1	84.1	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH USED

Both the Producers' and Consumers' groups contain a representation of primary as well as manufactured products and their movements are broadly similar. The large representation of primary products among producers' materials, however, causes the fluctuations of the Producers' Goods index to be slightly wider than those for the Consumers' Goods group.

From 1890 to 1913 there is little in the behaviour of price group relationships to attract special attention. The gradual decline in the first six years of this period, and the subsequent rise still in progress when the Great War began, failed to produce any serious problems related to price disequilibrium. Interest in prices during these years was concentrated for the most part upon broader problems such as the effect of gold discoveries upon general price levels, and the interaction of cyclical movements in prices and business conditions.

During the war years, however, the relationships of prices were complicated by the unequal reactions of price groups to inflationary stimuli and to the deflationary forces which followed later. The index for Producers' Goods which had trailed along below the Consumers' Goods index from 1890 to 1913, reversed its position in 1914, and reached a post-war peak in 1920, appreciably higher than that for Consumers' Goods. When readjustment followed, the decline for Producers' Goods was of greater magnitude than that for Consumers' Goods, and from 1921 to the present the Producers' Goods index has reverted to its former position. In 1931 and 1932, it declined so rapidly that the gap between these two series assumed abnormal proportions judged upon the basis of their historical relationships. It was in these years that the failure of Producers' prices to resist decline as did Consumers' prices, created so serious a shortage of purchasing power in the hands of farmers and other primary producers. The correctional movement commencing in 1933 has been very gradual but by the end of 1935, the producers' and consumers' Indexes were approaching a position of equilibrium somewhere above 70 p.c. of 1926 levels.



TABLE VII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1935  
(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)  
(1926=100)

Groups	I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
	All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
						All	Building and Con- struction	Manu- facturers'
(1890-1912)	76	45	31	112	8	104	34	70
1913-1925	98	74	24	146	15	131	32	99
1926-1933	204	116	88	351	22	329	97	232
1934-1935	236	126	110	402	24	378	111	267
1890	52.0	51.4	52.4	54.3	47.2	55.1	49.1	56.1
1891	52.4	52.2	52.5	54.6	47.1	55.4	46.9	56.8
1892	50.9	48.3	52.6	50.9	47.8	51.2	47.5	51.8
1893	51.4	49.4	52.8	50.3	48.0	50.5	46.9	51.1
1894	49.5	47.0	51.1	45.5	46.1	45.4	46.8	45.2
1895	48.2	45.3	50.2	46.2	45.6	46.3	44.8	46.6
1896	46.9	41.6	50.4	43.0	45.5	42.7	44.0	42.4
1897	47.5	43.7	50.0	45.5	45.1	45.5	41.5	46.2
1898	47.9	46.3	49.0	48.3	44.2	48.7	42.3	49.8
1899	47.9	46.5	48.9	47.2	44.1	47.5	44.8	48.0
1900	50.0	46.8	52.1	50.9	46.8	51.3	50.2	51.5
1901	52.2	47.2	55.5	51.6	51.1	51.7	48.6	52.2
1902	54.2	49.9	57.1	53.8	53.0	53.9	50.2	54.5
1903	56.1	52.3	58.6	53.3	54.9	53.1	54.1	52.9
1904	55.8	52.4	58.0	55.3	53.6	55.5	55.7	55.5
1905	55.5	54.0	56.5	56.4	50.9	57.0	55.2	57.3
1906	55.0	53.5	56.0	56.1	50.1	56.8	58.0	56.6
1907	58.1	57.6	58.5	59.8	52.1	60.6	60.1	60.7
1908	59.9	59.4	60.2	61.1	54.1	61.9	65.0	61.4
1909	58.7	58.9	58.6	63.9	53.2	65.1	63.5	65.4
1910	58.8	59.0	58.7	63.9	52.2	65.2	62.0	65.7
1911	59.5	60.8	58.7	61.9	52.1	63.0	65.1	62.7
1912	62.4	65.8	60.1	66.7	53.9	68.1	64.9	68.7
1913	62.0	61.8	62.2	67.7	55.1	69.1	67.0	69.5
1914	62.1	65.0	60.1	70.1	52.4	72.1	62.8	74.2
1915	62.8	68.7	58.8	77.1	51.2	80.0	60.5	84.6
1916	72.2	81.2	66.2	89.7	55.7	93.5	69.5	99.1
1917	90.5	109.1	78.1	120.6	65.3	126.7	87.4	136.0
1918	102.7	119.0	91.9	133.3	81.9	139.0	100.7	148.1
1919	115.2	127.9	106.7	139.8	90.7	145.2	117.8	151.6
1920	136.1	150.8	126.3	164.8	108.6	171.0	144.0	177.3
1921	108.9	105.1	111.5	113.3	113.8	113.3	122.7	110.8
1922	96.9	90.2	101.4	98.8	104.1	98.2	108.7	95.8
1923	94.7	91.2	97.0	97.6	102.5	97.1	111.9	93.7
1924	94.2	96.8	99.4	102.7	99.0	106.6	97.5	97.5
1925	97.0	97.7	96.5	104.9	99.2	105.5	102.9	106.2
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927	95.7	99.4	93.3	98.5	101.1	98.2	96.1	98.6
1928	95.6	99.6	92.9	96.7	93.7	97.0	97.4	96.9
1929	94.7	100.0	91.1	96.1	94.6	96.3	99.0	95.9
1930	89.3	93.1	86.8	82.5	92.9	81.3	90.8	79.7
1931	76.2	70.4	80.0	67.1	90.0	64.6	81.9	61.7
1932	71.3	61.5	77.8	62.4	88.7	59.5	77.2	56.5
1933	71.1	63.8	76.0	63.1	86.0	60.5	78.3	57.5
1934	74.1	69.7	77.0	67.8	88.9	65.5	82.5	62.6
1935	73.6	70.4	75.7	69.5	89.8	67.2	81.2	64.8
1934—January	74.3	69.6	77.5	66.0	87.9	63.6	81.9	60.5
February	75.9	73.0	77.8	67.0	87.9	64.7	82.3	61.7
March	75.9	72.8	78.0	67.1	87.9	64.8	82.2	61.8
April	74.6	70.5	77.4	66.6	87.9	64.2	82.9	61.0
May	73.8	68.8	77.1	67.2	89.1	64.8	83.1	61.7
June	74.1	69.7	77.1	68.8	89.2	66.5	83.9	63.6
July	73.8	69.4	76.7	69.1	89.7	66.8	83.2	64.0
August	73.5	69.0	76.5	68.9	89.6	67.6	82.8	65.0
September	73.9	69.6	76.7	68.9	89.5	66.6	82.7	63.9
October	73.6	69.3	76.4	67.7	89.5	65.3	82.4	62.4
November	73.1	68.4	76.2	67.9	89.4	65.5	81.8	62.7
December	72.9	67.9	76.2	68.3	89.6	65.9	81.4	63.3
1935—January	73.4	68.6	76.6	68.4	89.7	66.0	81.6	63.3
February	73.9	70.0	76.5	68.6	89.7	66.2	81.6	63.6
March	73.6	70.1	75.9	69.1	89.7	66.8	81.1	64.4
April	73.4	70.2	75.6	70.6	89.9	68.5	80.9	66.4
May	73.0	69.5	75.4	70.6	89.9	68.4	81.0	66.3
June	72.7	68.6	75.5	69.3	89.9	67.0	81.0	64.6
July	72.7	69.2	75.1	68.6	89.7	66.2	81.2	63.7
August	73.2	69.7	75.5	69.0	89.8	66.7	81.0	64.3
September	73.4	71.0	75.0	70.1	89.8	67.9	81.2	65.6
October	74.1	72.4	75.3	70.5	89.7	68.4	81.0	66.3
November	74.2	72.3	75.4	69.4	89.7	67.1	81.1	64.7
December	74.4	72.5	75.6	69.4	90.1	67.1	82.1	64.5



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## TABLE VIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1935

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)  
(1913=100)

(1913=100)

Groups		I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
		All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
							All	Building Construc- tion	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	1890-1912	76	45	31	112	8	104	34	70
	1913-1925	98	74	24	146	15	131	32	99
	1926-1933	204	116	88	351	22	329	97	232
	1934-1935	236	126	110	402	24	378	111	267
1890		83.7	83.1	84.3	79.1	85.6	78.6	73.3	80.7
1891		84.4	84.5	84.4	78.8	85.5	78.3	70.0	81.7
1892		81.6	78.1	84.6	74.4	86.7	73.5	70.9	74.5
1893		82.6	80.0	84.9	73.5	87.1	72.5	70.0	73.5
1894		79.3	76.0	82.2	67.7	83.6	66.4	69.9	65.0
1895		77.3	73.3	80.7	68.1	82.8	67.0	66.9	67.0
1896		74.7	67.3	81.1	64.0	82.6	62.6	66.5	61.0
1897		75.9	70.7	80.4	66.4	81.8	65.2	62.0	66.5
1898		77.0	74.9	78.8	69.9	80.2	69.1	63.2	71.6
1899		77.1	75.3	78.6	69.2	80.1	68.4	66.8	69.1
1900		80.0	75.8	83.7	75.1	85.0	74.3	74.9	74.1
1901		83.3	76.4	89.2	75.7	92.8	74.3	72.5	75.1
1902		86.6	80.7	91.8	78.7	96.1	77.4	74.9	78.4
1903		89.8	84.7	94.2	79.1	99.6	77.5	80.7	76.1
1904		89.3	84.8	93.2	82.0	97.2	80.8	83.2	79.9
1905		89.2	87.4	90.8	83.2	92.3	82.5	82.4	82.5
1906		88.4	86.6	90.0	83.5	91.0	82.9	86.5	81.1
1907		93.7	93.2	94.0	88.6	94.6	88.1	89.7	87.4
1908		96.5	96.1	96.8	91.4	98.1	90.9	97.0	88.3
1909		94.7	95.3	94.2	94.5	96.5	94.3	94.8	94.1
1910		94.9	95.5	94.4	94.1	94.8	94.0	92.5	94.6
1911		96.2	98.4	94.3	92.4	94.5	92.2	97.1	90.2
1912		101.2	106.5	96.7	98.3	97.8	98.3	96.8	98.9
1913		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914		101.4	105.1	96.7	103.4	95.1	104.3	93.8	106.8
1915		103.9	111.2	94.5	113.5	92.9	115.8	90.3	121.7
1916		120.4	131.4	106.5	131.9	101.0	135.3	103.7	142.6
1917		154.1	176.5	125.6	177.0	118.6	183.4	130.5	195.7
1918		172.9	192.5	147.8	196.1	148.7	201.2	150.3	213.1
1919		191.7	207.0	171.6	205.8	164.6	210.1	175.8	218.1
1920		226.3	244.0	203.1	242.7	197.1	247.5	214.9	255.1
1921		174.0	170.0	179.2	167.9	206.5	163.9	183.2	159.4
1922		153.6	146.0	163.1	146.8	189.0	142.2	162.2	137.7
1923		151.3	147.6	155.9	145.0	186.1	140.6	167.0	134.2
1924		150.5	146.3	155.7	147.6	186.4	143.4	159.1	140.2
1925		156.9	158.2	155.2	155.5	180.1	152.8	153.5	152.7
1926		161.2	161.9	160.8	148.5	181.5	144.8	149.2	143.8
1927		154.4	160.9	150.0	148.5	183.5	142.2	143.4	141.8
1928		154.2	161.3	149.4	143.5	170.1	140.5	145.3	139.3
1929		152.7	161.9	146.5	142.6	171.7	139.4	147.7	137.9
1930		144.0	150.7	139.6	122.8	168.6	117.7	135.5	114.6
1931		122.8	114.0	128.6	100.5	163.4	93.5	122.2	88.8
1932		114.9	99.6	125.1	93.7	161.0	86.2	115.2	81.2
1933		114.6	103.3	122.2	94.5	156.1	87.6	116.8	82.7
1934		119.4	112.8	123.8	101.5	161.4	94.8	123.1	90.0
1935		118.6	114.0	121.7	103.9	163.0	97.3	121.2	93.2
1934—January		119.8	112.7	124.6	98.8	159.5	92.1	122.2	87.0
February		122.3	118.2	125.1	100.3	159.5	93.7	122.8	88.7
March		122.4	117.9	125.4	100.4	159.5	93.8	122.6	88.9
April		120.3	114.1	124.5	99.7	159.5	93.0	123.7	87.7
May		119.0	111.4	124.0	100.6	161.7	93.8	124.0	88.7
June		119.5	112.8	124.0	102.9	161.9	96.3	125.2	91.5
July		118.9	112.4	123.3	103.3	162.8	96.7	124.1	92.0
August		118.5	111.7	123.0	104.4	162.6	97.9	123.5	93.5
September		119.1	112.7	123.3	103.0	162.4	96.4	123.4	94.1
October		118.6	112.2	122.9	101.4	162.4	94.6	122.9	94.1
November		117.8	110.7	122.5	101.6	162.3	94.8	122.0	90.2
December		117.5	109.9	122.5	102.1	162.6	95.4	121.4	91.0
1935—January		118.4	111.1	123.2	102.2	162.8	95.5	121.7	91.0
February		119.1	113.3	123.0	102.6	162.8	95.9	121.7	91.5
March		118.6	113.5	122.0	103.3	162.8	96.7	121.0	92.6
April		118.4	113.7	121.6	105.6	163.2	99.2	120.7	95.5
May		117.7	112.5	121.2	105.4	163.2	99.0	120.9	95.3
June		117.3	111.1	121.4	103.6	163.2	97.0	120.9	92.9
July		117.3	112.0	120.8	102.6	162.8	95.9	121.2	91.6
August		118.0	112.8	121.4	103.2	163.0	96.6	120.9	92.2
September		118.3	114.9	120.6	104.7	163.0	98.2	121.2	94.3
October		119.5	117.2	121.1	105.4	162.8	99.0	120.9	95.5
November		119.6	117.1	121.2	103.7	162.8	97.1	121.0	93.3
December		119.9	117.4	121.6	103.7	163.5	97.1	122.5	92.2

TABLE IX—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1932-1935

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of commodities		1932	1933	1934	1935
	1932-33	1934-35				
TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.....	502	567	66.7	67.1	71.6	72.1
CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B).....	204	236	71.3	71.1	74.1	73.6
A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco.....	116	126	61.5	63.8	69.7	70.4
Beverages.....	8	9	69.5	66.6	75.2	74.2
Flour and other milled products.....	5	12	56.0	58.3	68.3	69.8
Bakery products.....	2	2	81.8	81.7	82.8	83.0
Fish.....	16	16	63.9	62.9	70.9	71.5
Fruits, apples.....	3	.....	95.0	74.4	.....	.....
Fruits, fresh.....	4	4	83.3	78.7	82.7	77.3
Fruits, dried.....	5	5	94.9	85.6	86.6	82.6
Fruits, canned.....	3	6	74.3	68.7	68.5	70.0
Meats, fresh.....	6	6	60.7	55.6	65.4	73.8
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	3	3	44.2	49.8	73.7	70.4
Poultry.....	1	1	58.0	48.4	51.5	52.8
Milk and its products.....	12	12	59.2	60.2	64.7	68.2
Sugar and its products.....	3	8	73.9	97.8	93.9	82.7
Vegetables.....	(15)	(13)	.....	.....	.....	.....
Potatoes.....	7	7	26.0	44.4	33.9	33.4
Onions.....	2	2	91.1	73.5	72.3	81.0
Roots.....	3	.....	82.1	71.8	.....	.....
Vegetables, canned.....	3	4	68.2	76.1	73.4	72.2
Eggs.....	5	3	60.6	53.2	60.2	60.5
Tobacco.....	8	8	44.6	43.4	41.4	42.7
Miscellaneous.....	17	18	58.4	60.4	61.3	74.8
B. Other Consumers' Goods.....	88	110	77.8	76.0	77.0	75.7
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and under- wear).....	41	52	76.9	76.2	77.4	74.6
Household equipment and supplies.....	47	58	78.5	75.9	76.7	76.5
Coal.....	.....	.....	94.3	89.5	89.6	89.1
Coke.....	.....	.....	99.0	93.4	93.0	92.7
Coal oil, gas, fuel oil and lubricating oil.....	.....	.....	74.6	74.8	76.3	74.9
Drugs and pharmaceuticals.....	.....	.....	85.8	72.9	74.9	73.7
*Rubber tires and tubes.....	.....	.....	45.5	47.3	48.6	50.8
PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D).....	351	402	62.4	63.1	67.8	69.5
C. Producers' Equipment.....	22	24	88.7	86.0	88.9	89.8
Tools.....	3	3	88.8	82.7	85.4	86.6
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies.....	17	17	88.9	86.1	89.3	90.4
Explosives.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	83.4	77.9
Miscellaneous.....	2	2	84.5	83.4	84.0	84.5
D. Producers' Materials.....	329	378	59.5	60.5	65.5	67.2
Building and construction materials.....	97	111	77.2	78.3	82.5	81.2
Lumber.....	27	33	68.8	70.8	78.6	77.8
Painters' materials.....	11	13	63.5	66.2	75.0	71.1
Miscellaneous.....	59	65	88.7	88.4	88.2	87.0
Manufacturers' Materials.....	232	267	56.5	57.5	62.6	64.8
For textile and clothing industries.....	47	64	68.2	69.2	71.3	87.9
For the fur and leather industries.....	19	24	63.2	68.0	67.7	68.2
For the metal working industries.....	35	41	64.1	68.1	68.5	72.5
For chemical using industries.....	44	43	91.7	90.0	89.6	88.8
For meat packing industries.....	4	4	61.2	55.3	69.4	79.4
For milling and other industries.....	23	23	39.3	44.3	54.9	58.8
Miscellaneous Producers' Materials.....	60	68	62.0	57.3	59.7	59.8
For farm materials.....	.....	.....	64.7	61.8	74.9	72.1
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.....	.....	.....	68.9	58.2	57.9	57.1
For rubber working industries.....	.....	.....	9.5	14.3	27.1	25.3
Other producers' materials.....	.....	.....	53.9	56.9	58.2	60.7

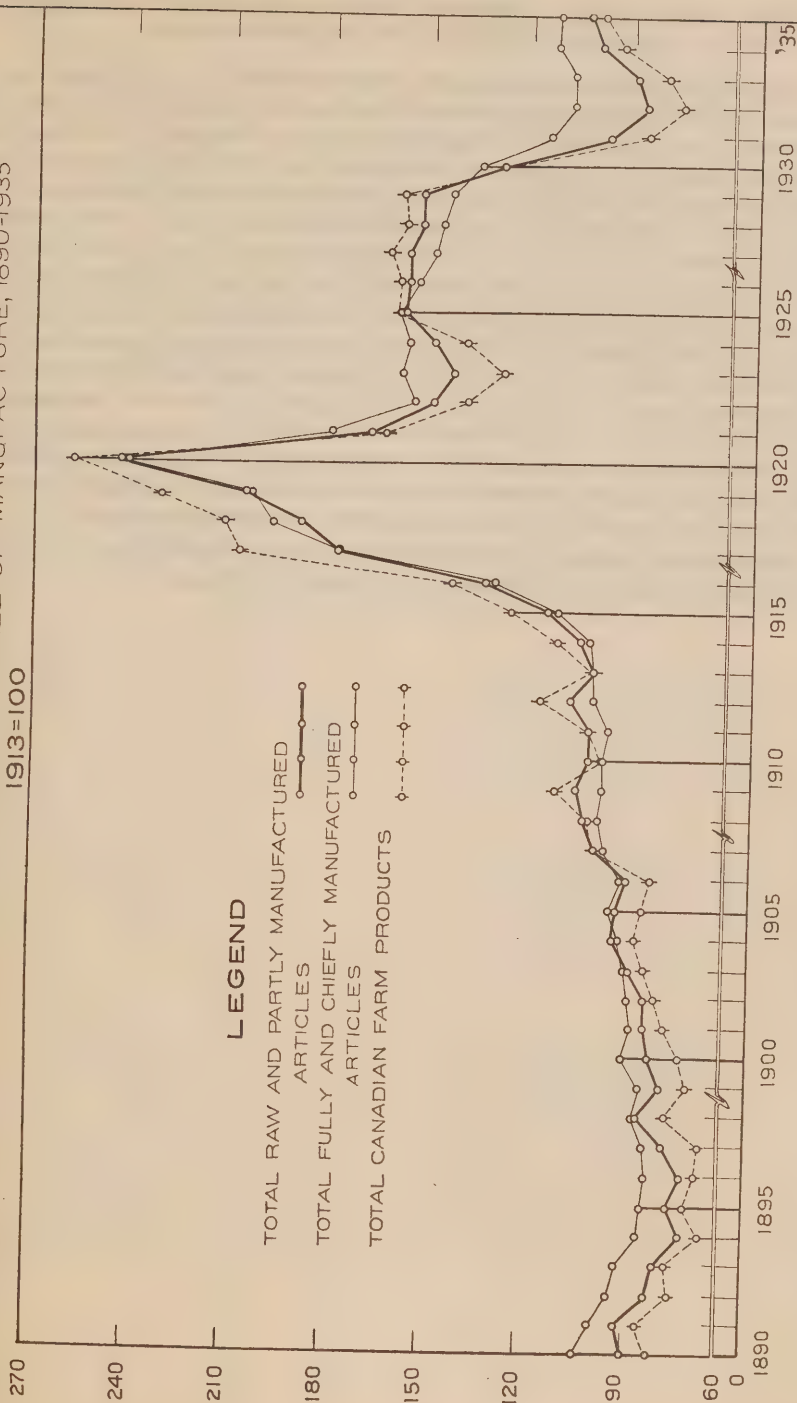
\*Previous to 1934: Rubber tires.

TABLE X—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1935(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.</b>	567	71.4	71.8	71.9	72.5	72.2	71.4	71.4	71.7	72.4	73.1	72.7	72.7
<b>CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B)</b>	236	73.4	73.9	73.6	73.4	73.0	72.7	72.7	73.2	73.4	74.1	74.2	74.4
<b>A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco</b>	126	68.6	70.0	70.1	70.2	69.5	68.6	69.2	69.7	71.0	72.4	72.3	72.5
Beverages	9	74.9	74.9	74.8	74.7	74.4	74.0	74.3	73.8	73.8	73.5	73.7	73.5
Flour and other milled products	12	70.6	70.8	71.2	74.1	71.2	67.2	66.2	67.0	68.9	71.6	69.0	69.3
Bakery products	2	82.7	82.7	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.2	83.4	83.4
Fish	16	73.9	73.5	73.4	71.3	63.9	71.7	69.2	70.2	72.2	72.4	71.5	70.4
Fruits, fresh	4	76.3	75.4	76.3	77.8	72.4	75.1	81.4	73.4	74.7	77.4	84.0	84.0
Fruits, dried	5	83.6	83.6	85.6	85.2	85.2	83.2	83.2	82.6	80.4	78.9	78.8	80.3
Fruits, canned	6	68.9	68.1	67.6	71.6	71.8	71.5	71.1	71.1	69.6	69.6	69.6	69.6
Meats, fresh	6	66.6	67.1	72.4	75.2	80.8	82.8	78.5	75.3	76.0	71.6	68.3	70.3
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared	3	67.3	69.7	67.3	67.5	66.5	66.8	69.5	74.2	76.4	76.5	73.6	69.0
Poultry	1	43.6	45.8	52.4	52.4	53.7	53.2	56.7	56.7	52.4	56.7	56.7	56.7
Milk and its products	12	67.0	71.4	71.6	69.5	67.4	63.0	63.2	64.2	66.6	71.0	70.9	72.8
Sugar and its products	8	83.6	83.5	83.7	83.8	83.9	83.9	83.4	83.5	80.6	81.0	80.9	80.9
Vegetables	(13)												
Potatoes	7	23.3	26.3	26.1	27.2	24.1	22.9	35.8	39.3	39.2	38.3	47.4	49.9
Onions	2	74.2	82.3	86.8	92.6	98.5	103.2	66.9	68.4	63.0	62.4	74.9	74.9
Vegetables, canned	4	72.7	71.8	71.6	71.1	71.7	71.4	70.9	71.3	72.4	73.5	74.3	74.3
Eggs	3	55.9	57.0	48.6	44.3	46.7	51.2	55.8	60.6	69.5	75.3	81.5	78.0
Tobacco	8	41.4	41.4	41.4	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	48.3
Miscellaneous	18	70.1	73.6	72.8	72.1	71.0	72.5	72.4	70.5	79.1	80.3	80.3	75.0
<b>B. Other Consumers' Goods</b>	110	76.6	76.5	75.9	75.6	75.4	75.5	75.1	75.5	75.0	75.3	75.4	75.6
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and underwear)	52	75.5	75.3	75.2	74.9	74.8	74.8	74.8	75.0	73.3	73.5	73.6	74.1
Household equipment and supplies	58	77.4	77.4	76.5	76.2	75.8	76.1	75.4	75.8	76.3	76.7	76.7	76.8
Coal	90.9	90.9	90.9	87.9	87.3	86.1	87.0	87.5	88.4	89.8	91.0	91.0	91.0
Coke	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7
Coal oil, gas, fuel oil and lubricating oil		75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	75.7	74.0	74.6	74.6	73.3	73.3	73.6
Drugs and pharmaceuticals		75.3	75.3	75.3	74.4	72.9	72.9	71.1	71.1	71.1	74.0	74.0	74.2
Rubber tires and tubes		51.8	51.8	51.8	51.8	51.8	51.8	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7
<b>PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D)</b>	402	68.4	68.6	69.1	70.6	70.6	69.3	68.6	69.0	70.1	70.5	69.4	69.4
<b>C. Producers' Equipment</b>	24	89.7	89.7	89.7	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.7	89.8	89.8	89.7	89.7	90.1
Tools	3	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies	17	90.3	90.2	90.3	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.3	90.4	90.4	90.3	90.2	90.2
Explosives	2	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
Miscellaneous	2	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5
<b>D. Producers' Materials</b>	378	66.0	66.2	66.8	68.5	68.4	67.0	66.2	66.7	67.9	68.4	67.1	67.1
Building and construction materials	111	81.6	81.6	81.1	80.9	81.0	81.0	81.2	81.0	81.2	81.0	81.1	82.1
Lumber	33	77.1	77.4	76.4	76.0	76.3	76.3	78.0	77.4	79.9	78.5	79.0	81.1
Painters' materials	13	75.0	74.2	74.3	74.1	73.5	73.4	73.0	72.8	72.8	64.5	66.2	66.2
Miscellaneous	65	87.5	87.4	87.4	87.2	87.4	86.6	86.4	86.4	86.4	87.0	86.9	87.1
<b>Manufacturers' Materials</b>	267	63.3	63.6	64.4	66.4	66.3	64.6	63.7	64.3	65.6	66.3	64.7	64.7
For textile and clothing industries	64	68.9	68.9	68.4	68.0	68.1	68.3	68.7	68.7	66.4	66.6	66.8	66.8
For the fur and leather industries	24	64.6	65.0	64.8	65.5	66.3	66.8	66.3	66.7	70.1	74.1	74.5	73.3
For metal working industries	41	68.2	68.2	69.3	71.7	73.9	72.9	72.3	73.1	74.1	76.2	75.9	74.4
For chemical using industries	43	89.3	89.5	89.5	88.6	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.8	88.5	88.5
For meat packing industries	4	69.4	74.3	81.1	85.1	89.2	86.2	81.1	82.0	80.6	74.2	72.3	77.1
For milling and other industries	23	57.9	57.7	58.4	62.2	60.5	57.3	56.4	57.4	61.0	61.5	57.9	57.1
<b>Miscellaneous Producers' Materials</b>	68	60.2	60.6	60.8	61.2	60.3	59.1	58.3	58.3	59.0	60.1	59.2	59.2
For farm materials		79.5	77.7	77.2	76.9	76.7	74.9	71.7	68.5	65.6	66.1	63.6	65.6
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.		57.6	57.6	57.6	57.0	56.9	56.8	56.6	56.7	56.7	56.9	57.1	57.1
For rubber working industries		26.5	26.2	23.7	23.8	24.6	25.5	24.6	24.4	23.9	26.4	27.7	27.7
Other producers' materials		58.2	60.1	61.0	63.2	60.7	57.9	57.3	58.4	61.8	64.5	62.5	62.5



# CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE, 1890-1935 1913=100



## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE

The broad movements of raw and partly manufactured, fully and chiefly manufactured, and Canadian farm products during the past forty-five years may be observed from Chart III. The violent shifts in price levels since the beginning of the Great War stand out in clear contrast to the minor fluctuations of the preceding twenty-four years. Throughout the whole period, the relatively sensitive behaviour of farm product prices is plainly evident. The index for this group fluctuates more widely than that of raw and partly manufactured materials chiefly because of the presence of ferrous metals and non-metallic minerals among the latter. Price movements for such commodities are characteristically more rigid than those for most other commodity groups.

Despite moderate recovery in prices between 1933 and 1935, it may be seen that indexes are still close to levels occupied early in the first decade of the century. Recovery has been most pronounced in primary products, but there still remains a substantial measure of dislocation between primary product and manufactured product prices. Correction of this condition seems likely to take longer than it did following the post-war decline in commodity prices, for recently manufactured product prices have reflected in part the rising levels of primary product markets. In 1924 and 1925, however, recovery in the farm products index, due largely to better grain prices, was not accompanied by any appreciable rise in manufactured products.

Details of index numbers of wholesale commodity prices classified according to origin and degree of manufacture may be found in tables XII and XIII following.

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

# PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES, 1913-1935

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Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)			Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin		
	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)			Animal			Total			Raw and Partly Manufactured			Raw and Partly Manufactured		
	Total Raw and Partly Manufactured	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Field	Animal	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total
*Number of Commodities...	245	95	91	186	46	59	105	18	70	5	11	16	37	20	57
1890.....	56.1	54.0	67.0	61.0	45.3	44.3	44.7	48.7	48.2	47.7	39.7	41.3	62.0	35.6	37.9
1895.....	47.8	44.9	49.1	47.2	49.0	42.5	42.7	45.6	42.8	49.3	38.6	41.5	52.4	36.8	38.1
1900.....	52.3	47.2	51.7	49.6	49.5	49.4	49.5	52.2	45.4	54.9	40.6	44.5	60.9	42.4	42.8
1905.....	58.9	57.1	60.6	59.0	53.9	51.9	52.8	55.7	51.9	56.5	43.9	47.3	59.2	48.4	49.8
1910.....	64.2	63.0	61.8	62.4	64.9	64.3	64.6	68.7	60.6	73.4	51.3	57.3	59.0	49.7	54.7
1913.....	63.8	58.4	59.9	59.2	73.0	67.8	70.1	77.0	64.1	78.7	61.2	65.9	64.1	54.0	60.1
1914.....	66.2	65.9	64.6	65.2	75.6	67.0	70.7	78.3	70.2	72.5	60.7	63.9	61.5	55.5	58.4
1915.....	72.5	71.1	77.8	73.7	75.6	72.7	73.7	79.5	77.6	73.7	61.8	65.0	68.4	57.4	67.7
1916.....	86.4	80.2	85.4	87.6	86.4	85.8	86.1	88.8	89.8	80.4	65.7	69.8	68.4	56.1	69.3
1917.....	113.6	113.2	118.8	124.5	113.3	111.8	112.5	118.4	126.5	100.4	82.3	87.2	83.1	72.4	87.4
1918.....	120.8	132.7	136.5	134.2	133.2	125.7	129.0	133.6	132.6	127.8	108.6	111.7	98.7	88.7	98.7
1919.....	130.3	142.7	144.8	140.5	142.5	146.4	142.6	153.5	145.7	127.8	111.3	115.8	104.9	104.9	123.6
1920.....	134.1	156.5	176.9	176.4	146.8	145.4	146.0	166.5	150.8	163.7	106.9	114.1	125.2	125.2	121.7
1921.....	107.2	116.1	101.8	106.6	104.7	111.0	108.2	100.3	103.7	93.2	91.6	91.2	105.4	105.4	117.8
1922.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1923.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1924.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1925.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1926.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1927.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1928.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1929.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1930.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1931.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1932.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1933.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1934.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3
1935.....	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3	123.3

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.



TABLE XII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1890-1935  
(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1913=100)

Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)				Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin		Articles of Forest Origin		Articles of Mineral Origin								
	Total Raw and Partly Manu- fac- fac- tured	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)		Animal	Field	Animal	Total	Raw and Partly Manu- fac- fac- tured	Fully and Chiefly Manu- fac- fac- tured	Total	Raw and Partly Manu- fac- fac- tured	Fully and Chiefly Manu- fac- fac- tured	Total							
		Raw and Partly Manu- fac- fac- tured	Fully and Chiefly Manu- fac- fac- tured	Total																
*Number of Commodities...	245	322	95	91	186	46	59	105	52	18	70	5	11	16	37	20	57	62	141	203
1890.....	88.0	101.8	92.5	111.8	98.1	62.0	65.3	63.7	84.9	63.3	79.5	60.6	64.8	63.9	60.6	66.0	61.1	96.8	115.6	104.8
1895.....	74.9	83.1	76.9	81.9	78.4	58.9	62.7	60.8	73.0	59.2	69.6	62.7	63.1	63.0	58.9	68.1	59.7	81.8	99.5	89.3
1900.....	81.9	88.7	80.9	86.3	82.5	67.8	72.9	70.3	73.2	67.8	71.9	69.7	66.4	67.1	64.6	78.6	65.8	95.0	103.8	98.8
1905.....	92.3	94.0	97.7	101.2	98.7	73.9	76.5	75.2	88.1	72.4	84.2	71.8	71.8	71.8	76.9	89.6	78.0	92.4	97.5	94.6
1910.....	100.7	97.3	107.9	103.2	106.5	88.9	94.8	91.9	98.9	89.2	96.5	93.3	83.8	85.7	90.3	92.0	90.4	92.0	92.1	92.0
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	103.8	101.3	112.8	107.9	109.6	103.6	98.7	101.9	116.0	101.7	110.8	92.1	99.2	97.6	92.3	102.8	94.4	96.0	95.5	96.0
1915.....	113.6	109.7	133.3	123.0	125.4	102.8	107.3	105.0	136.4	103.2	124.3	93.7	100.9	96.3	85.7	101.6	88.9	109.6	97.7	99.8
1916.....	135.5	130.5	154.5	142.5	146.0	118.4	126.5	121.3	157.5	118.7	143.3	102.9	107.2	106.3	80.5	104.5	102.1	129.6	123.3	121.6
1917.....	191.6	191.6	191.6	191.6	191.6	158.6	164.9	158.6	238.4	153.8	207.5	127.6	134.2	133.0	122.6	134.1	124.9	154.0	162.1	153.7
1918.....	178.0	175.3	224.6	198.4	209.4	155.2	164.9	158.6	234.0	173.5	211.9	162.5	151.8	172.0	132.5	164.2	141.3	163.6	174.3	167.1
1919.....	204.2	203.9	247.9	234.6	239.2	200.5	206.1	201.5	252.8	199.3	233.1	162.4	151.8	177.5	167.3	193.1	172.4	164.1	171.6	167.4
1920.....	241.6	241.5	302.9	293.6	291.2	201.1	214.4	208.5	295.3	195.8	258.8	169.9	174.7	173.5	173.5	271.2	241.6	194.9	201.0	195.6
1921.....	168.1	179.2	174.3	184.8	177.6	143.4	163.7	156.2	177.8	142.2	164.8	114.9	140.7	141.9	134.2	275.4	202.4	173.4	173.8	175.4
1922.....	143.5	155.0	147.2	159.1	152.9	130.6	142.1	135.6	144.3	128.6	135.3	127.6	130.7	127.6	130.7	183.8	166.4	161.4	153.4	158.0
1923.....	143.6	159.1	143.2	168.9	153.4	124.4	146.6	135.7	130.0	123.5	137.1	127.6	130.7	127.6	130.7	183.8	166.4	161.4	153.4	158.0
1924.....	158.0	157.3	153.1	171.5	161.3	125.3	133.3	130.7	146.6	126.2	139.1	127.6	130.7	127.6	130.7	183.8	166.4	161.4	153.4	158.0
1925.....	156.7	154.3	171.2	178.5	175.7	137.6	148.3	142.9	174.1	137.2	160.3	127.6	130.7	127.6	130.7	183.8	166.4	161.4	153.4	158.0
1926.....	156.7	154.3	171.2	178.5	175.7	137.6	148.3	142.9	174.1	137.2	160.3	127.6	130.7	127.6	130.7	183.8	166.4	161.4	153.4	158.0
1927.....	156.5	148.9	161.8	161.8	161.8	145.9	141.2	143.2	177.2	137.2	162.2	122.9	165.9	154.3	143.8	183.4	165.9	142.4	139.4	135.2
1928.....	152.6	146.6	154.4	150.2	155.7	157.0	144.0	149.6	164.3	143.4	158.4	116.3	169.9	156.4	148.4	181.4	160.0	142.4	126.0	135.2
1929.....	152.8	143.5	151.3	151.3	152.3	145.2	145.2	150.3	166.4	146.0	158.8	123.0	177.3	162.6	150.0	162.7	148.1	144.7	126.0	130.5
1930.....	128.8	134.7	115.4	140.3	128.8	142.0	131.8	136.2	124.2	133.6	127.7	110.4	160.3	146.3	135.7	160.1	148.1	134.4	120.0	120.7
1931.....	97.0	115.4	115.4	115.4	97.3	105.1	90.5	105.3	77.3	100.7	86.1	89.4	126.8	116.7	118.5	145.8	133.6	121.6	119.7	119.9
1932.....	86.2	107.7	70.2	112.6	92.8	82.0	93.8	86.6	72.9	78.8	75.1	71.4	108.8	98.7	103.9	127.7	116.6	118.0	119.3	118.7
1933.....	88.7	103.3	77.8	123.4	90.8	80.8	92.1	97.5	81.4	77.5	79.8	71.4	106.9	110.2	113.9	104.0	103.6	121.0	121.3	121.2
1934.....	99.5	113.3	92.5	123.4	109.3	90.4	102.9	100.8	95.2	86.4	92.6	76.6	122.7	97.3	107.0	104.0	103.6	124.3	120.3	122.1
1935.....	103.4	112.3	96.2	121.6	109.9	98.0	103.0	100.8	101.7	96.1	99.6	78.5	117.6	107.0	111.2	104.0	107.4	120.3	120.3	120.3

TABLE XIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
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(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	51.2	50.6	52.1	53.0	56.0	57.6	62.9	60.9	59.9	57.5	59.3	58.9
1934.....	61.1	62.8	62.3	61.5	62.3	64.6	64.7	65.3	64.8	64.5	64.3	64.3
1935.....	64.7	64.9	65.2	66.4	66.3	65.0	64.9	65.0	67.3	67.9	67.2	67.2
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	67.2	66.8	67.8	69.6	70.4	70.2	72.4	71.7	71.5	71.2	71.7	72.0
1934.....	73.1	74.6	75.1	74.0	73.0	73.0	73.1	73.4	73.5	72.8	72.4	72.5
1935.....	72.6	73.4	73.3	73.3	72.3	71.5	71.8	72.3	72.4	73.3	72.9	72.9
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	35.1	35.8	38.3	40.7	46.5	48.8	58.6	53.5	49.4	44.4	46.3	45.3
1934.....	49.0	50.6	51.0	50.2	52.1	56.4	58.1	60.2	58.4	55.2	55.1	55.2
1935.....	55.4	55.4	55.7	58.4	57.0	54.9	55.2	54.9	57.3	57.9	56.4	56.2
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	64.6	64.2	64.7	70.2	73.2	72.5	77.3	75.0	74.1	72.7	73.3	73.2
1934.....	74.5	75.4	75.5	74.1	73.6	73.0	73.6	74.3	73.8	73.1	73.0	73.3
1935.....	73.4	73.7	73.7	74.5	73.7	72.5	72.0	72.1	71.7	72.6	71.8	71.8
<b>Total—</b>												
1933.....	51.0	51.1	52.5	56.6	60.9	61.6	68.7	65.1	62.7	59.6	60.8	60.3
1934.....	62.7	64.0	64.2	63.1	63.7	65.3	66.4	67.8	66.7	64.8	64.7	64.9
1935.....	65.1	65.3	65.4	67.1	66.0	64.4	64.2	64.2	65.1	65.8	64.7	64.6
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	57.9	55.0	55.9	56.2	57.7	57.4	58.5	59.9	62.2	62.0	65.3	65.1
1934.....	66.1	69.6	67.1	65.8	65.1	65.8	63.3	61.7	63.4	67.9	67.9	67.8
1935.....	68.9	69.6	70.4	70.0	71.8	70.6	69.7	70.1	73.3	74.4	74.3	74.6
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	59.2	58.9	62.3	63.8	61.9	61.9	63.0	63.3	63.0	63.1	64.0	65.4
1934.....	67.6	72.0	73.9	71.7	68.8	69.6	69.3	69.5	70.7	68.9	67.7	67.6
1935.....	67.6	70.1	69.7	69.1	67.9	66.9	67.7	69.7	71.1	73.4	72.7	72.4
<b>Total—</b>												
1933.....	58.6	57.2	59.5	60.5	60.1	59.9	61.0	61.8	62.7	62.6	64.6	65.3
1934.....	66.9	71.0	71.0	69.1	67.2	68.0	66.7	66.1	67.5	68.5	67.8	67.7
1935.....	68.2	69.9	70.0	69.5	69.6	68.5	68.6	69.9	72.1	73.8	73.4	73.4
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
<b>Field (grains, etc.)—</b>												
1933.....	34.8	35.8	37.8	40.7	46.9	49.4	60.8	55.1	49.5	44.1	46.7	45.3
1934.....	48.0	49.4	49.8	48.8	51.1	55.7	57.7	60.7	59.0	55.3	55.7	56.1
1935.....	55.8	55.8	56.4	59.8	58.0	55.1	55.2	56.0	59.1	59.4	58.0	58.1
<b>Animal—</b>												
1933.....	58.3	54.7	56.1	56.3	58.3	57.7	58.9	60.6	63.2	63.0	67.7	67.4
1934.....	68.4	72.2	68.8	67.4	66.8	66.0	63.7	62.9	65.0	70.3	70.4	70.8
1935.....	71.0	72.5	73.3	72.9	74.4	72.0	71.1	72.4	75.5	76.7	77.1	77.9
<b>Total—</b>												
1933.....	43.6	42.9	44.6	46.5	51.2	52.5	60.1	57.2	54.6	51.2	54.6	53.6
1934.....	55.6	57.9	56.9	55.8	57.0	59.6	59.9	61.5	61.2	60.9	61.2	61.6
1935.....	61.5	62.0	62.7	64.7	64.1	61.4	61.1	62.1	65.2	65.9	65.1	65.5
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	54.5	44.6	49.6	46.6	48.1	54.8	56.5	59.2	63.3	67.5	71.0	58.9
1934.....	59.8	60.4	58.7	56.6	56.6	58.3	53.4	60.6	69.0	74.6	65.9	53.8
1935.....	63.2	61.9	61.7	58.7	54.1	61.4	54.6	61.1	68.6	69.4	64.4	61.9
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	60.8	61.2	61.8	63.0	62.7	62.3	63.6	67.7	67.7	68.9	69.0	69.7
1934.....	71.9	72.6	72.2	72.7	72.7	73.2	74.2	74.5	77.7	78.1	77.7	76.7
1935.....	75.5	75.4	75.5	73.6	71.4	72.0	72.5	69.9	68.8	68.6	70.7	70.3
<b>Total—</b>												
1933.....	59.1	56.7	58.5	58.6	58.7	60.3	61.7	65.4	66.5	68.5	69.5	66.8
1934.....	68.6	69.3	68.5	68.3	68.3	69.2	68.6	70.7	75.3	77.1	74.5	70.5
1935.....	72.2	71.7	71.8	69.6	66.7	69.1	67.7	67.5	68.7	68.8	69.0	68.0

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(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1933.....	66.0	65.2	65.2	64.4	64.8	69.7	71.5	72.8	74.0	74.7	74.4	74.4
1934.....	75.7	76.0	76.2	76.4	76.8	77.9	77.2	76.5	76.3	76.1	75.2	74.5
1935.....	74.7	74.9	74.2	73.2	73.2	73.1	74.0	73.8	75.5	74.8	75.4	76.8
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1933.....	61.8	61.6	61.3	55.3	55.2	55.1	55.2	55.3	55.3	56.0	56.1	56.2
1934.....	56.2	56.2	56.2	56.3	56.4	56.4	56.0	56.0	55.9	55.9	55.9	55.9
1935.....	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.1	56.5	56.5	56.5
Total—												
1933.....	63.8	63.3	63.1	59.5	59.7	61.9	62.8	63.5	64.0	64.7	64.6	64.7
1934.....	65.3	65.4	65.5	65.7	65.9	66.4	65.9	65.6	65.4	65.3	64.9	64.6
1935.....	64.7	64.8	64.5	64.0	64.0	64.0	64.4	64.3	65.1	65.0	65.3	66.0
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1933.....	75.8	75.6	75.9	74.9	74.1	74.4	75.7	75.0	76.5	75.9	76.2	77.3
1934.....	77.9	78.0	77.9	77.1	77.3	77.3	77.5	77.5	77.1	77.3	77.6	77.8
1935.....	78.0	78.0	78.1	79.2	79.6	79.2	79.2	79.8	80.5	81.5	81.4	80.8
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1933.....	84.2	83.3	83.4	83.6	83.7	84.2	84.3	84.7	85.8	86.1	86.1	86.1
1934.....	86.4	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.0	86.0	85.9	85.7	85.6	85.6	85.5	85.6
1935.....	85.8	85.9	86.0	85.6	83.7	83.5	84.9	85.1	84.7	84.5	84.5	84.7
Total—												
1933.....	80.4	79.9	80.0	79.7	79.4	79.8	80.5	80.4	81.6	81.5	81.7	82.2
1934.....	82.6	82.7	82.7	82.3	82.1	82.1	82.1	82.0	81.8	81.9	82.0	82.1
1935.....	82.3	82.4	82.5	82.7	81.9	81.6	82.4	82.7	82.8	83.2	83.1	83.0

TABLE XIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY  
GROUPS IN CANADA, 1933-1935

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	80.2	79.3	81.6	83.1	87.8	90.3	98.6	95.4	93.9	90.1	92.9	92.3
1934.....	95.7	98.4	97.6	96.4	97.6	101.2	101.4	102.3	101.5	101.1	100.8	100.8
1935.....	101.4	101.7	102.2	104.0	103.9	101.9	101.7	101.9	105.5	106.4	105.3	105.3
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1933.....	103.7	103.1	104.6	107.4	108.6	108.3	111.7	110.6	110.3	109.9	110.6	111.1
1934.....	112.8	115.1	115.9	114.2	112.6	112.6	112.8	113.3	113.4	112.3	111.7	111.9
1935.....	112.0	113.3	113.1	113.1	111.6	110.3	110.8	111.6	111.7	113.1	112.5	112.5
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1933.....	60.1	61.3	66.6	69.7	79.6	83.5	100.3	91.6	84.6	76.0	79.3	77.6
1934.....	83.9	86.6	87.3	85.9	89.2	96.6	99.5	103.1	100.0	94.5	94.3	94.5
1935.....	94.8	94.8	95.4	100.0	97.6	94.0	94.5	94.0	98.1	99.1	96.6	96.2
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1933.....	107.9	107.2	108.0	117.2	122.2	121.1	129.1	125.3	123.7	121.4	122.4	122.2
1934.....	124.4	125.9	126.1	123.7	122.9	121.9	122.9	124.1	123.2	122.1	121.9	122.4
1935.....	122.6	123.1	123.1	124.4	123.1	121.1	120.2	120.4	119.7	121.2	119.9	119.9
Total—												
1933.....	85.9	86.0	88.9	95.3	102.6	103.8	115.8	109.8	105.7	100.5	102.5	101.6
1934.....	105.7	107.8	108.2	106.3	107.4	110.2	112.1	114.4	112.5	109.4	109.2	109.5
1935.....	109.8	110.0	110.3	113.1	111.3	108.6	108.3	108.2	109.7	111.0	109.1	109.0



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(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1933.....	79.3	75.3	76.5	76.9	79.0	78.6	80.1	82.0	85.2	84.9	89.4	89.1
1934.....	90.5	85.3	91.9	90.1	89.1	90.1	86.7	84.5	86.8	93.0	93.0	92.8
1935.....	94.3	95.3	96.4	95.8	98.3	96.7	95.4	96.0	100.3	101.9	101.7	102.1
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1933.....	87.3	86.8	91.8	94.0	91.2	91.2	92.9	93.3	92.9	93.0	94.3	96.4
1934.....	99.6	106.1	108.9	105.7	101.4	102.6	102.1	102.4	104.2	101.6	99.8	99.6
1935.....	99.6	103.3	102.7	101.9	100.1	98.6	99.8	102.7	104.8	108.2	107.2	106.7
Total—												
1933.....	83.8	81.8	85.2	86.6	85.9	85.7	87.4	88.4	89.6	89.5	92.2	93.2
1934.....	95.7	101.4	101.5	98.9	96.1	97.2	95.4	94.6	96.7	97.9	96.9	96.7
1935.....	97.3	99.8	100.0	99.3	99.3	97.8	97.9	99.8	102.8	105.5	104.8	104.7
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
Field (grains, etc.)—												
1933.....	61.7	63.5	67.1	72.2	83.2	87.6	107.9	97.7	87.8	78.2	82.8	80.4
1934.....	85.2	87.6	88.3	86.6	90.7	98.8	102.4	107.7	104.7	98.1	98.8	99.5
1935.....	99.0	99.0	100.1	106.1	102.9	97.7	97.9	99.3	104.8	105.4	102.9	103.1
Animal—												
1933.....	75.7	71.0	72.8	73.1	75.7	74.9	76.5	78.7	82.0	81.8	87.9	87.5
1934.....	88.8	93.7	89.3	87.5	86.7	85.7	82.7	81.6	84.4	91.2	91.4	91.9
1935.....	92.2	94.1	95.1	94.6	96.6	93.5	92.3	94.0	98.0	99.6	100.1	101.1
Total—												
1933.....	66.9	66.3	69.2	72.5	80.4	82.9	96.2	90.6	85.6	79.5	84.7	83.1
1934.....	86.6	89.9	88.7	86.9	89.2	93.9	95.0	97.9	97.1	95.5	96.0	96.7
1935.....	96.5	97.2	98.2	101.8	100.5	96.1	95.8	97.3	102.3	103.2	101.9	102.4
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1933.....	69.3	56.7	63.0	59.2	61.1	69.7	71.8	75.2	80.5	85.8	90.2	74.6
1934.....	76.0	76.8	74.6	71.9	71.9	74.1	67.9	77.0	87.7	94.8	83.8	68.4
1935.....	80.3	78.7	78.4	74.6	68.8	78.0	69.4	77.7	87.2	88.2	81.9	78.7
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1933.....	99.3	100.0	101.0	102.9	102.5	101.8	103.9	110.6	110.6	112.6	112.7	113.9
1934.....	117.5	118.6	118.0	118.8	118.8	119.6	121.2	121.7	127.0	127.6	127.0	125.3
1935.....	123.4	123.2	123.4	120.3	116.7	117.6	118.5	114.2	112.4	112.1	115.5	114.9
Total—												
1933.....	91.2	88.3	90.7	91.1	91.3	93.1	95.2	101.0	102.5	105.3	106.6	103.4
1934.....	106.3	107.3	106.3	106.1	106.1	107.3	106.8	109.6	116.4	118.7	115.3	109.9
1935.....	111.7	111.2	111.2	107.9	103.7	106.9	105.2	104.3	105.6	105.6	106.4	105.1
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1933.....	98.5	97.3	97.3	96.1	96.7	104.1	106.7	108.7	110.5	111.5	111.1	111.1
1934.....	113.0	113.5	113.8	114.1	114.7	116.3	115.3	114.2	113.9	113.6	112.3	111.2
1935.....	111.5	111.8	110.8	109.3	109.3	109.1	110.5	110.2	112.7	111.7	112.6	114.7
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1933.....	114.5	114.1	113.6	102.5	102.3	102.1	102.3	102.5	102.5	103.8	104.0	104.1
1934.....	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.3	104.5	104.5	103.8	103.8	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6
1935.....	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	104.0	104.7	104.7	104.7
Total—												
1933.....	107.0	106.3	106.0	99.5	99.7	103.0	104.4	105.4	106.2	107.4	107.3	107.4
1934.....	108.3	108.5	108.6	108.9	109.3	110.0	109.2	108.7	108.4	108.3	107.7	107.1
1935.....	107.4	107.5	107.1	106.4	106.4	106.3	106.9	106.8	108.1	108.0	108.4	109.4
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1933.....	118.3	118.0	118.5	116.9	115.7	116.1	118.2	117.1	119.4	118.5	118.9	120.7
1934.....	121.6	121.8	121.6	120.4	120.7	120.7	121.0	121.0	120.4	120.3	121.1	121.4
1935.....	121.8	121.8	121.9	123.6	124.3	123.6	123.6	124.6	125.7	127.2	127.1	126.1
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1933.....	118.7	117.5	117.6	117.9	118.0	118.7	118.9	119.4	121.0	121.4	121.4	121.4
1934.....	121.8	122.0	122.0	122.0	121.3	121.3	121.1	120.8	120.7	120.7	120.6	120.7
1935.....	121.0	121.1	121.3	120.7	118.0	117.7	119.7	120.0	119.4	119.1	119.1	119.4
Total—												
1933.....	118.5	117.7	118.0	117.5	117.0	117.5	118.6	118.4	120.3	120.1	120.3	121.1
1934.....	121.7	121.6	121.8	121.3	121.0	121.0	121.1	120.9	120.6	120.7	120.8	121.0
1935.....	121.4	121.4	121.6	122.0	120.8	120.3	121.4	122.1	122.2	122.7	122.7	122.4

TABLE XV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1931-1935

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)					
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	44.0	41.0	45.3	54.2	56.2
Fruits, fresh, domestic.....	108.1	95.9	74.4	.....	77.3
Fruits, fresh.....	85.6	88.3	78.7	82.7	82.8
Fruits, dried.....	84.1	95.3	86.0	86.6	82.8
Grains.....	40.6	39.3	44.3	54.9	58.8
Rubber, raw.....	13.7	9.5	14.3	27.1	25.3
Sugar, raw.....	54.5	42.2	51.4	41.1	39.3
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	67.9	66.8	63.6	71.7	70.7
Tobacco.....	50.3	44.6	43.4	41.4	42.7
Vegetables.....	.....	44.4	.....	33.9	33.4
Potatoes.....	31.8	26.0	73.5	73.2	81.0
Onions.....	94.6	91.1	71.8	.....	71.7
Roots.....	95.4	82.1	57.4	77.1	71.7
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	74.4	62.2	53.7	70.4	69.6
Cotton, raw.....	50.3	41.7	46.0	30.7	42.0
Miscellaneous fibres.....	51.2	44.9	66.7	70.0	69.9
Pharmaceuticals.....	81.1	78.5	.....	.....	.....
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	69.5	67.1	71.2	73.9	72.8
Evaporated apples.....	89.6	76.6	68.1	.....	70.0
Canned fruits.....	85.9	74.3	68.7	68.5	69.8
Flour and milled products.....	57.3	56.0	58.3	68.3	69.8
Bakery products.....	82.2	81.8	81.7	82.8	83.0
Vegetable oils.....	63.7	56.1	56.1	56.3	70.8
Rubbers.....	65.3	65.4	66.7	67.1	67.1
*Tires and tubes.....	44.5	45.5	47.3	48.6	50.8
Sugar products and glucose.....	77.2	73.9	97.8	93.8	82.1
Chocolate and cocoa butter.....	89.7	78.3	62.3	57.6	57.6
Canned vegetables.....	70.5	68.2	76.1	73.4	72.2
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	81.2	72.1	72.3	76.0	76.0
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	63.2	50.5	48.7	55.6	50.3
Cotton yarn and thread.....	80.3	79.0	82.3	85.5	82.2
Sash cord.....	93.9	96.0	105.2	109.1	102.1
Cotton fabrics.....	79.5	76.5	77.6	78.7	76.4
Cotton knit goods.....	85.3	80.0	77.8	81.1	82.6
Chemicals.....	86.6	87.4	77.3	80.9	80.8
Soap.....	92.6	92.6	92.6	87.1	85.1
(c) Total.....	57.7	55.1	59.3	64.8	65.1
(B) ANIMAL					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	76.8	59.9	59.0	66.0	71.6
Live stock.....	76.0	61.2	55.3	69.4	79.4
Furs.....	66.8	51.3	55.7	56.9	51.7
Hides and skins.....	53.5	37.0	56.4	57.7	69.2
Meats.....	76.2	60.7	55.6	65.4	73.8
Poultry.....	83.9	58.0	48.4	51.5	52.8
Milk.....	83.1	63.9	64.8	71.2	77.3
Eggs.....	70.1	60.6	53.2	60.2	60.5
Silk, raw.....	42.5	29.8	28.2	21.0	27.0
Wool, raw.....	44.1	31.7	47.0	61.3	50.4
Shellac.....	47.2	34.4	37.1	65.9	43.6
Fertilizers.....	115.0	84.8	87.8	100.8	99.3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	71.6	61.1	62.5	69.8	69.9
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	65.8	44.2	49.8	73.7	70.4
Oils, fats etc.....	58.4	49.8	54.4	57.8	77.1
Leather.....	91.9	78.1	79.3	77.7	79.0
Boots and shoes.....	95.6	90.6	89.4	87.3	85.3
Milk, condensed and evaporated.....	95.9	94.0	88.5	87.2	87.2
Butter.....	65.8	54.2	56.0	59.2	60.6
Cheese.....	65.9	51.7	52.5	58.9	62.7
Silk and its products.....	60.2	61.6	55.5	53.9	51.7
Spool and machine twist.....	68.1	69.9	62.8	63.9	63.9
Silk fabrics.....	54.8	57.0	51.5	49.4	46.3
Silk hosiery.....	75.9	74.3	66.5	65.9	65.8
Wool products.....	78.3	74.2	76.0	82.8	77.5
Wool yarns.....	67.9	67.7	69.3	88.5	82.2
Wool cloth.....	74.0	70.0	73.9	79.6	72.9
Wool blankets.....	86.8	77.8	67.7	83.3	76.5

\* Previous to 1934: Tires.

TABLE XV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1931-1935—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)—Concluded					
(B) ANIMAL—Con.					
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles—Con.					
Wool products—Con.					
Wool carpets.....	91.6	93.0	85.4	88.5	92.5
Wool hosiery and knit goods.....	87.9	81.5	81.5	91.3	87.1
Glycerine.....	44.5	40.4	41.1	49.7	53.3
(c) Total.....	73.9	60.6	61.0	68.2	70.6
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS					
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	43.6	41.1	45.8	53.8	57.3
(b) Animal.....	77.6	60.7	59.7	67.7	74.0
(c) Total.....	56.3	48.4	51.0	59.0	63.5
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	70.3	56.2	56.2	60.3	61.8
Fish, salt.....	72.2	52.1	39.7	28.4	31.8
Fish, fresh.....	70.0	56.9	59.1	65.9	67.1
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	77.6	66.6	65.4	75.1	72.0
Dried or prepared fish.....	84.7	67.1	64.9	78.7	67.7
Canned fish.....	73.9	66.4	65.6	73.2	74.2
(c) Total.....	75.6	63.8	62.9	71.1	69.2
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	79.4	69.6	69.7	76.3	74.5
Lumber and timber.....	77.4	68.8	70.8	78.6	77.8
Camphor.....	62.4	57.1	53.2	63.7	65.9
Woodpulp.....	84.0	71.3	67.3	70.9	66.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	78.7	68.9	57.2	56.1	56.1
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	77.7	68.2	55.3	53.9	54.0
Furniture.....	88.1	71.8	63.9	65.7	66.8
Matches.....	73.8	75.8	76.2	76.2	76.2
Artificial silk products.....	65.8	64.4	60.9	56.1	50.5
Alcohol, methyl.....	97.2	97.7	80.5	75.2	86.2
Formaldehyde.....	67.2	72.9	72.9	61.5	59.8
Tanning extracts.....	100.3	99.9	105.9	112.0	108.9
(c) Total.....	79.0	69.2	63.0	65.5	64.7
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	77.9	77.0	75.6	77.5	79.6
Pig iron.....	86.9	86.9	83.0	82.8	83.0
Scrap.....	56.8	43.9	40.7	55.0	56.5
Non-ferrous metals.....	64.4	60.9	65.5	64.9	70.0
Non-metallic minerals.....	86.2	87.4	82.8	85.7	86.2
Chemicals.....	78.9	80.2	77.6	76.6	77.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	85.1	84.9	84.6	86.0	85.3
Pipe.....	89.9	89.9	89.0	89.0	85.2
Rolling mill products.....	90.7	90.9	90.9	90.9	92.0
Wire and wire goods.....	84.2	82.8	81.8	86.7	86.8
Hardware.....	88.6	88.3	86.7	87.3	87.5
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
Non-ferrous metal products.....	69.4	57.5	64.2	67.6	70.5
Non-metallic mineral products.....	81.6	82.8	82.3	84.9	83.6
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	88.9	86.3	86.1	84.5	82.4
(c) Total.....	81.9	81.4	80.6	82.2	82.8



TABLE XVI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1935

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

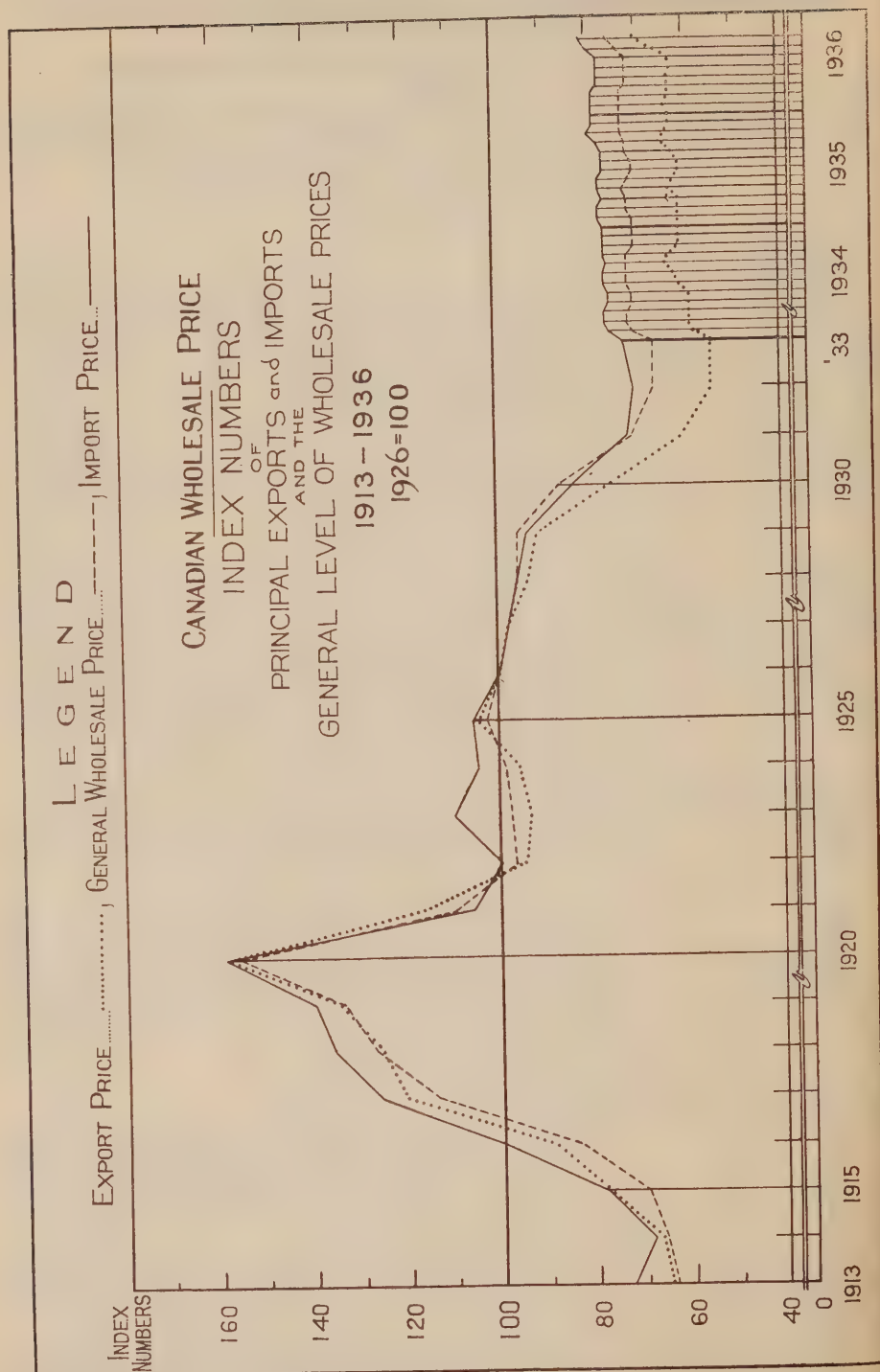
(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)												
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	55.4	55.4	55.7	58.4	57.0	54.9	55.2	54.9	57.3	57.9	56.4	56.2
Fruits, fresh.....	76.3	75.4	76.3	77.8	72.4	75.1	81.4	73.4	74.7	77.4	84.0	84.0
Fruits, dried.....	83.6	83.6	85.6	85.2	85.2	83.2	83.2	82.6	80.4	78.8	78.8	80.0
Grains.....	57.9	57.7	58.4	62.2	60.5	57.3	55.4	57.4	61.0	61.5	57.9	57.0
Rubber, raw.....	26.5	26.2	23.7	23.8	24.6	25.5	24.6	24.4	23.9	26.4	27.7	27.7
Sugar, raw.....	38.6	38.0	39.3	39.8	40.6	40.0	38.1	38.3	38.2	40.5	39.9	40.4
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	71.4	71.8	71.1	70.9	70.2	69.9	70.3	70.4	70.4	70.5	70.5	70.4
Tobacco.....	41.4	41.4	41.4	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	42.3	48.3
Vegetables.....												
Potatoes.....	23.3	26.3	26.1	27.2	24.1	22.9	35.8	39.3	39.2	38.3	47.4	49.9
Onions.....	74.2	82.3	86.8	82.6	98.5	98.5	103.2	66.9	68.4	63.0	62.4	74.9
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	79.5	79.5	79.0	76.7	74.6	74.6	72.8	67.7	66.2	64.8	60.7	62.5
Cotton, raw.....	73.2	73.4	68.0	69.1	72.1	69.6	72.1	66.6	63.7	66.6	72.1	70.4
Miscellaneous fibres.....	28.8	29.6	30.3	30.0	30.5	31.7	36.4	38.6	58.9	65.2	61.5	62.2
Pharmaceuticals.....	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	64.6	64.6	74.2	74.2	74.2
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	73.4	73.7	73.7	74.5	73.7	72.5	72.0	72.1	71.7	72.6	71.8	71.8
Canned fruits.....	68.9	68.1	67.6	71.6	71.8	71.5	71.2	71.1	69.6	69.6	69.6	69.6
Flour and milled products.....	70.6	70.8	71.2	74.1	71.2	67.2	66.2	67.0	68.9	71.6	69.0	69.3
Bakery products.....	82.7	82.7	82.7	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.2	83.4	83.4
Vegetable oils.....	66.1	72.9	72.9	73.3	74.0	71.5	66.4	64.2	68.9	75.9	73.5	69.5
Rubbers.....	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1	67.1
Tires and tubes.....	51.8	51.8	51.8	51.8	51.8	51.8	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7
Sugar products and glucose.....	83.2	83.2	83.2	83.2	83.1	83.2	83.6	58.2	57.7	58.2	58.2	58.7
Chocolate and cocoa butter.....	57.7	58.7	57.1	57.1	56.1	56.1	70.9	71.3	72.4	73.5	74.3	74.3
Canned vegetables.....	72.7	71.8	71.6	71.1	71.7	71.4	74.8	73.3	74.2	76.4	76.6	75.5
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	77.5	77.9	77.9	76.8	76.6	75.6	74.8	50.9	50.3	50.6	50.6	50.6
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	49.3	50.4	50.4	49.4	49.4	49.4	82.3	82.3	82.1	82.0	82.1	82.1
Cotton yarn and thread.....	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	101.3	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5
Sash cord.....	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	101.3	78.1	78.1	72.9	71.9	71.9	72.0
Cotton fabrics.....	79.3	79.3	78.7	78.8	78.1	78.1	83.0	83.0	83.0	82.3	82.3	82.3
Cotton knit goods.....	81.3	81.3	81.3	83.0	83.0	83.0	80.6	80.6	80.6	80.3	80.3	80.4
Chemicals.....	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.1	80.6	80.6	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4
Soap.....	84.1	84.1	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4
(c) Total.....	65.1	65.3	65.4	67.1	66.0	64.4	64.2	64.2	65.1	65.8	64.7	64.8
(B) ANIMAL												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	68.9	69.6	70.4	70.0	71.8	70.6	69.7	70.1	73.3	74.4	74.3	74.6
Live stock.....	69.4	74.3	81.1	85.1	89.2	86.2	81.1	82.0	80.6	74.2	72.3	77.2
Furs.....	51.5	52.3	52.3	52.3	50.3	50.3	51.0	51.0	52.7	52.7	52.7	51.9
Hides and skins.....	59.6	57.8	56.4	61.5	68.6	68.9	68.8	63.5	73.7	88.3	86.8	84.0
Meats, fresh.....	66.6	67.1	72.4	75.2	80.8	82.8	78.5	75.3	76.0	71.6	68.3	70.3
Poultry.....	43.6	45.8	52.4	52.4	53.7	53.2	56.7	56.7	52.4	56.7	56.7	56.7
Milk, fresh.....	78.7	79.9	79.9	77.8	77.2	72.9	72.8	73.5	77.2	79.1	79.1	79.7
Eggs.....	58.9	57.0	48.6	44.3	46.7	51.2	55.8	60.6	69.5	75.3	81.5	78.0
Silk, raw.....	24.1	23.8	22.1	23.6	23.7	22.7	23.6	28.7	30.0	34.4	34.9	33.4
Wool, raw.....	44.1	44.1	42.5	42.5	45.3	48.6	55.5	54.7	53.9	54.7	59.6	59.6
Shellac.....	60.4	51.8	39.8	38.8	39.0	39.3	39.3	39.3	40.1	45.3	45.8	45.8
Fertilizers.....	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3	99.3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	67.6	70.1	69.7	69.1	67.9	66.9	67.7	69.7	71.1	73.4	72.7	72.4
Articles.....												
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	67.3	69.7	67.3	67.5	66.5	66.8	69.5	74.2	76.4	76.5	73.6	69.0
Oils, fats, etc.....	67.0	70.4	71.8	70.5	69.9	74.1	75.5	83.0	86.9	87.1	87.1	80.8
Leather.....	74.7	75.3	75.3	75.3	76.3	77.3	78.0	78.0	80.8	84.6	85.7	85.7
Boots and shoes.....	85.8	85.3	85.3	85.3	84.7	84.7	84.7	84.8	84.8	85.3	85.8	87.8
Milk, condensed and evaporated.....	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2
Butter.....	58.4	66.4	64.8	61.6	59.3	54.9	53.3	54.8	58.1	62.4	65.7	68.2
Cheese.....	58.7	62.4	66.5	66.2	61.7	55.8	60.2	61.3	60.2	70.0	63.2	66.2
Silk and its products.....	51.7	52.0	51.7	51.7	51.5	51.5	51.5	51.5	51.5	52.0	52.0	52.2
Spool and machine twist.....	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9
Silk fabrics.....	46.5	46.9	46.5	46.5	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2
Silk hosiery.....	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	65.0	67.8	67.8	68.4
Wool products.....	77.4	76.8	76.6	76.7	76.7	76.7	77.3	77.3	77.3	78.9	78.9	79.3
Wool yarns.....	79.6	79.9	79.2	79.6	81.2	82.1	83.6	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.3	84.5
Wool cloth.....	72.3	71.5	71.5	71.5	71.5	72.0	72.0	72.9	72.9	75.3	75.3	75.8
Wool blankets.....	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5	76.5

TABLE XVI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1935—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)—Concluded												
(B) ANIMAL—Con.												
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles—Con.												
Wool products—Con.												
Woolcarpets.....	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5
Wool hosiery and knit goods.....	89.0	89.0	88.1	88.1	88.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1	86.1
Glycerine.....	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3
(c) Total.....	68.2	69.9	70.0	69.5	69.6	68.5	68.6	69.9	72.1	73.8	73.4	73.4
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS												
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	55.8	55.8	56.4	59.8	58.0	55.1	55.2	56.0	59.1	59.4	58.0	58.1
(b) Animal.....	71.0	72.5	73.3	72.9	74.4	72.0	71.1	72.4	75.5	76.7	77.1	77.9
(c) Total.....	61.5	62.0	62.7	64.7	64.1	61.4	61.1	62.1	65.2	65.9	65.1	65.5
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	63.2	61.9	61.7	58.7	54.1	61.4	54.6	61.1	68.6	69.4	64.4	61.9
Fish, salt.....	37.4	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	41.5	22.8	22.8	20.8	22.8	22.8	24.9
Fish, fresh.....	67.8	65.5	65.3	61.7	56.3	64.9	60.2	67.8	77.0	77.6	71.7	68.4
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	75.5	75.4	75.5	73.6	71.4	72.0	72.5	69.9	68.8	68.6	70.7	70.3
Dried or prepared fish.....	75.4	75.4	76.0	72.6	65.9	67.3	68.0	62.5	59.9	59.9	65.2	65.2
Canned fish.....	75.5	75.4	75.2	74.1	74.2	74.4	74.8	73.8	73.5	73.2	73.5	72.9
(c) Total.....	72.2	71.7	71.8	69.6	66.7	69.1	67.7	67.5	68.7	68.8	69.0	68.0
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	74.7	74.9	74.2	73.2	73.2	73.1	74.0	73.8	75.5	74.8	75.4	76.8
Lumber and timber.....	77.1	77.4	76.4	76.0	76.3	76.3	78.0	77.4	79.9	78.5	79.0	81.0
Camphor.....	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9
Woodpulp.....	69.2	69.2	69.2	66.7	66.0	65.9	64.8	65.4	65.4	66.3	67.1	67.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.1	56.5	56.5	56.5
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0	54.0
Furniture.....	65.5	65.5	65.5	65.5	65.4	65.4	65.5	65.5	66.2	70.7	70.7	70.7
Matches.....	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2
Artificial silk products.....	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	50.8	49.6	49.6	49.6
Alcohol, methyl.....	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	80.5	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2
Formaldehyde.....	57.1	70.3	70.3	70.3	70.3	59.8	57.2	59.8	52.7	52.7	48.3	57.1
Tanning extracts.....	109.4	109.5	109.4	108.2	108.2	109.4	108.2	109.5	109.4	110.7	107.7	107.7
(c) Total.....	64.7	64.8	64.5	64.0	64.0	64.0	64.4	64.3	65.1	65.0	65.3	66.0
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	78.0	78.0	78.1	79.2	79.6	79.2	79.2	79.8	80.5	81.5	81.4	80.8
Pig iron.....	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0
Scrap.....	50.9	50.9	53.9	61.3	61.3	58.7	55.4	55.4	57.6	57.6	57.6	57.6
Non-ferrous metals.....	64.7	64.5	65.9	68.7	71.6	70.5	71.5	72.4	74.6	74.4	72.2	72.2
Non-metallic minerals.....	86.9	87.0	86.1	86.0	85.1	85.2	85.4	85.8	86.3	86.8	86.7	87.0
Chemicals.....	77.8	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	85.8	85.9	86.0	85.6	83.7	83.5	84.9	85.1	84.7	84.5	84.5	84.7
Pipe.....	89.0	89.0	89.0	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3
Rolling mill products.....	91.2	91.9	92.2	91.9	91.9	91.9	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1
Wire and wire goods.....	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8
Hardware.....	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.6	87.3	87.3	87.3
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
Non-ferrous metal products.....	69.2	69.3	70.0	69.5	71.0	71.3	66.6	67.1	69.8	74.5	74.0	73.6
Non-metallic mineral products.....	84.4	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	83.8	82.9	83.2	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.8
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	83.9	83.8	83.8	83.3	83.3	83.3	83.3	83.3	80.1	80.2	80.3	80.3
(c) Total.....	82.3	82.4	82.5	82.7	81.9	81.6	82.4	82.7	82.8	83.2	83.1	83.0





## WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

The index numbers of wholesale prices of principal exports and imports presented herewith have been designed primarily to indicate the influence of commodities entering into international trade upon internal price levels. For that reason, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics general wholesale price index number has been used as a pattern for construction. The base year, 1926, is the same for both series, and the weighted arithmetic aggregative method of compilation was employed in both cases. The prices used in the export and import series have been taken from the general wholesale index. Only in weighting did it appear advisable to use slightly different procedure. Instead of referring to the base year, weights were computed from averages of the volume of imports and exports for the years 1926-1931 inclusive. The rapidly changing volume of trade for certain commodities made this seem advisable.

Although wholesale prices have been utilized, it is believed that annual averages of these index numbers will be useful for measuring the terms of trade. It is true that export and import prices, or declared unit values, might be employed more logically for this purpose. However, comparisons of wholesale price and declared unit value index numbers covering the past twenty-three years reveal a surprising degree of similarity.\* It may be inferred from this experience that wholesale prices and actual import and export prices would produce general indexes which would be in very close agreement, and that either may be used safely to measure approximate changes in the terms of trade.

Differences which do exist between average valuation and wholesale price indexes referred to above, can be largely accounted for by differences in weighting and in the lists of items. Such factors as the growing importance of bauxite to replace imports of alumina and the greater use of buckwheat anthracite coal to replace larger and more expensive sizes, may be cited among the influences tending to make these indexes diverge. Their close correspondence in spite of structural differences is significant.

### A COMPARISON OF GENERAL WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS WITH WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1935

During the greater part of the past twenty-three years, general commodity wholesale price index numbers and those for principal imports and exports have moved along courses which were almost parallel. This relationship was disturbed temporarily in 1914 when grain prices advanced carrying the general and export series upward while imports declined. Had it not been for the influence of grain prices, all three indexes would have fallen in 1914. However, from 1916 to 1918, advancing import prices outstripped exports and commodities generally, because quotations for imported chemicals and non-ferrous metals were affected by war time market conditions and depreciation in the Canadian dollar. The next major divergence occurred in 1923, when large crops caused a sharp fall in grain prices, while other commodity markets were firm. At this time the decline of export prices practically offset the increase in import prices leaving the general index only slightly higher than in 1922. The most serious dislocation in the three series commenced in 1928 and still remains of considerable proportions. During this period, export prices which relate predominantly to primary products have fallen relatively much lower than the average of all commodities or of imports. The general index and that for imports is heavily weighted by manufactured products, prices for which are characteristically more stable than those for primary products.

\*Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934, pages 155-159.

Although commodity prices generally advanced during 1934 and 1935, the rise for imports was only slightly less marked than for exports, so that appreciable margins continue to remain between these three series.

For the majority of component groups, general wholesale indexes have in recent years followed the lead of the composite indexes and fluctuated somewhere midway between a lower limit set by exports and an upper limit marked by imports. Noteworthy exceptions to this general rule are provided, however, by a few groups in which domestic manufactures are considerable, while imports and exports are composed predominantly of raw materials. This situation exists in the case of Vegetable Products, in which the domestic manufacture of refined sugar, flour and bread, rubber products, etc., is an important part of the complete group. It also occurs for the Textiles group in which domestic manufactures are important, and a large portion of imports and exports are raw materials. In both instances general group indexes have been more rigid than those for imports or exports.

TABLE XVII—CANADIAN INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND  
AVERAGE VALUATIONS—ALL COMMODITIES—EXPORTS AND  
—IMPORTS, 1913-1935\*

(1926=100)

	All Commodities		Exports		Imports	
	Prices	Average Valuations	Prices	Average Valuations	Prices	Average Valuations
1913.....	64.0	71.5	64.7	68.0	73.0	76.2
1914.....	65.5	70.5	66.5	70.3	69.3	70.7
1915.....	70.4	73.6	78.1	75.6	77.5	77.0
1916.....	84.3	82.6	88.7	85.3	100.0	87.4
1917.....	114.3	116.1	120.5	121.2	125.6	109.2
1918.....	127.4	130.5	126.2	133.3	135.5	126.8
1919.....	134.0	138.5	134.8	139.5	139.6	137.1
1920.....	155.9	161.1	158.1	156.3	158.8	167.8
1921.....	110.0	116.4	116.5	112.1	105.8	122.4
1922.....	97.3	97.7	94.7	93.7	100.4	103.1
1923.....	98.0	101.3	93.5	93.1	110.0	112.5
1924.....	99.4	100.4	95.7	95.0	105.0	108.0
1925.....	102.6	104.4	104.5	103.2	105.6	106.1
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	97.7	97.3	97.8	98.0	97.7	96.3
1928.....	96.4	95.0	94.2	93.6	96.1	96.7
1929.....	95.6	93.4	92.2	93.1	94.2	93.8
1930.....	86.6	83.2	77.4	79.5	83.7	88.4
1931.....	72.1	68.3	60.5	64.8	72.4	73.1
1932.....	66.7	62.5	54.9	57.9	70.5	68.9
1933.....	67.1	62.5	55.2	58.6	73.0	67.8
1934.....	71.6	68.6	60.6	65.4	76.5	73.1
1935.....	72.1	†	62.2	†	77.9	†

\* See Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1933, page 194, for component group indexes for 1913-1933.

† Discontinued.

TABLE XVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1935

(1926=100)

## EXPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Exports
1913.....	60.6	61.3	63.2	58.3	73.9	89.0	98.7	75.3	64.7
1914.....	67.8	60.2	59.6	58.4	71.6	82.6	80.1	75.1	66.5
1915.....	84.7	63.3	66.4	57.3	82.7	113.7	106.6	75.1	78.1
1916.....	91.9	74.3	82.7	63.4	111.9	143.7	106.6	74.2	88.7
1917.....	142.4	94.9	166.3	78.6	160.6	141.8	122.0	85.6	120.5
1918.....	145.5	107.5	166.1	88.9	177.9	126.1	128.7	105.6	126.2
1919.....	151.1	142.8	181.7	106.4	148.3	119.3	128.3	108.2	134.8
1920.....	168.2	136.9	139.7	156.2	196.1	129.9	152.4	128.9	158.1
1921.....	109.9	96.5	95.5	141.6	137.9	90.3	138.6	120.6	116.5
1922.....	84.4	96.5	82.5	105.9	110.3	90.2	129.1	106.9	94.7
1923.....	77.1	92.6	94.9	114.2	124.0	92.9	101.7	100.4	93.5
1924.....	88.2	82.6	104.4	108.9	118.8	96.2	99.7	98.1	95.7
1925.....	107.7	94.7	114.3	103.9	107.1	106.1	93.4	98.1	104.5
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	97.0	105.3	88.1	99.1	97.4	90.7	89.2	100.7	97.8
1928.....	88.8	111.3	95.3	98.7	91.9	87.5	83.8	98.2	94.2
1929.....	89.3	107.9	85.8	91.9	91.3	88.0	83.7	95.6	92.2
1930.....	65.3	94.2	69.5	87.3	87.4	75.4	81.5	92.9	77.4
1931.....	41.7	70.7	56.7	78.3	82.7	66.2	67.8	87.9	60.5
1932.....	40.4	55.7	39.6	68.1	81.3	65.2	66.1	68.3	54.9
1933.....	44.9	58.0	46.1	60.0	75.8	68.6	65.7	69.9	55.2
1934.....	53.4	64.5	59.1	62.5	78.0	67.6	71.2	72.2	60.6
1935.....	56.7	65.7	49.5	60.8	78.0	73.8	70.5	71.7	62.2

## IMPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Imports
1913.....	78.0	92.3	63.3	.....	75.7	.....	.....	.....	73.0
1914.....	80.2	95.6	60.5	.....	68.6	93.6	61.9	51.9	69.3
1915.....	92.1	104.9	57.0	.....	77.7	79.1	55.2	55.4	77.5
1916.....	105.7	129.0	79.8	.....	112.2	98.2	64.7	61.4	100.0
1917.....	122.1	148.0	117.4	.....	154.6	146.9	67.6	88.5	125.6
1918.....	132.2	147.0	150.2	.....	152.3	160.4	75.8	102.7	135.5
1919.....	145.6	212.9	167.6	.....	137.5	162.9	86.4	116.9	139.6
1920.....	200.6	178.8	172.7	.....	152.1	115.6	96.4	99.5	158.8
1921.....	102.8	101.4	98.4	.....	116.8	116.4	118.5	114.1	105.8
1922.....	98.4	102.4	105.7	.....	101.2	76.8	114.0	105.9	105.8
1923.....	113.7	101.6	127.7	.....	114.2	79.2	104.4	99.2	100.4
1924.....	105.7	97.1	113.5	.....	113.2	88.5	94.0	97.1	110.0
1925.....	111.9	108.2	112.9	.....	104.7	88.2	93.8	95.7	105.0
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	.....	100.0	96.0	95.7	95.5	105.6
1927.....	102.0	111.7	92.4	.....	98.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1928.....	94.0	132.0	94.7	.....	94.8	94.7	93.2	98.0	97.7
1929.....	85.6	113.3	93.4	.....	95.0	99.7	88.4	92.3	96.1
1930.....	75.0	94.5	75.5	.....	91.1	116.9	89.4	92.0	94.2
1931.....	60.1	72.5	59.9	.....	88.7	84.7	87.3	87.5	83.7
1932.....	57.6	59.1	52.6	.....	91.1	57.5	80.3	83.3	72.4
1933.....	61.4	67.7	57.3	.....	92.2	46.5	84.8	86.3	70.5
1934.....	65.0	69.7	64.2	.....	92.7	59.1	79.4	86.9	73.0
1935.....	68.5	74.6	63.6	.....	94.4	66.7	83.6	88.0	76.5
						68.0	82.5	89.7	77.9



TABLE XIX—MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF  
PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1934 AND 1935

(1926=100)

Commodity Groups	—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
EXPORTS														
Total Exports.....	1934 1935	58.1 60.8	58.8 60.7	59.2 61.3	58.5 62.9	59.2 62.4	61.2 61.1	62.1 61.0	63.5 61.8	62.6 63.8	61.1 64.4	61.1 63.2	60.8 62.6	60.6 62.2
Vegetable Products.....	1934 1935	47.8 54.9	48.8 55.0	49.1 56.1	47.9 59.3	50.4 57.3	54.4 54.3	57.4 54.0	60.6 55.7	58.3 59.5	55.1 60.0	55.6 57.5	55.5 57.0	53.4 56.7
Animals and Their Pro- ducts.....	1934 1935	62.6 64.4	64.2 63.5	65.5 63.6	65.7 63.9	63.8 64.4	64.8 65.1	62.6 66.0	63.4 65.6	65.0 66.7	65.3 69.2	64.0 67.7	62.8 66.5	64.5 65.7
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products.....	1934 1935	69.2 45.9	69.3 45.9	67.1 45.0	65.9 45.0	62.9 46.7	58.3 48.4	56.2 52.6	53.2 52.2	53.2 51.8	51.5 51.8	51.5 54.3	50.7 54.3	59.1 49.5
Wood, Wood Products and Paper.....	1934 1935	62.0 61.0	62.4 61.1	62.6 60.9	62.7 60.4	62.7 60.3	63.5 60.3	63.5 60.6	63.2 60.5	62.9 61.4	62.1 60.7	61.5 60.8	61.0 61.2	62.5 60.8
Iron and Its Products.....	1934 1935	77.1 77.4	77.8 77.4	78.9 77.7	78.9 78.4	78.9 78.4	78.9 78.0	78.0 78.0	77.4 78.0	77.4 78.0	77.4 78.0	77.4 78.0	77.4 78.0	78.0 78.0
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....	1934 1935	70.2 68.6	69.2 68.8	69.1 70.4	68.1 72.7	66.8 75.7	66.6 74.8	66.3 74.2	66.7 74.9	66.2 75.6	66.8 77.6	67.7 77.3	68.2 74.5	67.6 73.8
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products.....	1934 1935	71.2 71.2	71.2 71.2	71.2 71.2	71.2 71.2	71.2 71.2	71.2 71.2	71.2 69.1	71.2 69.9	71.2 69.9	71.2 69.9	71.2 69.9	71.2 69.9	71.2 70.5
Chemicals and Allied Pro- ducts.....	1934 1935	72.9 71.6	73.8 71.7	77.3 71.7	71.2 71.7	71.2 71.7	71.2 71.7	71.5 71.7	71.5 71.7	71.5 71.7	71.5 71.7	71.5 71.7	71.5 71.7	72.2 71.7
IMPORTS														
Total Imports.....	1934 1935	75.5 77.5	76.6 78.0	76.6 77.2	76.1 77.5	76.2 77.5	77.2 77.3	76.7 77.1	76.3 76.9	76.7 77.9	76.7 79.7	76.5 79.2	77.0 78.9	76.5 77.9
Vegetable Products.....	1934 1935	61.1 68.9	62.9 69.5	62.4 69.1	61.6 70.2	62.2 69.5	66.5 68.4	65.7 68.5	66.4 67.1	68.5 67.5	68.1 70.5	66.9 67.1	67.5 66.3	65.0 68.5
Animals and Their Pro- ducts.....	1934 1935	71.5 70.8	75.2 71.0	75.2 68.7	75.6 70.3	69.6 71.0	70.0 70.8	65.6 70.4	64.4 71.3	66.7 77.0	66.5 84.1	67.6 84.4	68.2 84.5	69.7 74.6
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products.....	1934 1935	64.5 62.4	67.0 62.6	67.0 61.2	66.3 61.7	65.4 62.5	65.0 62.2	64.5 63.3	62.5 63.3	61.5 64.4	61.5 66.0	61.8 67.5	62.6 66.6	64.2 63.6
Iron and Its Products.....	1934 1935	92.3 93.1	92.4 94.2	92.5 94.5	92.5 94.3	93.6 94.1	93.4 94.1	93.0 94.4	92.8 94.5	92.2 94.5	92.5 94.7	92.5 94.6	93.0 94.5	92.7 94.4
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....	1934 1935	63.2 68.4	63.8 68.3	64.5 68.1	67.0 69.1	66.4 69.1	68.3 69.1	68.7 63.6	68.2 62.5	67.4 65.6	67.5 71.0	67.4 71.1	68.0 70.4	66.7 68.0
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products.....	1934 1935	83.5 84.4	83.6 84.3	83.5 81.9	81.4 81.3	82.8 81.5	83.2 81.9	83.8 81.1	83.8 82.1	84.4 82.7	84.2 82.7	84.2 82.7	84.2 83.4	83.6 82.5
Chemicals and Allied Pro- ducts.....	1934 1935	88.6 89.6	88.8 89.6	89.0 89.6	87.1 89.6	87.2 89.6	87.2 89.6	87.2 89.6	87.1 89.6	89.8 89.6	90.0 89.7	90.0 89.6	90.1 90.4	88.5 89.7

# WHOLESALE PRICES

## TABLE OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1935

### I. VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—

- Fruits, fresh
- Fruits, dried
- Fruits, canned
- Grains
- Flour and milled products
- Bakery products
- Vegetable oils
- Rubber and its products
- Sugar and its products and glucose
- Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices
- Tobacco
- Vegetables
- Miscellaneous

### II. ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

- Fishery products
- Furs
- Hides and skins
- Leather, unmanufactured
- Leather, manufactured
- Live stock
- Meats and poultry
- Milk and its products
- Fats, etc.
- Eggs

### III. FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—

- Cotton, raw
- Cotton yarn and thread
- Cotton fabrics
- Knit goods (cotton)
- Miscellaneous cotton manufactures
- Miscellaneous fibres and their products
- Silk and its products
- Artificial silk and its products
- Wool and yarns
- Woollen hosiery, underwear and cloth
- Carpets

### IV. WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—

- Newsprint paper rolls
- Lumber
- Pulp
- Furniture
- Matches

### V. IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—

- Pig iron and steel billets
- Rolling mill products
- Iron and steel
- Pipe
- Hardware
- Wire
- Metal scrap
- Miscellaneous

### VI. NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

- Aluminium
- Antimony
- Copper and its products
- Brass sheets
- Lead and its products
- Nickel ingots
- Silver
- Tin ingots
- Zinc and its products
- Solder

### VII. NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

- Bricks
- Pottery
- Coal and its products
- Glass and its products
- Petroleum and its products
- Asphalt
- Salt
- Sulphur
- Building supplies

### VIII. CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—

- Inorganic chemicals
- Organic chemicals
- Coal tar products
- Dyeing and tanning materials
- Explosives
- Paint materials
- Prepared paints
- Drugs and pharmaceutical chemicals
- Fertilizers
- Industrial gases
- Miscellaneous

## TABLE OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1935

NOTE.—Price quotations shown are those prevailing at the middle of the month except where otherwise specified. All quotations are given in Canadian funds.

(1926=100 for all indexes shown in this table. Commodities without indexes have been added in 1934 and 1935.)

## GROUP 1.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

## FRUITS

## BANANAS

Price per 100 pounds in bunches of 7 hands, f.o.b. track, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 3-000	86.5	July.....\$ 3-000	86.5
Feb.....3-000	86.5	Aug.....2-600	75.0
March.....3-200	92.3	Sept.....2-200	63.5
April.....3-200	92.3	Oct.....2-500	72.1
May.....2-600	75.0	Nov.....3-200	92.3
June.....3-000	86.5	Dec.....3-200	92.3

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-892; Index—78.1

## BANANAS

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-050	75.8	July.....\$ 0-048	72.7
Feb.....-048	72.7	Aug.....-045	68.2
March.....-050	75.8	Sept.....-043	65.2
April.....-050	75.8	Oct.....-043	65.2
May.....-045	68.2	Nov.....-053	80.3
June.....-050	75.8	Dec.....-053	80.3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-048; Index—72.7

## LEMONS, 300's

Price per box at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 4-130	95.8	July.....\$ 7-250	168.2
Feb.....4-230	98.1	Aug.....5-250	121.8
March.....3-940	91.4	Sept.....4-800	111.4
April.....3-860	89.6	Oct.....6-740	156.4
May.....3-750	87.0	Nov.....6-580	152.7
June.....4-200	97.4	Dec.....6-240	144.8

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-081; Index—117.9

## ORANGES

Price per case at Toronto (average of sizes predominant on the market)

Jan.....\$ 4-523	71.3	July.....\$ 4-583	72.2
Feb.....4-472	70.4	Aug.....4-364	68.7
March.....4-455	70.2	Sept.....4-825	76.0
April.....4-636	73.0	Oct.....4-630	72.9
May.....4-520	71.2	Nov.....4-750	74.8
June.....4-386	69.1	Dec.....4-806	75.7

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-579; Index—72.1

## CURRANTS, AUSTRALIAN, 2 CROWN, 56's

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-100	—	July.....\$ 0-100	—
Feb.....-100	—	Aug.....-100	—
March.....-100	—	Sept.....-103	—
April.....-100	—	Oct.....-103	—
May.....-100	—	Nov.....-103	—
June.....-100	—	Dec.....-103	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-101

## CURRANTS, AUSTRALIAN, 3 CROWN, 56's

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-108	96.5	July.....\$ 0-110	98.3
Feb.....-108	96.5	Aug.....-110	98.3
March.....-108	96.5	Sept.....-110	98.3
April.....-108	96.5	Oct.....-110	98.3
May.....-110	98.3	Nov.....-110	98.3
June.....-110	98.3	Dec.....-110	98.3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-109; Index—97.4

## RAISINS, THOMPSON SEEDLESS (25-lb. box)

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-123	94.2	July.....\$ 0-128	98.0
Feb.....-123	94.2	Aug.....-125	95.7
March.....-125	95.7	Sept.....-130	99.5
April.....-123	94.2	Oct.....-123	94.2
May.....-123	94.2	Nov.....-125	95.7
June.....-123	98.0	Dec.....-125	95.7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-125; Index—95.7

## FRUITS—Continued

## RAISINS, UNCLEANNED, AUSTRALIAN, 3 CROWN SULTANAS, 56's

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-100	—	July.....\$ 0-095	—
Feb.....-100	—	Aug.....-095	—
March.....-105	—	Sept.....-095	—
April.....-105	—	Oct.....-095	—
May.....-105	—	Nov.....-095	—
June.....-095	—	Dec.....-100	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-099

## PRUNES, 50's-60's (25-lb. Box)

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-105	—	July.....\$ 0-105	—
Feb.....-105	—	Aug.....-105	—
March.....-105	—	Sept.....-088	—
April.....-105	—	Oct.....-088	—
May.....-105	—	Nov.....-085	—
June.....-105	—	Dec.....-085	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-099

## CANNED PEACHES, STANDARD 2's SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....\$ 1-750	—	July.....\$ 1-725	—
Feb.....1-750	—	Aug.....1-725	—
March.....1-675	—	Sept.....1-375	—
April.....1-675	—	Oct.....1-375	—
May.....1-725	—	Nov.....1-375	—
June.....1-725	—	Dec.....1-375	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-604

## CANNED CHERRIES, STANDARD 2's SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....\$ 1-450	—	July.....\$ 1-250	—
Feb.....1-450	—	Aug.....1-250	—
March.....1-450	—	Sept.....1-225	—
April.....1-450	—	Oct.....1-225	—
May.....1-450	—	Nov.....1-225	—
June.....1-300	—	Dec.....1-225	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-329

## CANNED RASPBERRIES, STANDARD 2's SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....\$ 1-850	—	July.....\$ 1-600	—
Feb.....1-850	—	Aug.....1-600	—
March.....1-750	—	Sept.....1-550	—
April.....1-750	—	Oct.....1-550	—
May.....1-750	—	Nov.....1-550	—
June.....1-750	—	Dec.....1-550	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-675

## CORN SYRUP

Price per case (24-2 lb. tins) to retail, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....\$ 3-950	—	July.....\$ 3-950	—
Feb.....3-950	—	Aug.....3-950	—
March.....3-950	—	Sept.....3-950	—
April.....3-950	—	Oct.....3-950	—
May.....3-950	—	Nov.....3-950	—
June.....3-950	—	Dec.....3-950	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-950

## ORANGE MARMALADE

Price per 4-lb. tin, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....\$ 0-420	—	July.....\$ 0-440	—
Feb.....-380	—	Aug.....-440	—
March.....-380	—	Sept.....-440	—
April.....-440	—	Oct.....-440	—
May.....-440	—	Nov.....-440	—
June.....-440	—	Dec.....-440	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-428



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### FRUITS—Concluded

#### STRAWBERRY JAM

Price per 4 pound tin, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-620	—	July.....	\$ 0-670 —
Feb.....	—620	—	Aug.....	—670 —
March.....	—620	—	Sept.....	—670 —
April.....	—670	—	Oct.....	—670 —
May.....	—670	—	Nov.....	—670 —
June.....	—670	—	Dec.....	—670 —
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-658				

### GRAINS

#### BARLEY, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-504	81-1	July.....	\$ 0-355	57-1
Feb.....	—469	75-5	Aug.....	—339	54-6
March.....	—448	72-1	Sept.....	—358	57-6
April.....	—459	73-9	Oct.....	—339	54-6
May.....	—423	68-1	Nov.....	—333	53-6
June.....	—392	63-1	Dec.....	—338	54-4
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-396; Index—63-7					

#### BARLEY, No. 4, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-461	78-8	July.....	\$ 0-318	54-3
Feb.....	—425	72-6	Aug.....	—302	51-6
March.....	—400	68-4	Sept.....	—331	56-6
April.....	—412	70-4	Oct.....	—318	54-3
May.....	—385	65-8	Nov.....	—305	52-1
June.....	—367	62-7	Dec.....	—302	51-6
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-360; Index—61-5					

#### BARLEY, No. 6, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-435	78-9	July.....	\$ 0-294	53-3
Feb.....	—400	72-5	Aug.....	—276	50-1
March.....	—379	68-7	Sept.....	—297	53-9
April.....	—394	71-5	Oct.....	—280	50-8
May.....	—360	65-3	Nov.....	—276	50-1
June.....	—347	62-9	Dec.....	—275	49-9
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-334; Index—60-6					

#### BARLEY, ONTARIO, GOOD MALTING

Price per bushel at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-830	—	July.....	\$ 0-480	—
Feb.....	—750	—	Aug.....	—450	—
March.....	—700	—	Sept.....	—480	—
April.....	—710	—	Oct.....	—480	—
May.....	—700	—	Nov.....	—420	—
June.....	—600	—	Dec.....	—460	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-588					

#### CORN, AMERICAN YELLOW, No. 2

Price per bushel at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-303	156-0	July.....	\$ 1-250	149-7
Feb.....	—1-300	155-7	Aug.....	—1-250	149-7
March.....	—1-238	148-3	Sept.....	—1-228	147-1
April.....	—1-330	159-3	Oct.....	—1-288	154-3
May.....	—1-335	159-9	Nov.....	—1-075	128-7
June.....	—1-228	147-1	Dec.....	—1-041	124-7
Average, 1935: Price—\$1-239; Index—148-4					

#### CORN, AMERICAN YELLOW, No. 3

Price per bushel at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-293	157-4	July.....	\$ 1-240	150-9
Feb.....	—1-290	157-0	Aug.....	—1-240	150-9
March.....	—1-218	148-3	Sept.....	—1-218	148-3
April.....	—1-320	160-7	Oct.....	—1-278	155-6
May.....	—1-325	161-3	Nov.....	—1-065	129-6
June.....	—1-213	147-7	Dec.....	—1-031	125-5
Average, 1935: Price—\$1-228; Index—149-5					

### GRAINS—Continued

#### FLAX, No. 1, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 1-436	72-1	July.....	\$ 1-226	61-6
Feb.....	—1-422	71-4	Aug.....	—1-238	62-2
March.....	—1-384	69-5	Sept.....	—1-364	68-5
April.....	—1-409	70-8	Oct.....	—1-412	70-9
May.....	—1-340	67-3	Nov.....	—1-412	70-9
June.....	—1-214	61-0	Dec.....	—1-458	73-2
Average, 1935: Price—\$1-359; Index—68-2					

#### FLAX, No. 2, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 1-396	71-6	July.....	\$ 1-186	60-8
Feb.....	—1-382	70-8	Aug.....	—1-198	61-4
March.....	—1-344	68-9	Sept.....	—1-324	67-9
April.....	—1-369	70-2	Oct.....	—1-372	70-3
May.....	—1-300	66-6	Nov.....	—1-372	70-3
June.....	—1-174	60-2	Dec.....	—1-418	72-7
Average, 1935: Price—\$1-319; Index—67-6					

#### FLAX, No. 3, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 1-256	70-1	July.....	\$ 1-026	57-2
Feb.....	—1-242	69-3	Aug.....	—1-036	57-8
March.....	—1-203	67-1	Sept.....	—1-185	66-1
April.....	—1-226	68-4	Oct.....	—1-252	69-9
May.....	—1-150	64-2	Nov.....	—1-252	69-9
June.....	—1-016	56-7	Dec.....	—1-298	72-4
Average, 1935: Price—\$1-178; Index—65-7					

#### OATS, No. 2, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-442	80-6	July.....	\$ 0-429	78-2
Feb.....	—427	77-9	Aug.....	—363	66-2
March.....	—411	75-0	Sept.....	—360	65-7
April.....	—422	77-0	Oct.....	—340	62-0
May.....	—408	74-4	Nov.....	—319	58-2
June.....	—398	72-6	Dec.....	—298	54-3
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-385; Index—70-2					

#### OATS, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-386	81-3	July.....	\$ 0-399	84-0
Feb.....	—365	76-9	Aug.....	—333	70-1
March.....	—353	74-3	Sept.....	—315	66-3
April.....	—378	79-6	Oct.....	—280	59-0
May.....	—378	79-6	Nov.....	—278	58-6
June.....	—368	77-5	Dec.....	—264	55-6
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-341; Index—71-8					

#### OATS, No. 1 FEED, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-363	79-8	July.....	\$ 0-379	83-3
Feb.....	—343	75-4	Aug.....	—317	69-7
March.....	—335	73-6	Sept.....	—299	65-7
April.....	—358	78-7	Oct.....	—261	57-4
May.....	—358	78-7	Nov.....	—249	54-7
June.....	—354	77-8	Dec.....	—243	53-4
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-322; Index—70-8					

#### OATS, No. 2 FEED, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—  
monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-346	81-3	July.....	\$ 0-295	69-3
Feb.....	—332	78-0	Aug.....	—282	66-3
March.....	—322	75-7	Sept.....	—271	63-7
April.....	—345	81-1	Oct.....	—233	54-8
May.....	—335	78-7	Nov.....	—217	51-0
June.....	—333	78-3	Dec.....	—218	51-2
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-294; Index—69-1					

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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## GRAINS—Continued

## OATS, ONTARIO, GOOD SOUND HEAVY

Price per bushel in carlots, f.o.b. outside points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-365	80-8	July.....	\$ 0-345	76-3
Feb.....	375	83-0	Aug.....	310	68-6
March.....	340	75-2	Sept.....	295	65-3
April.....	368	81-4	Oct.....	270	59-7
May.....	355	78-6	Nov.....	260	57-5
June.....	350	77-5	Dec.....	255	56-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-324; Index—71-7

## PEAS, No. 2, WHITE, ONTARIO

Price per bushel, f.o.b. shipping point

Jan.....	\$ 1-100	89-8	July.....	\$ 1-100	89-8
Feb.....	1-100	89-8	Aug.....	1-100	89-8
March.....	1-100	89-8	Sept.....	1-100	89-8
April.....	1-100	89-8	Oct.....	1-100	89-8
May.....	1-100	89-8	Nov.....	1-150	93-9
June.....	1-100	89-8	Dec.....	1-150	93-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-108; Index—90-4

## RYE, No. 2, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-543	58-6	July.....	\$ 0-361	38-9
Feb.....	507	54-7	Aug.....	365	39-4
March.....	490	52-8	Sept.....	405	43-7
April.....	517	55-7	Oct.....	422	45-5
May.....	460	49-6	Nov.....	411	44-3
June.....	412	44-4	Dec.....	416	44-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-442; Index—47-7

## RYE, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-507	58-1	July.....	\$ 0-326	37-4
Feb.....	467	53-5	Aug.....	323	37-6
March.....	441	50-6	Sept.....	369	42-3
April.....	472	54-1	Oct.....	378	43-3
May.....	429	49-2	Nov.....	368	42-2
June.....	378	43-3	Dec.....	373	42-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-403; Index—46-2

## RYE, CANADA WESTERN, REJECTED

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-467	54-9	July.....	\$ 0-301	35-4
Feb.....	427	50-2	Aug.....	303	35-6
March.....	398	46-8	Sept.....	344	40-5
April.....	441	51-9	Oct.....	353	41-5
May.....	399	46-9	Nov.....	344	40-5
June.....	349	41-1	Dec.....	351	41-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-373; Index—43-9

## RYE, No. 2, ONTARIO

Price per bushel at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-570	—	July.....	\$ 0-355	—
Feb.....	550	—	Aug.....	405	—
March.....	490	—	Sept.....	420	—
April.....	540	—	Oct.....	435	—
May.....	480	—	Nov.....	430	—
June.....	420	—	Dec.....	415	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-450

## WHEAT, No. 1, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-790	52-8	July.....	\$ 0-814	54-4
Feb.....	795	53-2	Aug.....	845	56-5
March.....	819	54-8	Sept.....	903	60-4
April.....	876	58-6	Oct.....	908	60-7
May.....	857	57-3	Nov.....	857	57-3
June.....	817	54-6	Dec.....	847	56-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-844; Index—56-5

## GRAINS—Concluded

## WHEAT, No. 2, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-753	52-2	July.....	\$ 0-784	54-2
Feb.....	765	53-0	Aug.....	815	58-5
March.....	789	54-7	Sept.....	872	60-4
April.....	846	58-6	Oct.....	882	61-1
May.....	827	57-3	Nov.....	837	58-0
June.....	787	54-6	Dec.....	817	56-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-814; Index—56-4

## WHEAT, No. 3, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-718	51-5	July.....	\$ 0-734	52-7
Feb.....	721	51-8	Aug.....	766	55-0
March.....	747	53-6	Sept.....	833	59-8
April.....	805	57-8	Oct.....	832	59-7
May.....	778	55-8	Nov.....	783	56-2
June.....	738	53-0	Dec.....	769	55-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-769; Index—55-2

## WHEAT

Weighted average price of Manitoba Northern Wheat

Jan.....	\$ 0-752	52-2	July.....	\$ 0-745	53-7
Feb.....	758	52-6	Aug.....	806	55-9
March.....	783	54-3	Sept.....	867	60-2
April.....	840	58-3	Oct.....	871	60-4
May.....	818	56-7	Nov.....	822	57-1
June.....	778	54-0	Dec.....	808	56-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-807; Index—56-0

## WHEAT, No. 2, ONTARIO

Price per bushel, f.o.b. shipping point

Jan.....	\$ 0-940	71-9	July.....	\$ 0-685	52-4
Feb.....	930	71-2	Aug.....	695	46-3
March.....	885	67-7	Sept.....	590	45-1
April.....	890	68-1	Oct.....	770	58-9
May.....	890	68-1	Nov.....	690	52-8
June.....	780	59-7	Dec.....	690	52-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-779; Index—59-6

## FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS

## FLOUR, MANITOBA, FIRST PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's rate, carlots delivered Montreal rate points

Jan.....	\$ 5-200	59-0	July.....	\$ 5-100	57-8
Feb.....	5-300	60-1	Aug.....	5-300	60-1
March.....	5-400	61-2	Sept.....	5-700	64-6
April.....	5-700	64-6	Oct.....	5-800	65-8
May.....	5-300	60-1	Nov.....	5-700	64-6
June.....	4-900	55-5	Dec.....	5-700	64-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-425; Index—61-5

## FLOUR, MANITOBA, FIRST PATENT

Price per barrel, carlots, delivered to dealers at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 4-700	—	July.....	\$ 4-900	—
Feb.....	4-900	—	Aug.....	5-100	—
March.....	5-000	—	Sept.....	5-400	—
April.....	5-300	—	Oct.....	5-800	—
May.....	5-100	—	Nov.....	5-600	—
June.....	5-000	—	Dec.....	5-500	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-192

## FLOUR, MANITOBA, SECOND PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's rate, carlots delivered Montreal rate points

Jan.....	\$ 4-800	57-7	July.....	\$ 4-700	56-5
Feb.....	4-900	58-9	Aug.....	4-900	58-9
March.....	5-000	60-1	Sept.....	5-300	63-7
April.....	5-300	63-7	Oct.....	5-400	64-9
May.....	4-900	58-9	Nov.....	5-300	63-7
June.....	4-400	52-9	Dec.....	5-300	63-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-017; Index—60-3

GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS—Continued

FLOUR, MANITOBA, SECOND PATENT

Price per barrel, carlots, delivered to dealers at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 4-400	—	July.....\$ 4-800	—
Feb.....4-600	—	Aug.....4-800	—
March.....4-700	—	Sept.....5-100	—
April.....5-000	—	Oct.....5-400	—
May.....4-800	—	Nov.....5-200	—
June.....4-700	—	Dec.....5-100	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-867

FLOUR, ONTARIO, 90 PER CENT PATENT

Price per barrel, sea board, in bulk—average of weekly prices

Jan.....\$ 3-988	68-2	July.....\$ 2-981	51-0
Feb.....4-120	70-5	Aug.....3-020	51-7
March.....3-975	68-0	Sept.....3-444	58-9
April.....4-075	69-7	Oct.....3-860	66-0
May.....3-765	64-4	Nov.....3-625	62-0
June.....3-381	57-8	Dec.....3-675	62-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-662; Index—62-6

OATMEAL

Price per 98 pound sack, Toronto

Jan.....\$ 3-360	93-5	July.....\$ 3-360	93-5
Feb.....3-250	90-5	Aug.....3-360	93-5
March.....3-140	87-4	Sept.....3-140	87-4
April.....3-030	84-3	Oct.....3-140	87-4
May.....3-130	87-1	Nov.....2-920	81-3
June.....3-140	87-4	Dec.....2-970	82-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-162; Index—88-0

ROLLED OATS

Price per 90 pound sack at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 3-050	92-9	July.....\$ 3-050	92-9
Feb.....2-950	89-9	Aug.....3-050	92-9
March.....2-850	86-8	Sept.....2-850	86-8
April.....2-750	83-8	Oct.....2-850	86-8
May.....2-750	83-8	Nov.....2-650	80-7
June.....2-850	86-8	Dec.....2-650	80-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-858; Index—87-1

CORN MEAL

Price per 98 pound sack at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 3-050	—	July.....\$ 2-800	—
Feb.....2-950	—	Aug.....2-800	—
March.....3-000	—	Sept.....2-800	—
April.....3-000	—	Oct.....2-800	—
May.....3-000	—	Nov.....2-800	—
June.....3-000	—	Dec.....2-800	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-900

MALT

Price per bushel of 36 pounds, carlots to manufacturers, f.o.b. Ontario points

Jan.....\$ 1-150	105-5	July.....\$ 1-000	91-7
Feb.....1-170	107-3	Aug.....980	89-9
March.....1-150	105-5	Sept.....1-005	92-2
April.....1-170	107-3	Oct.....990	90-8
May.....1-130	103-7	Nov.....870	79-8
June.....1-080	99-1	Dec.....840	77-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-045; Index—95-9

GLUTEN MEAL

Price per ton, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....\$ 29-000	74-2	July.....\$ 23-000	58-8
Feb.....29-000	74-2	Aug.....20-000	51-2
March.....25-000	64-0	Sept.....20-000	51-2
April.....25-000	64-0	Oct.....22-000	56-3
May.....25-000	64-0	Nov.....24-000	61-4
June.....25-000	64-0	Dec.....24-000	61-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$24-250; Index—62-0

FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS—Concluded

BRAN, MANITOBA

Price per ton, including bags, ex track Montreal—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 28-500	96-4	July.....\$ 22-560	76-3
Feb.....26-135	88-4	Aug.....21-250	71-8
March.....26-711	90-3	Sept.....19-750	66-8
April.....27-430	92-7	Oct.....20-710	70-0
May.....27-710	93-7	Nov.....19-610	66-3
June.....25-830	87-3	Dec.....20-860	70-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$23-950; Index—81-0

SHORTS, MANITOBA

Price per ton including bags, ex track Montreal—monthly average

Jan.....\$ 29-500	93-6	July.....\$ 24-540	77-9
Feb.....28-290	89-8	Aug.....23-270	73-9
March.....27-630	87-7	Sept.....20-396	64-7
April.....28-110	89-2	Oct.....21-710	68-9
May.....28-670	91-0	Nov.....20-610	65-4
June.....26-830	85-2	Dec.....21-860	69-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$25-150; Index—79-8

BAKERY PRODUCTS

BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Halifax

Jan.....\$ 0-060	81-9	July.....\$ 0-060	81-9
Feb.....0-060	81-9	Aug.....0-060	81-9
March.....0-060	81-9	Sept.....0-060	81-9
April.....0-060	81-9	Oct.....0-060	81-9
May.....0-060	81-9	Nov.....0-060	81-9
June.....0-060	81-9	Dec.....0-060	81-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-060; Index—81-9

BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Saint John

Jan.....\$ 0-060	75-0	July.....\$ 0-060	75-0
Feb.....0-060	75-0	Aug.....0-060	75-0
March.....0-060	75-0	Sept.....0-060	75-0
April.....0-060	75-0	Oct.....0-060	75-0
May.....0-060	75-0	Nov.....0-060	75-0
June.....0-060	75-0	Dec.....0-060	75-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-060; Index—75-0

BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-060	81-9	July.....\$ 0-060	81-9
Feb.....0-060	81-9	Aug.....0-060	81-9
March.....0-060	81-9	Sept.....0-060	81-9
April.....0-060	81-9	Oct.....0-060	81-9
May.....0-060	81-9	Nov.....0-060	81-9
June.....0-060	81-9	Dec.....0-060	81-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-060; Index—81-9

BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-060	90-1	July.....\$ 0-060	90-1
Feb.....0-060	90-1	Aug.....0-060	90-1
March.....0-060	90-1	Sept.....0-060	90-1
April.....0-060	90-1	Oct.....0-060	90-1
May.....0-060	90-1	Nov.....0-060	90-1
June.....0-060	90-1	Dec.....0-060	90-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-060; Index—90-1

BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....\$ 0-050	83-3	July.....\$ 0-050	83-3
Feb.....0-050	83-3	Aug.....0-050	83-3
March.....0-050	83-3	Sept.....0-050	83-3
April.....0-050	83-3	Oct.....0-050	83-3
May.....0-050	83-3	Nov.....0-050	83-3
June.....0-050	83-3	Dec.....0-050	83-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-050; Index—83-3



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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## BAKERY PRODUCTS—Concluded

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

## Price per pound at Regina

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-048	66-7	July.....	\$ 0-048	66-7
Feb.....	0-048	66-7	Aug.....	0-048	66-7
March.....	0-048	66-7	Sept.....	0-048	66-7
April.....	0-048	66-7	Oct.....	0-056	77-8
May.....	0-048	66-7	Nov.....	0-056	77-8
June.....	0-048	66-7	Dec.....	0-056	77-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-050; Index—69-4

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

## Price per pound at Calgary

Jan.....	\$ 0-040	56-7	July.....	\$ 0-044	62-4
Feb.....	0-040	56-7	Aug.....	0-044	62-4
March.....	0-040	56-7	Sept.....	0-044	62-4
April.....	0-044	62-4	Oct.....	0-044	62-4
May.....	0-044	62-4	Nov.....	0-048	68-0
June.....	0-044	62-4	Dec.....	0-048	68-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-044; Index—62-4

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

## Price per pound at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-053	79-6	July.....	\$ 0-053	79-6
Feb.....	0-053	79-6	Aug.....	0-053	79-6
March.....	0-053	79-6	Sept.....	0-053	79-6
April.....	0-053	79-6	Oct.....	0-053	79-6
May.....	0-053	79-6	Nov.....	0-053	79-6
June.....	0-053	79-6	Dec.....	0-053	79-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-053; Index—79-6

## BISCUITS, SODA

## Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-124	93-9	July.....	\$ 0-133	100-8
Feb.....	0-124	93-9	Aug.....	0-133	100-8
March.....	0-124	93-9	Sept.....	0-133	100-8
April.....	0-124	93-9	Oct.....	0-133	100-8
May.....	0-124	93-9	Nov.....	0-133	100-8
June.....	0-124	93-9	Dec.....	0-133	100-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-129; Index—97-7

## VEGETABLE OILS

## COTTON SEED OIL, REFINED

## Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-090	64-1	July.....	\$ 0-100	71-2
Feb.....	0-100	71-2	Aug.....	0-090	64-1
March.....	0-095	67-7	Sept.....	0-100	71-2
April.....	0-100	71-2	Oct.....	0-100	71-2
May.....	0-100	71-2	Nov.....	0-105	74-8
June.....	0-100	71-2	Dec.....	0-105	74-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-099; Index—70-5

## LINSSEED OIL, RAW

## Price per gallon, 6 to 10 barrels, at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-710	72-2	July.....	\$ 0-660	67-1
Feb.....	0-690	70-2	Aug.....	0-660	67-1
March.....	0-710	72-2	Sept.....	0-660	67-1
April.....	0-710	72-2	Oct.....	0-740	75-3
May.....	0-680	69-2	Nov.....	0-720	73-3
June.....	0-680	69-2	Dec.....	0-730	74-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-696; Index—70-8

## COCONUT OIL, MANILA, CRUDE

## Price per 100 pounds at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 4-850	48-4	July.....	\$ 4-500	44-9
Feb.....	6-500	64-9	Aug.....	4-450	44-4
March.....	6-850	68-4	Sept.....	4-700	46-0
April.....	6-130	61-2	Oct.....	5-900	58-9
May.....	6-650	66-4	Nov.....	5-400	53-9
June.....	5-850	58-4	Dec.....	5-500	54-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-607; Index—56-0

## VEGETABLE OILS—Concluded

## OLIVE OIL

## Price per 128 fluid ounces, in 768 fluid ounce tins, at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-630	86-1	July.....	\$ 1-500	79-2
Feb.....	1-630	86-1	Aug.....	1-500	79-2
March.....	1-630	86-1	Sept.....	1-650	87-2
April.....	1-500	79-2	Oct.....	1-750	92-4
May.....	1-500	79-2	Nov.....	1-850	97-7
June.....	1-500	79-2	Dec.....	1-850	97-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-624; Index—85-8

## PEANUT OIL, ORIENTAL, CRUDE

## Price per 100 pounds in bulk at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 6-550	67-1	July.....	\$ 6-250	64-0
Feb.....	7-500	78-6	Aug.....	6-000	61-5
March.....	6-900	70-7	Sept.....	6-350	65-0
April.....	7-250	74-3	Oct.....	6-900	70-7
May.....	7-400	75-8	Nov.....	6-900	70-7
June.....	6-860	70-3	Dec.....	5-300	55-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-687; Index—68-5

## CHINAWOOD OIL

## Price per pound in tank cars, delivered at Canadian centres

Jan.....	\$ 0-099	76-3	July.....	\$ 0-144	111-0
Feb.....	0-102	78-6	Aug.....	0-159	122-6
March.....	0-129	99-5	Sept.....	0-239	184-3
April.....	0-152	117-2	Oct.....	0-292	225-1
May.....	0-165	127-2	Nov.....	0-180	138-8
June.....	0-168	129-5	Dec.....	0-154	118-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-165; Index—127-2

## SOYA BEAN OIL, CRUDE

## Price per 100 pounds in bulk, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 6-000	—	July.....	\$ 4-500	—
Feb.....	6-000	—	Aug.....	4-800	—
March.....	6-120	—	Sept.....	4-950	—
April.....	6-000	—	Oct.....	5-650	—
May.....	5-500	—	Nov.....	5-400	—
June.....	5-300	—	Dec.....	5-250	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-456

## PALM OIL, CRUDE

## Price per 100 pounds in bulk at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 4-400	—	July.....	\$ 5-000	—
Feb.....	5-250	—	Aug.....	4-750	—
March.....	5-750	—	Sept.....	4-350	—
April.....	5-500	—	Oct.....	4-750	—
May.....	5-500	—	Nov.....	5-100	—
June.....	5-500	—	Dec.....	4-750	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-050

## RUBBER AND ITS PRODUCTS

## RAW RUBBER, CEYLON, PLANATION RIBBED SMOKED SHEETS

## Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-131	26-8	July.....	\$ 0-121	24-8
Feb.....	0-129	26-4	Aug.....	0-120	24-6
March.....	0-116	23-8	Sept.....	0-117	24-0
April.....	0-116	23-8	Oct.....	0-129	26-4
May.....	0-121	24-8	Nov.....	0-133	27-3
June.....	0-126	25-8	Dec.....	0-133	27-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-124; Index—25-4

## RAW RUBBER, PLANTATION STANDARD THICK LATEX CREPE

## Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-133	26-9	July.....	\$ 0-123	24-9
Feb.....	0-132	26-7	Aug.....	0-121	24-5
March.....	0-119	24-1	Sept.....	0-118	23-9
April.....	0-120	24-3	Oct.....	0-131	26-5
May.....	0-123	24-9	Nov.....	0-136	27-5
June.....	0-127	25-7	Dec.....	0-136	27-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-126; Index—25-5

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## RUBBER AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## RAW RUBBER, UPRIVER FINE PARA

Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-096	22-1	July.....\$ 0-097	22-4
Feb.....-096	22-1	Aug.....-099	22-8
March.....-094	21-7	Sept.....-102	23-5
April.....-093	21-4	Oct.....-111	25-6
May.....-094	21-7	Nov.....-133	30-6
June.....-100	23-0	Dec.....-134	30-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-103; Index—23-7

## RUBBERS, MEN'S REGULAR NO. 1, STANDARD GRADE

Price per pair at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-686	66-6	July.....\$ 0-686	66-6
Feb.....-686	66-6	Aug.....-686	66-6
March.....-686	66-6	Sept.....-686	66-6
April.....-686	66-6	Oct.....-686	66-6
May.....-686	66-6	Nov.....-686	66-6
June.....-686	66-6	Dec.....-686	66-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-686; Index—66-6

## RUBBERS, WOMEN'S REGULAR NO. 1, STANDARD GRADE

Price per pair at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-598	—	July.....\$ 0-598	—
Feb.....-598	—	Aug.....-598	—
March.....-598	—	Sept.....-598	—
April.....-598	—	Oct.....-598	—
May.....-598	—	Nov.....-598	—
June.....-598	—	Dec.....-598	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-598

## RUBBER TIRES, BALLOON, 4-75-19 (4 PLY, FIRST LINE)

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada (sales and excise tax included)

Jan.....\$ 9-570	53-2	July.....\$ 9-110	50-6
Feb.....9-570	53-2	Aug.....9-110	50-6
March.....9-570	53-2	Sept.....9-110	50-6
April.....9-570	53-2	Oct.....9-110	50-6
May.....9-570	53-2	Nov.....9-110	50-6
June.....9-570	53-2	Dec.....9-110	50-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-340; Index—51-9

## RUBBER TIRES, BALLOON, 5-50-17 (4 PLY, FIRST LINE)

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada (sales and excise tax included)

Jan.....\$ 12-300	48-9	July.....\$ 11-680	46-5
Feb.....12-300	48-9	Aug.....11-680	46-5
March.....12-300	48-9	Sept.....11-680	46-5
April.....12-300	48-9	Oct.....11-680	46-5
May.....12-300	48-9	Nov.....11-680	46-5
June.....12-300	48-9	Dec.....11-680	46-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$11-990; Index—47-7

## RUBBER TUBES, B19

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada (sales and excise tax included)

Jan.....\$ 1-810	—	July.....\$ 1-810	—
Feb.....1-810	—	Aug.....1-810	—
March.....1-810	—	Sept.....1-810	—
April.....1-810	—	Oct.....1-810	—
May.....1-810	—	Nov.....1-810	—
June.....1-810	—	Dec.....1-810	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-810

## RUBBER TUBES, C17

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada (sales and excise tax included)

Jan.....\$ 2-210	—	July.....\$ 2-210	—
Feb.....2-210	—	Aug.....2-210	—
March.....2-210	—	Sept.....2-210	—
April.....2-210	—	Oct.....2-210	—
May.....2-210	—	Nov.....2-210	—
June.....2-210	—	Dec.....2-210	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-210

## SUGAR AND ITS PRODUCTS AND GLUCOSE

## RAW SUGAR, B.W.I. PREFERENTIAL

Price per cwt., c.i.f. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 1-900	38-5	July.....\$ 1-770	35-9
Feb.....1-850	37-5	Aug.....1-875	38-0
March.....1-900	38-5	Sept.....1-850	37-5
April.....1-940	39-3	Oct.....1-968	39-9
May.....1-980	40-1	Nov.....1-901	38-5
June.....1-900	38-5	Dec.....1-950	39-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-899; Index—38-5

## RAW SUGAR

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Jan.....\$ 2-150	—	July.....\$ 2-400	—
Feb.....2-175	—	Aug.....2-155	—
March.....2-270	—	Sept.....2-210	—
April.....2-258	—	Oct.....2-320	—
May.....2-300	—	Nov.....2-390	—
June.....2-400	—	Dec.....2-350	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-282

## GRANULATED SUGAR, STANDARD

Price per cwt. at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 4-895	82-2	July.....\$ 4-895	82-2
Feb.....4-895	82-2	Aug.....4-895	82-2
March.....4-895	82-2	Sept.....4-705	79-0
April.....4-895	82-2	Oct.....4-705	79-0
May.....4-895	82-2	Nov.....4-705	79-0
June.....4-895	82-2	Dec.....4-705	79-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-832; Index—81-1

## GRANULATED SUGAR, STANDARD

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Jan.....\$ 4-770	—	July.....\$ 4-710	—
Feb.....4-760	—	Aug.....4-730	—
March.....4-770	—	Sept.....4-580	—
April.....4-760	—	Oct.....4-580	—
May.....4-760	—	Nov.....4-570	—
June.....4-790	—	Dec.....4-590	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-698

## SUGAR, NO. 1 YELLOW (LIGHT)

Price per cwt. at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 4-610	82-7	July.....\$ 4-610	82-7
Feb.....4-610	82-7	Aug.....4-610	82-7
March.....4-610	82-7	Sept.....4-420	79-3
April.....4-610	82-7	Oct.....4-420	79-3
May.....4-610	82-7	Nov.....4-420	79-3
June.....4-610	82-7	Dec.....4-420	79-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-547; Index—81-5

## SUGAR, NO. 3 YELLOW

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Jan.....\$ 4-460	—	July.....\$ 4-400	—
Feb.....4-450	—	Aug.....4-420	—
March.....4-460	—	Sept.....4-270	—
April.....4-450	—	Oct.....4-270	—
May.....4-450	—	Nov.....4-260	—
June.....4-480	—	Dec.....4-280	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-388

## GLUCOSE, 44° BEAUMÉ

Price per 100 pounds in carload lots, delivered Toronto and Western Ontario points

Jan.....\$ 4-475	113-3	July.....\$ 4-475	113-3
Feb.....4-475	113-3	Aug.....4-475	113-3
March.....4-475	113-3	Sept.....4-263	107-9
April.....4-475	113-3	Oct.....4-263	107-9
May.....4-475	113-3	Nov.....4-263	107-9
June.....4-475	113-3	Dec.....4-263	107-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-404; Index—111-5

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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

SUGAR AND ITS PRODUCTS AND  
GLUCOSE—Concluded

## MOLASSES, BARBADOS, EXTRA FANCY

Price per gallon, f.o.b. cars, Saint John

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.438	93.3	July.....	\$ 0.430	91.6
Feb.....	.433	92.2	Aug.....	.430	91.6
March.....	.433	92.2	Sept.....	.430	91.6
April.....	.433	92.2	Oct.....	.430	91.6
May.....	.433	92.2	Nov.....	.428	91.2
June.....	.430	91.6	Dec.....	.428	91.2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.431; Index—91.8

## TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, ESTATES TRINIDAD

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.072	50.2	July.....	\$ 0.064	44.7
Feb.....	.075	52.3	Aug.....	.068	47.5
March.....	.070	48.8	Sept.....	.070	48.8
April.....	.063	44.0	Oct.....	.074	51.6
May.....	.061	42.6	Nov.....	.071	49.5
June.....	.061	42.6	Dec.....	.069	48.2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.068; Index—47.5

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, GRENADA

Price per pound, c.i.f. Canadian Atlantic seaboard

Jan.....	\$ 0.061	—	July.....	\$ 0.061	—
Feb.....	.064	—	Aug.....	.063	—
March.....	.066	—	Sept.....	.065	—
April.....	.060	—	Oct.....	.073	—
May.....	.063	—	Nov.....	.068	—
June.....	.064	—	Dec.....	.065	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.064

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, JAMAICA

Price per pound, c.i.f. Canadian Atlantic seaboard

Jan.....	\$ 0.061	—	July.....	\$ 0.058	—
Feb.....	.061	—	Aug.....	.058	—
March.....	.060	—	Sept.....	.060	—
April.....	.056	—	Oct.....	.064	—
May.....	.056	—	Nov.....	.065	—
June.....	.057	—	Dec.....	.063	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.060

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, GOOD FERMENTED ACHA

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.071	61.9	July.....	\$ 0.070	61.0
Feb.....	.070	61.0	Aug.....	.070	61.0
March.....	.069	60.2	Sept.....	.071	61.9
April.....	.069	60.2	Oct.....	.071	61.9
May.....	.067	58.4	Nov.....	.070	61.0
June.....	.069	60.2	Dec.....	.075	65.4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.070; Index—61.0

UNSWEETENED CHOCOLATE LIQUOR, GUARANTEED PURE,  
CHEAPEST GRADE

Price per pound net, in 10 pound cakes

Jan.....	\$ 0.110	60.7	July.....	\$ 0.110	60.7
Feb.....	.110	60.7	Aug.....	.110	60.7
March.....	.110	60.7	Sept.....	.110	60.7
April.....	.110	60.7	Oct.....	.110	60.7
May.....	.110	60.7	Nov.....	.110	60.7
June.....	.110	60.7	Dec.....	.110	60.7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.110; Index—60.7

UNSWEETENED CHOCOLATE LIQUOR, GUARANTEED PURE,  
BEST GRADE

Price per pound net, in 10 pound cakes

Jan.....	\$ 0.170	61.6	July.....	\$ 0.170	61.6
Feb.....	.170	61.6	Aug.....	.170	61.6
March.....	.170	61.6	Sept.....	.170	61.6
April.....	.170	61.6	Oct.....	.170	61.6
May.....	.170	61.6	Nov.....	.170	61.6
June.....	.170	61.6	Dec.....	.170	61.6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.170; Index—61.6

## TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES—Continued

## COCOA BUTTER, IMPORTED

Price per pound at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.135	48.7	July.....	\$ 0.125	45.1
Feb.....	.145	52.3	Aug.....	.140	50.8
March.....	.130	46.9	Sept.....	.135	48.7
April.....	.130	46.9	Oct.....	.140	50.8
May.....	.120	43.3	Nov.....	.140	50.8
June.....	.120	43.3	Dec.....	.145	52.3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.134; Index—48.4

## GREEN COFFEE, SANTOS, GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.160	58.7	July.....	\$ 0.150	55.0
Feb.....	.160	58.7	Aug.....	.150	55.0
March.....	.160	58.7	Sept.....	.150	55.0
April.....	.160	58.7	Oct.....	.150	55.0
May.....	.150	55.0	Nov.....	.150	55.0
June.....	.150	55.0	Dec.....	.150	55.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.153; Index—56.1

## GREEN COFFEE, JAMAICA, GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.150	60.0	July.....	\$ 0.140	56.0
Feb.....	.150	60.0	Aug.....	.140	56.0
March.....	.150	60.0	Sept.....	.140	56.0
April.....	.150	60.0	Oct.....	.130	52.0
May.....	.140	56.0	Nov.....	.130	52.0
June.....	.140	56.0	Dec.....	.130	52.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.141; Index—56.4

## GREEN COFFEE, BOGOTA, GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.200	57.6	July.....	\$ 0.220	63.3
Feb.....	.200	57.6	Aug.....	.180	51.8
March.....	.200	57.6	Sept.....	.180	51.8
April.....	.200	57.6	Oct.....	.180	51.8
May.....	.220	63.3	Nov.....	.180	51.8
June.....	.220	63.3	Dec.....	.180	51.8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.197; Index—56.7

## GREEN COFFEE, KENYA, BEST

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.250	—	July.....	\$ 0.250	—
Feb.....	.250	—	Aug.....	.250	—
March.....	.250	—	Sept.....	.250	—
April.....	.250	—	Oct.....	.250	—
May.....	.250	—	Nov.....	.250	—
June.....	.200	—	Dec.....	.250	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.246

## GREEN COFFEE, AFRICAN, MEDIUM

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.180	—	July.....	\$ 0.140	—
Feb.....	.180	—	Aug.....	.150	—
March.....	.160	—	Sept.....	.150	—
April.....	.150	—	Oct.....	.150	—
May.....	.150	—	Nov.....	.180	—
June.....	.140	—	Dec.....	.150	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.157

## TEA, JAPAN, CHOICE TO MEDIUM

Price per pound, delivered at warehouse, duty paid

Jan.....	\$ 0.450	82.2	July.....	\$ 0.450	82.2
Feb.....	.450	82.2	Aug.....	.450	82.2
March.....	.450	82.2	Sept.....	.450	82.2
April.....	.450	82.2	Oct.....	.450	82.2
May.....	.450	82.2	Nov.....	.450	82.2
June.....	.450	82.2	Dec.....	.450	82.2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.450; Index—82.2



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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

### TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES—Concluded

#### TEA, PEKOE, CEYLON AND INDIA

Price per pound, delivered at warehouse, duty paid

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-440	82-6	July.....	\$ 0-440	82-6
Feb.....	440	82-6	Aug.....	440	82-6
March.....	440	82-6	Sept.....	440	82-6
April.....	440	82-6	Oct.....	440	82-6
May.....	440	82-6	Nov.....	440	82-6
June.....	440	82-6	Dec.....	440	82-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-440; Index—82-6

#### BLACK PEPPER

Price per pound, bulk, in barrels at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-210	57-7	July.....	\$ 0-170	46-7
Feb.....	200	54-9	Aug.....	165	45-3
March.....	200	54-9	Sept.....	165	45-3
April.....	200	54-9	Oct.....	165	45-3
May.....	170	46-7	Nov.....	165	45-3
June.....	170	46-7	Dec.....	165	45-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-179; Index—49-1

#### VEGETABLES

##### ONIONS, ONTARIO, STANDARD GRADE

Price per cwt. at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-620	66-7	July.....	\$ 2-180	89-7
Feb.....	1-740	71-6	Aug.....	1-220	50-2
March.....	1-800	74-1	Sept.....	1-480	60-9
April.....	2-000	82-3	Oct.....	1-450	59-7
May.....	2-180	89-7	Nov.....	1-450	59-7
June.....	2-180	89-7	Dec.....	1-790	73-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-758; Index—72-3

##### ONIONS, B.C., STANDARD GRADE

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 1-870	92-1	July.....	\$ 2-750	135-5
Feb.....	2-190	107-9	Aug.....	2-170	106-9
March.....	2-380	117-2	Sept.....	1-750	86-2
April.....	2-380	117-2	Oct.....	1-440	70-9
May.....	2-430	119-7	Nov.....	1-400	69-0
June.....	2-430	119-7	Dec.....	1-580	77-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-064; Index—101-7

##### POTATOES, CANADA GRADE "A"

Price per 90 pound bag at Charlottetown

Jan.....	\$ 0-293	17-6	July.....	\$ 0-150	9-0
Feb.....	300	18-0	Aug.....	600	36-1
March.....	267	16-0	Sept.....	600	36-1
April.....	283	17-0	Oct.....	583	35-0
May.....	250	15-0	Nov.....	683	41-0
June.....	203	12-2	Dec.....	803	48-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-418; Index—25-1

##### POTATOES, WHITES, CANADA GRADE "A"

Price per 90 pound bag at Halifax

Jan.....	\$ 0-550	23-1	July.....	\$ 0-500	21-9
Feb.....	650	27-3	Aug.....	750	31-6
March.....	700	29-4	Sept.....	850	35-8
April.....	650	27-3	Oct.....	900	37-9
May.....	600	25-2	Nov.....	1-250	52-6
June.....	400	16-8	Dec.....	1-350	56-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-763; Index—32-1

##### POTATOES, CANADA GRADE "A"

Price per cwt. at Saint John

Jan.....	\$ 0-538	18-1	July.....	\$ 0-450	15-2
Feb.....	613	20-6	Aug.....	738	24-8
March.....	575	19-4	Sept.....	975	32-8
April.....	475	16-0	Oct.....	1-038	34-9
May.....	388	13-1	Nov.....	1-363	45-9
June.....	325	10-9	Dec.....	1-563	52-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-753; Index—25-4

### VEGETABLES—Continued

#### POTATOES, QUEBEC WHITES

Price per 80 pound bag at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-500	26-7	July.....	\$ 0-780	41-6
Feb.....	550	29-3	Aug.....	780	41-6
March.....	500	26-7	Sept.....	780	41-6
April.....	550	29-3	Oct.....	780	41-6
May.....	400	21-8	Nov.....	1-030	54-9
June.....	370	19-7	Dec.....	1-030	54-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-671; Index—35-8

#### POTATOES, ONTARIO, No. 1 WHITE

Price per 90 pound bag at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-440	16-2	July.....	\$ 0-400	14-7
Feb.....	550	20-2	Aug.....	730	26-8
March.....	500	22-8	Sept.....	960	35-3
April.....	570	21-0	Oct.....	970	35-7
May.....	440	16-2	Nov.....	1-160	42-6
June.....	400	14-7	Dec.....	1-230	45-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-706; Index—26-0

#### POTATOES, MANITOBA, No. 1

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-422	32-0	July.....	\$ 1-233	93-4
Feb.....	456	34-5	Aug.....	756	57-3
March.....	433	32-8	Sept.....	444	33-6
April.....	522	39-5	Oct.....	411	31-1
May.....	700	53-0	Nov.....	478	36-2
June.....	777	58-9	Dec.....	556	42-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-599; Index—45-4

#### POTATOES, WHITE, No. 2, LOCAL

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-480	23-9	July.....	\$ 0-340	16-9
Feb.....	520	25-9	Aug.....	1-210	60-2
March.....	550	27-3	Sept.....	1-150	57-2
April.....	540	26-9	Oct.....	940	46-7
May.....	550	27-3	Nov.....	960	47-7
June.....	440	21-9	Dec.....	1-070	53-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-729; Index—36-3

#### CANNED CORN, STANDARD 2's

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 0-825	71-7	July.....	\$ 0-900	78-3
Feb.....	775	67-4	Aug.....	900	78-3
March.....	813	70-7	Sept.....	900	78-3
April.....	825	71-7	Oct.....	913	79-4
May.....	875	76-1	Nov.....	950	82-6
June.....	875	76-1	Dec.....	950	82-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-875; Index—76-1

#### CANNED PEAS, No. 4, STANDARD 2's

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 1-025	79-9	July.....	\$ 0-838	65-3
Feb.....	1-000	77-9	Aug.....	838	65-3
March.....	1-000	77-9	Sept.....	875	68-2
April.....	1-000	77-9	Oct.....	875	68-2
May.....	1-000	77-9	Nov.....	875	68-2
June.....	975	76-0	Dec.....	875	68-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-931; Index—72-6

#### CANNED TOMATOES, STANDARD 2 1/2's

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 0-775	62-6	July.....	\$ 0-763	61-7
Feb.....	775	62-6	Aug.....	775	62-6
March.....	750	60-6	Sept.....	800	64-6
April.....	725	58-6	Oct.....	838	67-7
May.....	725	58-6	Nov.....	850	68-7
June.....	725	58-6	Dec.....	850	68-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-770; Index—62-9

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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

## VEGETABLES—Concluded

## BAKED BEANS, 18 OUNCE TINS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario and Quebec)

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 1-150	—	July.....\$ 1-150	—
Feb..... 1-150	—	Aug..... 1-150	—
March..... 1-150	—	Sept..... 1-150	—
April..... 1-150	—	Oct..... 1-150	—
May..... 1-150	—	Nov..... 1-150	—
June..... 1-150	—	Dec..... 1-150	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$1-150			

## TOBACCO

## TOBACCO, ONTARIO BURLEY, BARN RUN

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-093

## TOBACCO, WARNE OR FLUE CURED

## LIGHT CIGARETTE, HIGH GRADE,

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-292; Index—50-3

## TOBACCO, WARNE OR FLUE CURED, LIGHT PIPE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-224; Index—44-8

## TOBACCO, WARNE OR FLUE CURED, DARK PIPE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-121; Index—34-6

## TOBACCO, WARNE OR FLUE CURED, MAHOGANY PIPE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-169; Index—37-6

## TOBACCO, DARK TYPE, AIR CURED, HIGH GRADE

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-085; Index—30-4

## TOBACCO, DARK TYPE, FIRED

Price per pound, paid to producers

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-105; Index—35-0

## TOBACCO, No. 1 QUEBEC LEAF, HIGH GRADE

Farmers' price per pound (Quebec)

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-113

## MISCELLANEOUS

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 2

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 12-500	86-5	July.....\$ 9-500	65-7
Feb..... 12-500	86-5	Aug..... 9-000	62-2
March..... 12-500	86-5	Sept..... 8-500	58-8
April..... 12-000	83-0	Oct..... 8-500	58-8
May..... 11-000	76-1	Nov..... 8-000	55-3
June..... 10-000	69-2	Dec..... 8-000	55-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$10-167; Index—70-3

## MISCELLANEOUS—Continued

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 3

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 10-500	84-3	July.....\$ 8-000	64-2
Feb..... 10-500	84-3	Aug..... 7-500	60-2
March..... 10-500	84-3	Sept..... 7-500	60-2
April..... 10-000	80-3	Oct..... 7-500	60-2
May..... 9-000	72-2	Nov..... 7-000	56-2
June..... 8-500	68-2	Dec..... 7-000	56-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-625; Index—69-2

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, RANGE No. 2—Good No. 2

Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

Jan.....\$ 17-500	105-1	July.....\$ 13-500	81-1
Feb..... 17-063	102-5	Aug..... 10-750	64-6
March..... 17-125	102-9	Sept..... 10-625	63-8
April..... 15-125	90-9	Oct..... 11-125	66-8
May..... 15-000	90-1	Nov..... 9-750	58-6
June..... 14-375	86-4	Dec..... 10-000	60-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$13-495; Index—81-1

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 3

Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

Jan.....\$ 15-500	103-8	July.....\$ 11-500	77-0
Feb..... 15-250	102-1	Aug..... 9-250	61-9
March..... 14-750	98-7	Sept..... 8-750	58-6
April..... 12-750	85-4	Oct..... 8-750	58-6
May..... 12-750	85-4	Nov..... 8-250	55-2
June..... 12-250	82-0	Dec..... 8-750	58-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$11-542; Index—77-3

## HAY, ALFALFA, BALED

Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

Jan.....\$ 18-000	—	July.....\$ 15-000	—
Feb..... 18-000	—	Aug..... 15-000	—
March..... 17-000	—	Sept..... 12-000	—
April..... 16-000	—	Oct..... 10-000	—
May..... 16-500	—	Nov..... 8-000	—
June..... 17-000	—	Dec..... 8-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$14-750

\*Nominal.

## PRAIRIE HAY

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Saskatoon

Jan.....\$ 12-500	—	July.....\$ 13-000	—
Feb..... 13-000	—	Aug..... 11-000	—
March..... 13-000	—	Sept..... 11-000	—
April..... 13-500	—	Oct..... 11-000	—
May..... 13-500	—	Nov..... 11-000	—
June..... 13-500	—	Dec..... 11-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$12-250

## PRAIRIE HAY

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

Jan.....\$ 7-000	—	July.....\$ 13-000	—
Feb..... 7-000	—	Aug..... 13-000	—
March..... 7-000	—	Sept..... 13-000	—
April..... 7-000	—	Oct..... 11-000	—
May..... 8-000	—	Nov..... 11-000	—
June..... 10-000	—	Dec..... 12-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-917

## STRAW, OAT, BALED

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

Jan.....\$ 7-000	99-3	July.....\$ 5-250	74-5
Feb..... 5-000	70-9	Aug..... 5-250	74-5
March..... 5-000	70-9	Sept..... 5-000	70-9
April..... 7-000	99-3	Oct..... 4-000	56-7
May..... 7-000	99-3	Nov..... 4-500	63-8
June..... 7-000	99-3	Dec..... 4-500	63-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-542; Index—78-6

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Concluded

## MISCELLANEOUS—Continued

## STRAW, WHEAT, BALED

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 9-500	90-9	July.....	\$ 10-000	95-7
Feb.....	10-000	95-7	Aug.....	10-000	95-7
March.....	10-000	95-7	Sept.....	10-000	95-7
April.....	10-000	95-7	Oct.....	10-000	95-7
May.....	10-000	95-7	Nov.....	6-500	62-2
June.....	10-000	95-7	Dec.....	6-500	62-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-375; Index—89-7

## STRAW, OAT, BALED

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 8-750	86-2	July.....	\$ 9-000	88-7
Feb.....	9-000	88-7	Aug.....	9-000	88-7
March.....	9-000	88-7	Sept.....	9-000	88-7
April.....	9-000	88-7	Oct.....	9-000	88-7
May.....	9-000	88-7	Nov.....	6-500	64-1
June.....	9-000	88-7	Dec.....	6-500	64-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-563; Index—34-4

## STRAW, WHEAT, BALED

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

Jan.....	\$ 3-000	34-0	July.....	\$ 3-500	39-6
Feb.....	3-000	34-0	Aug.....	3-500	39-6
March.....	3-000	34-0	Sept.....	3-500	39-6
April.....	3-000	34-0	Oct.....	3-500	39-6
May.....	2-000	22-6	Nov.....	3-500	39-6
June.....	3-500	39-6	Dec.....	4-000	45-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-250; Index—36-8

## STRAW, OAT, BALED

Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

Jan.....	\$ 4-000	38-1	July.....	\$ 4-500	42-9
Feb.....	4-000	38-1	Aug.....	4-500	42-9
March.....	4-000	38-1	Sept.....	4-500	42-9
April.....	5-000	47-6	Oct.....	4-500	42-9
May.....	3-500	33-3	Nov.....	4-500	42-9
June.....	4-500	42-9	Dec.....	5-000	47-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-375; Index—41-7

## ROSIN, WATER WHITE

Price per barrel of 280 pounds, Montreal and Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 9-000	51-0	July.....	\$ 8-300	47-0
Feb.....	9-200	52-1	Aug.....	7-800	44-2
March.....	9-350	52-9	Sept.....	8-150	46-1
April.....	9-200	52-1	Oct.....	8-850	50-1
May.....	9-150	51-8	Nov.....	8-700	49-3
June.....	9-000	51-0	Dec.....	8-600	48-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-775; Index—49-7

## TURPENTINE

Price per gallon, 10 barrel lots, ex dock, New York, with charges added to give approximate price ex store, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-857	62-8	July.....	\$ 0-766	56-1
Feb.....	-870	63-7	Aug.....	-716	52-5
March.....	-868	63-6	Sept.....	-745	54-6
April.....	-831	60-9	Oct.....	-819	60-0
May.....	-825	60-4	Nov.....	-804	58-9
June.....	-791	57-9	Dec.....	-790	57-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-804; Index—58-9

## STARCH, LAUNDRY

Price per pound, freight paid in 5 case lots

Jan.....	\$ 0-083	103-8	July.....	\$ 0-083	103-8
Feb.....	-083	103-8	Aug.....	-083	103-8
March.....	-083	103-8	Sept.....	-083	103-8
April.....	-083	103-8	Oct.....	-083	103-8
May.....	-083	103-8	Nov.....	-083	103-8
June.....	-083	103-8	Dec.....	-083	103-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-083; Index—103-8

## MISCELLANEOUS—Concluded

## VINEGAR, PURE SPIRIT, XXX GRADE

Price per gallon, ex factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-272	80-0	July.....	\$ 0-272	80-0
Feb.....	-272	80-0	Aug.....	-272	80-0
March.....	-272	80-0	Sept.....	-272	80-0
April.....	-272	80-0	Oct.....	-272	80-0
May.....	-272	80-0	Nov.....	-272	80-0
June.....	-272	80-0	Dec.....	-272	80-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-272; Index—80-0

## RICE, RANGOON B (CLEANED OR POLISHED)

Price per cwt., duty paid, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 2-756	63-7	July.....	\$ 2-756	63-7
Feb.....	2-862	66-1	Aug.....	2-756	63-7
March.....	2-862	66-1	Sept.....	2-756	63-7
April.....	2-862	66-1	Oct.....	2-756	63-7
May.....	2-756	63-7	Nov.....	2-756	63-7
June.....	2-756	63-7	Dec.....	2-862	66-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-791; Index—64-5

## RICE, JAPAN, MONARCH

Price per cwt., ton lots to jobbers, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 3-254	45-8	July.....	\$ 3-604	50-7
Feb.....	3-403	47-9	Aug.....	3-604	50-7
March.....	3-403	47-9	Sept.....	3-604	50-7
April.....	3-403	47-9	Oct.....	3-604	50-7
May.....	3-403	47-9	Nov.....	3-604	50-7
June.....	3-604	50-7	Dec.....	4-346	61-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-570; Index—50-3

## RICE, CHINA, PAKLING

Price per cwt., ton lots to jobbers, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 3-678	69-9	July.....	\$ 4-017	76-3
Feb.....	3-848	73-1	Aug.....	4-017	76-3
March.....	3-848	73-1	Sept.....	4-017	76-3
April.....	4-017	76-3	Oct.....	4-017	76-3
May.....	4-017	76-3	Nov.....	4-017	76-3
June.....	4-017	76-3	Dec.....	4-017	76-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-961; Index—75-3

## RICE, BLUE ROSE (CLEANED OR POLISHED)

Price per cwt., duty paid, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 5-035	—	July.....	\$ 4-532	—
Feb.....	5-035	—	Aug.....	4-532	—
March.....	5-035	—	Sept.....	4-532	—
April.....	5-035	—	Oct.....	4-532	—
May.....	4-558	—	Nov.....	4-532	—
June.....	4-532	—	Dec.....	4-744	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-720

## TAPIOCA, SINGAPORE, MEDIUM PEARL

Price per pound, 10 bags or upwards, spot, ex warehouse, Saint John

Jan.....	\$ 0-070	106-2	July.....	\$ 0-070	106-2
Feb.....	-070	106-2	Aug.....	-070	106-2
March.....	-070	106-2	Sept.....	-070	106-2
April.....	-070	106-2	Oct.....	-070	106-2
May.....	-070	106-2	Nov.....	-070	106-2
June.....	-070	106-2	Dec.....	-070	106-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-070; Index—106-2

## TAPIOCA, PENANG, MEDIUM PEARL

Price per pound, 10 bags or upwards, spot, ex warehouse, Saint John

Jan.....	\$ 0-068	111-7	July.....	\$ 0-068	111-7
Feb.....	-068	111-7	Aug.....	-068	111-7
March.....	-068	111-7	Sept.....	-068	111-7
April.....	-068	111-7	Oct.....	-068	111-7
May.....	-068	111-7	Nov.....	-068	111-7
June.....	-068	111-7	Dec.....	-068	111-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-068; Index—111-7



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## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

### FISH

#### DRY SHORE COD FISH

Price paid to fishermen per quintal at Halifax

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-875	88-6	July.....	\$ 4-000	72-7
Feb.....	4-875	88-6	Aug.....	3-625	65-9
March.....	*4-875	88-6	Sept.....	3-375	61-4
April.....	4-500	81-8	Oct.....	3-375	61-4
May.....	3-875	70-5	Nov.....	3-875	70-5
June.....	4-000	72-7	Dec.....	3-875	70-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-094; Index—74-4

\*Nominal.

#### COD, FRESH STEAK, HEADLESS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

Jan.....	\$ 0-050	—	July.....	\$ 0-040	—
Feb.....	.050	—	Aug.....	.040	—
March.....	.060	—	Sept.....	.040	—
April.....	.055	—	Oct.....	.040	—
May.....	.050	—	Nov.....	.035	—
June.....	.040	—	Dec.....	.045	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-045

#### FILLETS OF COD, SMOKED

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

Jan.....	\$ 0-095	72-6	July.....	\$ 0-100	76-5
Feb.....	.095	72-6	Aug.....	.090	68-8
March.....	.095	72-6	Sept.....	.090	68-8
April.....	.095	72-6	Oct.....	.090	68-8
May.....	.095	72-6	Nov.....	.090	68-8
June.....	.095	72-6	Dec.....	.090	68-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-093; Index—71-1

#### FRESH HADDOCK (HEADS ON)

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

Jan.....	\$ 0-045	76-1	July.....	\$ 0-040	67-6
Feb.....	.045	76-1	Aug.....	.045	76-1
March.....	.050	84-5	Sept.....	.050	84-5
April.....	.045	76-1	Oct.....	.050	84-5
May.....	.050	84-5	Nov.....	.035	59-2
June.....	.035	59-2	Dec.....	.050	84-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-045; Index—76-1

#### FILLETS OF HADDOCK, FRESH

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

Jan.....	\$ 0-120	—	July.....	\$ 0-100	—
Feb.....	.100	—	Aug.....	.110	—
March.....	.130	—	Sept.....	.120	—
April.....	.115	—	Oct.....	.120	—
May.....	.110	—	Nov.....	.070	—
June.....	.090	—	Dec.....	.110	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-108

#### FINNAN HADDIE, STANDARD

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

Jan.....	\$ 0-080	89-3	July.....	\$ 0-090	100-4
Feb.....	.080	89-3	Aug.....	.090	100-4
March.....	.085	94-9	Sept.....	.090	100-4
April.....	.090	100-4	Oct.....	.090	100-4
May.....	.090	100-4	Nov.....	.090	100-4
June.....	.090	100-4	Dec.....	.090	100-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-088; Index—98-2

#### SOLE, FRESH

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

Jan.....	\$ 0-070	—	July.....	\$ 0-040	—
Feb.....	.070	—	Aug.....	.050	—
March.....	.060	—	Sept.....	.055	—
April.....	.070	—	Oct.....	.055	—
May.....	.050	—	Nov.....	.045	—
June.....	.040	—	Dec.....	.050	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-055

### FISH—Continued

#### KIPPERED HERRING

Price per 20 pound box, f.o.b. Maritime points

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-500	75-0	July.....	\$ 1-500	75-0
Feb.....	1-500	75-0	Aug.....	1-500	75-0
March.....	1-500	75-0	Sept.....	1-500	75-0
April.....	1-500	75-0	Oct.....	1-500	75-0
May.....	1-500	75-0	Nov.....	1-500	75-0
June.....	1-500	75-0	Dec.....	1-500	75-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-500; Index—75-0

#### SALT SPRING MACKEREL

Predominant wholesale selling price per barrel, f.o.b. Maritime points

Jan.....	\$ 9-000	—	July.....	\$ 5-500	—
Feb.....	10-000	—	Aug.....	5-500	—
March.....	10-000	—	Sept.....	5-000	—
April.....	10-000	—	Oct.....	5-500	—
May.....	10-000	—	Nov.....	5-500	—
June.....	10-000	—	Dec.....	6-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-867

#### HALIBUT, B.C., MEDIUM

Canners' price per cwt. to fishing vessels, Prince Rupert

Jan.....	\$ *7-600	50-4	July.....	\$ 6-300	41-8
Feb.....	*7-600	50-4	Aug.....	*6-300	41-8
March.....	*7-600	50-4	Sept.....	7-500	49-8
April.....	7-400	49-1	Oct.....	7-700	51-1
May.....	5-800	38-5	Nov.....	7-900	52-4
June.....	6-100	40-5	Dec.....	7-900	52-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-075; Index—47-0

\*Nominal.

#### WHITEFISH

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-110	80-7	July.....	\$ 0-110	80-7
Feb.....	.100	73-4	Aug.....	.140	102-8
March.....	.085	62-4	Sept.....	.160	117-4
April.....	.080	58-7	Oct.....	.160	117-4
May.....	.080	58-7	Nov.....	.150	110-1
June.....	.140	102-8	Dec.....	.110	80-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-119; Index—87-3

#### SALMON, "SOCKEYE"

Price per case at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 15-200	81-2	July.....	\$ 15-140	80-9
Feb.....	15-040	80-3	Aug.....	14-980	80-0
March.....	15-240	81-4	Sept.....	14-550	77-7
April.....	15-180	81-1	Oct.....	14-730	78-7
May.....	15-200	81-2	Nov.....	14-860	79-4
June.....	15-220	81-3	Dec.....	14-600	78-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$14-995; Index—80-1

#### SALMON, "COHOE"

Price per case at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 8-910	65-2	July.....	\$ 8-860	64-8
Feb.....	8-910	65-2	Aug.....	8-830	64-6
March.....	8-930	65-3	Sept.....	10-240	74-9
April.....	8-810	64-5	Oct.....	9-760	71-4
May.....	8-910	65-2	Nov.....	9-890	72-4
June.....	8-860	64-8	Dec.....	9-730	71-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-220; Index—67-5

#### SALMON, "PINKS"

Price per case at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 5-530	73-7	July.....	\$ 5-620	74-9
Feb.....	5-610	74-8	Aug.....	5-480	73-0
March.....	5-530	73-7	Sept.....	5-160	68-8
April.....	5-530	73-7	Oct.....	5-080	67-7
May.....	5-640	75-2	Nov.....	5-010	66-8
June.....	5-570	74-2	Dec.....	5-060	67-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-402; Index—72-0

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## FISH—Concluded

## SALMON, "CHUMS"

## Price per case at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-620	74-6	July.....	\$ 4-250	68-6
Feb.....	4-600	74-3	Aug.....	3-990	64-4
March.....	4-450	71-9	Sept.....	4-030	65-1
April.....	4-360	70-4	Oct.....	4-050	65-4
May.....	4-240	68-5	Nov.....	3-960	64-0
June.....	4-250	68-6	Dec.....	3-910	63-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-226; Index—68-2

## LOBSTERS, CANNED

Price per case (96— $\frac{1}{2}$ 's), delivered at Halifax, based on choice grades of Atlantic Coast and Magdalen Islands packs

Jan.....	\$ 22-500	75-0	July.....	\$ 22-500	75-0
Feb.....	22-500	75-0	Aug.....	23-000	76-7
March.....	22-500	75-0	Sept.....	23-000	76-7
April.....	21-500	71-7	Oct.....	23-000	76-7
May.....	21-500	71-7	Nov.....	23-500	78-3
June.....	22-000	73-3	Dec.....	23-500	78-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$22-583; Index—75-3

## FURS

## BEAVER, I AND II, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin (Ontario, Quebec, Western Canada, Alaska and Yukon, British Columbia) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 9-025	31-7	July.....	\$ 10-336	36-3
Feb.....	8-524	29-9	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	9-302	32-6
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	9-885	34-7	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-331; Index—32-7

## ERMIN (WEASEL)

Average price per skin (Western Canada, Eastern Canada) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-675	31-4	July.....	\$ 0-665	30-9
Feb.....	710	33-0	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	670	31-2
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	670	31-2	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-678; Index—31-6

## RED FOX, I AND II

Average price per skin (Ontario and Quebec) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 6-875	47-6	July.....	\$ 6-375	44-2
Feb.....	6-750	46-8	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	6-875	47-6
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	7-375	51-1	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-850; Index—47-4

SILVER FOX,  $\frac{1}{2}$  TO  $\frac{3}{4}$  SILVER

Average price per skin at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 41-780	54-9	July.....	\$ 37-860	49-8
Feb.....	40-920	53-8	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	40-050	52-6
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	35-070	46-1	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	38-610	50-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$39-048; Index—51-3

## WHITE FOX, I AND II

Average price per skin at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 19-500	53-4	July.....	\$ 17-500	47-9
Feb.....	18-750	51-4	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	16-500	45-2
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	18-375	50-3	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	16-125	44-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$17-792; Index—46-7

## FURS—Concluded

## MARTEN, PALE, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin (Ontario and Quebec) at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 11-250	64-3	July.....	\$ 11-500	65-8
Feb.....	12-938	74-0	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	*12-650	72-4
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	11-000	62-9	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$11-672; Index—66-8

\*Estimated.

## MINK, I PART II, DARK

Average price per skin (Quebec, Northern Ontario, Southern Ontario, British Columbia) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 10-563	61-2	July.....	\$ 9-217	53-4
Feb.....	9-459	54-8	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	10-266	59-5
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	9-481	54-9	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-750; Index—56-5

## LYNX, I AND II, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin at Montreal

Jan.....	—	—	July.....	\$ 25-000	108-1
Feb.....	\$ 23-250	100-5	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	29-250	126-5
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	24-750	107-0	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$25-563; Index—110-5

## MUSKRAT, SPRING, ONTARIO

Average price per skin (Quebec, Eastern Ontario, North Western Ontario) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 1-075	50-4	July.....	\$ 1-159	54-3
Feb.....	1-160	54-4	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	1-136	53-3
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	1-063	49-8	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-119; Index—52-5

## MUSKRAT, WINTER AND FALL, ONTARIO

Average price per skin (Quebec and Ontario) at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-825	52-6	July.....	\$ 0-950	60-6
Feb.....	825	52-6	Aug.....	—	—
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	960	61-3
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—	—
May.....	863	55-1	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-885; Index—56-5

## HIDES AND SKINS

## BEEF HIDES, COUNTRY CURED, FLAT NO. 1 AND 2

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-050	37-6	July.....	\$ 0-060	45-1
Feb.....	0-050	37-6	Aug.....	0-060	45-1
March.....	0-050	37-6	Sept.....	0-070	52-6
April.....	0-055	41-4	Oct.....	0-085	63-9
May.....	0-060	45-1	Nov.....	0-080	60-2
June.....	0-060	45-1	Dec.....	0-075	56-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-063; Index—47-4

## PACKER HIDES, NATIVE STEERS

Price per pound, basis Toronto freight

Jan.....	\$ 0-110	81-7	July.....	\$ 0-120	89-1
Feb.....	100	74-2	Aug.....	120	89-1
March.....	0-093	69-0	Sept.....	128	95-0
April.....	105	78-0	Oct.....	153	113-6
May.....	115	85-4	Nov.....	153	113-6
June.....	115	85-4	Dec.....	148	109-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-122; Index—90-6

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## HIDES AND SKINS—Concluded

## PACKER HIDES, NATIVE COWS

Price per pound, basis Toronto freight

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-085	—	July.....\$ 0-095	—
Feb.....073	—	Aug.....095	—
March.....073	—	Sept.....115	—
April.....083	—	Oct.....135	—
May.....093	—	Nov.....120	—
June.....084	—	Dec.....104	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-096

## CALF SKINS, CITY CURED, No. I AND II

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-080	27-0	July.....\$ 0-120	40-5
Feb.....090	30-4	Aug.....100	33-8
March.....080	27-0	Sept.....120	40-5
April.....085	28-7	Oct.....125	42-2
May.....110	37-2	Nov.....120	40-5
June.....110	37-2	Dec.....120	40-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-105; Index—35-5

## SHEEP SKINS, CITY CURED

Price per skin at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-700	60-2	July.....\$ 0-400	34-4
Feb.....800	68-8	Aug.....600	51-6
March.....800	68-8	Sept.....700	60-2
April.....800	68-8	Oct.....900	77-4
May.....900	77-4	Nov.....1-000	86-0
June.....1-000	86-0	Dec.....1-200	103-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-817; Index—70-2

## SHEEP SKINS, COUNTRY CURED

Price per skin at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-600	114-7	July.....\$ 0-300	57-4
Feb.....700	133-8	Aug.....600	114-7
March.....700	133-8	Sept.....750	143-4
April.....700	133-8	Oct.....900	172-1
May.....800	153-0	Nov.....900	172-1
June.....900	172-1	Dec.....950	181-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-696; Index—133-1

## LEATHER

## PACKER CROPS, No. I AND II

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-290	75-2	July.....\$ 0-310	80-4
Feb.....300	77-8	Aug.....310	80-4
March.....300	77-8	Sept.....320	82-9
April.....300	77-8	Oct.....340	85-1
May.....310	80-4	Nov.....360	93-3
June.....310	80-4	Dec.....360	93-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-318; Index—82-4

## PACKER CROPS, No. III

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-270	—	July.....\$ 0-290	—
Feb.....280	—	Aug.....290	—
March.....280	—	Sept.....300	—
April.....280	—	Oct.....320	—
May.....290	—	Nov.....340	—
June.....290	—	Dec.....340	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-298

## PACKER BENDS, No. I AND II

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-330	—	July.....\$ 0-350	—
Feb.....340	—	Aug.....350	—
March.....340	—	Sept.....360	—
April.....340	—	Oct.....390	—
May.....350	—	Nov.....410	—
June.....350	—	Dec.....410	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-360

## LEATHER—Continued

## PACKER BENDS, No. III

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-300	—	July.....\$ 0-320	—
Feb.....310	—	Aug.....320	—
March.....310	—	Sept.....330	—
April.....310	—	Oct.....360	—
May.....320	—	Nov.....370	—
June.....320	—	Dec.....370	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-328

## SHOULDERS

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-220	—	July.....\$ 0-230	—
Feb.....220	—	Aug.....230	—
March.....220	—	Sept.....240	—
April.....220	—	Oct.....250	—
May.....230	—	Nov.....250	—
June.....230	—	Dec.....250	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-233

## BELLIES

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Jan.....\$ 0-180	—	July.....\$ 0-180	—
Feb.....180	—	Aug.....180	—
March.....180	—	Sept.....190	—
April.....180	—	Oct.....200	—
May.....180	—	Nov.....200	—
June.....180	—	Dec.....200	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-186

## BOX SIDES "B"

Price per foot at Oshawa

Jan.....\$ 0-200	76-2	July.....\$ 0-200	76-2
Feb.....200	76-2	Aug.....200	76-2
March.....200	76-2	Sept.....220	83-8
April.....200	76-2	Oct.....240	91-4
May.....200	76-2	Nov.....240	91-4
June.....200	76-2	Dec.....240	91-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-212; Index—80-8

## HARNESS LEATHER, No. 1

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-350	79-0	July.....\$ 0-370	83-8
Feb.....350	79-0	Aug.....370	83-8
March.....350	79-0	Sept.....370	83-8
April.....350	79-0	Oct.....370	83-8
May.....350	79-0	Nov.....370	83-8
June.....350	79-0	Dec.....370	83-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-360; Index—81-2

## GUN METAL CALF, M. No. 1

Price per foot at factory

Jan.....\$ 0-300	74-2	July.....\$ 0-320	79-0
Feb.....300	74-2	Aug.....320	79-0
March.....300	74-2	Sept.....320	79-0
April.....300	74-2	Oct.....320	79-0
May.....300	74-2	Nov.....320	79-0
June.....320	79-0	Dec.....320	79-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-312; Index—77-1

## BOOTS AND SHOES

## MEN'S SHOES

Composite price per pair at factory

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-761; Index—87-3

## WOMEN'S SHOES

Composite price per pair at factory

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-795; Index—81-2



# PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES, 1913-1935 GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

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## LIVESTOCK

### STEERS, GOOD AND CHOICE (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)

Price per cwt. at Toronto					
Price		Index		Price	
Jan.....	\$ 5-540	75-6	July.....	\$ 6-400	87-3
Feb.....	5-950	81-2	Aug.....	6-550	89-4
March.....	6-800	92-8	Sept.....	6-800	92-8
April.....	7-110	97-0	Oct.....	6-010	82-0
May.....	7-200	98-2	Nov.....	5-800	79-1
June.....	6-750	92-2	Dec.....	6-330	86-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-438; Index—87-8

### STEERS, GOOD AND CHOICE (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg					
Jan.....	\$ 4-170	69-6	July.....	\$ 5-670	94-7
Feb.....	5-080	84-8	Aug.....	5-390	90-0
March.....	5-880	92-2	Sept.....	4-760	79-5
April.....	6-290	105-0	Oct.....	4-440	74-1
May.....	6-820	113-9	Nov.....	4-740	79-1
June.....	6-220	103-8	Dec.....	4-880	81-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-362; Index—89-5

## CALVES, GOOD VEAL

Price per cwt. at Toronto					
Jan.....	\$ 7-720	65-6	July.....	\$ 6-530	55-5
Feb.....	7-520	63-9	Aug.....	7-580	64-4
March.....	7-380	62-7	Sept.....	8-450	71-8
April.....	7-200	61-9	Oct.....	8-560	72-7
May.....	6-690	56-8	Nov.....	8-970	76-2
June.....	6-500	55-2	Dec.....	9-600	81-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-733; Index—65-7

## CALVES, GOOD VEAL

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg					
Jan.....	\$ 6-390	85-7	July.....	\$ 4-540	60-9
Feb.....	5-990	80-3	Aug.....	5-500	73-7
March.....	5-750	77-1	Sept.....	5-620	75-3
April.....	5-920	79-4	Oct.....	5-880	78-8
May.....	5-340	71-6	Nov.....	6-180	82-8
June.....	5-130	68-8	Dec.....	7-230	96-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-789; Index—77-6

## HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Montreal					
Jan.....	\$ 8-400	62-0	July.....	\$ 9-690	71-6
Feb.....	8-460	62-5	Aug.....	9-730	71-9
March.....	8-340	61-6	Sept.....	9-400	69-4
April.....	8-830	65-2	Oct.....	9-130	67-4
May.....	9-350	69-1	Nov.....	8-170	60-3
June.....	10-010	73-9	Dec.....	8-270	61-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-982; Index—66-3

## HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Toronto					
Jan.....	\$ 8-560	64-3	July.....	\$ 9-660	72-5
Feb.....	8-600	64-6	Aug.....	9-920	74-5
March.....	8-170	61-3	Sept.....	9-380	70-4
April.....	8-740	65-6	Oct.....	8-940	67-1
May.....	9-390	70-5	Nov.....	7-990	60-0
June.....	9-920	74-5	Dec.....	8-400	63-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-973; Index—67-4

## HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg					
Jan.....	\$ 7-450	61-2	July.....	\$ 8-580	70-5
Feb.....	7-390	60-7	Aug.....	9-140	75-1
March.....	7-510	61-7	Sept.....	8-460	69-5
April.....	7-680	63-1	Oct.....	7-920	65-1
May.....	8-240	67-7	Nov.....	7-160	58-8
June.....	9-060	74-4	Dec.....	7-420	61-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-001; Index—65-7

## LIVESTOCK—Concluded

### LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Montreal					
Price		Index		Price	
Jan.....	\$ 6-110	51-6	July.....	\$ 7-580	64-0
Feb.....	6-680	56-4	Aug.....	6-280	53-0
March.....	*6-680	56-4	Sept.....	6-310	53-2
April.....	7-250	61-2	Oct.....	6-620	55-9
May.....	11-460	96-7	Nov.....	7-380	62-3
June.....	9-270	78-2	Dec.....	7-960	67-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-536; Index—63-6

\*Nominal.

### LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Toronto					
Jan.....	\$ 7-550	57-9	July.....	\$ 8-370	64-1
Feb.....	7-130	54-6	Aug.....	7-250	55-6
March.....	7-140	54-7	Sept.....	6-880	52-7
April.....	7-000	53-6	Oct.....	7-060	54-1
May.....	8-360	64-1	Nov.....	7-740	59-3
June.....	9-220	70-7	Dec.....	8-770	67-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-706; Index—59-0

### LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg					
Jan.....	\$ 6-010	55-4	July.....	\$ 6-040	55-7
Feb.....	6-020	55-5	Aug.....	5-570	51-3
March.....	6-170	56-9	Sept.....	5-350	49-3
April.....	6-270	57-8	Oct.....	5-820	53-6
May.....	7-870	72-5	Nov.....	6-680	61-6
June.....	7-090	65-3	Dec.....	7-370	67-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-355; Index—58-6

## FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY

### BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER BEEF

Price per pound at Montreal					
Jan.....	\$ 0-110	79-7	July.....	\$ 0-120	87-0
Feb.....	-110	79-7	Aug.....	-115	83-3
March.....	-123	89-1	Sept.....	-113	81-9
April.....	-125	90-6	Oct.....	-095	68-8
May.....	-128	92-8	Nov.....	-098	71-0
June.....	-125	90-6	Dec.....	-103	74-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-114; Index—82-6

### BEEF CARCASS—GOOD BUTCHER

Price per pound at Toronto					
Jan.....	\$ 0-093	80-9	July.....	\$ 0-113	98-3
Feb.....	-095	82-6	Aug.....	-113	98-3
March.....	-106	92-2	Sept.....	-117	101-7
April.....	-112	97-4	Oct.....	-111	96-5
May.....	-118	102-6	Nov.....	-102	88-7
June.....	-118	102-6	Dec.....	-102	88-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-108; Index—93-9

### BEEF CARCASS—GOOD BUTCHER

Price per pound at Winnipeg					
Jan.....	\$ 0-068	54-8	July.....	\$ 0-079	63-6
Feb.....	-070	56-4	Aug.....	-072	58-0
March.....	-091	73-3	Sept.....	-094	75-7
April.....	-088	70-9	Oct.....	-083	66-8
May.....	-105	84-5	Nov.....	-077	62-0
June.....	-097	78-1	Dec.....	-083	66-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-084; Index—67-6

### BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER BEEF

Price per pound at Vancouver					
Jan.....	\$ 0-095	74-3	July.....	\$ 0-135	105-6
Feb.....	-110	86-0	Aug.....	-110	86-0
March.....	-110	86-0	Sept.....	-100	78-2
April.....	-130	101-6	Oct.....	-100	78-2
May.....	-135	105-6	Nov.....	-100	78-2
June.....	-135	105-6	Dec.....	-090	70-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-113; Index—88-4

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY—Continued

## BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW BEEF

## Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-075	66-2	July.....	\$ 0-098	86-5
Feb.....	0-075	66-2	Aug.....	0-078	68-8
March.....	0-085	75-0	Sept.....	0-075	66-2
April.....	0-085	75-0	Oct.....	0-065	57-4
May.....	0-095	83-8	Nov.....	0-068	60-0
June.....	0-095	83-8	Dec.....	0-073	64-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-081; Index—71-5

## BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW BEEF

## Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-063	72-4	July.....	\$ 0-084	96-6
Feb.....	0-065	74-7	Aug.....	0-077	88-5
March.....	0-077	88-5	Sept.....	0-077	88-5
April.....	0-081	93-1	Oct.....	0-068	78-2
May.....	0-091	104-6	Nov.....	0-065	74-7
June.....	0-090	103-4	Dec.....	0-069	79-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-076; Index—87-4

## BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW BEEF

## Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-056	57-7	July.....	\$ 0-055	56-7
Feb.....	0-050	51-5	Aug.....	0-046	47-4
March.....	0-063	70-1	Sept.....	0-053	54-6
April.....	0-069	71-1	Oct.....	0-047	48-5
May.....	0-078	80-4	Nov.....	0-048	49-5
June.....	0-078	80-4	Dec.....	0-053	54-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-058; Index—59-8

## BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW BEEF

## Price per pound at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-060	59-5	July.....	\$ 0-095	94-2
Feb.....	0-070	69-4	Aug.....	0-075	74-4
March.....	0-070	69-4	Sept.....	0-065	64-5
April.....	0-085	84-3	Oct.....	0-065	64-5
May.....	0-095	94-2	Nov.....	0-065	64-5
June.....	0-095	94-2	Dec.....	0-055	54-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-075; Index—74-4

## VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

## Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-115	67-6	July.....	\$ 0-095	55-9
Feb.....	0-115	67-6	Aug.....	0-110	64-7
March.....	0-100	58-8	Sept.....	0-125	73-5
April.....	0-070	41-2	Oct.....	0-130	76-5
May.....	0-070	41-2	Nov.....	0-135	79-4
June.....	0-080	47-1	Dec.....	0-135	79-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-107; Index—62-9

## VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

## Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-126	64-6	July.....	\$ 0-097	49-7
Feb.....	0-123	63-1	Aug.....	0-116	59-5
March.....	0-120	61-5	Sept.....	0-135	69-2
April.....	0-118	60-5	Oct.....	0-131	67-2
May.....	0-106	54-4	Nov.....	0-133	68-2
June.....	0-100	51-3	Dec.....	0-143	73-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-121; Index—62-1

## VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

## Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-120	76-2	July.....	\$ 0-088	55-9
Feb.....	0-101	64-1	Aug.....	0-093	59-0
March.....	0-106	67-3	Sept.....	0-110	69-8
April.....	0-099	62-9	Oct.....	0-110	69-8
May.....	0-095	60-3	Nov.....	0-112	71-1
June.....	0-090	57-1	Dec.....	0-128	81-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-104; Index—66-0

## FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY—Continued

## LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

## Price per pound at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-145	66-7	July.....	\$ 0-165	75-9
Feb.....	0-145	66-7	Aug.....	0-145	66-7
March.....	0-140	64-4	Sept.....	0-130	59-8
April.....	0-140	64-4	Oct.....	0-120	55-2
May.....	0-138	63-2	Nov.....	0-130	59-8
June.....	0-185	85-1	Dec.....	0-160	73-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-145; Index—66-7

## LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

## Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-153	60-4	July.....	\$ 0-168	66-8
Feb.....	0-140	55-3	Aug.....	0-148	58-4
March.....	0-140	55-3	Sept.....	0-136	53-7
April.....	0-140	55-3	Oct.....	0-131	51-7
May.....	0-160	63-2	Nov.....	0-140	55-5
June.....	0-202	79-7	Dec.....	0-164	64-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-152; Index—60-0

## LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

## Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-140	56-0	July.....	\$ 0-145	58-6
Feb.....	0-135	54-0	Aug.....	0-124	49-6
March.....	0-139	55-6	Sept.....	0-133	53-7
April.....	0-150	60-0	Oct.....	0-130	52-2
May.....	0-150	60-0	Nov.....	0-136	54-4
June.....	0-160	64-0	Dec.....	0-150	60-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-141; Index—56-4

## LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

## Price per pound at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-145	49-7	July.....	\$ 0-170	58-8
Feb.....	0-165	56-6	Aug.....	0-160	54-4
March.....	0-145	49-7	Sept.....	0-150	51-1
April.....	0-145	49-7	Oct.....	0-150	51-1
May.....	0-145	49-7	Nov.....	0-150	51-1
June.....	0-175	60-0	Dec.....	0-150	51-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-154; Index—52-8

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

## Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-125	57-3	July.....	\$ 0-145	66-6
Feb.....	0-115	52-7	Aug.....	0-140	64-4
March.....	0-120	55-0	Sept.....	0-135	61-1
April.....	0-130	59-6	Oct.....	0-135	61-1
May.....	0-140	64-1	Nov.....	0-125	57-7
June.....	0-145	66-4	Dec.....	0-120	55-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-131; Index—60-0

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

## Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-123	59-6	July.....	\$ 0-143	69-6
Feb.....	0-124	60-1	Aug.....	0-144	69-6
March.....	0-120	58-2	Sept.....	0-143	69-6
April.....	0-124	60-1	Oct.....	0-139	67-7
May.....	0-134	65-0	Nov.....	0-128	62-2
June.....	0-142	68-8	Dec.....	0-133	64-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-133; Index—64-5

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

## Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-114	55-6	July.....	\$ 0-135	65-5
Feb.....	0-117	57-1	Aug.....	0-144	70-7
March.....	0-117	57-1	Sept.....	0-137	66-6
April.....	0-121	59-0	Oct.....	0-135	65-5
May.....	0-130	63-4	Nov.....	0-118	57-7
June.....	0-141	68-8	Dec.....	0-117	57-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-127; Index—62-0

GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY—Concluded

PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-130	61-3	July.....\$ 0-155	73-1
Feb.....\$ 140	66-0	Aug.....\$ 160	75-4
March.....\$ 130	61-3	Sept.....\$ 140	66-0
April.....\$ 140	66-0	Oct.....\$ 135	63-6
May.....\$ 140	66-0	Nov.....\$ 130	61-3
June.....\$ 155	73-1	Dec.....\$ 120	56-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-140; Index—66-0

PORK CARCASS—ABATTOIR HOGS

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-133	62-4	July.....\$ 0-148	69-5
Feb.....\$ 134	62-9	Aug.....\$ 149	70-0
March.....\$ 125	58-7	Sept.....\$ 148	69-5
April.....\$ 129	60-6	Oct.....\$ 144	67-6
May.....\$ 139	65-3	Nov.....\$ 133	62-4
June.....\$ 148	69-5	Dec.....\$ 138	64-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-139; Index—65-3

PORK CARCASS—ABATTOIR HOGS

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....\$ 0-120	58-5	July.....\$ 0-133	64-9
Feb.....\$ 123	60-0	Aug.....\$ 145	70-7
March.....\$ 124	60-5	Sept.....\$ 142	69-3
April.....\$ 126	61-5	Oct.....\$ 137	66-8
May.....\$ 133	64-9	Nov.....\$ 118	57-6
June.....\$ 144	70-2	Dec.....\$ 117	57-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-130; Index—63-4

FOWL, DRESSED, 4-5 POUNDS

Price per pound to shippers, Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-100	43-6	July.....\$ 0-130	56-7
Feb.....\$ 105	45-8	Aug.....\$ 130	56-7
March.....\$ 120	52-4	Sept.....\$ 120	52-4
April.....\$ 120	52-4	Oct.....\$ 130	56-7
May.....\$ 123	53-7	Nov.....\$ 130	56-7
June.....\$ 122	53-2	Dec.....\$ 130	56-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-121; Index—52-8

MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR OTHERWISE PREPARED

BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-250	73-7	July.....\$ 0-230	67-8
Feb.....\$ 230	67-8	Aug.....\$ 230	67-8
March.....\$ 230	67-8	Sept.....\$ 230	67-8
April.....\$ 230	67-8	Oct.....\$ 220	64-9
May.....\$ 220	64-9	Nov.....\$ 220	64-9
June.....\$ 230	67-8	Dec.....\$ 200	59-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-227; Index—66-9

BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-230	69-7	July.....\$ 0-230	69-7
Feb.....\$ 245	74-2	Aug.....\$ 265	80-3
March.....\$ 230	69-7	Sept.....\$ 255	77-3
April.....\$ 230	69-7	Oct.....\$ 250	75-8
May.....\$ 225	68-2	Nov.....\$ 245	74-2
June.....\$ 220	66-7	Dec.....\$ 225	68-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-238; Index—71-2

BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....\$ 0-235	65-7	July.....\$ 0-270	75-5
Feb.....\$ 265	74-1	Aug.....\$ 260	72-7
March.....\$ 245	68-5	Sept.....\$ 270	75-5
April.....\$ 225	62-9	Oct.....\$ 255	71-3
May.....\$ 225	62-9	Nov.....\$ 230	64-3
June.....\$ 230	64-3	Dec.....\$ 210	58-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-243; Index—68-0

MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR OTHERWISE PREPARED—Continued

BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-280	68-6	July.....\$ 0-210	51-4
Feb.....\$ 270	66-1	Aug.....\$ 230	56-3
March.....\$ 250	61-2	Sept.....\$ 240	58-8
April.....\$ 230	56-3	Oct.....\$ 250	61-2
May.....\$ 230	56-3	Nov.....\$ 250	61-2
June.....\$ 230	56-3	Dec.....\$ 240	58-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-243; Index—59-5

HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-190	58-8	July.....\$ 0-250	77-4
Feb.....\$ 200	61-9	Aug.....\$ 240	74-3
March.....\$ 190	58-8	Sept.....\$ 250	77-4
April.....\$ 220	68-1	Oct.....\$ 240	74-3
May.....\$ 230	71-2	Nov.....\$ 230	71-2
June.....\$ 230	71-2	Dec.....\$ 200	61-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-223; Index—69-0

HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-215	67-4	July.....\$ 0-265	83-0
Feb.....\$ 225	70-5	Aug.....\$ 285	89-3
March.....\$ 225	70-5	Sept.....\$ 285	89-3
April.....\$ 225	70-5	Oct.....\$ 270	84-6
May.....\$ 230	72-1	Nov.....\$ 245	76-8
June.....\$ 240	75-2	Dec.....\$ 235	73-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-245; Index—76-8

HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Jan.....\$ 0-225	69-8	July.....\$ 0-250	77-5
Feb.....\$ 255	79-1	Aug.....\$ 270	83-7
March.....\$ 235	72-9	Sept.....\$ 280	86-8
April.....\$ 225	69-8	Oct.....\$ 255	79-1
May.....\$ 245	76-0	Nov.....\$ 240	74-4
June.....\$ 250	77-5	Dec.....\$ 230	71-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-247; Index—76-6

HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Vancouver

Jan.....\$ 0-210	60-0	July.....\$ 0-230	65-7
Feb.....\$ 210	60-0	Aug.....\$ 260	74-3
March.....\$ 210	60-0	Sept.....\$ 270	77-1
April.....\$ 190	54-3	Oct.....\$ 270	77-1
May.....\$ 200	57-1	Nov.....\$ 250	71-4
June.....\$ 210	60-0	Dec.....\$ 240	68-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-229; Index—65-4

MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 21-000	52-8	July.....\$ 21-500	54-1
Feb.....\$ 22-500	56-6	Aug.....\$ 22-000	55-3
March.....\$ 22-500	56-6	Sept.....\$ 25-000	62-9
April.....\$ 21-500	54-1	Oct.....\$ 28-000	70-4
May.....\$ 21-500	54-1	Nov.....\$ 28-000	70-4
June.....\$ 21-500	54-1	Dec.....\$ 28-000	70-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$23-583; Index—59-3

MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 25-000	70-2	July.....\$ 22-000	61-8
Feb.....\$ 25-000	70-2	Aug.....\$ 23-000	64-6
March.....\$ 24-000	67-4	Sept.....\$ 28-000	78-6
April.....\$ 24-000	67-4	Oct.....\$ 30-000	84-2
May.....\$ 22-000	61-8	Nov.....\$ 28-000	78-6
June.....\$ 22-000	61-8	Dec.....\$ 28-000	78-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$25-083; Index—70-4



## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR OTHERWISE  
PREPARED—Concluded

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 23-000	58-2	July.....	\$ 28-000	70-9
Feb.....	23-000	58-2	Aug.....	23-000	58-2
March.....	25-000	63-3	Sept.....	27-000	68-4
April.....	27-000	68-4	Oct.....	31-000	78-5
May.....	27-000	68-4	Nov.....	31-000	78-5
June.....	28-000	70-9	Dec.....	28-000	70-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$26-750; Index—67-7

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 22-500	47-4	July.....	\$ 22-500	47-4
Feb.....	22-500	47-4	Aug.....	24-500	51-6
March.....	22-500	47-4	Sept.....	27-000	56-8
April.....	22-500	47-4	Oct.....	27-000	56-8
May.....	22-500	47-4	Nov.....	27-000	56-8
June.....	22-500	47-4	Dec.....	27-000	56-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$24-167; Index—50-9

## MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy,  
Charlottetown

Jan.....	\$ 0-140	70-0	July.....	\$ 0-160	80-0
Feb.....	-160	80-0	Aug.....	-160	80-0
March.....	-160	80-0	Sept.....	-160	80-0
April.....	-160	80-0	Oct.....	-160	80-0
May.....	-160	80-0	Nov.....	-160	80-0
June.....	-160	80-0	Dec.....	-160	80-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-158; Index—79-0

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Halifax

Jan.....	\$ 0-215	88-3	July.....	\$ 0-215	88-3
Feb.....	-215	88-3	Aug.....	-215	88-3
March.....	-215	88-3	Sept.....	-215	88-3
April.....	-215	88-3	Oct.....	-215	88-3
May.....	-215	88-3	Nov.....	-215	88-3
June.....	-215	88-3	Dec.....	-215	88-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-215; Index—88-3

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Saint John

Jan.....	\$ 0-200	75-5	July.....	\$ 0-140	52-8
Feb.....	-200	75-5	Aug.....	-220	83-0
March.....	-200	75-5	Sept.....	-200	75-5
April.....	-200	75-5	Oct.....	-200	75-5
May.....	-140	52-8	Nov.....	-200	75-5
June.....	-140	52-8	Dec.....	-200	75-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-187; Index—70-6

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at railway  
station, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 1-850	78-6	July.....	\$ 1-445	61-4
Feb.....	1-850	78-6	Aug.....	1-445	61-4
March.....	1-850	78-6	Sept.....	1-770	75-2
April.....	1-700	72-2	Oct.....	1-770	75-2
May.....	1-700	72-2	Nov.....	1-770	75-2
June.....	1-445	61-4	Dec.....	1-770	75-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-697; Index—72-1

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Quebec.

Jan.....	\$ 0-160	65-3	July.....	\$ 0-145	59-2
Feb.....	-180	73-5	Aug.....	-145	59-2
March.....	-180	73-5	Sept.....	-145	59-2
April.....	-165	67-3	Oct.....	-170	69-4
May.....	-165	67-3	Nov.....	-170	69-4
June.....	-145	59-2	Dec.....	-170	69-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-162; Index—66-1

## MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy,  
Ottawa

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-810	73-9	July.....	\$ 1-810	73-9
Feb.....	1-810	73-9	Aug.....	1-760	71-1
March.....	1-810	73-9	Sept.....	1-760	71-1
April.....	1-810	73-9	Oct.....	1-760	71-1
May.....	1-810	73-9	Nov.....	1-760	71-1
June.....	1-810	73-9	Dec.....	2-050	83-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-813; Index—74-0

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 8 gallon can, delivered at dairy,  
Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-730	86-0	July.....	\$ 1-730	86-0
Feb.....	1-730	86-0	Aug.....	1-730	86-0
March.....	1-730	86-0	Sept.....	1-730	86-0
April.....	1-730	86-0	Oct.....	1-730	86-0
May.....	1-730	86-0	Nov.....	1-730	86-0
June.....	1-730	86-0	Dec.....	1-730	86-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-730; Index—86-0

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Hamilton

Jan.....	\$ 0-210	79-2	July.....	\$ 0-210	79-2
Feb.....	-210	79-2	Aug.....	-210	79-2
March.....	-210	79-2	Sept.....	-210	79-2
April.....	-210	79-2	Oct.....	-210	79-2
May.....	-210	79-2	Nov.....	-210	79-2
June.....	-210	79-2	Dec.....	-210	79-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-210; Index—79-2

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 1-720	79-5	July.....	\$ 1-480	68-8
Feb.....	1-720	79-5	Aug.....	1-480	68-8
March.....	1-720	79-5	Sept.....	1-480	68-8
April.....	1-720	79-5	Oct.....	1-820	84-4
May.....	1-720	79-5	Nov.....	1-820	84-4
June.....	1-520	70-3	Dec.....	1-820	84-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-668; Index—77-1

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per pound butterfat, delivered at dairy,  
Saskatoon

Jan.....	\$ 0-480	76-8	July.....	\$ 0-480	76-8
Feb.....	-480	76-8	Aug.....	-480	76-8
March.....	-480	76-8	Sept.....	-480	76-8
April.....	-480	76-8	Oct.....	-480	76-8
May.....	-480	76-8	Nov.....	-480	76-8
June.....	-480	76-8	Dec.....	-480	76-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-480; Index—76-8

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Regina

Jan.....	\$ 0-185	80-4	July.....	\$ 0-185	80-4
Feb.....	-185	80-4	Aug.....	-185	80-4
March.....	-185	80-4	Sept.....	-185	80-4
April.....	-185	80-4	Oct.....	-185	80-4
May.....	-185	80-4	Nov.....	-185	80-4
June.....	-185	80-4	Dec.....	-185	80-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-185; Index—80-4

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy,  
Calgary

Jan.....	\$ 1-950	81-5	July.....	\$ 1-950	81-5
Feb.....	1-950	81-5	Aug.....	1-950	81-5
March.....	1-950	81-5	Sept.....	1-950	81-5
April.....	1-950	81-5	Oct.....	1-950	81-5
May.....	1-950	81-5	Nov.....	1-950	81-5
June.....	1-950	81-5	Dec.....	1-950	81-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-950; Index—81-5

GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy, Edmonton

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-850	79-3	July.....	\$ 1-850	79-3
Feb.....	1-850	79-3	Aug.....	1-850	79-3
March.....	1-850	79-3	Sept.....	1-850	79-3
April.....	1-850	79-3	Oct.....	1-850	79-3
May.....	1-850	79-3	Nov.....	1-850	79-3
June.....	1-850	79-3	Dec.....	1-850	79-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-850; Index—79-3

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Victoria

Jan.....	\$ 0-200	85-8	July.....	\$ 0-200	85-8
Feb.....	200	85-8	Aug.....	200	85-8
March.....	200	85-8	Sept.....	200	85-8
April.....	200	85-8	Oct.....	200	85-8
May.....	200	85-8	Nov.....	200	85-8
June.....	190	81-5	Dec.....	200	85-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-199; Index—85-4

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per pound butterfat, delivered at dairy, Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-430	71-5	July.....	\$ 0-530	71-5
Feb.....	530	71-5	Aug.....	530	71-5
March.....	530	71-5	Sept.....	530	71-5
April.....	530	71-5	Oct.....	530	71-5
May.....	530	71-5	Nov.....	530	71-5
June.....	530	71-5	Dec.....	530	71-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-522; Index—70-5

MILK, CONDENSED

Manufacturer's price per case of 48-15 ounce tins, carlots

Jan.....	\$ 8-100	100-0	July.....	\$ 8-100	100-0
Feb.....	8-100	100-0	Aug.....	8-100	100-0
March.....	8-100	100-0	Sept.....	8-100	100-0
April.....	8-100	100-0	Oct.....	8-100	100-0
May.....	8-100	100-0	Nov.....	8-100	100-0
June.....	8-100	100-0	Dec.....	8-100	100-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-100; Index—100-0

MILK, EVAPORATED

Manufacturer's price per case of 48-1 pound tins

Jan.....	\$ 3-600	70-6	July.....	\$ 3-600	70-6
Feb.....	3-600	70-6	Aug.....	3-600	70-6
March.....	3-600	70-6	Sept.....	3-600	70-6
April.....	3-600	70-6	Oct.....	3-600	70-6
May.....	3-600	70-6	Nov.....	3-600	70-6
June.....	3-600	70-6	Dec.....	3-600	70-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-600; Index—70-6

BUTTER, CREAMERY, NO. 1 PRINTS

Jobbing price per pound at Montreal—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-246	63-1	July.....	\$ 0-219	56-2
Feb.....	268	68-7	Aug.....	226	57-9
March.....	259	66-4	Sept.....	247	63-3
April.....	250	64-1	Oct.....	263	67-4
May.....	232	59-5	Nov.....	274	70-3
June.....	220	56-4	Dec.....	278	71-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-249; Index—63-8

BUTTER, CREAMERY, NO. 1 PRINTS

Jobbing price per pound at Toronto—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0-248	59-8	July.....	\$ 0-222	53-5
Feb.....	275	66-3	Aug.....	228	54-9
March.....	267	64-3	Sept.....	243	58-6
April.....	261	62-9	Oct.....	255	61-4
May.....	246	59-3	Nov.....	272	65-5
June.....	223	53-7	Dec.....	277	66-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-251; Index—60-5

MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. plant, Winnipeg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-220	55-6	July.....	\$ 0-200	50-8
Feb.....	260	65-7	Aug.....	210	53-1
March.....	260	65-7	Sept.....	220	55-6
April.....	240	60-6	Oct.....	250	63-2
May.....	230	57-1	Nov.....	255	64-4
June.....	210	53-1	Dec.....	270	68-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-235; Index—59-4

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound at Regina

Jan.....	\$ 0-230	59-3	July.....	\$ 0-220	56-7
Feb.....	280	72-2	Aug.....	230	59-3
March.....	270	69-6	Sept.....	240	61-9
April.....	250	64-4	Oct.....	260	67-0
May.....	260	67-0	Nov.....	270	69-6
June.....	250	64-4	Dec.....	280	72-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-253; Index—65-2

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound at Calgary

Jan.....	\$ 0-220	58-2	July.....	\$ 0-210	55-5
Feb.....	270	71-4	Aug.....	210	55-5
March.....	270	71-4	Sept.....	210	55-5
April.....	240	63-4	Oct.....	230	60-8
May.....	250	66-1	Nov.....	250	66-1
June.....	220	58-2	Dec.....	280	74-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-238; Index—62-9

BUTTER, CREAMERY, NO. 1 PRINTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-230	—	July.....	\$ 0-230	—
Feb.....	270	—	Aug.....	230	—
March.....	270	—	Sept.....	230	—
April.....	260	—	Oct.....	260	—
May.....	250	—	Nov.....	270	—
June.....	240	—	Dec.....	290	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-253

CHEESE, NEW, LARGE

Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-110	55-8	July.....	\$ 0-110	55-8
Feb.....	115	58-3	Aug.....	120	60-9
March.....	120	60-9	Sept.....	110	55-8
April.....	120	60-9	Oct.....	130	66-0
May.....	110	55-8	Nov.....	110	55-8
June.....	100	50-7	Dec.....	120	60-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-115; Index—58-3

CHEESE, OLD, LARGE

Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-150	66-0	July.....	\$ 0-150	66-0
Feb.....	150	66-0	Aug.....	140	61-6
March.....	160	70-4	Sept.....	150	66-0
April.....	150	66-0	Oct.....	150	66-0
May.....	150	66-0	Nov.....	150	66-0
June.....	150	66-0	Dec.....	150	66-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-150; Index—66-0

CHEESE, LARGE, COLOURED, NEW

Price per pound at Toronto, delivered nearest railway station, 40 pounds or more

Jan.....	\$ 0-125	49-2	July.....	\$ 0-130	51-2
Feb.....	135	53-1	Aug.....	130	51-2
March.....	145	57-1	Sept.....	130	51-2
April.....	145	57-1	Oct.....	153	60-2
May.....	135	53-1	Nov.....	140	55-1
June.....	120	47-2	Dec.....	145	57-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-136; Index—53-5

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## OILS AND FATS

## LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tins, at Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.110	63.6	July.....	\$ 0.125	72.3
Feb.....	.110	63.6	Aug.....	.140	80.9
March.....	.115	66.5	Sept.....	.135	78.0
April.....	.115	66.5	Oct.....	.150	86.7
May.....	.115	66.5	Nov.....	.145	83.8
June.....	.125	72.3	Dec.....	.125	72.3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.126; Index—72.8

## LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tins, at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.123	69.6	July.....	\$ 0.138	78.1
Feb.....	.128	72.5	Aug.....	.158	89.5
March.....	.128	72.5	Sept.....	.163	92.3
April.....	.128	72.5	Oct.....	.163	92.3
May.....	.123	69.6	Nov.....	.163	92.3
June.....	.133	75.3	Dec.....	.153	86.6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.142; Index—80.4

## LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tins, at Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0.125	66.5	July.....	\$ 0.135	71.8
Feb.....	.135	71.8	Aug.....	.145	77.1
March.....	.140	74.5	Sept.....	.170	90.4
April.....	.120	63.8	Oct.....	.150	79.8
May.....	.125	66.5	Nov.....	.160	85.1
June.....	.130	69.1	Dec.....	.135	71.8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.139; Index—73.9

## LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tins, f.o.b. Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0.120	60.8	July.....	\$ 0.140	70.9
Feb.....	.130	65.8	Aug.....	.150	75.9
March.....	.130	65.8	Sept.....	.155	78.5
April.....	.125	63.3	Oct.....	.155	78.5
May.....	.130	65.8	Nov.....	.160	81.0
June.....	.135	68.4	Dec.....	.150	75.9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.140; Index—70.9

## TALLOW, PRIME PACKERS'

Price per pound at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0.055	62.5	July.....	\$ 0.064	72.7
Feb.....	.060	68.2	Aug.....	.060	68.2
March.....	.065	73.9	Sept.....	.065	73.9
April.....	.065	73.9	Oct.....	.068	77.3
May.....	.068	77.3	Nov.....	.065	73.9
June.....	.068	77.3	Dec.....	.065	73.9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.064; Index—72.7

## EGGS

## EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Halifax—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.355	75.2	July.....	\$ 0.276	58.5
Feb.....	.324	68.6	Aug.....	.324	68.6
March.....	.275	58.3	Sept.....	.355	75.2
April.....	.216	45.8	Oct.....	.379	80.3
May.....	.215	45.6	Nov.....	.453	96.0
June.....	.239	50.6	Dec.....	.428	90.7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.321; Index—68.0

## EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Saint John—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.320	68.5	July.....	\$ 0.268	57.4
Feb.....	.298	63.8	Aug.....	.304	65.1
March.....	.263	56.3	Sept.....	.343	73.4
April.....	.196	42.0	Oct.....	.367	78.6
May.....	.211	45.2	Nov.....	.461	98.7
June.....	.230	49.3	Dec.....	.453	97.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.311; Index—66.6

## EGGS—Continued

## EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Montreal—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.310	66.7	July.....	\$ 0.268	57.4
Feb.....	.308	66.2	Aug.....	.304	65.4
March.....	.239	51.4	Sept.....	.364	78.3
April.....	.213	45.8	Oct.....	.403	86.7
May.....	.221	47.5	Nov.....	.435	93.5
June.....	.244	52.5	Dec.....	.424	91.2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.312; Index—67.1

## EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Toronto—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.285	61.7	July.....	\$ 0.250	54.1
Feb.....	.290	62.8	Aug.....	.284	61.5
March.....	.215	46.5	Sept.....	.344	74.5
April.....	.190	41.1	Oct.....	.394	85.3
May.....	.203	43.9	Nov.....	.425	92.0
June.....	.225	48.7	Dec.....	.401	86.8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.293; Index—63.4

## EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Winnipeg—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.299	71.0	July.....	\$ 0.240	57.0
Feb.....	.273	64.8	Aug.....	.263	63.7
March.....	.196	46.6	Sept.....	.321	76.2
April.....	.174	41.3	Oct.....	.359	85.3
May.....	.193	45.8	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	.208	49.4	Dec.....	.345	81.9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.256; Index—60.8

## EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Saskatoon—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.302	74.4	July.....	\$ 0.199	49.0
Feb.....	.240	59.1	Aug.....	.205	50.5
March.....	.168	41.4	Sept.....	.235	57.9
April.....	.163	40.1	Oct.....	.290	71.4
May.....	.180	44.3	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	.185	45.6	Dec.....	.350	86.2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.220; Index—54.2

## EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Calgary—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.284	68.8	July.....	\$ 0.225	54.5
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.240	58.1
March.....	.170	41.2	Sept.....	.265	60.0
April.....	.160	38.7	Oct.....	.334	80.9
May.....	.180	43.6	Nov.....	.388	93.9
June.....	.188	45.5	Dec.....	.365	88.4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.274; Index—66.3

## EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Vancouver—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.221	56.1	July.....	\$ 0.247	62.7
Feb.....	.189	48.0	Aug.....	.275	69.8
March.....	.174	44.2	Sept.....	.326	82.7
April.....	.183	46.4	Oct.....	.352	89.3
May.....	.180	45.7	Nov.....	.378	95.9
June.....	.183	46.4	Dec.....	.301	76.4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.252; Index—64.0

## EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Halifax—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0.223	52.0	July.....	\$ 0.219	51.0
Feb.....	.208	48.5	Aug.....	.259	60.4
March.....	.203	47.7	Sept.....	.274	63.9
April.....	.183	42.7	Oct.....	.298	69.5
May.....	.180	42.0	Nov.....	.318	74.1
June.....	.198	46.2	Dec.....	.311	72.5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.240; Index—55.9



GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

EGGS—Continued

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Saint John—average of weekly prices

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-239	56-6	July.....	\$ 0-222	52-6
Feb.....	.228	54-0	Aug.....	.231	54-7
March.....	.213	50-5	Sept.....	.246	58-3
April.....	.165	39-1	Oct.....	.278	65-9
May.....	.177	41-9	Nov.....	.295	69-9
June.....	.208	49-3	Dec.....	.290	68-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-233; Index—55-2

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Montreal—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-228	55-3	July.....	\$ 0-224	54-4
Feb.....	.215	52-2	Aug.....	.244	59-2
March.....	.198	48-1	Sept.....	.273	66-3
April.....	.183	44-4	Oct.....	.289	70-1
May.....	.192	46-6	Nov.....	.305	74-0
June.....	.213	51-7	Dec.....	.291	70-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-238; Index—57-8

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Toronto—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-209	51-4	July.....	\$ 0-218	53-6
Feb.....	.208	51-1	Aug.....	.230	56-5
March.....	.183	45-0	Sept.....	.276	67-8
April.....	.166	40-8	Oct.....	.285	70-0
May.....	.176	43-2	Nov.....	.290	71-3
June.....	.195	47-9	Dec.....	.286	70-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-228; Index—56-0

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Winnipeg—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-216	57-0	July.....	\$ 0-199	52-5
Feb.....	.188	49-6	Aug.....	.214	56-5
March.....	.163	43-0	Sept.....	.235	62-0
April.....	.154	40-6	Oct.....	.256	67-5
May.....	.172	45-4	Nov.....	.280	73-9
June.....	.187	49-3	Dec.....	.255	67-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-211; Index—55-7

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Saskatoon—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-222	60-0	July.....	\$ 0-168	45-4
Feb.....	.188	50-8	Aug.....	.175	47-3
March.....	.130	35-1	Sept.....	.185	50-0
April.....	.131	35-4	Oct.....	.219	59-2
May.....	.150	40-5	Nov.....	.270	73-0
June.....	.165	41-9	Dec.....	.240	64-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-179; Index—48-4

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Calgary—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-216	57-8	July.....	\$ 0-178	47-6
Feb.....	.188	49-6	Aug.....	.203	54-3
March.....	.138	36-9	Sept.....	.233	62-3
April.....	.140	37-4	Oct.....	.250	66-8
May.....	.165	44-1	Nov.....	.277	74-1
June.....	.165	44-1	Dec.....	.268	71-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-213; Index—57-0

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Vancouver—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	—	—	July.....	\$ 0-216	59-7
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	.230	63-5
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	.240	66-3
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	.256	70-7
May.....	\$ 0-155	42-8	Nov.....	.290	80-1
June.....	.165	45-6	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-217; Index—59-9

EGGS—Continued

EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Halifax—average of weekly prices

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-186	55-8	July.....	\$ 0-190	57-1
Feb.....	.173	51-9	Aug.....	.211	63-4
March.....	.170	51-0	Sept.....	.216	64-9
April.....	.160	48-0	Oct.....	.249	74-8
May.....	.166	49-8	Nov.....	.258	77-5
June.....	.178	53-4	Dec.....	.258	77-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-202; Index—60-7

EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Saint John—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-205	59-9	July.....	\$ 0-200	58-5
Feb.....	.190	55-6	Aug.....	.199	58-2
March.....	.190	55-6	Sept.....	.206	60-2
April.....	.153	44-7	Oct.....	.236	69-0
May.....	.159	46-5	Nov.....	.258	75-4
June.....	.180	52-6	Dec.....	.255	74-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-203; Index—59-4

EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Montreal—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-199	58-9	July.....	\$ 0-204	60-4
Feb.....	.194	57-4	Aug.....	.211	62-4
March.....	.181	53-6	Sept.....	.233	68-9
April.....	.172	50-9	Oct.....	.248	73-4
May.....	.178	52-7	Nov.....	.263	77-8
June.....	.198	58-6	Dec.....	.262	77-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-212; Index—62-7

EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Toronto—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-177	55-1	July.....	\$ 0-197	61-4
Feb.....	.188	58-6	Aug.....	.206	64-2
March.....	.180	56-1	Sept.....	.238	74-1
April.....	.159	49-5	Oct.....	.252	78-5
May.....	.168	52-3	Nov.....	.258	80-4
June.....	.183	57-0	Dec.....	.260	81-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-207; Index—64-5

EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Winnipeg—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-171	56-8	July.....	\$ 0-173	57-5
Feb.....	.160	53-2	Aug.....	.176	58-5
March.....	.150	49-8	Sept.....	.190	63-1
April.....	.143	47-5	Oct.....	.205	68-1
May.....	.161	53-5	Nov.....	.233	77-4
June.....	.168	55-8	Dec.....	.226	75-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-179; Index—59-5

EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Saskatoon—average of weekly prices

Jan.....	\$ 0-185	61-5	July.....	\$ 0-148	49-2
Feb.....	.145	48-2	Aug.....	.155	51-5
March.....	.115	38-2	Sept.....	.165	54-8
April.....	.118	39-2	Oct.....	.193	64-1
May.....	.137	45-5	Nov.....	.210	69-8
June.....	.140	46-5	Dec.....	.200	66-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-155; Index—51-5

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

## EGGS—Continued

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Calgary—average of weekly prices

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-188	62-9	July.....	\$ 0-155	51-8
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	—	178
March.....	—113	37-8	Sept.....	—190	63-5
April.....	—120	40-1	Oct.....	—195	65-2
May.....	—128	42-8	Nov.....	—220	73-6
June.....	—138	46-2	Dec.....	—236	78-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-177; Index—59-2

## EGGS—Concluded

## EGGS, GRADE "C"

Price per dozen at Vancouver—average of weekly prices

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	—	—	July.....	\$ 0-150	46-7
Feb.....	—	—	Aug.....	—149	46-4
March.....	—	—	Sept.....	—152	47-4
April.....	—	—	Oct.....	—164	51-1
May.....	—	—	Nov.....	—	—
June.....	—	—	Dec.....	—	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-155; Index—48-3

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

## RAW COTTON

## COTTON, RAW, UPLAND MIDDLING

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-127	72-6	July.....	\$ 0-123	70-3
Feb.....	—126	72-0	Aug.....	—115	65-8
March.....	—117	66-9	Sept.....	—109	62-3
April.....	—118	67-5	Oct.....	—113	64-6
May.....	—123	70-3	Nov.....	—121	69-2
June.....	—119	68-0	Dec.....	—121	69-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-119; Index—68-0

COTTON, RAW, MIDDLING, 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub>"

Price per pound, delivered at Hamilton

Jan.....	\$ 0-143	73-6	July.....	\$ 0-143	73-6
Feb.....	—145	74-7	Aug.....	—131	67-5
March.....	—134	69-0	Sept.....	—126	64-9
April.....	—137	70-5	Oct.....	—133	68-5
May.....	—143	73-6	Nov.....	—145	74-7
June.....	—138	71-1	Dec.....	—139	71-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-138; Index—71-1

## YARNS AND THREAD

## COTTON THREAD, 6 CORD, 200 YARD SPOOL

Price per gross at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 10-080	86-6	July.....	\$ 10-080	86-6
Feb.....	—10-080	86-6	Aug.....	—10-080	86-6
March.....	—10-080	86-6	Sept.....	—10-080	86-6
April.....	—10-080	86-6	Oct.....	—10-080	86-6
May.....	—10-080	86-6	Nov.....	—10-080	86-6
June.....	—10-080	86-6	Dec.....	—10-080	86-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$10-080; Index—86-6

## COTTON YARN, 24's HOSIERY, CONES, RING SPUN

Price per pound, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-343	—	July.....	\$ 0-343	—
Feb.....	—343	—	Aug.....	—343	—
March.....	—343	—	Sept.....	—343	—
April.....	—343	—	Oct.....	—313	—
May.....	—343	—	Nov.....	—328	—
June.....	—343	—	Dec.....	—328	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-338

## COTTON YARN, 10's, WHITE SINGLE, HOSIERY COPS

Price per pound, freight paid

Jan.....	\$ 0-300	81-5	July.....	\$ 0-300	81-5
Feb.....	—300	81-5	Aug.....	—300	81-5
March.....	—300	81-5	Sept.....	—300	81-5
April.....	—300	81-5	Oct.....	—275	74-7
May.....	—300	81-5	Nov.....	—290	78-8
June.....	—300	81-5	Dec.....	—290	78-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-296; Index—80-4

## YARN AND THREAD—Concluded

## COTTON YARN, 20's, WHITE COP

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-330	—	July.....	\$ 0-330	—
Feb.....	—330	—	Aug.....	—330	—
March.....	—330	—	Sept.....	—304	—
April.....	—330	—	Oct.....	—304	—
May.....	—330	—	Nov.....	—304	—
June.....	—330	—	Dec.....	—319	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-323

## COTTON YARN, 30's, WHITE COP

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-355	—	July.....	\$ 0-355	—
Feb.....	—355	—	Aug.....	—355	—
March.....	—355	—	Sept.....	—320	—
April.....	—355	—	Oct.....	—320	—
May.....	—355	—	Nov.....	—320	—
June.....	—355	—	Dec.....	—335	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-345

## COTTON FABRICS

## COTTONADES, 8 OUNCE CLOTH, 2 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-438	75-2	July.....	\$ 0-438	75-2
Feb.....	—438	75-2	Aug.....	—438	75-2
March.....	—438	75-2	Sept.....	—415	71-2
April.....	—438	75-2	Oct.....	—415	71-2
May.....	—438	75-2	Nov.....	—415	71-2
June.....	—438	75-2	Dec.....	—415	71-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-430; Index—73-8

## DENIM, BLACK, 2-40 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-405	75-4	July.....	\$ 0-405	75-4
Feb.....	—405	75-4	Aug.....	—405	75-4
March.....	—405	75-4	Sept.....	—387	72-1
April.....	—393	73-2	Oct.....	—387	72-1
May.....	—405	75-4	Nov.....	—387	72-1
June.....	—405	75-4	Dec.....	—405	75-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-400; Index—74-5

## DENIM, BLUE, 2-20 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 0-391	68-6	July.....	\$ 0-391	68-6
Feb.....	—391	68-6	Aug.....	—391	68-6
March.....	—391	68-6	Sept.....	—374	65-6
April.....	—380	66-7	Oct.....	—374	65-6
May.....	—391	68-6	Nov.....	—374	65-6
June.....	—391	68-6	Dec.....	—391	68-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-386; Index—67-7

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

## COTTON FABRICS—Continued

## TICKING, 2-00 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-460	76-0	July.....\$ 0-430	71-1
Feb.....460	76-0	Aug.....430	71-1
March.....460	76-0	Sept.....420	69-4
April.....430	71-1	Oct.....420	69-4
May.....430	71-1	Nov.....420	69-4
June.....430	71-1	Dec.....420	69-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-434; Index—71-7

## SHIRTING, 4-00 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....\$ 0-580	84-1	July.....\$ 0-580	84-1
Feb.....580	84-1	Aug.....580	84-1
March.....580	84-1	Sept.....580	84-1
April.....580	84-1	Oct.....580	84-1
May.....580	84-1	Nov.....580	84-1
June.....580	84-1	Dec.....580	84-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-580; Index—84-1

## FLANNELETTE—5-00 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....\$ 0-525	68-6	July.....\$ 0-507	66-2
Feb.....525	68-6	Aug.....507	66-2
March.....519	67-8	Sept.....506	66-1
April.....507	66-2	Oct.....506	66-1
May.....507	66-2	Nov.....506	66-1
June.....507	66-2	Dec.....506	66-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-511; Index—66-7

## DRESS GINGHAM, 6-50-7-75 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....\$ 0-959	88-3	July.....\$ 0-959	88-3
Feb.....959	88-3	Aug.....959	88-3
March.....959	88-3	Sept.....797	73-4
April.....959	88-3	Oct.....797	73-4
May.....959	88-3	Nov.....797	73-4
June.....959	88-3	Dec.....797	73-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-905; Index—83-3

## APRON GINGHAM, 4-20 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....\$ 0-704	88-2	July.....\$ 0-704	88-2
Feb.....704	88-2	Aug.....704	88-2
March.....704	88-2	Sept.....704	88-2
April.....704	88-2	Oct.....704	88-2
May.....704	88-2	Nov.....704	88-2
June.....704	88-2	Dec.....704	88-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-704; Index—88-2

## COTTON BLANKETS, 12 x 4 (3½ pounds per pair)

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Jan.....\$ 0-504	93-3	July.....\$ 0-504	93-3
Feb.....504	93-3	Aug.....504	93-3
March.....504	93-3	Sept.....476	88-1
April.....504	93-3	Oct.....476	88-1
May.....504	93-3	Nov.....476	88-1
June.....504	93-3	Dec.....476	88-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-495; Index—91-6

## PILLOW COTTON, 42" WIDE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....\$ 0-228	—	July.....\$ 0-228	—
Feb.....228	—	Aug.....228	—
March.....228	—	Sept.....215	—
April.....228	—	Oct.....215	—
May.....228	—	Nov.....215	—
June.....228	—	Dec.....226	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-225

## COTTON FABRICS—Continued

## WIDE COTTON DUCK, 60", No. 1

Price per yard, in rolls of approximately 100 yards, freight paid

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 1-008	—	July.....\$ 1-008	—
Feb.....1-008	—	Aug.....1-008	—
March.....1-008	—	Sept.....1-008	—
April.....1-008	—	Oct.....960	—
May.....1-008	—	Nov.....960	—
June.....1-008	—	Dec.....960	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-996

## PRINT

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....\$ 0-138	97-8	July.....\$ 0-138	97-8
Feb.....138	97-8	Aug.....138	97-8
March.....138	97-8	Sept.....138	97-8
April.....138	97-8	Oct.....125	88-6
May.....138	97-8	Nov.....125	88-6
June.....138	97-8	Dec.....125	88-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-135; Index—95-7

## GINGHAM, CANADIAN, 6-37 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per yard at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-175	104-1	July.....\$ 0-175	104-1
Feb.....175	104-1	Aug.....175	104-1
March.....175	104-1	Sept.....175	104-1
April.....175	104-1	Oct.....145	86-3
May.....175	104-1	Nov.....145	86-3
June.....175	104-1	Dec.....145	86-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-168; Index—99-9

## FLANNELETTE, BLEACHED, 4-50 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....\$ 0-489	68-2	July.....\$ 0-473	66-0
Feb.....489	68-2	Aug.....473	66-0
March.....484	67-5	Sept.....473	66-0
April.....473	66-0	Oct.....473	66-0
May.....473	66-0	Nov.....473	66-0
June.....473	66-0	Dec.....473	66-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-477; Index—66-5

## FLANNELETTE, BLEACHED, 5-75 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....\$ 0-518	70-4	July.....\$ 0-489	66-4
Feb.....518	70-4	Aug.....489	66-4
March.....503	68-3	Sept.....489	66-4
April.....489	66-4	Oct.....489	66-4
May.....489	66-4	Nov.....489	66-4
June.....489	66-4	Dec.....489	66-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-495; Index—67-3

## NAPPED SHEETING, 72" UNBLEACHED AND COLOURED

Price per pound, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....\$ 0-425	72-8	July.....\$ 0-425	72-8
Feb.....425	72-8	Aug.....425	72-8
March.....425	72-8	Sept.....425	72-8
April.....425	72-8	Oct.....425	72-8
May.....425	72-8	Nov.....425	72-8
June.....425	72-8	Dec.....425	72-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-425; Index—72-8

## GREY COTTON, R. 14

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....\$ 0-099	77-2	July.....\$ 0-099	77-2
Feb.....099	77-2	Aug.....099	77-2
March.....099	77-2	Sept.....099	77-2
April.....099	77-2	Oct.....090	70-2
May.....099	77-2	Nov.....090	70-2
June.....099	77-2	Dec.....090	70-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-097; Index—75-6



## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

COTTON FABRICS—*Concluded*

## BLEACHED COTTON, U. 32

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.095	89.5	July.....	\$ 0.095	89.5
Feb.....	.095	89.5	Aug.....	.095	89.5
March.....	.095	89.5	Sept.....	.095	89.5
April.....	.095	89.5	Oct.....	.090	84.8
May.....	.095	89.5	Nov.....	.090	84.8
June.....	.095	89.5	Dec.....	.090	84.8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.094; Index—88.6

## COTTON SHEETING, No. 320

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0.231	80.4	July.....	\$ 0.231	80.4
Feb.....	.231	80.4	Aug.....	.231	80.4
March.....	.231	80.4	Sept.....	.231	80.4
April.....	.231	80.4	Oct.....	.213	74.1
May.....	.231	80.4	Nov.....	.213	74.1
June.....	.231	80.4	Dec.....	.213	74.1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.227; Index—79.0

## KNIT GOODS

## MEN'S COTTON UNDERWEAR, BALBRIGGAN

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (to wholesale trade)

Jan.....	\$ 3.700	82.2	July.....	\$ 3.700	82.2
Feb.....	3.700	82.2	Aug.....	3.700	82.2
March.....	3.700	82.2	Sept.....	3.700	82.2
April.....	3.700	82.2	Oct.....	3.600	80.0
May.....	3.700	82.2	Nov.....	3.600	80.0
June.....	3.700	82.2	Dec.....	3.600	80.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$3.675; Index—81.7

## MEN'S COTTON COMBINATIONS, 2 THREAD

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 9.750	—	July.....	\$ 9.750	—
Feb.....	9.750	—	Aug.....	9.750	—
March.....	9.750	—	Sept.....	9.750	—
April.....	9.750	—	Oct.....	9.750	—
May.....	9.750	—	Nov.....	9.750	—
June.....	9.750	—	Dec.....	9.750	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$9.667

## MEN'S COTTON COMBINATIONS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (to wholesale trade)

Jan.....	\$ 7.350	—	July.....	\$ 7.350	—
Feb.....	7.350	—	Aug.....	7.350	—
March.....	7.350	—	Sept.....	7.350	—
April.....	7.350	—	Oct.....	7.350	—
May.....	7.350	—	Nov.....	7.350	—
June.....	7.350	—	Dec.....	7.350	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$7.350

## MISCELLANEOUS COTTON PRODUCTS

## SASH CORD, No. 8

Price per pound to wholesale jobbers, freight paid in Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 0.434	109.1	July.....	\$ 0.403	101.3
Feb.....	.434	109.1	Aug.....	.403	101.3
March.....	.434	109.1	Sept.....	.372	93.5
April.....	.434	109.1	Oct.....	.372	93.5
May.....	.434	109.1	Nov.....	.372	93.5
June.....	.403	101.3	Dec.....	.372	93.5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.406; Index—102.1

## MISCELLANEOUS FIBRE PRODUCTS

## LINEN THREAD, 3 CORD, BEST QUALITY, 100 YARD SPOOLS, Nos. 25-70

Price per dozen spools, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0.960	97.1	July.....	\$ 1.080	109.2
Feb.....	.960	97.1	Aug.....	1.080	109.2
March.....	.960	97.1	Sept.....	1.080	109.2
April.....	1.000	101.1	Oct.....	1.080	109.2
May.....	1.000	101.1	Nov.....	1.080	109.2
June.....	1.000	101.1	Dec.....	1.000	101.1

Average, 1935: Price—\$1.023; Index—103.4

## RAW JUTE, FIRST MARKS

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Kitchener

Jan.....	\$ 4.250	54.4	July.....	\$ 4.375	56.0
Feb.....	4.250	54.4	Aug.....	4.250	54.4
March.....	4.250	54.4	Sept.....	4.250	54.4
April.....	4.250	54.4	Oct.....	4.250	54.4
May.....	4.250	54.4	Nov.....	4.250	54.4
June.....	4.500	57.6	Dec.....	4.875	62.4

Average, 1935: Price—\$4.333; Index—55.5

## HESSIAN, 10½ OUNCES, 40 INCHES WIDE

Price per 100 yards, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 5.500	48.6	July.....	\$ 6.000	53.0
Feb.....	5.750	50.8	Aug.....	5.750	50.8
March.....	5.750	50.8	Sept.....	5.500	48.6
April.....	5.500	48.6	Oct.....	5.500	48.6
May.....	5.500	48.6	Nov.....	5.500	48.6
June.....	5.500	48.6	Dec.....	5.500	48.6

Average, 1935: Price—\$5.604; Index—49.5

## MANILA HEMP, 12½ PER CENT, FAIR CURRENT

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0.038	25.7	July.....	\$ 0.051	34.5
Feb.....	.039	26.4	Aug.....	.055	37.2
March.....	.040	27.0	Sept.....	.083	59.5
April.....	.040	27.0	Oct.....	.095	64.2
May.....	.041	27.7	Nov.....	.087	58.8
June.....	.042	28.4	Dec.....	.088	59.5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.059; Index—39.9

## MEXICAN SISAL

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

Jan.....	\$ 0.030	33.4	July.....	\$ 0.035	39.0
Feb.....	.031	34.5	Aug.....	.036	40.1
March.....	.032	35.6	Sept.....	.052	57.9
April.....	.031	34.5	Oct.....	.062	69.0
May.....	.031	34.5	Nov.....	.062	69.0
June.....	.033	36.7	Dec.....	.062	69.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.041; Index—45.7

## BINDER TWINE, SISAL, 500 FEET

Price per pound—20,000 pounds or more, f.o.b. delivery points (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 0.064	48.6	July.....	\$ 0.064	48.6
Feb.....	.064	48.6	Aug.....	.064	48.6
March.....	.064	48.6	Sept.....	.064	48.6
April.....	.064	48.6	Oct.....	.064	48.6
May.....	.064	48.6	Nov.....	.064	48.6
June.....	.064	48.6	Dec.....	.064	48.6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.064; Index—48.6

## BEST MANILA ROPE, ¾ INCH BASIS

Price per pound, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 0.140	51.5	July.....	\$ 0.140	51.5
Feb.....	.140	51.5	Aug.....	.150	55.1
March.....	.140	51.5	Sept.....	.165	60.7
April.....	.140	51.5	Oct.....	.175	64.3
May.....	.140	51.5	Nov.....	.175	64.3
June.....	.140	51.5	Dec.....	.175	64.3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0.152; Index—55.9

GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

MISCELLANEOUS FIBRE PRODUCTS—Concluded

HUCK TOWELLING (LINEN) 18 INCHES

Price per yard, f.o.b. Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-360	—	July.....\$ 0-400	—
Feb.....-360	—	Aug.....-400	—
March.....-400	—	Sept.....-400	—
April.....-400	—	Oct.....-400	—
May.....-400	—	Nov.....-400	—
June.....-400	—	Dec.....-400	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-393

JUTE BAGS

Price per thousand, net at factory

Jan.....\$103-000	—	July.....\$106-250	—
Feb.....103-000	—	Aug.....106-250	—
March.....103-000	—	Sept.....106-250	—
April.....103-000	—	Oct.....106-250	—
May.....103-000	—	Nov.....108-250	—
June.....103-000	—	Dec.....106-250	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$104-625

BURLAP BAGS

Price per thousand, net at factory

Jan.....\$ 98-750	—	July.....\$102-750	—
Feb.....98-750	—	Aug.....102-750	—
March.....98-750	—	Sept.....102-750	—
April.....98-750	—	Oct.....102-750	—
May.....98-750	—	Nov.....102-750	—
June.....98-750	—	Dec.....102-750	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$100-750

RAW SILK

RAW SILK, SPECIAL GRAND, XX, 85 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-710	—	July.....\$ 1-724	—
Feb.....1-729	—	Aug.....2-008	—
March.....1-608	—	Sept.....2-090	—
April.....1-738	—	Oct.....2-337	—
May.....1-720	—	Nov.....2-337	—
June.....1-644	—	Dec.....2-208	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-904

RAW SILK, GRAND, XX, 83 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-600	—	July.....\$ 1-624	—
Feb.....1-579	—	Aug.....1-937	—
March.....1-487	—	Sept.....2-030	—
April.....1-608	—	Oct.....2-287	—
May.....1-620	—	Nov.....2-286	—
June.....1-533	—	Dec.....2-157	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-812

RAW SILK, SPECIAL CRACK, XX, 81 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-550	—	July.....\$ 1-534	—
Feb.....1-519	—	Aug.....1-887	—
March.....1-406	—	Sept.....1-970	—
April.....1-527	—	Oct.....2-236	—
May.....1-520	—	Nov.....2-236	—
June.....1-453	—	Dec.....2-117	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-746

RAW SILK, CRACK, XX, 78 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-510	—	July.....\$ 1-474	—
Feb.....1-479	—	Aug.....1-837	—
March.....1-365	—	Sept.....1-920	—
April.....1-477	—	Oct.....2-185	—
May.....1-480	—	Nov.....2-195	—
June.....1-413	—	Dec.....2-067	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-700

RAW SILK—Concluded

RAW SILK, XX, 73 PER CENT. 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-490	—	July.....\$ 1-454	—
Feb.....1-459	—	Aug.....1-817	—
March.....1-345	—	Sept.....1-899	—
April.....1-457	—	Oct.....2-144	—
May.....1-450	—	Nov.....2-175	—
June.....1-393	—	Dec.....2-036	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-677

RAW SILK, SPECIAL GRAND, XX, 85 PER CENT. 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-510	—	July.....\$ 1-464	—
Feb.....1-479	—	Aug.....1-787	—
March.....1-396	—	Sept.....1-859	—
April.....1-467	—	Oct.....2-154	—
May.....1-490	—	Nov.....2-246	—
June.....1-423	—	Dec.....2-137	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-701

RAW SILK, GRAND, XX, 83 PER CENT. 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-500	—	July.....\$ 1-444	—
Feb.....1-469	—	Aug.....1-736	—
March.....1-365	—	Sept.....1-839	—
April.....1-437	—	Oct.....2-134	—
May.....1-450	—	Nov.....2-195	—
June.....1-393	—	Dec.....2-087	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-671

RAW SILK, SPECIAL CRACK, XX, 81 PER CENT. 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-480	—	July.....\$ 1-424	—
Feb.....1-459	—	Aug.....1-716	—
March.....1-355	—	Sept.....1-809	—
April.....1-407	—	Oct.....2-114	—
May.....1-420	—	Nov.....2-175	—
June.....1-373	—	Dec.....2-057	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-649

RAW SILK, CRACK XX, 78 PER CENT. 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis

Jan.....\$ 1-470	—	July.....\$ 1-404	—
Feb.....1-439	—	Aug.....1-706	—
March.....1-345	—	Sept.....1-779	—
April.....1-386	—	Oct.....2-093	—
May.....1-400	—	Nov.....2-155	—
June.....1-353	—	Dec.....2-036	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-631

SILK THREAD AND YARN

SILK, SPOOL, 50 YARDS, LETTER "A"

Price per dozen spools, f.o.b. Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver

Jan.....\$ 0-600	66-7	July.....\$ 0-600	66-7
Feb.....-600	66-7	Aug.....-600	66-7
March.....-600	66-7	Sept.....-600	66-7
April.....-600	66-7	Oct.....-600	66-7
May.....-600	66-7	Nov.....-600	66-7
June.....-600	66-7	Dec.....-600	66-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-600; Index—66-7

SILK MACHINE TWIST, 16 OUNCE

Price per pound, f.o.b. Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver

Jan.....\$ 9-500	63-7	July.....\$ 9-500	63-7
Feb.....9-500	63-7	Aug.....9-500	63-7
March.....9-500	63-7	Sept.....9-500	63-7
April.....9-500	63-7	Oct.....9-500	63-7
May.....9-500	63-7	Nov.....9-500	63-7
June.....9-500	63-7	Dec.....9-500	63-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-500; Index—63-7

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

## SILK HOSIERY

MEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY, MERCERIZED TOP, HEEL AND TOE

Price per dozen pairs (to retail dealer), f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-750	74.2	July.....	\$ 5-750	74.2
Feb.....	5-750	74.2	Aug.....	5-750	74.2
March.....	5-750	74.2	Sept.....	5-750	74.2
April.....	5-750	74.2	Oct.....	5-750	74.2
May.....	5-750	74.2	Nov.....	5-750	74.2
June.....	5-750	74.2	Dec.....	5-850	75.5

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-758; Index—74.3

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY, LINE 439, THREAD CHIFFON

Price per dozen pairs (to retail trade), f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 5-900	—	July.....	\$ 5-900	—
Feb.....	5-900	—	Aug.....	5-900	—
March.....	5-900	—	Sept.....	5-900	—
April.....	5-900	—	Oct.....	6-400	—
May.....	5-900	—	Nov.....	6-400	—
June.....	5-900	—	Dec.....	6-400	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-025

## SILK FABRICS

## CREPE DE CHINE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-450	—	July.....	\$ 0-425	—
Feb.....	450	—	Aug.....	425	—
March.....	450	—	Sept.....	425	—
April.....	450	—	Oct.....	450	—
May.....	425	—	Nov.....	450	—
June.....	425	—	Dec.....	450	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-440

## FLAT CREPE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-700	—	July.....	\$ *0-700	—
Feb.....	700	—	Aug.....	*700	—
March.....	700	—	Sept.....	*700	—
April.....	700	—	Oct.....	*700	—
May.....	*700	—	Nov.....	700	—
June.....	*700	—	Dec.....	700	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-700

\*Nominal.

## GEORGETTE, 3 THREAD

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-650	—	July.....	\$ 0-650	—
Feb.....	675	—	Aug.....	650	—
March.....	650	—	Sept.....	650	—
April.....	650	—	Oct.....	675	—
May.....	650	—	Nov.....	675	—
June.....	650	—	Dec.....	675	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-658

## FAILLE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-900	—	July.....	\$ 0-900	—
Feb.....	900	—	Aug.....	900	—
March.....	900	—	Sept.....	900	—
April.....	900	—	Oct.....	850	—
May.....	900	—	Nov.....	850	—
June.....	900	—	Dec.....	850	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-888

## ARTIFICIAL SILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

RAYON YARN, 150 DENIER, "A" QUALITY, KNITTING AND GENERAL, IN SKEINS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-725	—	July.....	\$ 0-725	—
Feb.....	725	—	Aug.....	725	—
March.....	725	—	Sept.....	725	—
April.....	725	—	Oct.....	675	—
May.....	725	—	Nov.....	675	—
June.....	725	—	Dec.....	675	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-713

ARTIFICIAL SILK AND ITS PRODUCTS—  
Concluded

RAYON YARN, 100 DENIER, 40 FILAMENTS, BRIGHT, KNITTING AND GENERAL, IN SKEINS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-825	—	July.....	\$ 0-825	—
Feb.....	825	—	Aug.....	825	—
March.....	825	—	Sept.....	825	—
April.....	825	—	Oct.....	775	—
May.....	825	—	Nov.....	775	—
June.....	825	—	Dec.....	775	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-813

RAYON YARN, 150 DENIER, "A" QUALITY, WEAVING, IN SKEINS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-600	—	July.....	\$ 0-600	—
Feb.....	600	—	Aug.....	600	—
March.....	600	—	Sept.....	600	—
April.....	600	—	Oct.....	600	—
May.....	600	—	Nov.....	600	—
June.....	600	—	Dec.....	600	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-600

RAYON YARN, 100 DENIER, 40 FILAMENTS, BRIGHT, WEAVING IN SKEINS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-725	—	July.....	\$ 0-725	—
Feb.....	725	—	Aug.....	725	—
March.....	725	—	Sept.....	725	—
April.....	725	—	Oct.....	725	—
May.....	725	—	Nov.....	725	—
June.....	725	—	Dec.....	725	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-725

## WOMEN'S ARTIFICIAL SILK HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs (to retail trade), f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 2-500	62.5	July.....	\$ 2-500	62.5
Feb.....	2-500	62.5	Aug.....	2-500	62.5
March.....	2-500	62.5	Sept.....	2-500	62.5
April.....	2-500	62.5	Oct.....	2-500	62.5
May.....	2-500	62.5	Nov.....	2-500	62.5
June.....	2-500	62.5	Dec.....	2-500	62.5

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-500; Index—62.5

## WOOL AND ITS PRODUCTS—RAW WOOL

EASTERN WOOL, BRIGHT, LOW, MEDIUM OR 1/2 BLOOD STAPLE OR 50's

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000 pounds or more), f.o.b. Weston

Jan.....	\$ 0-140	45.8	July.....	\$ 0-165	53.9
Feb.....	140	45.8	Aug.....	165	53.9
March.....	130	42.5	Sept.....	160	52.3
April.....	130	42.5	Oct.....	160	52.3
May.....	146	45.8	Nov.....	180	58.8
June.....	150	49.0	Dec.....	180	58.8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-153; Index—50.0

WESTERN WOOL, DOMESTIC, SEMI-BRIGHT, MEDIUM OR 3/8 BLOOD STAPLE OR 56's

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000 lbs. or more), f.o.b. Weston

Jan.....	\$ 0-130	43.8	July.....	\$ 0-165	55.6
Feb.....	130	43.8	Aug.....	160	53.9
March.....	130	43.8	Sept.....	160	53.9
April.....	130	43.8	Oct.....	170	57.3
May.....	135	45.5	Nov.....	180	60.7
June.....	145	48.9	Dec.....	180	60.7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-151; Index—50.9



GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

WOOL AND ITS PRODUCTS—RAW WOOL—Concluded

WESTERN WOOL, RANGE, SEMI-BRIGHT, FINE MEDIUM  
OR ½ BLOOD STAPLE OR 53'S-60'S

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000 lbs. or more), f.o.b.  
Weston

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-130	41-2	July.....	\$ 0-185	58-6
Feb.....	130	41-2	Aug.....	180	57-0
March.....	130	41-2	Sept.....	180	57-0
April.....	130	41-2	Oct.....	180	57-0
May.....	140	44-3	Nov.....	190	60-2
June.....	150	47-5	Dec.....	190	60-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-160; Index—50-7

YARNS

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, MEDIUM, 2/36-56'S QUALITY

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 0-935	84-6	July.....	\$ 0-981	88-8
Feb.....	940	85-1	Aug.....	985	89-1
March.....	930	84-2	Sept.....	996	90-1
April.....	936	84-7	Oct.....	995	90-0
May.....	958	86-7	Nov.....	993	89-9
June.....	971	87-9	Dec.....	1-000	96-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-968; Index—87-6

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE, 2/24'S-58'S

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 0-880	—	July.....	\$ 0-929	—
Feb.....	884	—	Aug.....	934	—
March.....	875	—	Sept.....	944	—
April.....	881	—	Oct.....	943	—
May.....	903	—	Nov.....	942	—
June.....	915	—	Dec.....	949	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-915

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE, 2/24'S-60'S

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 0-920	—	July.....	\$ 0-970	—
Feb.....	925	—	Aug.....	975	—
March.....	915	—	Sept.....	990	—
April.....	921	—	Oct.....	989	—
May.....	943	—	Nov.....	988	—
June.....	955	—	Dec.....	985	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-956

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, MEDIUM, 2/36-58'S QUALITY

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 1-030	85-5	July.....	\$ 1-083	89-9
Feb.....	1-035	85-9	Aug.....	1-144	90-3
March.....	1-024	85-0	Sept.....	1-098	91-1
April.....	1-031	85-6	Oct.....	1-097	91-0
May.....	1-053	87-4	Nov.....	1-095	90-9
June.....	1-067	88-5	Dec.....	1-102	91-5

Average, 1935: Price: \$1-067; Index—88-5

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE, 2/45'S-64'S

Price per pound delivered

Jan.....	\$ 1-080	70-3	July.....	\$ 1-139	74-1
Feb.....	1-085	70-6	Aug.....	1-144	74-4
March.....	1-074	69-9	Sept.....	1-160	75-5
April.....	1-081	70-3	Oct.....	1-158	75-4
May.....	1-103	71-8	Nov.....	1-157	75-3
June.....	1-118	72-8	Dec.....	1-154	75-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-121; Index—72-9

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, 4 PLY 8'S, 46'S

Price per pound (to jobbers), f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 0-750	91-4	July.....	\$ 0-750	91-4
Feb.....	750	91-4	Aug.....	750	91-4
March.....	750	91-4	Sept.....	750	91-4
April.....	750	91-4	Oct.....	750	91-4
May.....	750	91-4	Nov.....	750	91-4
June.....	750	91-4	Dec.....	750	91-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-750; Index—91-4

YARNS—Concluded

MEN'S WOOLLEN HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-250	98-2	July.....	\$ 2-850	86-2
Feb.....	3-250	98-2	Aug.....	2-850	86-2
March.....	3-250	98-2	Sept.....	2-850	86-2
April.....	3-250	98-2	Oct.....	2-850	86-2
May.....	3-250	98-2	Nov.....	2-850	86-2
June.....	2-850	86-2	Dec.....	2-850	86-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-017; Index—91-2

MEN'S CASHMERE HALF HOSE

Price per dozen pairs, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 4-150	—	July.....	\$ 4-150	—
Feb.....	4-150	—	Aug.....	4-150	—
March.....	4-150	—	Sept.....	4-150	—
April.....	4-150	—	Oct.....	4-150	—
May.....	4-150	—	Nov.....	4-150	—
June.....	4-150	—	Dec.....	4-150	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-150

MEN'S KNITTED WOOLLEN UNDERWEAR

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 15-150	86-8	July.....	\$ 14-750	84-5
Feb.....	15-150	86-8	Aug.....	14-750	84-5
March.....	15-150	86-8	Sept.....	14-750	84-5
April.....	15-150	86-8	Oct.....	14-750	84-5
May.....	15-150	86-8	Nov.....	14-750	84-5
June.....	14-750	84-5	Dec.....	14-750	84-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$14-917; Index—85-5

MEN'S WOOLLEN COMBINATIONS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 32-000	—	July.....	\$ 31-000	—
Feb.....	32-000	—	Aug.....	31-000	—
March.....	31-000	—	Sept.....	31-000	—
April.....	31-000	—	Oct.....	31-000	—
May.....	31-000	—	Nov.....	31-000	—
June.....	31-000	—	Dec.....	31-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$31-167

MEN'S WOOLLEN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 20-000	—	July.....	\$ 20-000	—
Feb.....	20-000	—	Aug.....	20-000	—
March.....	20-000	—	Sept.....	20-000	—
April.....	20-000	—	Oct.....	20-000	—
May.....	20-000	—	Nov.....	20-000	—
June.....	20-000	—	Dec.....	20-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$20-000

BLANKETS

WOOL BLANKETS, WHITE, BLEACHED, SUPER QUALITY

Price per pound, f.o.b. Lachute

Jan.....	\$ 0-750	76-5	July.....	\$ 0-750	76-5
Feb.....	750	76-5	Aug.....	750	76-5
March.....	750	76-5	Sept.....	750	76-5
April.....	750	76-5	Oct.....	750	76-5
May.....	750	76-5	Nov.....	750	76-5
June.....	750	76-5	Dec.....	750	76-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-750; Index—76-5

WOOLEN CLOTH

FINE GRADE CLOTH, 66'S TOP, 15½ OZ., 57"/58" PER YARD

Price per yard (to jobbers), f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 1-450	67-1	July.....	\$ 1-500	69-4
Feb.....	1-450	67-1	Aug.....	1-550	71-7
March.....	1-450	67-1	Sept.....	1-550	71-7
April.....	1-450	67-1	Oct.....	1-650	76-3
May.....	1-450	67-1	Nov.....	1-650	76-3
June.....	1-600	69-4	Dec.....	1-700	78-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-529; Index—70-7

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Concluded

## WOOLLEN CLOTH—Continued

COARSER GRADE CLOTH, 48" s Top, 13½ oz., 58" PER YARD

Price per yard (to jobbers), f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-000	87-1	July.....	\$ 1-000	87-1
Feb.....	1-000	87-1	Aug.....	1-000	87-1
March.....	1-000	87-1	Sept.....	1-000	87-1
April.....	1-000	87-1	Oct.....	1-050	91-5
May.....	1-000	87-1	Nov.....	1-050	91-5
June.....	1-000	87-1	Dec.....	1-050	91-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-013; Index—88-2

BOTANY SERGE, 16-17 oz., 56" to 57", COLD WATER SHRUNK

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 1-675	65-9	July.....	\$ 1-675	65-9
Feb.....	1-675	65-9	Aug.....	1-725	67-9
March.....	1-675	65-9	Sept.....	1-725	67-9
April.....	1-675	65-9	Oct.....	1-750	68-8
May.....	1-675	65-9	Nov.....	1-750	68-8
June.....	1-675	65-9	Dec.....	1-750	68-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-702; Index—67-0

BOTANY SERGE, 13-14 oz., 55" to 56", COLD WATER SHRUNK

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 1-525	75-9	July.....	\$ 1-525	75-9
Feb.....	1-525	75-9	Aug.....	1-525	75-9
March.....	1-525	75-9	Sept.....	1-525	75-9
April.....	1-525	75-9	Oct.....	1-550	77-2
May.....	1-525	75-9	Nov.....	1-550	77-2
June.....	1-525	75-9	Dec.....	1-550	77-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-531; Index—76-2

FLANNEL, WHITE, 32"

Price per yard at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-650	—	July.....	\$ 0-650	—
Feb.....	-650	—	Aug.....	-650	—
March.....	-650	—	Sept.....	-650	—
April.....	-650	—	Oct.....	-650	—
May.....	-650	—	Nov.....	-650	—
June.....	-650	—	Dec.....	-650	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-650

## WOOLLEN CLOTH—Concluded

SUITING, FANCY WORSTED, 13 oz. PER YARD

Price per yard, f.o.b. factory

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-800	—	July.....	\$ 1-700	—
Feb.....	1-700	—	Aug.....	1-700	—
March.....	1-700	—	Sept.....	1-700	—
April.....	1-700	—	Oct.....	1-750	—
May.....	1-700	—	Nov.....	1-750	—
June.....	1-700	—	Dec.....	1-750	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-721

## CARPETS

CARPET, HERATI WILTON, 9' x 12'

Price to jobbers, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 40-300	—	July.....	\$ 40-300	—
Feb.....	40-300	—	Aug.....	40-300	—
March.....	40-300	—	Sept.....	40-300	—
April.....	40-300	—	Oct.....	40-300	—
May.....	40-300	—	Nov.....	40-300	—
June.....	40-300	—	Dec.....	40-300	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$40-300

CARPET, KINGSTON AXMINSTER, 9' x 12'

Price to jobbers, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 25-760	92-4	July.....	\$ 25-760	92-4
Feb.....	25-760	92-4	Aug.....	25-760	92-4
March.....	25-760	92-4	Sept.....	25-760	92-4
April.....	25-760	92-4	Oct.....	25-760	92-4
May.....	25-760	92-4	Nov.....	25-760	92-4
June.....	25-760	92-4	Dec.....	25-760	92-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$25-760; Index—92-4

## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS PAPER

## NEWSPRINT PAPER

NEWSPRINT PAPER ROLLS

Price per 100 pounds, carloads, net, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-660	51-1	July.....	\$ 1-660	51-1
Feb.....	1-660	51-1	Aug.....	1-660	51-1
March.....	1-660	51-1	Sept.....	1-660	51-1
April.....	1-660	51-1	Oct.....	1-660	51-1
May.....	1-660	51-1	Nov.....	1-660	51-1
June.....	1-660	51-1	Dec.....	1-660	51-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-660; Index—51-1

WRAPPING PAPER, MANILA No. 1

Price per 100 pounds, carloads, net, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 5-400	82-9	July.....	\$ 5-400	82-9
Feb.....	5-400	82-9	Aug.....	5-400	82-9
March.....	5-400	82-9	Sept.....	5-400	82-9
April.....	5-400	82-9	Oct.....	5-400	82-9
May.....	5-400	82-9	Nov.....	5-400	82-9
June.....	5-400	82-9	Dec.....	5-400	82-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-400; Index—82-9

## LUMBER

CANADIAN WHITE PINE (PINUS STROBUS), "C" SELECTS AND BETTER, 1" THICK

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 80-000	69-6	July.....	\$ 80-000	69-6
Feb.....	80-000	69-6	Aug.....	80-000	69-6
March.....	80-000	69-6	Sept.....	80-000	69-6
April.....	80-000	69-6	Oct.....	80-000	69-6
May.....	80-000	69-6	Nov.....	80-000	69-6
June.....	80-000	69-6	Dec.....	80-000	69-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$80-000; Index—69-6

## LUMBER—Continued

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 1 CUTS, 6/4 x 6 and UP, 10/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 90-000	—	July.....	\$ 95-000	—
Feb.....	90-000	—	Aug.....	95-000	—
March.....	90-000	—	Sept.....	95-000	—
April.....	90-000	—	Oct.....	95-000	—
May.....	90-000	—	Nov.....	95-000	—
June.....	90-000	—	Dec.....	95-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$92-500

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 2 CUTS, 6/4 x 6 and UP, 10/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

Jan.....	\$ 67-000	—	July.....	\$ 72-000	—
Feb.....	67-000	—	Aug.....	72-000	—
March.....	67-000	—	Sept.....	72-000	—
April.....	67-000	—	Oct.....	72-000	—
May.....	67-000	—	Nov.....	72-000	—
June.....	67-000	—	Dec.....	72-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$69-500

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 1 AND 2 COMMON, 1 x 8, 8/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade

Jan.....	\$ 45-000	—	July.....	\$ 45-000	—
Feb.....	45-000	—	Aug.....	45-000	—
March.....	45-000	—	Sept.....	45-000	—
April.....	45-000	—	Oct.....	45-000	—
May.....	45-000	—	Nov.....	45-000	—
June.....	45-000	—	Dec.....	45-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$45-000

GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Continued

LUMBER—Continued

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 3 COMMON, 1 x 8, 6/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 32-000	—	July.....	\$ 31-000	—
Feb.....	32-000	—	Aug.....	31-000	—
March.....	29-000	—	Sept.....	31-000	—
April.....	29-000	—	Oct.....	31-000	—
May.....	29-000	—	Nov.....	31-000	—
June.....	29-000	—	Dec.....	31-000	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$30-500					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 4 COMMON, 1 x 4/9, 6/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 27-000	—	July.....	\$ 27-000	—
Feb.....	27-000	—	Aug.....	27-000	—
March.....	27-000	—	Sept.....	27-000	—
April.....	27-000	—	Oct.....	27-000	—
May.....	27-000	—	Nov.....	27-000	—
June.....	27-000	—	Dec.....	27-000	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$27-000					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 5 COMMON, 1 x 4/9, 6/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 23-000	—	July.....	\$ 23-000	—
Feb.....	23-000	—	Aug.....	23-000	—
March.....	23-000	—	Sept.....	23-000	—
April.....	23-000	—	Oct.....	23-000	—
May.....	23-000	—	Nov.....	23-000	—
June.....	23-000	—	Dec.....	23-000	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$23-000					

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 6 COMMON, 1 x 4 AND UP, 6/16

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 15-000	—	July.....	\$ 18-000	—
Feb.....	15-000	—	Aug.....	18-000	—
March.....	15-000	—	Sept.....	18-000	—
April.....	15-000	—	Oct.....	18-000	—
May.....	17-000	—	Nov.....	18-000	—
June.....	17-000	—	Dec.....	18-000	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$16-833					

WHITE PINE LATH, No. 1

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-750	47-3	July.....	\$ 5-500	54-8
Feb.....	4-750	47-3	Aug.....	5-500	54-8
March.....	4-750	47-3	Sept.....	6-000	59-8
April.....	4-750	47-3	Oct.....	6-000	59-8
May.....	4-750	47-3	Nov.....	6-000	59-8
June.....	5-500	54-8	Dec.....	6-000	59-8
Average, 1935: Price—\$5-354; Index—53-3					

SPRUCE (QUEBEC) 2" x 4", 8/16" (P1S 25/32 OR P2S 3/4)

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. cars, Montreal					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 27-000	87-3	July.....	\$ 27-000	87-3
Feb.....	27-000	87-3	Aug.....	26-000	84-1
March.....	27-000	87-3	Sept.....	26-000	84-1
April.....	27-000	87-3	Oct.....	26-000	84-1
May.....	27-000	87-3	Nov.....	26-000	84-1
June.....	27-000	87-3	Dec.....	26-000	84-1
Average, 1935: Price—\$26-583; Index—86-0					

SPRUCE (QUEBEC) 3" x 8", 8/16" (P1S 25/32 OR P2S 3/4)

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. cars, Montreal					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 32-000	89-0	July.....	\$ 32-000	89-0
Feb.....	32-000	89-0	Aug.....	31-000	86-2
March.....	32-000	89-0	Sept.....	31-000	86-2
April.....	32-000	89-0	Oct.....	31-000	86-2
May.....	32-000	89-0	Nov.....	31-000	86-2
June.....	32-000	89-0	Dec.....	31-000	86-2
Average, 1935: Price—\$31-583; Index—87-8					

LUMBER—Continued

SPRUCE LATH (QUEBEC), No. 1 SPRUCE, 1 1/2" x 4'

Price per thousand, f.o.b. cars, Montreal					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-750	56-2	July.....	\$ 3-750	56-2
Feb.....	3-750	56-2	Aug.....	3-750	56-2
March.....	3-750	56-2	Sept.....	3-750	56-2
April.....	3-750	56-2	Oct.....	3-750	56-2
May.....	3-750	56-2	Nov.....	3-750	56-2
June.....	3-750	56-2	Dec.....	3-750	56-2
Average, 1935: Price—\$3-750; Index—56-2					

SPRUCE LATH (MARITIME), No. 1, 1 1/2" x 4'

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-250	44-3	July.....	\$ 2-250	44-3
Feb.....	2-250	44-3	Aug.....	2-250	44-3
March.....	2-250	44-3	Sept.....	2-250	44-3
April.....	2-250	44-3	Oct.....	2-250	44-3
May.....	2-250	44-3	Nov.....	2-250	44-3
June.....	2-250	44-3	Dec.....	2-250	44-3
Average, 1935: Price—\$2-250; Index—44-3					

MERCHANTABLE SAWN SPRUCE DEALS (MARITIME), 3" x 3" AND UP 50% (3" x 3" to 3" x 6")

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 15-500	70-9	July.....	\$ 15-000	68-6
Feb.....	15-500	70-9	Aug.....	15-000	68-6
March.....	15-000	68-6	Sept.....	15-000	68-6
April.....	15-000	68-6	Oct.....	15-000	68-6
May.....	15-000	68-6	Nov.....	15-000	68-6
June.....	15-000	68-6	Dec.....	15-000	68-6
Average, 1935: Price—\$15-083; Index—69-0					

MERCHANTABLE SPRUCE SCANTLING (MARITIME), 2" x 3" to 2" x 6"

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 12-500	56-8	July.....	\$ 12-000	54-5
Feb.....	12-000	54-5	Aug.....	12-000	54-5
March.....	12-000	54-5	Sept.....	12-000	54-5
April.....	12-000	54-5	Oct.....	12-000	54-5
May.....	12-000	54-5	Nov.....	12-000	54-5
June.....	12-000	54-5	Dec.....	12-000	54-5
Average, 1935: Price—\$12-042; Index—54-7					

MERCHANTABLE SPRUCE SCANTLING (MARITIME), 2" x 7" AND UP

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 15-000	62-5	July.....	\$ 14-500	60-4
Feb.....	14-500	60-4	Aug.....	14-500	60-4
March.....	14-500	60-4	Sept.....	14-500	60-4
April.....	14-500	60-4	Oct.....	14-500	60-4
May.....	14-500	60-4	Nov.....	14-500	60-4
June.....	14-500	60-4	Dec.....	14-500	60-4
Average, 1935: Price—\$14-542; Index—60-6					

MAPLE, HARD, 4/4, FIRSTS AND SECONDS, DRY

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 60-000	—	July.....	\$ 60-000	—
Feb.....	60-000	—	Aug.....	60-000	—
March.....	60-000	—	Sept.....	60-000	—
April.....	60-000	—	Oct.....	60-000	—
May.....	60-000	—	Nov.....	60-000	—
June.....	60-000	—	Dec.....	60-000	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$60-000					

MAPLE, SOFT, No. 1, COMMON AND BETTER

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto					
	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 40-000	80-0	July.....	\$ 40-000	80-0
Feb.....	40-000	80-0	Aug.....	40-000	80-0
March.....	40-000	80-0	Sept.....	40-000	80-0
April.....	40-000	80-0	Oct.....	40-000	80-0
May.....	40-000	80-0	Nov.....	40-000	80-0
June.....	40-000	80-0	Dec.....	40-000	80-0
Average, 1935: Price—\$40-000; Index—80-0					



## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Continued

## LUMBER—Continued

## OAK, RED, PLAIN, FIRSTS AND SECONDS

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 75-000	67.9	July.....	\$ 75-000	67.9
Feb.....	75-000	67.9	Aug.....	75-000	67.9
March.....	75-000	67.9	Sept.....	75-000	67.9
April.....	75-000	67.9	Oct.....	75-000	67.9
May.....	75-000	67.9	Nov.....	75-000	67.9
June.....	75-000	67.9	Dec.....	75-000	67.9

Average, 1935: Price—\$75-000; Index—67.9

## BIRCH, COMMON AND BETTER

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 50-000	81.8	July.....	\$ 52-000	85.0
Feb.....	50-000	81.8	Aug.....	52-000	85.0
March.....	50-000	81.8	Sept.....	52-000	85.0
April.....	50-000	81.8	Oct.....	52-000	85.0
May.....	50-000	81.8	Nov.....	52-000	85.0
June.....	51-000	83.4	Dec.....	52-000	85.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$51-088; Index—83.5

## HEMLOCK, 2" MILL RUN

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 18-500	74.0	July.....	\$ 19-000	76.0
Feb.....	19-000	76.0	Aug.....	19-000	76.0
March.....	19-000	76.0	Sept.....	19-000	76.0
April.....	19-000	76.0	Oct.....	19-000	76.0
May.....	19-000	73.0	Nov.....	19-000	76.0
June.....	19-000	76.0	Dec.....	19-000	76.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$18-958; Index—75.8

## HEMLOCK, 2" CULLS

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 12-000	63.7	July.....	\$ 12-000	63.7
Feb.....	12-000	63.7	Aug.....	12-000	63.7
March.....	12-000	63.7	Sept.....	12-000	63.7
April.....	12-000	63.7	Oct.....	12-000	63.7
May.....	12-000	63.7	Nov.....	12-000	63.7
June.....	12-000	63.7	Dec.....	13-000	69.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$12-083; Index—64.2

## NO. 1 COMMON FIR TIMBER, 3" x 4" to 4" x 12", 12' / 40'

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 16-000	92.8	July.....	\$ 15-000	87.0
Feb.....	16-000	92.8	Aug.....	15-000	87.0
March.....	16-000	92.8	Sept.....	16-000	92.8
April.....	15-000	87.0	Oct.....	15-000	87.0
May.....	15-000	87.0	Nov.....	14-500	84.1
June.....	15-000	87.0	Dec.....	15-000	87.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$15-292; Index—88.6

## NO. 1 COMMON FIR TIMBER, 6" x 6" to 12" x 12", 12' / 40'

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 16-000	89.1	July.....	\$ 15-000	83.5
Feb.....	16-000	89.1	Aug.....	15-000	83.5
March.....	16-000	89.1	Sept.....	16-000	89.1
April.....	15-000	83.5	Oct.....	15-000	83.5
May.....	15-000	83.5	Nov.....	14-500	80.7
June.....	15-000	83.5	Dec.....	15-000	83.5

Average, 1935: Price—\$15-292; Index—85.2

## CLEAR FIR, NO. 1 AND 2, 1" x 6", D4S

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 46-500	—	July.....	\$ 42-250	—
Feb.....	46-500	—	Aug.....	42-250	—
March.....	42-250	—	Sept.....	42-250	—
April.....	42-250	—	Oct.....	42-250	—
May.....	42-250	—	Nov.....	44-250	—
June.....	42-250	—	Dec.....	51-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$43-854

## LUMBER—Continued

## FIR DROP SIDING, 1" x 6", No. 2 AND BETTER

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 24-000	82.8	July.....	\$ 25-000	86.2
Feb.....	25-000	86.2	Aug.....	24-000	82.8
March.....	25-000	86.2	Sept.....	24-000	82.8
April.....	25-000	86.2	Oct.....	24-000	82.8
May.....	25-000	86.2	Nov.....	25-000	86.2
June.....	25-000	86.2	Dec.....	25-000	86.2

Average, 1935: Price—\$24-667; Index—85.1

## FIR FLOORING, 1" x 4", No. 1 AND 2, FLAT GRAIN

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 14-000	53.8	July.....	\$ 15-000	57.7
Feb.....	14-000	53.8	Aug.....	15-000	57.7
March.....	14-000	53.8	Sept.....	15-000	57.7
April.....	14-500	55.8	Oct.....	15-000	57.7
May.....	15-500	59.6	Nov.....	15-000	57.7
June.....	15-000	57.7	Dec.....	19-500	75.0

Average, 1935: Price—\$15-125; Index—58.2

## CLEAR FIR CASING, No. 1 AND 2, 1" x 5"

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 52-500	—	July.....	\$ 48-000	—
Feb.....	52-500	—	Aug.....	48-000	—
March.....	48-000	—	Sept.....	48-000	—
April.....	48-000	—	Oct.....	48-000	—
May.....	48-000	—	Nov.....	52-000	—
June.....	48-000	—	Dec.....	59-250	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$50-021

## FIR DIMENSION, S'S'E OR S4S, 2" x 4", 12'-14", No. 1 BASE

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 12-500	84.0	July.....	\$ 12-500	84.0
Feb.....	12-500	84.0	Aug.....	12-000	80.7
March.....	12-500	84.0	Sept.....	12-000	80.7
April.....	12-500	84.0	Oct.....	10-500	70.6
May.....	12-500	84.0	Nov.....	10-500	70.6
June.....	12-500	84.0	Dec.....	12-000	80.7

Average, 1935: Price—\$12-042; Index—81.0

## CEDAR BOARDS, No. 1 COMMON, 1" x 8"-10"

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 15-000	85.1	July.....	\$ 15-000	85.1
Feb.....	15-000	85.1	Aug.....	15-000	85.1
March.....	15-000	85.1	Sept.....	15-000	85.1
April.....	15-000	85.1	Oct.....	14-000	79.4
May.....	15-000	85.1	Nov.....	14-000	79.4
June.....	15-000	85.1	Dec.....	15-000	85.1

Average, 1935: Price—\$14-833; Index—84.2

## COMMON CEDAR SHIPLAP, No. 1, 1" x 8"

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 25-750	—	July.....	\$ 24-500	—
Feb.....	25-750	—	Aug.....	24-500	—
March.....	24-500	—	Sept.....	24-500	—
April.....	24-500	—	Oct.....	25-500	—
May.....	24-500	—	Nov.....	25-500	—
June.....	24-500	—	Dec.....	28-500	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$25-125

## CEDAR BEVEL SIDING, 3/4" x 6"

Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 28-000	85.5	July.....	\$ 24-000	73.3
Feb.....	28-000	85.5	Aug.....	25-000	76.3
March.....	28-000	85.5	Sept.....	25-000	76.3
April.....	28-000	85.5	Oct.....	25-000	76.3
May.....	28-000	85.5	Nov.....	27-000	82.4
June.....	28-000	85.5	Dec.....	27-000	82.4

Average, 1935: Price—\$26-750; Index—81.7

## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Concluded

## LUMBER—Concluded

CLEAR CEDAR BUNGALOW SIDING,  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10", 8'-18'

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 53-000	—	July.....	\$ 51-750	—
Feb.....	53-000	—	Aug.....	51-750	—
March.....	51-750	—	Sept.....	51-750	—
April.....	51-750	—	Oct.....	51-750	—
May.....	51-750	—	Nov.....	56-750	—
June.....	51-750	—	Dec.....	58-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$52-896

## CEDAR SHINGLES, XXX, No. 1

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 1-900	59-8	July.....	\$ 2-500	78-7
Feb.....	2-000	63-0	Aug.....	2-500	78-7
March.....	2-000	63-0	Sept.....	3-250	102-4
April.....	2-000	63-0	Oct.....	3-000	94-5
May.....	2-000	63-0	Nov.....	3-000	94-5
June.....	2-000	63-0	Dec.....	3-000	94-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-429; Index—76-5

## WOOD PULP

SULPHITE PULP, UNBLEACHED, NEWSGRADE

Price per ton, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 39-322	73-5	July.....	\$ 36-830	68-8
Feb.....	39-344	73-5	Aug.....	36-840	68-9
March.....	39-497	73-8	Sept.....	36-880	68-9
April.....	37-864	70-8	Oct.....	37-040	69-2
May.....	36-820	68-8	Nov.....	36-985	69-1
June.....	36-820	68-8	Dec.....	36-925	69-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$37-597; Index—70-3

## WOOD PULP—Concluded

GROUNDWOOD PULP, No. 1

Price per ton, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 19-716	66-5	July.....	\$ 18-295	61-7
Feb.....	19-732	66-5	Aug.....	18-652	62-9
March.....	19-628	66-2	Sept.....	18-599	62-7
April.....	19-039	64-2	Oct.....	19-072	64-3
May.....	18-995	64-0	Nov.....	19-608	66-1
June.....	18-959	63-9	Dec.....	19-557	65-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$19-154; Index—64-6

SULPHITE PULP, BLEACHED, FOR PAPER MAKING

Price per ton, f.o.b. mill

Jan.....	\$ 55-000	68-8	July.....	\$ 53-000	66-3
Feb.....	55-000	68-8	Aug.....	53-000	66-3
March.....	55-000	68-8	Sept.....	53-000	66-3
April.....	53-000	66-3	Oct.....	53-000	66-3
May.....	53-000	66-3	Nov.....	53-000	66-3
June.....	53-000	66-3	Dec.....	53-000	66-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$53-500; Index—66-9

## MATCHES

MATCHES, SILENT 3's, NON-POISONOUS

Price per case net, inclusive of sales and excise taxes, freight allowed in Ontario and Quebec

Jan.....	\$ 8-680	76-2	July.....	\$ 8-680	76-2
Feb.....	8-680	76-2	Aug.....	8-680	76-2
March.....	8-680	76-2	Sept.....	8-680	76-2
April.....	8-680	76-2	Oct.....	8-680	76-2
May.....	8-680	76-2	Nov.....	8-680	76-2
June.....	8-680	76-2	Dec.....	8-680	76-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-680; Index—76-2

## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS

## PIG IRON AND STEEL BILLETS

PIG IRON, FOUNDRY No. 1

Price per gross ton, carlots, f.o.b. sellers' works.

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 20-500	80-6	July.....	\$ 20-500	80-6
Feb.....	20-500	80-6	Aug.....	20-500	80-6
March.....	20-500	80-6	Sept.....	20-500	80-6
April.....	20-500	80-6	Oct.....	20-500	80-6
May.....	20-500	80-6	Nov.....	20-500	80-6
June.....	20-500	80-6	Dec.....	20-500	80-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$20-500; Index—80-6

PIG IRON, STANDARD MALLEABLE

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant

Jan.....	\$ 19-000	83-2	July.....	\$ 19-000	83-2
Feb.....	19-000	83-2	Aug.....	19-000	83-2
March.....	19-000	83-2	Sept.....	19-000	83-2
April.....	19-000	83-2	Oct.....	19-000	83-2
May.....	19-000	83-2	Nov.....	19-000	83-2
June.....	19-000	83-2	Dec.....	19-000	83-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$19-000; Index—83-2

STEEL BILLETS, MILD, 4" x 4" AND LARGER

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant

Jan.....	\$ 34-000	89-5	July.....	\$ 34-000	89-5
Feb.....	34-000	89-5	Aug.....	34-000	89-5
March.....	34-000	89-5	Sept.....	34-000	89-5
April.....	34-000	89-5	Oct.....	34-000	89-5
May.....	34-000	89-5	Nov.....	34-000	89-5
June.....	34-000	89-5	Dec.....	34-000	89-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$24-000; Index—89-5

## ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS

STEEL BARS, RE-INFORCING CONCRETE, HARD GRADE

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. plant

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-150	91-5	July.....	\$ 2-150	91-5
Feb.....	2-150	91-5	Aug.....	2-150	91-5
March.....	2-150	91-5	Sept.....	2-150	91-5
April.....	2-150	91-5	Oct.....	2-150	91-5
May.....	2-150	91-5	Nov.....	2-150	91-5
June.....	2-150	91-5	Dec.....	2-150	91-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-150; Index—91-5

MILD STEEL, MERCHANT BARS

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. plant

Jan.....	\$ 2-250	91-8	July.....	\$ 2-250	91-8
Feb.....	2-250	91-8	Aug.....	2-250	91-8
March.....	2-250	91-8	Sept.....	2-250	91-8
April.....	2-250	91-8	Oct.....	2-250	91-8
May.....	2-250	91-8	Nov.....	2-250	91-8
June.....	2-250	91-8	Dec.....	2-250	91-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-250; Index—91-8

STEEL RAILS, OPEN HEARTH

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant

Jan.....	\$ 43-000	90-0	July.....	\$ 43-000	90-0
Feb.....	43-000	90-0	Aug.....	43-000	90-0
March.....	43-000	90-0	Sept.....	43-000	90-0
April.....	43-000	90-0	Oct.....	43-000	90-0
May.....	43-000	90-0	Nov.....	43-000	90-0
June.....	43-000	90-0	Dec.....	43-000	90-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$43-000; Index—90-0

## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS—Continued

## STEEL TANK PLATES

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. mill, Pittsburg

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-800	94-7	July.....	\$ 1-803	94-9
Feb.....	1-805	95-0	Aug.....	1-804	94-9
March.....	1-820	95-8	Sept.....	1-806	95-1
April.....	1-808	95-2	Oct.....	1-827	96-2
May.....	1-800	94-7	Nov.....	1-820	95-8
June.....	1-805	95-0	Dec.....	1-819	95-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-810; Index—95-3

## LIGHT COLD ROLLED SHEETS, No. 20, U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. mill, Pittsburg

Jan.....	\$ 2-950	68-7	July.....	\$ 2-956	68-8
Feb.....	2-957	68-8	Aug.....	2-956	68-8
March.....	2-983	69-4	Sept.....	2-960	68-9
April.....	2-963	69-0	Oct.....	2-994	69-7
May.....	2-950	68-7	Nov.....	2-983	69-4
June.....	2-957	68-8	Dec.....	2-981	69-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-966; Index—69-0

## STRUCTURAL SHAPES, OPEN HEARTH

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. plant

Jan.....	\$ 2-000	93-0	July.....	\$ 2-000	93-0
Feb.....	2-000	93-0	Aug.....	2-000	93-0
March.....	2-000	93-0	Sept.....	2-000	93-0
April.....	2-000	93-0	Oct.....	2-000	93-0
May.....	2-000	93-0	Nov.....	2-000	93-0
June.....	2-000	93-0	Dec.....	2-000	93-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-000; Index—93-0

## STEEL SHEETS, GALVANIZED, No. 24 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal  
(sales tax extra)

Jan.....	\$ 3-900	79-4	July.....	\$ 4-050	82-5
Feb.....	3-900	79-4	Aug.....	4-050	82-5
March.....	4-000	81-4	Sept.....	4-050	82-5
April.....	4-000	81-4	Oct.....	4-050	82-5
May.....	4-000	81-4	Nov.....	4-050	82-5
June.....	4-000	81-4	Dec.....	4-050	82-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-008; Index—81-6

IRON BOILER PLATE,  $\frac{1}{2}$  INCH

Price per pound net, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-036	—	July.....	\$ 0-033	—
Feb.....	0-036	—	Aug.....	0-033	—
March.....	0-036	—	Sept.....	0-033	—
April.....	0-033	—	Oct.....	0-033	—
May.....	0-033	—	Nov.....	0-033	—
June.....	0-033	—	Dec.....	0-033	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-034

GALVANIZED CORRUGATED IRON SHEETS, No. 28  
GAUGE

Price per 100 square feet, f.o.b. destination

Jan.....	\$ 4-850	—	July.....	\$ 4-850	—
Feb.....	4-850	—	Aug.....	4-850	—
March.....	4-850	—	Sept.....	4-850	—
April.....	4-850	—	Oct.....	4-850	—
May.....	4-850	—	Nov.....	4-850	—
June.....	4-850	—	Dec.....	4-850	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-850

## HOT ROLLED AND ANNEALED STEEL SHEETS, No. 24 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal  
(sales tax extra)

Jan.....	\$ 3-400	—	July.....	\$ 3-400	—
Feb.....	3-400	—	Aug.....	3-400	—
March.....	3-400	—	Sept.....	3-400	—
April.....	3-350	—	Oct.....	3-400	—
May.....	3-350	—	Nov.....	3-400	—
June.....	3-350	—	Dec.....	3-400	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-388

## ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS—Concluded

## HOT ROLLED AND ANNEALED STEEL SHEETS, No. 10 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal  
(sales tax extra)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-150	—	July.....	\$ 3-250	—
Feb.....	3-150	—	Aug.....	3-250	—
March.....	3-250	—	Sept.....	3-250	—
April.....	3-250	—	Oct.....	3-250	—
May.....	3-250	—	Nov.....	3-250	—
June.....	3-250	—	Dec.....	3-250	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-233

## TINPLATE, STANDARD COKE

Price per box of 108 pounds base, f.o.b. Montreal, carlots  
(sales tax extra)

Jan.....	\$ 5-850	—	July.....	\$ 6-100	—
Feb.....	6-100	—	Aug.....	6-100	—
March.....	6-100	—	Sept.....	6-100	—
April.....	6-100	—	Oct.....	6-100	—
May.....	6-100	—	Nov.....	6-100	—
June.....	6-100	—	Dec.....	6-100	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-079

## STEEL SHEETS, BLACK, No. 10 GAUGE

Price per 100 pounds, at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 3-400	—	July.....	\$ 3-400	—
Feb.....	3-400	—	Aug.....	3-400	—
March.....	3-400	—	Sept.....	3-400	—
April.....	3-400	—	Oct.....	3-400	—
May.....	3-400	—	Nov.....	3-400	—
June.....	3-400	—	Dec.....	3-400	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-400

MILD STEEL TANK PLATES, QUALITY,  $\frac{1}{4}$  to 1" IN THICKNESS

Price per 100 pounds at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 3-150	—	July.....	\$ 3-150	—
Feb.....	3-150	—	Aug.....	3-150	—
March.....	3-150	—	Sept.....	3-150	—
April.....	3-150	—	Oct.....	3-150	—
May.....	3-150	—	Nov.....	3-150	—
June.....	3-150	—	Dec.....	3-150	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-150

## PIPE

## CAST IRON PIPE 4"

Price per net ton, f.o.b. plant (sales tax extra)

Jan.....	\$ 48-000	87-3	July.....	\$ 48-000	87-7
Feb.....	48-000	87-3	Aug.....	48-000	87-7
March.....	48-000	87-3	Sept.....	48-000	87-7
April.....	48-000	87-3	Oct.....	48-000	87-7
May.....	48-000	87-3	Nov.....	48-000	87-7
June.....	48-000	87-3	Dec.....	48-000	87-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$48-000; Index—87-3

## STEEL PIPE, BUTTWELD BLACK 1"

Price per foot at factory, Quebec

Jan.....	\$ 10-720	89-6	July.....	\$ 0-068	83
Feb.....	0-073	89-6	Aug.....	0-068	83
March.....	0-073	89-6	Sept.....	0-068	83
April.....	0-068	83-3	Oct.....	0-068	83
May.....	0-068	83-3	Nov.....	0-068	83
June.....	0-068	83-3	Dec.....	0-068	83

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-069; Index—84-6

## HARDWARE

## TOOLS AND HAND IMPLEMENTS

## HAMMERS, PLAIN FACE, 1 POUND

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (freight allowed to Ottawa,  
Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal)

Jan.....	\$ 10-720	79-4	July.....	\$ 10-720	79-4
Feb.....	10-720	79-4	Aug.....	10-720	79-4
March.....	10-720	79-4	Sept.....	10-720	79-4
April.....	10-720	79-4	Oct.....	10-720	79-4
May.....	10-720	79-4	Nov.....	10-720	79-4
June.....	10-720	79-4	Dec.....	10-720	79-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$10-720; Index—79-4



## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## HARDWARE—Concluded

## CHOPPING AXES, STANDARD

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (freight allowed to Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal)

	Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 12-010	80-1	July.....	\$ 12-010 80-1
Feb.....	12-010	80-1	Aug.....	12-010 80-1
March.....	12-010	80-1	Sept.....	12-010 80-1
April.....	12-010	80-1	Oct.....	12-010 80-1
May.....	12-010	80-1	Nov.....	12-010 80-1
June.....	12-010	80-1	Dec.....	12-010 80-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$12-010; Index—80-1

## PLAIN BACK SHOVELS AND SPADES

## Price per dozen, Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 11-500	88-1	July.....	\$ 11-500 88-1
Feb.....	11-500	88-1	Aug.....	11-500 88-1
March.....	11-500	88-1	Sept.....	11-500 88-1
April.....	11-500	88-1	Oct.....	11-500 88-1
May.....	11-500	88-1	Nov.....	11-500 88-1
June.....	11-500	88-1	Dec.....	11-500 88-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$11-500; Index—88-1

## OTHER HARDWARE

## WASH TUBS, EMBOSSED WRINGER REST, DROP HANDLES, No. 1

## Price per dozen, Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 10-820	84-7	July.....	\$ 10-820 84-7
Feb.....	10-820	84-7	Aug.....	10-820 84-7
March.....	10-820	84-7	Sept.....	10-820 84-7
April.....	10-820	84-7	Oct.....	10-820 84-7
May.....	10-820	84-7	Nov.....	10-820 84-7
June.....	10-820	84-7	Dec.....	10-820 84-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$10-820; Index—84-7

## PAIS, HOT GALVANIZED, STANDARD, No. 12

## Price per dozen, Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 3-520	77-5	July.....	\$ 3-520 77-5
Feb.....	3-520	77-5	Aug.....	3-520 77-5
March.....	3-520	77-5	Sept.....	3-520 77-5
April.....	3-520	77-5	Oct.....	3-520 77-5
May.....	3-520	77-5	Nov.....	3-520 77-5
June.....	3-520	77-5	Dec.....	3-520 77-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-520; Index—77-5

## BOILERS (RANGE), 30 GALLON, STANDARD

## Net price, Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 7-650	80-6	July.....	\$ 7-650 80-6
Feb.....	7-650	80-6	Aug.....	7-650 80-6
March.....	7-650	80-6	Sept.....	7-650 80-6
April.....	7-650	80-6	Oct.....	7-650 80-6
May.....	7-650	80-6	Nov.....	7-650 80-6
June.....	7-650	80-6	Dec.....	7-650 80-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-650; Index—80-6

CHAIN  $\frac{1}{2}$ " BRIGHT COIL, FIREWELDED, PROOF

## Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 8-550	96-6	July.....	\$ 8-550 96-6
Feb.....	8-550	96-6	Aug.....	8-550 96-6
March.....	8-550	96-6	Sept.....	8-550 96-6
April.....	8-550	96-6	Oct.....	8-550 96-6
May.....	8-550	96-6	Nov.....	8-550 96-6
June.....	8-550	96-6	Dec.....	8-550 96-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-550; Index—96-6

## MACHINE BOLTS, 7/16" DIAMETER, 6" LONG

Price per 100 pounds in 200 pound packages, Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 4-200	—	July.....	\$ 4-200 —
Feb.....	4-200	—	Aug.....	4-200 —
March.....	4-200	—	Sept.....	4-200 —
April.....	4-200	—	Oct.....	4-200 —
May.....	4-200	—	Nov.....	4-200 —
June.....	4-200	—	Dec.....	4-200 —

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-200

## OTHER HARDWARE—Continued

## SQUARE NUTS TAPPED, HOT PRESSED AND FORGED, 11/32" HOLE DIAMETER, 25/32" COMPLETE WIDTH

## Price per 100 pounds, Eastern Canada

	Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 10-400	—	July.....	\$ 10-400 —
Feb.....	10-400	—	Aug.....	10-400 —
March.....	10-400	—	Sept.....	10-400 —
April.....	10-400	—	Oct.....	10-400 —
May.....	10-400	—	Nov.....	10-400 —
June.....	10-400	—	Dec.....	10-400 —

Average, 1935: Price—\$10-400

## WIRE CLOTH, PAINTED SCREEN, BLACK 12 MESH, No. 33 GAUGE

## Price per 100 square feet, f.o.b. Hamilton

Jan.....	\$ 1-850	90-8	July.....	\$ 1-850 90-8
Feb.....	1-850	90-8	Aug.....	1-850 90-8
March.....	1-850	90-8	Sept.....	1-850 90-8
April.....	1-850	90-8	Oct.....	1-850 90-8
May.....	1-850	90-8	Nov.....	1-850 90-8
June.....	1-850	90-8	Dec.....	1-850 90-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-850; Index—90-8

## WIRE NAILS, BASE

## Price per keg, carlots, f.o.b. works (sales tax extra)

Jan.....	\$ 2-800	86-0	July.....	\$ 2-800 86-0
Feb.....	2-800	86-0	Aug.....	2-800 86-0
March.....	2-800	86-0	Sept.....	2-800 86-0
April.....	2-800	86-0	Oct.....	2-800 86-0
May.....	2-800	86-0	Nov.....	2-800 86-0
June.....	2-800	86-0	Dec.....	2-800 86-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-800; Index—86-0

## WOOD SCREWS, 1", No. 6, BRIGHT STEEL, F.H.

## Price per gross, Eastern Canada

Jan.....	\$ 0-173	92-5	July.....	\$ 0-173 92-5
Feb.....	.173	92-5	Aug.....	.173 92-5
March.....	.173	92-5	Sept.....	.173 92-5
April.....	.173	92-5	Oct.....	.173 92-5
May.....	.173	92-5	Nov.....	.173 92-5
June.....	.173	92-5	Dec.....	.173 92-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-173; Index—92-5

## STEEL THUMB LATCHES, No. 2, JAPANNED IN CARTONS

## Price per dozen, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 1-272	80-5	July.....	\$ 1-272 80-5
Feb.....	1-272	80-5	Aug.....	1-272 80-5
March.....	1-272	80-5	Sept.....	1-272 80-5
April.....	1-272	80-5	Oct.....	1-251 79-2
May.....	1-272	80-5	Nov.....	1-251 79-2
June.....	1-272	80-5	Dec.....	1-251 79-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-267; Index—80-2

BRIGHT STEEL SAFETY HASPS, SOLID STAPLE, No. 900 x 4  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

## Price per dozen, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-636	76-6	July.....	\$ 0-636 76-6
Feb.....	.636	76-6	Aug.....	.636 76-6
March.....	.636	76-6	Sept.....	.636 76-6
April.....	.636	76-6	Oct.....	.636 76-6
May.....	.636	76-6	Nov.....	.636 76-6
June.....	.636	76-6	Dec.....	.636 76-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-636; Index—76-6

FLAT BARN DOOR TRACK, STEEL, 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 3/16"

## Price per 100 feet, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 8-056	96-5	July.....	\$ 8-056 96-5
Feb.....	8-056	96-5	Aug.....	8-056 96-5
March.....	8-056	96-5	Sept.....	8-056 96-5
April.....	8-056	96-5	Oct.....	8-056 96-5
May.....	8-056	96-5	Nov.....	8-056 96-5
June.....	8-056	96-5	Dec.....	8-056 96-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-056; Index—96-5

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## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## OTHER HARDWARE—Concluded

## SCREEN DOOR HINGES, No. 20

Price per gross, f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 12-720	86-5	July.....\$ 12-720	86-5
Feb.....12-720	86-5	Aug.....12-720	86-5
March.....12-720	86-5	Sept.....12-720	86-5
April.....12-720	86-5	Oct.....12-720	86-5
May.....12-720	86-5	Nov.....12-720	86-5
June.....12-720	86-5	Dec.....12-720	86-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$12-720; Index—86-5

## WIRE

## WIRE, GALVANIZED, BARBED

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....\$ 3-750	87-2	July.....\$ 3-750	87-2
Feb.....3-750	87-2	Aug.....3-750	87-2
March.....3-750	87-2	Sept.....3-750	87-2
April.....3-750	87-2	Oct.....3-750	87-2
May.....3-750	87-2	Nov.....3-750	87-2
June.....3-750	87-2	Dec.....3-750	87-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-750; Index—87-2

## WIRE, GALVANIZED, No. 9

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....\$ 3-450	83-1	July.....\$ 3-450	83-1
Feb.....3-450	83-1	Aug.....3-450	83-1
March.....3-450	83-1	Sept.....3-450	83-1
April.....3-450	83-1	Oct.....3-450	83-1
May.....3-450	83-1	Nov.....3-450	83-1
June.....3-450	83-1	Dec.....3-450	83-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-450; Index—83-1

## WIRE, ANNEALED, No. 9

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....\$ 3-500	89-7	July.....\$ 3-500	89-7
Feb.....3-500	89-7	Aug.....3-500	89-7
March.....3-500	89-7	Sept.....3-500	89-7
April.....3-500	89-7	Oct.....3-500	89-7
May.....3-500	89-7	Nov.....3-500	89-7
June.....3-500	89-7	Dec.....3-500	89-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-500; Index—89-7

## SCRAP

SCRAP—HEAVY MELTING STEEL IN CHARGING BOX SIZE  
(i.e. NOT MORE THAN 5' LONG, NOT WIDER THAN 16",  
AND NOT LESS THAN 1" IN THICKNESS)

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

Jan.....\$ 8-500	58-5	July.....\$ 9-500	65-4
Feb.....8-500	58-5	Aug.....9-500	65-4
March.....9-000	62-0	Sept.....10-000	68-9
April.....10-000	68-9	Oct.....10-000	68-9
May.....10-000	68-9	Nov.....10-000	68-9
June.....10-000	68-9	Dec.....10-000	68-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-583; Index—66-0

## SCRAP—Concluded

SCRAP—HEAVY MELTING STEEL, OVER CHARGING BOX SIZE  
(THIS INCLUDES BOILER PLATES, STRUCTURAL STEEL,  
TANK PLATES AND SIMILAR MATERIAL)

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 6-500	50-1	July.....\$ 7-000	53-9
Feb.....6-500	50-1	Aug.....7-000	53-9
March.....7-000	53-9	Sept.....7-500	57-8
April.....9-000	69-3	Oct.....7-500	57-8
May.....9-000	69-3	Nov.....7-500	57-8
June.....8-000	61-6	Dec.....7-500	57-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-500; Index—57-8

## SCRAP—TURNINGS AND BORINGS

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

Jan.....\$ 6-000	48-7	July.....\$ 6-500	52-7
Feb.....6-000	48-7	Aug.....6-500	52-7
March.....6-500	52-7	Sept.....6-500	52-7
April.....6-500	52-7	Oct.....6-500	52-7
May.....6-500	52-7	Nov.....6-500	52-7
June.....6-500	52-7	Dec.....6-500	52-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-417; Index—52-0

## SCRAP—No. 1 MACHINERY, CAST IRON

Price per net ton, delivered at Canadian foundry

Jan.....\$ 9-500	49-6	July.....\$ 10-000	52-2
Feb.....9-500	49-6	Aug.....10-000	52-2
March.....10-000	52-2	Sept.....10-000	52-2
April.....10-000	52-2	Oct.....10-000	52-2
May.....10-000	52-2	Nov.....10-000	52-2
June.....10-000	52-2	Dec.....10-000	52-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-917; Index—51-7

## SCRAP—No. 2 MACHINERY, CAST IRON

Price per net ton, delivered at Canadian foundry

Jan.....\$ 6-500	38-2	July.....\$ 7-000	41-2
Feb.....6-500	38-2	Aug.....7-000	41-2
March.....6-500	38-2	Sept.....7-000	41-2
April.....7-500	44-1	Oct.....7-000	41-2
May.....7-500	44-1	Nov.....7-000	41-2
June.....7-000	41-2	Dec.....7-000	41-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-958; Index—40-9

## MISCELLANEOUS

## CAR AXLES

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant

Jan.....\$ 76-000	95-0	July.....\$ 76-000	95-0
Feb.....76-000	95-0	Aug.....76-000	95-0
March.....76-000	95-0	Sept.....76-000	95-0
April.....76-000	95-0	Oct.....76-000	95-0
May.....76-000	95-0	Nov.....76-000	95-0
June.....76-000	95-0	Dec.....76-000	95-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$76-000; Index—95-0

## GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

## ALUMINIUM

## ALUMINIUM, VIRGIN, 98-99 PER CENT

Price per pound at New York, monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-216	79-8	July.....\$ 0-205	75-8
Feb......217	80-2	Aug......206	76-1
March......216	79-8	Sept......207	76-5
April......206	76-1	Oct......207	76-5
May......205	75-8	Nov......202	74-6
June......205	75-8	Dec......202	74-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-207; Index—76-5

## ALUMINIUM—Concluded

## ALUMINIUM SHEET

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-270	—	July.....\$ 0-270	—
Feb......270	—	Aug......270	—
March......270	—	Sept......270	—
April......270	—	Oct......270	—
May......270	—	Nov......270	—
June......270	—	Dec......270	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-270

GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

ANTIMONY

ANTIMONY, CHINESE, 99 PER CENT

Price per cwt. in less carlots, ex warehouse, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 14-000	82-7	July.....\$ 14-000	82-7
Feb.....14-250	84-2	Aug.....14-500	85-7
March.....14-000	82-7	Sept.....14-750	87-1
April.....14-250	84-2	Oct.....16-000	94-5
May.....14-000	82-7	Nov.....15-500	91-6
June.....14-000	82-7	Dec.....15-000	88-6
Average, 1935: Price—\$14-521; Index—85-8			

COPPER AND ITS PRODUCTS

COPPER, ELECTROLYTIC, DOMESTIC

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average

Jan.....\$ 7-475	47-4	July.....\$ 8-316	52-7
Feb.....7-238	45-9	Aug.....8-677	55-0
March.....7-474	47-4	Sept.....9-129	57-9
April.....8-252	52-3	Oct.....9-540	60-5
May.....8-718	55-3	Nov.....9-413	59-7
June.....8-221	52-1	Dec.....9-407	59-7
Average, 1935: Price—\$8-488; Index—53-8			

COPPER SHEET

Base price per pound, carlots and less, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-160	78-8	July.....\$ 0-179	88-2
Feb.....160	78-8	Aug.....184	90-6
March.....165	81-3	Sept.....184	90-6
April.....168	82-8	Oct.....191	94-1
May.....176	86-7	Nov.....186	91-6
June.....179	88-2	Dec.....186	91-6
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-177; Index—87-2			

ELECTROLYTIC COPPER WIRE BARS, IMPORTED

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. New York

Jan.....\$ 9-000	64-3	July.....\$ 8-020	57-3
Feb.....9-023	64-5	Aug.....8-018	57-3
March.....9-101	65-1	Sept.....8-543	61-1
April.....9-039	64-6	Oct.....9-400	67-2
May.....9-000	64-3	Nov.....9-357	66-9
June.....9-020	64-5	Dec.....9-325	66-7
Average, 1935: Price—\$8-904; Index—63-6			

SOLID BARE COPPER WIRE

Base price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-125	64-6	July.....\$ 0-133	68-7
Feb.....125	64-6	Aug.....133	68-7
March.....125	64-6	Sept.....138	71-3
April.....130	67-2	Oct.....148	76-5
May.....135	69-8	Nov.....145	74-9
June.....135	69-8	Dec.....145	74-9
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-135; Index—69-8			

BRASS SHEETS, YELLOW (HIGH)

Base price per pound, quantity lots, at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-155	74-5	July.....\$ 0-168	80-7
Feb.....155	74-5	Aug.....170	81-7
March.....155	74-5	Sept.....176	84-6
April.....155	74-5	Oct.....181	87-0
May.....173	83-1	Nov.....181	87-0
June.....173	83-1	Dec.....179	86-0
Average, 1936: Price—\$0-168; Index—80-7			

BRASS VALVES

Price per valve at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 1-428	—	July.....\$ 1-428	—
Feb.....1-428	—	Aug.....1-428	—
March.....1-428	—	Sept.....1-428	—
April.....1-428	—	Oct.....1-616	—
May.....1-428	—	Nov.....1-616	—
June.....1-428	—	Dec.....1-616	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$1-475			

LEAD AND ITS PRODUCTS

LEAD, DOMESTIC

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 3-250	39-9	July.....\$ 3-882	47-6
Feb.....3-250	39-9	Aug.....4-164	51-1
March.....3-321	40-7	Sept.....4-298	52-7
April.....3-426	42-0	Oct.....4-716	57-8
May.....3-686	45-2	Nov.....4-740	58-1
June.....3-711	45-5	Dec.....4-655	57-1
Average, 1935: Price—\$3-925; Index—48-1			

LEAD PIPE

Price per pound net, at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-118	78-3	July.....\$ 0-108	71-6
Feb.....118	78-3	Aug.....108	71-6
March.....118	78-3	Sept.....108	71-6
April.....108	71-6	Oct.....108	71-6
May.....108	71-6	Nov.....108	71-6
June.....108	71-6	Dec.....108	71-6
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-111; Index—73-6			

SILVER

FINE SILVER

Price per ounce at New York, monthly average

Jan.....\$ 0-544	87-8	July.....\$ 0-684	110-4
Feb.....547	88-3	Aug.....666	107-5
March.....596	96-2	Sept.....659	106-3
April.....684	110-4	Oct.....663	107-0
May.....745	120-2	Nov.....661	106-6
June.....720	116-2	Dec.....584	94-2
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-643; Index—103-7			

TIN INGOTS

TIN INGOTS, STRAITS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-550	82-2	July.....\$ 0-570	85-2
Feb.....543	81-2	Aug.....535	80-0
March.....525	78-5	Sept.....540	80-7
April.....565	84-4	Oct.....560	83-7
May.....573	85-6	Nov.....570	85-2
June.....568	84-9	Dec.....555	82-9
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-555; Index—82-9			

TIN INGOTS, 99-25 PER CENT

Price per pound in 500 pound lots, at Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-545	—	July.....\$ 0-545	—
Feb.....540	—	Aug.....530	—
March.....520	—	Sept.....530	—
April.....540	—	Oct.....540	—
May.....538	—	Nov.....540	—
June.....540	—	Dec.....530	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-537			

ZINC AND ITS PRODUCTS

ZINC (SPELTER), DOMESTIC, PRIME, WESTERN OR G.O.B. GRADES

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal—monthly average

Jan.....\$ 3-650	41-4	July.....\$ 3-905	44-2
Feb.....3-640	41-2	Aug.....4-080	46-2
March.....3-636	41-2	Sept.....4-224	47-9
April.....3-690	41-8	Oct.....4-467	50-6
May.....3-943	44-7	Nov.....4-490	50-9
June.....3-816	43-2	Dec.....4-364	49-5
Average, 1935: Price—\$3-992; Index—45-2			



## GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

ZINC AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded					SOLDER				
ZINC SHEET					SOLDER, GUARANTEED, 50-50				
Basic price per pound, in carlots of 10 casks, f.o.b. Montreal					Price per pound at Toronto				
	Price	Index		Price	Price	Index	Price	Index	
Jan.....	\$ 0-054	64-3	July.....	\$ 0-051	Jan.....	\$ 0-310	79-8	July.....	\$ 0-303
Feb.....	0-054	64-3	Aug.....	0-051	Feb.....	310	79-8	Aug.....	303
March.....	0-052	61-9	Sept.....	0-052	March.....	310	79-8	Sept.....	303
April.....	0-052	61-9	Oct.....	0-055	April.....	310	79-8	Oct.....	320
May.....	0-053	63-1	Nov.....	0-053	May.....	303	78-0	Nov.....	320
June.....	0-052	61-9	Dec.....	0-053	June.....	303	78-0	Dec.....	305
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-053; Index—63-1					Average, 1935: Price—\$0-308; Index—79-3				

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS					CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS—Continued				
BRICK, COMMON PLASTIC, RED					BRICK, DRY PRESS, FACE				
Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec)					Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots				
	Price	Index		Price	Price	Index	Price	Index	
Jan.....	\$ 17-813	107-1	July.....	\$ 17-813	Jan.....	\$ 25-000	108-2	July.....	\$ 25-000
Feb.....	17-813	107-1	Aug.....	17-813	Feb.....	25-000	108-2	Aug.....	25-000
March.....	17-813	107-1	Sept.....	17-813	March.....	25-000	108-2	Sept.....	25-000
April.....	17-813	107-1	Oct.....	17-813	April.....	25-000	108-2	Oct.....	25-000
May.....	17-813	107-1	Nov.....	17-813	May.....	25-000	108-2	Nov.....	25-000
June.....	17-813	107-1	Dec.....	17-813	June.....	25-000	108-2	Dec.....	25-000
Average, 1935: Price—\$17-813; Index—107-1					Average, 1935: Price—\$25-000; Index—108-2				
BRICK, DRY PRESS, No. 1					BRICK, SAND-LIME				
Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec)					Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)				
	Price	Index		Price	Price	Index	Price	Index	
Jan.....	\$ 27-550	90-6	July.....	\$ 27-550	Jan.....	\$ 12-000	86-7	July.....	\$ 12-000
Feb.....	27-550	90-6	Aug.....	27-550	Feb.....	12-000	86-7	Aug.....	12-000
March.....	27-550	90-6	Sept.....	27-550	March.....	12-000	86-7	Sept.....	12-000
April.....	27-550	90-6	Oct.....	27-550	April.....	12-000	86-7	Oct.....	12-000
May.....	27-550	90-6	Nov.....	27-550	May.....	12-000	86-7	Nov.....	12-000
June.....	27-550	90-6	Dec.....	27-550	June.....	12-000	86-7	Dec.....	12-000
Average, 1935: Price—\$27-550; Index—90-6					Average, 1935: Price—\$12-000; Index—86-7				
BRICK, SOFT MUD PROCESS, COMMON					HOLLOW BUILDING TILE, 12" x 12" x 4"				
Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots					Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec), carlots				
	Price	Index		Price	Price	Index	Price	Index	
Jan.....	\$ 19-000	106-4	July.....	\$ 19-000	Jan.....	\$ 90-000	81-1	July.....	\$ 90-000
Feb.....	19-000	106-4	Aug.....	19-000	Feb.....	90-000	81-1	Aug.....	90-000
March.....	19-000	106-4	Sept.....	19-000	March.....	90-000	81-1	Sept.....	90-000
April.....	19-000	106-4	Oct.....	19-000	April.....	90-000	81-1	Oct.....	90-000
May.....	19-000	106-4	Nov.....	19-000	May.....	90-000	81-1	Nov.....	90-000
June.....	19-000	106-4	Dec.....	19-000	June.....	90-000	81-1	Dec.....	90-000
Average, 1935: Price—\$19-000; Index—106-4					Average, 1935: Price—\$90-000; Index—81-1				
BRICK, STIFF MUD PROCESS (WIRE CUT), STOCK					STUCCO				
Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots					Price per ton, car loads or less, mining plant, Ontario				
	Price	Index		Price	Price	Index	Price	Index	
Jan.....	\$ 25-000	103-5	July.....	\$ 25-000	Jan.....	\$ 11-950	—	July.....	\$ 11-950
Feb.....	25-000	103-5	Aug.....	25-000	Feb.....	11-950	—	Aug.....	11-950
March.....	25-000	103-5	Sept.....	25-000	March.....	11-950	—	Sept.....	11-950
April.....	25-000	103-5	Oct.....	25-000	April.....	11-950	—	Oct.....	11-950
May.....	25-000	103-5	Nov.....	25-000	May.....	11-950	—	Nov.....	11-950
June.....	25-000	103-5	Dec.....	25-000	June.....	11-950	—	Dec.....	11-950
Average, 1935: Price—\$25-000; Index—103-5					Average, 1935: Price—\$11-950				
BRICK, STIFF MUD PROCESS, STOCK No. 1					SEWER PIPE, VITRIFIED, 6"				
Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)					Price per foot at Toronto				
	Price	Index		Price	Price	Index	Price	Index	
Jan.....	\$ 22-500	97-8	July.....	\$ 22-500	Jan.....	\$ 0-150	—	July.....	\$ 0-150
Feb.....	22-500	97-8	Aug.....	22-500	Feb.....	150	—	Aug.....	150
March.....	22-500	97-8	Sept.....	22-500	March.....	150	—	Sept.....	150
April.....	22-500	97-8	Oct.....	22-500	April.....	150	—	Oct.....	150
May.....	22-500	97-8	Nov.....	22-500	May.....	150	—	Nov.....	150
June.....	22-500	97-8	Dec.....	22-500	June.....	150	—	Dec.....	150
Average, 1935: Price—\$22-500; Index—97-8					Average, 1935: Price—\$0-150				

GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS—  
*Concluded*

POTTERY

CUPS AND SAUCERS, No. 1 QUALITY, ENGLISH EARTHEN  
WARE FROM OPEN STOCK

Price per dozen at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 1-100	81-5	July.....\$ 1-100	81-5
Feb.....\$ 1-100	81-5	Aug.....\$ 1-100	81-5
March.....\$ 1-100	81-5	Sept.....\$ 1-100	81-5
April.....\$ 1-100	81-5	Oct.....\$ 1-100	81-5
May.....\$ 1-100	81-5	Nov.....\$ 1-100	81-5
June.....\$ 1-100	81-5	Dec.....\$ 1-100	81-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-100; Index—81-5

DINNER SETS, PRINTED

Price per set of 97 pieces at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 14-500	105-3	July.....\$ 14-500	105-3
Feb.....\$ 14-500	105-3	Aug.....\$ 14-500	105-3
March.....\$ 14-500	105-3	Sept.....\$ 14-500	105-3
April.....\$ 14-500	105-3	Oct.....\$ 14-500	105-3
May.....\$ 14-500	105-3	Nov.....\$ 14-500	105-3
June.....\$ 14-500	105-3	Dec.....\$ 14-500	105-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$14-500; Index—105-3

COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS

COAL, AMERICAN BITUMINOUS, RUN OF MINE

Price per net ton, ex yard, Montreal

Jan.....\$ 5-850	94-4	July.....\$ 5-850	94-4
Feb.....\$ 5-850	94-4	Aug.....\$ 5-850	94-4
March.....\$ 5-850	94-4	Sept.....\$ 5-850	94-4
April.....\$ 5-850	94-4	Oct.....\$ 5-850	94-4
May.....\$ 5-850	94-4	Nov.....\$ 5-850	94-4
June.....\$ 5-850	94-4	Dec.....\$ 5-850	96-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-858; Index—94-6

COAL, AMERICAN BITUMINOUS, SLACK

Price per net ton, ex yard, Montreal

Jan.....\$ 5-250	89-3	July.....\$ 5-250	89-3
Feb.....\$ 5-250	89-3	Aug.....\$ 5-250	89-3
March.....\$ 5-250	89-3	Sept.....\$ 5-250	89-3
April.....\$ 5-250	89-3	Oct.....\$ 5-250	89-3
May.....\$ 5-250	89-3	Nov.....\$ 5-250	89-3
June.....\$ 5-250	89-3	Dec.....\$ 5-250	89-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-250; Index—89-3

COAL, AMERICAN ANTHRACITE, EGG

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. Toronto, carlots

Jan.....\$ 12-454	91-8	July.....\$ 11-469	84-6
Feb.....\$ 12-454	91-8	Aug.....\$ 11-760	86-7
March.....\$ 11-021	81-3	Sept.....\$ 12-050	88-9
April.....\$ 10-730	79-1	Oct.....\$ 12-340	91-0
May.....\$ 10-898	80-4	Nov.....\$ 12-340	91-0
June.....\$ 11-178	82-4	Dec.....\$ 12-340	91-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$11-753; Index—86-7

COAL, WELSH ANTHRACITE, No. 1 BUCKWHEAT

Price per gross ton to dealers, ex yard, Montreal

Jan.....\$ 9-000	—	July.....\$ 9-000	—
Feb.....\$ 9-000	—	Aug.....\$ 9-000	—
March.....\$ 9-000	—	Sept.....\$ 9-000	—
April.....\$ 9-000	—	Oct.....\$ 9-300	—
May.....\$ 9-000	—	Nov.....\$ 9-300	—
June.....\$ 9-000	—	Dec.....\$ 9-300	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$9-075

COAL, WELSH COBBLES

Price per gross ton to dealers, ex yard, Montreal

Jan.....\$ 13-000	—	July.....\$ 11-500	—
Feb.....\$ 13-000	—	Aug.....\$ 11-500	—
March.....\$ 13-000	—	Sept.....\$ 12-000	—
April.....\$ 13-000	—	Oct.....\$ 12-000	—
May.....\$ 11-000	—	Nov.....\$ 12-000	—
June.....\$ 11-500	—	Dec.....\$ 12-000	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$12-125

COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

COAL, BITUMINOUS

Price for small lots, per net ton, f.o.b. mines, Nova Scotia

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 5-250	86-3	July.....\$ 5-250	86-3
Feb.....\$ 5-250	86-3	Aug.....\$ 5-250	86-3
March.....\$ 5-250	86-3	Sept.....\$ 5-250	86-3
April.....\$ 5-250	86-3	Oct.....\$ 5-250	86-3
May.....\$ 5-250	86-3	Nov.....\$ 5-250	86-3
June.....\$ 5-250	86-3	Dec.....\$ 5-250	86-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-250; Index—86-3

COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, DOUBLE SCREENED

Price per ton at Drumheller, Alberta

Jan.....\$ 3-600	74-1	July.....\$ 3-500	72-1
Feb.....\$ 3-600	74-1	Aug.....\$ 3-500	72-1
March.....\$ 3-600	74-1	Sept.....\$ 3-750	77-2
April.....\$ 3-600	74-1	Oct.....\$ 3-750	77-2
May.....\$ 3-500	72-1	Nov.....\$ 3-750	77-2
June.....\$ 3-600	74-1	Dec.....\$ 3-750	77-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-625; Index—74-6

COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, 3" LUMP

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. mine, Lethbridge, Alberta

Jan.....\$ 4-250	78-2	July.....\$ 3-850	70-8
Feb.....\$ 4-250	78-2	Aug.....\$ 4-250	78-2
March.....\$ 4-250	78-2	Sept.....\$ 4-250	78-2
April.....\$ 4-250	78-2	Oct.....\$ 4-250	78-2
May.....\$ 3-850	70-8	Nov.....\$ 4-250	78-2
June.....\$ 3-850	70-8	Dec.....\$ 4-250	78-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-150; Index—76-3

COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, LUMP, OVER 4" SCREENED

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine, Edmonton, Alberta

Jan.....\$ 3-000	83-7	July.....\$ 2-650	74-0
Feb.....\$ 3-000	83-7	Aug.....\$ 2-650	74-0
March.....\$ 3-000	83-7	Sept.....\$ 2-850	79-5
April.....\$ 3-000	83-7	Oct.....\$ 3-000	83-7
May.....\$ 3-000	83-7	Nov.....\$ 3-000	83-7
June.....\$ 2-650	74-0	Dec.....\$ 3-000	83-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-900; Index—80-9

COAL, DOMESTIC, RUN OF MINE

Price per ton, f.o.b. mines, B.C.

Jan.....\$ 3-500	82-0	July.....\$ 3-875	90-7
Feb.....\$ 3-500	82-0	Aug.....\$ 4-000	93-7
March.....\$ 3-500	82-0	Sept.....\$ 4-000	93-7
April.....\$ 3-875	90-7	Oct.....\$ 4-000	93-7
May.....\$ 3-875	90-7	Nov.....\$ 3-750	87-8
June.....\$ 3-875	90-7	Dec.....\$ 3-750	87-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-792; Index—88-8

COAL, DOMESTIC, SLACK

Price per ton, f.o.b. mines, B.C.

Jan.....\$ 3-000	81-3	July.....\$ 2-750	74-5
Feb.....\$ 2-750	74-5	Aug.....\$ 2-750	74-5
March.....\$ 2-750	74-5	Sept.....\$ 2-750	74-5
April.....\$ 2-750	74-5	Oct.....\$ 2-750	74-5
May.....\$ 2-750	74-5	Nov.....\$ 2-750	74-5
June.....\$ 2-750	74-5	Dec.....\$ 2-750	74-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-771; Index—75-1

COAL, HOUSE LUMP

Price per gross ton, B.C.

Jan.....\$ 7-180	—	July.....\$ 7-250	—
Feb.....\$ 7-180	—	Aug.....\$ 7-250	—
March.....\$ 7-210	—	Sept.....\$ 7-250	—
April.....\$ 7-230	—	Oct.....\$ 7-250	—
May.....\$ 7-210	—	Nov.....\$ 7-250	—
June.....\$ 7-250	—	Dec.....\$ 7-250	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-228

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## COAL, WASHED, SLACK

## Price per gross ton, B.C.

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-940	—	July.....	\$ 3-960	—
Feb.....	3-940	—	Aug.....	3-870	—
March.....	3-980	—	Sept.....	3-930	—
April.....	4-010	—	Oct.....	3-960	—
May.....	3-980	—	Nov.....	4-150	—
June.....	4-010	—	Dec.....	4-150	—
Average, 1935: Price—\$3-990					

## COAL TAR, CRUDE

Price per barrel, f.o.b. factory, in straight or mixed carlots

Jan.....	\$ 10-230	107-7	July.....	\$ 10-230	107-7
Feb.....	10-230	107-7	Aug.....	10-230	107-7
March.....	10-230	107-7	Sept.....	10-230	107-7
April.....	10-230	107-7	Oct.....	10-230	107-7
May.....	10-230	107-7	Nov.....	10-230	107-7
June.....	10-230	107-7	Dec.....	10-750	113-2
Average, 1935: Price—\$10-273; Index—108-1					

## COKE, METALLURGICAL

Price per ton to Canadian smelters, f.o.b. plant, Ontario

Jan.....	\$ 7-000	96-6	July.....	\$ 7-000	96-6
Feb.....	7-000	96-6	Aug.....	7-000	96-6
March.....	7-000	96-6	Sept.....	7-000	96-6
April.....	7-000	96-6	Oct.....	7-000	96-6
May.....	7-000	96-6	Nov.....	7-000	96-6
June.....	7-000	96-6	Dec.....	7-000	96-6
Average, 1935: Price—\$7-000; Index—96-6					

## COKE, METALLURGICAL

Price per ton to Canadian smelters, f.o.b. plant, B.C.

Jan.....	\$ 6-000	81-1	July.....	\$ 5-750	77-7
Feb.....	5-750	77-7	Aug.....	5-750	77-7
March.....	5-750	77-7	Sept.....	5-750	77-7
April.....	5-750	77-7	Oct.....	5-750	77-7
May.....	5-750	77-7	Nov.....	5-500	74-3
June.....	5-750	77-7	Dec.....	5-500	74-3
Average, 1935: Price—\$5-729; Index—77-4					

## COKE, BY-PRODUCT, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, Nova Scotia

Jan.....	\$ 6-000	88-9	July.....	\$ 6-000	88-9
Feb.....	6-000	88-9	Aug.....	6-000	88-9
March.....	6-000	88-9	Sept.....	6-000	88-9
April.....	6-000	88-9	Oct.....	6-000	88-9
May.....	6-000	88-9	Nov.....	6-000	88-9
June.....	6-000	88-9	Dec.....	6-000	88-9
Average, 1935: Price—\$6-000; Index—88-9					

## COKE, BY-PRODUCT, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, Ontario

Jan.....	\$ 7-000	93-3	July.....	\$ 7-000	93-3
Feb.....	7-000	93-3	Aug.....	7-000	93-3
March.....	7-000	93-3	Sept.....	7-000	93-3
April.....	7-000	93-3	Oct.....	7-000	93-3
May.....	7-000	93-3	Nov.....	7-000	93-3
June.....	7-000	93-3	Dec.....	7-000	93-3
Average, 1935: Price—\$7-000; Index—93-3					

## COKE, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, B.C.

Jan.....	\$ 7-250	87-3	July.....	\$ 7-250	87-3
Feb.....	7-250	87-3	Aug.....	7-250	87-3
March.....	7-250	87-3	Sept.....	7-250	87-3
April.....	7-250	87-3	Oct.....	7-250	87-3
May.....	7-250	87-3	Nov.....	7-250	87-3
June.....	7-250	87-3	Dec.....	7-250	87-3
Average, 1935: Price—\$7-250; Index—87-3					

## COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## MANUFACTURED GAS

Composite price for first 10,000 cubic feet

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 12-154	98-0	July.....	\$ 12-154	98-0
Feb.....	12-154	98-0	Aug.....	12-154	98-0
March.....	12-154	98-0	Sept.....	12-154	98-0
April.....	12-154	98-0	Oct.....	12-154	98-0
May.....	12-154	98-0	Nov.....	12-154	98-0
June.....	12-154	98-0	Dec.....	12-154	98-0
Average, 1935: Price—\$12-154; Index—98-0					

## GLASS AND ITS PRODUCTS

WINDOW GLASS, 16 oz., 40 U.I.

Price per box at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 4-464	96-3	July.....	\$ 3-817	82-3
Feb.....	4-018	88-7	Aug.....	3-817	82-3
March.....	4-018	86-7	Sept.....	3-817	82-3
April.....	4-018	86-7	Oct.....	3-817	82-3
May.....	3-817	82-3	Nov.....	3-817	82-3
June.....	3-817	82-3	Dec.....	3-817	82-3
Average, 1935: Price—\$3-921; Index—84-6					

WINDOW GLASS, 21 oz., 60 U.I.

Price per box at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 9-792	114-0	July.....	\$ 8-372	97-5
Feb.....	8-813	102-6	Aug.....	8-372	97-5
March.....	8-813	102-6	Sept.....	8-372	97-5
April.....	8-813	102-6	Oct.....	8-372	97-5
May.....	8-372	97-5	Nov.....	8-372	97-5
June.....	8-372	97-5	Dec.....	8-372	97-5
Average, 1935: Price—\$8-601; Index—100-2					

PLATE GLASS, 3'-4', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-525	59-1	July.....	\$ 0-525	59-1
Feb.....	-525	59-1	Aug.....	-525	59-1
March.....	-525	59-1	Sept.....	-525	59-1
April.....	-525	59-1	Oct.....	-525	59-1
May.....	-525	59-1	Nov.....	-525	59-1
June.....	-525	59-1	Dec.....	-525	59-1
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-525; Index—59-1					

PLATE GLASS, 10'-12', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-800	61-8	July.....	\$ 0-800	61-8
Feb.....	-800	61-8	Aug.....	-800	61-8
March.....	-800	61-8	Sept.....	-800	61-8
April.....	-800	61-8	Oct.....	-800	61-8
May.....	-800	61-8	Nov.....	-800	61-8
June.....	-800	61-8	Dec.....	-800	61-8
Average, 1935: Price—\$0-800; Index—61-8					

PLATE GLASS, 25'-50', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-006	71-0	July.....	\$ 1-006	71-0
Feb.....	1-006	71-0	Aug.....	1-006	71-0
March.....	1-006	71-0	Sept.....	1-006	71-0
April.....	1-006	71-0	Oct.....	1-006	71-0
May.....	1-006	71-0	Nov.....	1-006	71-0
June.....	1-006	71-0	Dec.....	1-006	71-0
Average, 1935: Price—\$1-006; Index—71-0					

## TUMBLERS, TANK GLASS, OPEN STOCK

Price per gross at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 4-450	97-8	July.....	\$ 4-450	97-8
Feb.....	4-450	97-8	Aug.....	4-450	97-8
March.....	4-450	97-8	Sept.....	4-450	97-8
April.....	4-450	97-8	Oct.....	4-450	97-8
May.....	4-450	97-8	Nov.....	4-450	97-8
June.....	4-450	97-8	Dec.....	4-450	97-8
Average, 1935: Price—\$4-450; Index—97-8					



## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS

## CRUDE OIL, MID-CONTINENT

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Sarnia

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-700	70-0	July.....	\$ 2-710	70-2
Feb.....	2-710	70-2	Aug.....	2-710	70-2
March.....	2-720	70-5	Sept.....	2-710	70-2
April.....	2-720	70-5	Oct.....	2-730	70-8
May.....	2-720	70-5	Nov.....	2-720	70-5
June.....	2-710	70-2	Dec.....	2-720	70-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-715; Index—70-4

## CRUDE OIL, SALT CREEK

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Regina

Jan.....	\$ 2-950	73-8	July.....	\$ 2-960	74-0
Feb.....	2-960	74-0	Aug.....	2-960	74-0
March.....	2-980	74-5	Sept.....	2-970	74-3
April.....	2-970	74-3	Oct.....	2-980	74-5
May.....	2-970	74-3	Nov.....	2-980	74-5
June.....	2-960	74-0	Dec.....	2-970	74-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-968; Index—74-2

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Halifax

Jan.....	\$ 0-180	63-7	July.....	\$ 0-180	63-7
Feb.....	.180	63-7	Aug.....	.180	63-7
March.....	.180	63-7	Sept.....	.180	63-7
April.....	.180	63-7	Oct.....	.180	63-7
May.....	.180	63-7	Nov.....	.180	63-7
June.....	.180	63-7	Dec.....	.180	63-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-180; Index—63-7

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-180	71-3	July.....	\$ 0-125	49-5
Feb.....	.180	71-3	Aug.....	.145	57-4
March.....	.180	71-3	Sept.....	.145	57-4
April.....	.180	71-3	Oct.....	.145	57-4
May.....	.180	71-3	Nov.....	.145	57-4
June.....	.180	71-3	Dec.....	.145	57-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-161; Index—63-8

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-160	63-4	July.....	\$ 0-160	63-4
Feb.....	.160	63-4	Aug.....	.160	63-4
March.....	.160	63-4	Sept.....	.160	63-4
April.....	.160	63-4	Oct.....	.150	59-4
May.....	.160	63-4	Nov.....	.150	59-4
June.....	.160	63-4	Dec.....	.150	59-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-158; Index—62-6

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-217	76-4	July.....	\$ 0-217	76-4
Feb.....	.217	76-4	Aug.....	.217	76-4
March.....	.217	76-4	Sept.....	.217	76-4
April.....	.217	76-4	Oct.....	.217	76-4
May.....	.217	76-4	Nov.....	.217	76-4
June.....	.217	76-4	Dec.....	.217	76-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-217; Index—76-4

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Regina

Jan.....	\$ 0-230	71-9	July.....	\$ 0-230	71-9
Feb.....	.230	71-9	Aug.....	.230	71-9
March.....	.230	71-9	Sept.....	.230	71-9
April.....	.230	71-9	Oct.....	.230	71-9
May.....	.230	71-9	Nov.....	.230	71-9
June.....	.230	71-9	Dec.....	.230	71-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-230; Index—71-9

## PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Calgary

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-225	76-9	July.....	\$ 0-225	76-9
Feb.....	.225	76-9	Aug.....	.225	76-9
March.....	.225	76-9	Sept.....	.225	76-9
April.....	.225	76-9	Oct.....	.225	76-9
May.....	.225	76-9	Nov.....	.225	76-9
June.....	.225	76-9	Dec.....	.225	76-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-225; Index—76-9

## MOTOR GASOLINE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-200	90-9	July.....	\$ 0-200	90-9
Feb.....	.200	90-9	Aug.....	.200	90-9
March.....	.200	90-9	Sept.....	.200	90-9
April.....	.200	90-9	Oct.....	.175	79-5
May.....	.200	90-9	Nov.....	.175	79-5
June.....	.200	90-9	Dec.....	.190	86-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-195; Index—88-6

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Halifax

Jan.....	\$ 0-195	75-6	July.....	\$ 0-195	75-6
Feb.....	.195	75-6	Aug.....	.195	75-6
March.....	.195	75-6	Sept.....	.195	75-6
April.....	.195	75-6	Oct.....	.195	75-6
May.....	.195	75-6	Nov.....	.195	75-6
June.....	.195	75-6	Dec.....	.195	75-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-195; Index—75-6

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-170	74-6	July.....	\$ 0-170	74-6
Feb.....	.170	74-6	Aug.....	.170	74-6
March.....	.170	74-6	Sept.....	.170	74-6
April.....	.170	74-6	Oct.....	.170	74-6
May.....	.170	74-6	Nov.....	.170	74-6
June.....	.170	74-6	Dec.....	.170	74-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-170; Index—74-6

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-175	76-8	July.....	\$ 0-175	76-8
Feb.....	.175	76-8	Aug.....	.175	76-8
March.....	.175	76-8	Sept.....	.175	76-8
April.....	.175	76-8	Oct.....	.165	72-4
May.....	.175	76-8	Nov.....	.165	72-4
June.....	.175	76-8	Dec.....	.165	72-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-173; Index—75-9

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 0-202	80-0	July.....	\$ 0-202	80-0
Feb.....	.202	80-0	Aug.....	.202	80-0
March.....	.202	80-0	Sept.....	.202	80-0
April.....	.202	80-0	Oct.....	.202	80-0
May.....	.202	80-0	Nov.....	.202	80-0
June.....	.202	80-0	Dec.....	.202	80-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-202; Index—80-0

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Regina

Jan.....	\$ 0-215	76-8	July.....	\$ 0-215	76-8
Feb.....	.215	76-8	Aug.....	.215	76-8
March.....	.215	76-8	Sept.....	.215	76-8
April.....	.215	76-8	Oct.....	.215	76-8
May.....	.215	76-8	Nov.....	.215	76-8
June.....	.215	76-8	Dec.....	.215	76-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-215; Index—76-8

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

## PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Calgary

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-210	79-8	July.....	\$ 0-210	79-8
Feb.....	.210	79-8	Aug.....	.210	79-8
March.....	.210	79-8	Sept.....	.210	79-8
April.....	.210	79-8	Oct.....	.210	79-8
May.....	.210	79-8	Nov.....	.210	79-8
June.....	.210	79-8	Dec.....	.210	79-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-210; Index—79-8

## COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 0-240	104-3	July.....	\$ 0-240	104-3
Feb.....	.240	104-3	Aug.....	.240	104-3
March.....	.240	104-3	Sept.....	.240	104-3
April.....	.240	104-3	Oct.....	.240	104-3
May.....	.240	104-3	Nov.....	.240	104-3
June.....	.240	104-3	Dec.....	.240	104-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-240; Index—104-3

## FUEL OIL (LIGHT)

Price per gallon, tank cars, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-080	84-9	July.....	\$ 0-080	84-9
Feb.....	.080	84-9	Aug.....	.080	84-9
March.....	.080	84-9	Sept.....	.080	84-9
April.....	.080	84-9	Oct.....	.080	84-9
May.....	.080	84-9	Nov.....	.080	84-9
June.....	.080	84-9	Dec.....	.080	84-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-080; Index—84-9

## LUBRICATING OIL

Price per gallon, f.o.b. Toronto (contract price)

Jan.....	\$ 0-293	93-0	July.....	\$ 0-293	93-0
Feb.....	.293	93-0	Aug.....	.293	93-0
March.....	.293	93-0	Sept.....	.293	93-0
April.....	.293	93-0	Oct.....	.303	96-2
May.....	.293	93-0	Nov.....	.303	96-2
June.....	.293	93-0	Dec.....	.303	96-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-296; Index—94-0

## ASPHALT

## ASPHALT, PAVING

Price per ton, tank cars, at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 14-800	98-7	July.....	\$ 14-800	98-7
Feb.....	14-800	98-7	Aug.....	14-800	98-7
March.....	14-800	98-7	Sept.....	14-800	98-7
April.....	14-800	98-7	Oct.....	14-800	98-7
May.....	14-800	98-7	Nov.....	14-800	98-7
June.....	14-800	98-7	Dec.....	14-800	98-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$14-800; Index—98-7

## ASPHALT, PAVING

Price per ton, tank cars, at Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 18-100	86-2	July.....	\$ 18-100	86-2
Feb.....	18-100	86-2	Aug.....	18-100	86-2
March.....	18-100	86-2	Sept.....	18-100	86-2
April.....	18-100	86-2	Oct.....	18-100	86-2
May.....	18-100	86-2	Nov.....	18-100	86-2
June.....	18-100	86-2	Dec.....	18-100	86-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$18-100; Index—86-2

## SALT

## SALT, VACUUM, FINE

Price per barrel, 280 pounds net, carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia

Jan.....	\$ 1-750	125-0	July.....	\$ 1-450	103-6
Feb.....	1-750	125-0	Aug.....	1-450	103-6
March.....	1-750	125-0	Sept.....	1-450	103-6
April.....	1-750	125-0	Oct.....	1-450	103-6
May.....	1-450	103-6	Nov.....	1-450	103-6
June.....	1-450	103-6	Dec.....	1-450	103-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-550; Index—110-7

## SALT—Concluded

## SALT, VACUUM, COARSE

Price per barrel, 280 pounds net, carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-270	113-0	July.....	\$ 1-710	85-2
Feb.....	2-270	113-0	Aug.....	1-710	85-2
March.....	2-270	113-0	Sept.....	1-710	85-2
April.....	2-270	113-0	Oct.....	1-710	85-2
May.....	1-710	85-2	Nov.....	1-710	85-2
June.....	1-710	85-2	Dec.....	1-710	85-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-897; Index—94-5

## SALT, DAIRY

Price per barrel, 280 pounds net, carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia

Jan.....	\$ 3-120	104-0	July.....	\$ 2-610	87-0
Feb.....	3-120	104-0	Aug.....	2-610	87-0
March.....	3-120	104-0	Sept.....	2-610	87-0
April.....	3-120	104-0	Oct.....	2-610	87-0
May.....	2-610	87-0	Nov.....	2-610	87-0
June.....	2-610	87-0	Dec.....	2-610	87-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-780; Index—92-7

## SALT, TABLE

Price per barrel (80 bags), carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia

Jan.....	\$ 3-640	97-6	July.....	\$ 3-040	81-5
Feb.....	3-640	97-6	Aug.....	3-040	81-5
March.....	3-640	97-6	Sept.....	3-040	81-5
April.....	3-640	97-6	Oct.....	3-040	81-5
May.....	3-040	81-5	Nov.....	3-040	81-5
June.....	3-040	81-5	Dec.....	3-040	81-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-240; Index—86-9

## SULPHUR

## SULPHUR (CRUDE BRIMSTONE)

Price per gross ton, ex vessel, Three Rivers or Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 22-128	94-2	July.....	\$ 22-141	94-2
Feb.....	22-155	94-3	Aug.....	22-146	94-2
March.....	22-349	95-1	Sept.....	22-211	94-5
April.....	22-197	94-5	Oct.....	22-432	95-5
May.....	22-128	94-2	Nov.....	22-356	95-1
June.....	22-127	94-2	Dec.....	22-272	94-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$22-220; Index—94-6

## PLASTER

## PLASTER, HARD WALL, NEAT

Price per net ton, f.o.b. plant, New Brunswick

Jan.....	\$ 10-350	108-9	July.....	\$ 10-350	108-9
Feb.....	10-350	108-9	Aug.....	10-350	108-9
March.....	10-350	108-9	Sept.....	10-350	108-9
April.....	10-350	108-9	Oct.....	10-350	108-9
May.....	10-350	108-9	Nov.....	10-350	108-9
June.....	10-350	108-9	Dec.....	10-350	108-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$10-350; Index—108-9

## PLASTER, HARD WALL, NEAT

Price per ton, including bags, f.o.b. plant, Ontario

Jan.....	\$ 11-950	106-2	July.....	\$ 11-950	106-2
Feb.....	11-950	106-2	Aug.....	11-950	106-2
March.....	11-950	106-2	Sept.....	11-950	106-2
April.....	11-950	106-2	Oct.....	11-950	106-2
May.....	11-950	106-2	Nov.....	11-950	106-2
June.....	11-950	106-2	Dec.....	11-950	106-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$11-950; Index—106-2

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

PLASTER—*Concluded*

## PLASTER OF PARIS

Price per barrel of 300 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-000	105-3	July.....	\$ 5-000 105-3
Feb.....	5-000	105-3	Aug.....	5-000 105-3
March.....	5-000	105-3	Sept.....	5-000 105-3
April.....	5-000	105-3	Oct.....	5-000 105-3
May.....	5-000	105-3	Nov.....	5-000 105-3
June.....	5-000	105-3	Dec.....	5-000 105-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-000; Index—105-3

## LIME AND CEMENT

## No. 1 HIGH CALCIUM LUMP LIME

Price per ton, f.o.b. works (Quebec)

Jan.....	\$ 6-000	78-4	July.....	\$ 6-000 78-4
Feb.....	6-000	78-4	Aug.....	6-000 78-4
March.....	6-000	78-4	Sept.....	6-000 78-4
April.....	6-000	78-4	Oct.....	6-000 78-4
May.....	6-000	78-4	Nov.....	6-000 78-4
June.....	6-000	78-4	Dec.....	6-000 78-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-000; Index—78-4

## QUICKLIME, GREY

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 7-500	93-8	July.....	\$ 7-500 93-8
Feb.....	7-500	93-8	Aug.....	7-500 93-8
March.....	7-500	93-8	Sept.....	7-500 93-8
April.....	7-500	93-8	Oct.....	7-500 93-8
May.....	7-500	93-8	Nov.....	7-500 93-8
June.....	7-500	93-8	Dec.....	7-500 93-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-500; Index—93-8

## HYDRATED LIME

Price per ton, f.o.b. works (Quebec)

Jan.....	\$ 8-000	92-7	July.....	\$ 8-000 92-7
Feb.....	8-000	92-7	Aug.....	8-000 92-7
March.....	8-000	92-7	Sept.....	8-000 92-7
April.....	8-000	92-7	Oct.....	8-000 92-7
May.....	8-000	92-7	Nov.....	8-000 92-7
June.....	8-000	92-7	Dec.....	8-000 92-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-000; Index—92-7

## HYDRATED LIME

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 13-250	106-0	July.....	\$ 13-250 106-0
Feb.....	13-250	106-0	Aug.....	13-250 106-0
March.....	13-250	106-0	Sept.....	13-250 106-0
April.....	13-250	106-0	Oct.....	13-250 106-0
May.....	13-250	106-0	Nov.....	13-250 106-0
June.....	13-250	106-0	Dec.....	13-250 106-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$13-250; Index—106-0

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Montreal (exclusive of sacks and discount)

Jan.....	\$ 1-700	114-0	July.....	\$ 1-700 114-0
Feb.....	1-700	114-0	Aug.....	1-700 114-0
March.....	1-700	114-0	Sept.....	1-700 114-0
April.....	1-700	114-0	Oct.....	1-700 114-0
May.....	1-700	114-0	Nov.....	1-700 114-0
June.....	1-700	114-0	Dec.....	1-700 114-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-700; Index—114-0

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Toronto (exclusive of sacks and discount)

Jan.....	\$ 2-100	107-5	July.....	\$ 2-100 107-5
Feb.....	2-100	107-5	Aug.....	2-100 107-5
March.....	2-100	107-5	Sept.....	2-100 107-5
April.....	2-100	107-5	Oct.....	2-100 107-5
May.....	2-100	107-5	Nov.....	2-100 107-5
June.....	2-100	107-5	Dec.....	2-100 107-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-100; Index—107-5

LIME AND CEMENT—*Concluded*

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Winnipeg (exclusive of sacks and discount)

	Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-680	87-9	July.....	\$ 2-680 87-9
Feb.....	2-680	87-9	Aug.....	2-680 87-9
March.....	2-680	87-9	Sept.....	2-680 87-9
April.....	2-680	87-9	Oct.....	2-680 87-9
May.....	2-680	87-9	Nov.....	2-680 87-9
June.....	2-680	87-9	Dec.....	2-680 87-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-680; Index—87-9

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Regina (exclusive of sacks and discount)

Jan.....	\$ 3-350	90-5	July.....	\$ 3-350 90-5
Feb.....	3-350	90-5	Aug.....	3-350 90-5
March.....	3-350	90-5	Sept.....	3-350 90-5
April.....	3-350	90-5	Oct.....	3-350 90-5
May.....	3-350	90-5	Nov.....	3-350 90-5
June.....	3-350	90-5	Dec.....	3-350 90-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-350; Index—90-5

## PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel f.o.b. railway cars, Vancouver (exclusive of sacks)

Jan.....	\$ 2-491	84-7	July.....	\$ 2-491 84-7
Feb.....	2-491	84-7	Aug.....	2-491 84-7
March.....	2-491	84-7	Sept.....	2-491 84-7
April.....	2-491	84-7	Oct.....	2-491 84-7
May.....	2-491	84-7	Nov.....	2-491 84-7
June.....	2-491	84-7	Dec.....	2-491 84-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-491; Index—84-7

## SAND AND GRAVEL

## SAND, CONCRETE

Price per ton in carlots, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 1-150	102-2	July.....	\$ 1-150 102-2
Feb.....	1-150	102-2	Aug.....	1-150 102-2
March.....	1-150	102-2	Sept.....	1-150 102-2
April.....	1-150	102-2	Oct.....	1-150 102-2
May.....	1-150	102-2	Nov.....	1-150 102-2
June.....	1-150	102-2	Dec.....	1-150 102-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-150; Index—102-2

## SAND, CONCRETE

Price per ton in carlots, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-000	74-1	July.....	\$ 1-000 74-1
Feb.....	1-000	74-1	Aug.....	1-000 74-1
March.....	1-000	74-1	Sept.....	1-000 74-1
April.....	1-000	74-1	Oct.....	1-000 74-1
May.....	1-000	74-1	Nov.....	1-000 74-1
June.....	1-000	74-1	Dec.....	1-000 74-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-000; Index—74-1

## SAND, CONCRETE

Price per cubic yard, in carlots, f.o.b. cars, Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 1-150	100-0	July.....	\$ 1-150 100-0
Feb.....	1-150	100-0	Aug.....	1-150 100-0
March.....	1-150	100-0	Sept.....	1-150 100-0
April.....	1-150	100-0	Oct.....	1-150 100-0
May.....	1-150	100-0	Nov.....	1-150 100-0
June.....	1-150	100-0	Dec.....	1-150 100-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-150; Index—100-0

## SAND, CONCRETE

Price per cubic yard, scow lots, f.o.b. Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 1-000	90-9	July.....	\$ 1-000 90-9
Feb.....	1-000	90-9	Aug.....	1-000 90-9
March.....	1-000	90-9	Sept.....	1-000 90-9
April.....	1-000	90-9	Oct.....	1-000 90-9
May.....	1-000	90-9	Nov.....	1-000 90-9
June.....	1-000	90-9	Dec.....	1-000 90-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-000; Index—90-9



## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

SAND AND GRAVEL—*Concluded*

## GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-000	80-0	July.....	\$ 1-000	80-0
Feb.....	1-000	80-0	Aug.....	1-000	80-0
March.....	1-000	80-0	Sept.....	1-000	80-0
April.....	1-000	80-0	Oct.....	1-000	80-0
May.....	1-000	80-0	Nov.....	1-000	80-0
June.....	1-000	80-0	Dec.....	1-000	80-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-000; Index—80-0

## GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-650	94-3	July.....	\$ 1-500	85-7
Feb.....	1-650	94-3	Aug.....	1-500	85-7
March.....	1-650	94-3	Sept.....	1-500	85-7
April.....	1-650	94-3	Oct.....	1-500	85-7
May.....	1-650	94-3	Nov.....	1-500	85-7
June.....	1-500	85-7	Dec.....	1-500	85-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-563; Index—89-3

## GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per cubic yard, f.o.b. cars, Winnipeg

Jan.....	\$ 1-150	100-0	July.....	\$ 1-150	100-0
Feb.....	1-150	100-0	Aug.....	1-150	100-0
March.....	1-150	100-0	Sept.....	1-150	100-0
April.....	1-150	100-0	Oct.....	1-150	100-0
May.....	1-150	100-0	Nov.....	1-150	100-0
June.....	1-150	100-0	Dec.....	1-150	100-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-150; Index—100-0

## GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per cubic yard, scow lots, f.o.b. Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 1-000	90-9	July.....	\$ 1-000	90-9
Feb.....	1-000	90-9	Aug.....	1-000	90-9
March.....	1-000	90-9	Sept.....	1-000	90-9
April.....	1-000	90-9	Oct.....	1-000	90-9
May.....	1-000	90-9	Nov.....	1-000	90-9
June.....	1-000	90-9	Dec.....	1-000	90-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-000; Index—90-9

## CRUSHED STONE

## CRUSHED STONE, 1" TO 2"

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-700	50-0	July.....	\$ -550	39-3
Feb.....	-700	50-0	Aug.....	-550	39-3
March.....	-700	50-0	Sept.....	-550	39-3
April.....	-700	50-0	Oct.....	-500	35-7
May.....	-700	50-0	Nov.....	-500	35-7
June.....	-700	50-0	Dec.....	-500	35-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-613; Index—43-8

## CRUSHED STONE, 1" TO 2"

Price per ton, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 1-850	100-0	July.....	\$ 1-400	75-7
Feb.....	1-850	100-0	Aug.....	1-400	75-7
March.....	1-850	100-0	Sept.....	1-400	75-7
April.....	1-850	100-0	Oct.....	1-400	75-7
May.....	1-850	100-0	Nov.....	1-400	75-7
June.....	1-400	75-7	Dec.....	1-400	75-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-588; Index—85-8

## CRUSHED STONE, 1" TO 2"

Price per cubic yard, scow lots, f.o.b. Vancouver

Jan.....	\$ 1-130	90-4	July.....	\$ 1-130	90-4
Feb.....	1-130	90-4	Aug.....	1-130	90-4
March.....	1-130	90-4	Sept.....	1-130	90-4
April.....	1-130	90-4	Oct.....	1-130	90-4
May.....	1-130	90-4	Nov.....	1-130	90-4
June.....	1-130	90-4	Dec.....	1-130	90-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-130; Index—90-4

## BUILDING STONE

STANSTEAD GRANITE, BASE STOCK BLOCKS (CONTAINING UP TO 30 CUBIC FEET)

Price per cubic foot, f.o.b. cars, quarries (Quebec)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-750	75-0	July.....	\$ 0-750	75-0
Feb.....	-750	75-0	Aug.....	-750	75-0
March.....	-750	75-0	Sept.....	-750	75-0
April.....	-750	75-0	Oct.....	-750	75-0
May.....	-750	75-0	Nov.....	-750	75-0
June.....	-750	75-0	Dec.....	-750	75-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-750; Index—75-0

STANSTEAD GRANITE, DIE STOCK BLOCKS (CONTAINING UP TO 30 CUBIC FEET)

Price per cubic foot, f.o.b. cars, quarries (Quebec)

Jan.....	\$ 1-250	83-3	July.....	\$ 1-000	66-7
Feb.....	1-000	66-7	Aug.....	1-000	66-7
March.....	1-000	66-7	Sept.....	1-000	66-7
April.....	1-000	66-7	Oct.....	1-000	66-7
May.....	1-000	66-7	Nov.....	1-000	66-7
June.....	1-000	66-7	Dec.....	1-000	66-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-021; Index—68-1

## DOLOMITE (SILVER GREY)

Price per cubic foot (rough blocks), f.o.b. cars, quarries (Ontario)

Jan.....	\$ 0-800	64-0	July.....	\$ 0-800	64-0
Feb.....	-800	64-0	Aug.....	-800	64-0
March.....	-800	64-0	Sept.....	-800	64-0
April.....	-800	64-0	Oct.....	-800	64-0
May.....	-800	64-0	Nov.....	-800	64-0
June.....	-800	64-0	Dec.....	-800	64-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-800; Index—64-0

## ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS

## ASBESTOS, CRUDE No. 1

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Jan.....	\$500-000	99-2	July.....	\$500-000	99-2
Feb.....	500-000	99-2	Aug.....	500-000	99-2
March.....	500-000	99-2	Sept.....	500-000	99-2
April.....	500-000	99-2	Oct.....	500-000	99-2
May.....	500-000	99-2	Nov.....	500-000	99-2
June.....	500-000	99-2	Dec.....	500-000	99-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$500-000; Index—99-2

## ASBESTOS, CRUDE No. 2

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Jan.....	\$200-000	69-1	July.....	\$200-000	69-1
Feb.....	200-000	69-1	Aug.....	200-000	69-1
March.....	200-000	69-1	Sept.....	200-000	69-1
April.....	200-000	69-1	Oct.....	200-000	69-1
May.....	200-000	69-1	Nov.....	200-000	69-1
June.....	200-000	69-1	Dec.....	200-000	69-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$200-000; Index—69-1

## ASBESTOS, SPINNING STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Jan.....	\$120-000	64-9	July.....	\$120-000	64-9
Feb.....	120-000	64-9	Aug.....	120-000	64-9
March.....	120-000	64-9	Sept.....	120-000	64-9
April.....	120-000	64-9	Oct.....	120-000	64-9
May.....	120-000	64-9	Nov.....	120-000	64-9
June.....	120-000	64-9	Dec.....	120-000	64-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$120-000; Index—64-9

## ASBESTOS, SHINGLE STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Jan.....	\$ 60-000	92-3	July.....	\$ 60-000	92-3
Feb.....	60-000	92-3	Aug.....	60-000	92-3
March.....	60-000	92-3	Sept.....	60-000	92-3
April.....	60-000	92-3	Oct.....	60-000	92-3
May.....	60-000	92-3	Nov.....	60-000	92-3
June.....	60-000	92-3	Dec.....	60-000	92-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$60-000; Index—92-3

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

## ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## ASBESTOS, MILL BOARD AND PAPER STOCKS

## Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 32-500	72-2	July.....\$ 32-500	72-2
Feb.....32-500	72-2	Aug.....32-500	72-2
March.....32-500	72-2	Sept.....32-500	72-2
April.....32-500	72-2	Oct.....32-500	72-2
May.....32-500	72-2	Nov.....32-500	72-2
June.....32-500	72-2	Dec.....32-500	72-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$32-500; Index—72-2

## ASBESTOS FILLERS, FLOATS AND OTHER SHORT FIBRE

## Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Jan.....\$ 12-000	80-0	July.....\$ 12-000	80-0
Feb.....12-000	80-0	Aug.....12-000	80-0
March.....12-000	80-0	Sept.....12-000	80-0
April.....12-000	80-0	Oct.....12-000	80-0
May.....12-000	80-0	Nov.....12-000	80-0
June.....12-000	80-0	Dec.....12-000	80-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$12-000; Index—80-0

## ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

## ASBESTOS, PIPE COVERING, 3PLY

## Price per foot, Eastern Canada

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-589	97-7	July.....\$ 0-543	90-0
Feb.....589	97-7	Aug.....543	90-0
March.....589	97-7	Sept.....543	90-0
April.....589	97-7	Oct.....543	90-0
May.....543	90-0	Nov.....543	90-0
June.....543	90-0	Dec.....543	90-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-558; Index—92-5

## ASBESTOS, MILL BOARD

## Price per 100 pounds, Eastern Canada

Jan.....\$ 9-000	116-1	July.....\$ 8-500	109-7
Feb.....9-000	116-1	Aug.....8-500	109-7
March.....9-000	116-1	Sept.....8-500	109-7
April.....9-000	116-1	Oct.....8-500	109-7
May.....8-500	109-7	Nov.....8-500	109-7
June.....8-500	109-7	Dec.....8-500	109-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-667; Index—111-8

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS

## AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS

Price per pound, f.o.b. factory, Toronto, sales tax extra

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-165	101-5	July.....\$ 0-165	101-5
Feb.....165	101-5	Aug.....165	101-5
March.....165	101-5	Sept.....165	101-5
April.....165	101-5	Oct.....165	101-5
May.....165	101-5	Nov.....165	101-5
June.....165	101-5	Dec.....165	101-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-165; Index—101-5

## ARSENIOUS OXIDE (WHITE ARSENIC)

Price per pound, carlots, freight paid to eastern U.S. points

Jan.....\$ 0-034	104-9	July.....\$ 0-033	101-9
Feb.....034	104-9	Aug.....033	101-9
March.....033	101-9	Sept.....033	101-9
April.....033	101-9	Oct.....033	101-9
May.....035	108-0	Nov.....033	101-9
June.....033	101-9	Dec.....033	101-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-033; Index—101-9

## NITRIC ACID, 36°

Price per 100 pounds in carboys, carlots, f.o.b. works, Ontario and Quebec

Jan.....\$ 7-750	96-9	July.....\$ 7-750	96-9
Feb.....7-750	96-9	Aug.....7-750	96-9
March.....7-750	96-9	Sept.....7-750	96-9
April.....7-750	96-9	Oct.....7-750	96-9
May.....7-750	96-9	Nov.....7-750	96-9
June.....7-750	96-9	Dec.....7-750	96-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-750; Index—96-9

## HYDROCHLORIC (MURIATIC) ACID, 18°

Price per net ton in tank cars, f.o.b. works, Ontario and Quebec

Jan.....\$ 25-000	104-2	July.....\$ 25-000	104-2
Feb.....25-000	104-2	Aug.....25-000	104-2
March.....25-000	104-2	Sept.....25-000	104-2
April.....25-000	104-2	Oct.....25-000	104-2
May.....25-000	104-2	Nov.....25-000	104-2
June.....25-000	104-2	Dec.....25-000	104-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$25-000; Index—104-2

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS—Continued

## SODIUM SULPHATE (GLAUBER'S SALT)

Price per 100 pounds, in carlots, f.o.b. works, Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-800	80-0	July.....\$ 0-800	80-0
Feb.....800	80-0	Aug.....800	80-0
March.....800	80-0	Sept.....800	80-0
April.....800	80-0	Oct.....800	80-0
May.....800	80-0	Nov.....800	80-0
June.....800	80-0	Dec.....800	80-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-800; Index—80-0

## SODIUM BICARBONATE, PURE

Price per 100 pounds in lots of 5 barrels (400 pounds each), f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....\$ 3-000	122-4	July.....\$ 3-000	122-4
Feb.....3-000	122-4	Aug.....3-000	122-4
March.....3-000	122-4	Sept.....3-000	122-4
April.....3-000	122-4	Oct.....3-000	122-4
May.....3-000	122-4	Nov.....3-000	122-4
June.....3-000	122-4	Dec.....3-000	122-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-000; Index—122-4

## BLEACHING POWDER, 35-37 PER CENT

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. works, Montreal

Jan.....\$ 1-750	102-2	July.....\$ 1-750	102-2
Feb.....1-750	102-2	Aug.....1-750	102-2
March.....1-750	102-2	Sept.....1-750	102-2
April.....1-750	102-2	Oct.....1-750	102-2
May.....1-750	102-2	Nov.....1-750	102-2
June.....1-750	102-2	Dec.....1-750	102-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-750; Index—102-2

## SODA ASH, 58 PER CENT, LIGHT

Price per 100 pounds, in bags, carlots, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

Jan.....\$ 1-630	87-0	July.....\$ 1-630	87-0
Feb.....1-630	87-0	Aug.....1-630	87-0
March.....1-630	87-0	Sept.....1-630	87-0
April.....1-630	87-0	Oct.....1-630	87-0
May.....1-630	87-0	Nov.....1-630	87-0
June.....1-630	87-0	Dec.....1-630	87-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-630; Index—87-0

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS—Continued

## CAUSTIC SODA, 76-77 PER CENT, FLAKES

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. works, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 3-250	90-7	July.....	\$ 3-250	90-7
Feb.....	3-250	90-7	Aug.....	3-250	90-7
March.....	3-250	90-7	Sept.....	3-250	90-7
April.....	3-250	90-7	Oct.....	3-200	89-3
May.....	3-250	90-7	Nov.....	3-200	89-3
June.....	3-250	90-7	Dec.....	3-200	89-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-238; Index—90-4

## CALCIUM CARBIDE

Price per ton, carlots, f.o.b. works, Welland

Jan.....	\$ 87-000	100-2	July.....	\$ 87-000	100-2
Feb.....	87-000	100-2	Aug.....	87-000	100-2
March.....	87-000	100-2	Sept.....	87-000	100-2
April.....	87-000	100-2	Oct.....	87-000	100-2
May.....	87-000	100-2	Nov.....	87-000	100-2
June.....	87-000	100-2	Dec.....	87-000	100-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$87-000; Index—100-2

## GRAY ACETATE OF LIME

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Ontario and Quebec

Jan.....	\$ 3-500	107-7	July.....	\$ 3-500	107-7
Feb.....	3-500	107-7	Aug.....	3-000	92-3
March.....	3-500	107-7	Sept.....	3-000	92-3
April.....	3-500	107-7	Oct.....	3-500	107-7
May.....	3-000	92-3	Nov.....	3-500	107-7
June.....	3-000	92-3	Dec.....	3-500	107-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-333; Index—102-6

## ALUM, LUMP

Price per 100 pounds in barrels, ton lots, ex wharf, Montreal or Saint John, N.B.

Jan.....	\$ 2-050	94-0	July.....	\$ 2-050	94-0
Feb.....	2-050	94-0	Aug.....	2-050	94-0
March.....	2-030	93-1	Sept.....	2-050	94-0
April.....	2-000	91-7	Oct.....	2-060	94-5
May.....	2-000	91-7	Nov.....	2-060	94-5
June.....	2-020	92-7	Dec.....	2-060	94-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-040; Index—93-6

## BORAX, COMMERCIAL

Price per 100 pounds in barrels, ton lots, c.i.f. Montreal and Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 3-500	69-1	July.....	\$ 3-700	73-1
Feb.....	3-500	69-1	Aug.....	3-700	73-1
March.....	3-500	69-1	Sept.....	3-700	73-1
April.....	3-500	69-1	Oct.....	3-700	73-1
May.....	3-500	69-1	Nov.....	3-700	73-1
June.....	3-500	69-1	Dec.....	3-700	73-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-600; Index—71-1

## COPPER SULPHATE (BLUE VITRIOL), CRYSTALS

Price per 100 pounds in 5 ton lots, c.i.f. ocean ports

Jan.....	\$ 3-500	71-0	July.....	\$ 3-530	71-6
Feb.....	3-500	71-0	Aug.....	3-530	71-6
March.....	3-460	70-1	Sept.....	3-620	73-4
April.....	3-510	71-2	Oct.....	3-875	78-6
May.....	3-650	74-0	Nov.....	3-875	78-6
June.....	3-650	74-0	Dec.....	3-875	78-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-631; Index—73-6

## MAGNESIUM SULPHATE, TECHNICAL (EPSOM SALT)

Price per ton in bags, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month.

Jan.....	\$ 25-000	100-0	July.....	\$ 25-000	100-0
Feb.....	25-000	100-0	Aug.....	25-000	100-0
March.....	25-000	100-0	Sept.....	25-000	100-0
April.....	25-000	100-0	Oct.....	25-000	100-0
May.....	25-000	100-0	Nov.....	25-000	100-0
June.....	25-000	100-0	Dec.....	25-000	100-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$25-000; Index—100-0

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS—Concluded

## SULPHURIC ACID, 66° BEAUME

Price per net ton, tank cars, f.o.b. works (Ontario)

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 16-000	114-3	July.....	\$ 16-000	114-3
Feb.....	16-000	114-3	Aug.....	16-000	114-3
March.....	16-000	114-3	Sept.....	16-000	114-3
April.....	16-000	114-3	Oct.....	16-000	114-3
May.....	16-000	114-3	Nov.....	16-000	114-3
June.....	16-000	114-3	Dec.....	16-000	114-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$16-000; Index—114-3

## CHLORINE, LIQUID, CYLINDERS

Price per pound, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

Jan.....	\$ 0-093	100-0	July.....	\$ 0-093	100-0
Feb.....	0-093	100-0	Aug.....	0-093	100-0
March.....	0-093	100-0	Sept.....	0-093	100-0
April.....	0-093	100-0	Oct.....	0-093	100-0
May.....	0-093	100-0	Nov.....	0-093	100-0
June.....	0-093	100-0	Dec.....	0-093	100-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-093; Index—100-0

## SODIUM CYANIDE, BULK, 98-99 PER CENT

Price per pound, carlots, Toronto

Jan.....	\$ 0-151	74-8	July.....	\$ 0-146	72-3
Feb.....	0-151	74-8	Aug.....	0-146	72-3
March.....	0-151	74-8	Sept.....	0-146	72-3
April.....	0-146	72-3	Oct.....	0-146	72-3
May.....	0-146	72-3	Nov.....	0-146	72-3
June.....	0-146	72-3	Dec.....	0-146	72-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-147; Index—72-8

## SODIUM BICHROMATE

Price per pound in barrels, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

Jan.....	\$ 0-087	104-3	July.....	\$ 0-087	104-3
Feb.....	0-087	104-3	Aug.....	0-087	104-3
March.....	0-087	104-3	Sept.....	0-087	104-3
April.....	0-087	104-3	Oct.....	0-087	104-3
May.....	0-087	104-3	Nov.....	0-085	101-9
June.....	0-087	104-3	Dec.....	0-088	105-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-087; Index—104-3

## AMMONIUM CHLORIDE (SAL AMMONIAC), GRAY

Price per pound, in carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

Jan.....	\$ 0-040	62-7	July.....	\$ 0-040	62-7
Feb.....	0-040	62-7	Aug.....	0-040	62-7
March.....	0-040	62-7	Sept.....	0-040	62-7
April.....	0-040	62-7	Oct.....	0-040	62-7
May.....	0-040	62-7	Nov.....	0-035	54-9
June.....	0-040	62-7	Dec.....	0-035	54-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-039; Index—61-2

## CALCIUM CHLORIDE, FLAKE

Price per ton in carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

Jan.....	\$ 25-850	71-8	July.....	\$ 25-850	71-8
Feb.....	25-850	71-8	Aug.....	25-850	71-8
March.....	25-850	71-8	Sept.....	25-850	71-8
April.....	25-850	71-8	Oct.....	25-850	71-8
May.....	25-850	71-8	Nov.....	25-850	71-8
June.....	25-850	71-8	Dec.....	25-850	71-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$25-850; Index—71-8

## ALUMINIUM SULPHATE

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

Jan.....	\$ 1-550	88-6	July.....	\$ 1-550	88-6
Feb.....	1-550	88-6	Aug.....	1-550	88-6
March.....	1-550	88-6	Sept.....	1-550	88-6
April.....	1-550	88-6	Oct.....	1-550	88-6
May.....	1-550	88-6	Nov.....	1-550	88-6
June.....	1-550	88-6	Dec.....	1-550	88-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-550; Index—88-6



GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

ORGANIC CHEMICALS

ACETIC ACID, 99 PER CENT, GLACIAL

Price per pound, f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-120	100-0	July.....\$ 0-120	100-0
Feb.....	120 100-0	Aug.....	120 100-0
March.....	120 100-0	Sept.....	120 100-0
April.....	120 100-0	Oct.....	120 100-0
May.....	120 100-0	Nov.....	120 100-0
June.....	120 100-0	Dec.....	120 100-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-120; Index—100-0

WOOD (METHYL) ALCOHOL, 97 PER CENT

Price per gallon, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....\$ 0-750	86-2	July.....\$ 0-750	86-2
Feb.....	750 86-2	Aug.....	750 86-2
March.....	750 86-2	Sept.....	750 86-2
April.....	750 86-2	Oct.....	750 86-2
May.....	750 86-2	Nov.....	750 86-2
June.....	750 86-2	Dec.....	750 86-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-750; Index—86-2

ALCOHOL, DENATURED, COLOGNE SPIRITS

Price per proof gallon in bond, f.o.b. Montreal or Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-400	72-7	July.....\$ 0-400	72-7
Feb.....	400 72-7	Aug.....	400 72-7
March.....	400 72-7	Sept.....	400 72-7
April.....	400 72-7	Oct.....	400 72-7
May.....	400 72-7	Nov.....	400 72-7
June.....	400 72-7	Dec.....	400 72-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-400; Index—72-7

CREAM OF TARTAR, 98 PER CENT

Price per pound, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

Jan.....\$ 0-255	134-2	July.....\$ 0-255	134-2
Feb.....	255 134-2	Aug.....	255 134-2
March.....	255 134-2	Sept.....	255 134-2
April.....	255 134-2	Oct.....	255 134-2
May.....	255 134-2	Nov.....	255 134-2
June.....	255 134-2	Dec.....	255 134-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-255; Index—134-2

FORMALDEHYDE

Price per pound in barrel, f.o.b. Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-065	57-1	July.....\$ 0-060	52-7
Feb.....	080 70-3	Aug.....	068 59-8
March.....	080 70-3	Sept.....	060 52-7
April.....	080 70-3	Oct.....	060 52-7
May.....	080 70-3	Nov.....	055 48-3
June.....	068 59-8	Dec.....	065 57-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-068; Index—59-8

GLYCERINE, REFINED

Price per pound, in drum lots, at Toronto

Jan.....\$ 0-148	53-3	July.....\$ 0-148	53-3
Feb.....	148 53-3	Aug.....	148 53-3
March.....	148 53-3	Sept.....	148 53-3
April.....	148 53-3	Oct.....	148 53-3
May.....	148 53-3	Nov.....	148 53-3
June.....	148 53-3	Dec.....	148 53-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-148; Index—53-3

COAL TAR PRODUCTS

CREOSOTE OIL, CRUDE

Price per imperial gallon, tank carlots, f.o.b. works

Jan.....\$ 0-143	92-3	July.....\$ 0-149	96-1
Feb.....	149 96-1	Aug.....	149 96-1
March.....	149 96-1	Sept.....	149 96-1
April.....	149 96-1	Oct.....	149 96-1
May.....	149 96-1	Nov.....	149 96-1
June.....	149 96-1	Dec.....	149 96-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-149; Index—96-1

COAL TAR PRODUCTS—Concluded

BENZOL, PURE

Price per imperial gallon in tank cars, f.o.b. Canadian producing point

Price	Index	Price	Index
Jan.....\$ 0-320	91-2	July.....\$ 0-230	65-6
Feb.....	320 91-2	Aug.....	230 65-6
March.....	320 91-2	Sept.....	230 65-6
April.....	230 65-6	Oct.....	230 65-6
May.....	230 65-6	Nov.....	230 65-6
June.....	230 65-6	Dec.....	230 65-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-253; Index—72-1

DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS

DIRECT BLACK (OXYDIAMINE BLACK, J.E.I. EXTRA)

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....\$ 0-300	102-6	July.....\$ 0-300	102-6
Feb.....	300 102-6	Aug.....	300 102-6
March.....	300 102-6	Sept.....	300 102-6
April.....	300 102-6	Oct.....	300 102-6
May.....	300 102-6	Nov.....	300 102-6
June.....	300 102-6	Dec.....	300 102-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-300; Index—102-6

SULPHUR BLACK (KATGEN DEEP BLACK, G.G.N. CONC.)

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....\$ 0-205	93-2	July.....\$ 0-205	93-2
Feb.....	205 93-2	Aug.....	205 93-2
March.....	205 93-2	Sept.....	205 93-2
April.....	205 93-2	Oct.....	205 93-2
May.....	205 93-2	Nov.....	205 93-2
June.....	205 93-2	Dec.....	205 93-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-205; Index—93-2

NIGROSINE, WATER SOLUBLE (J.T.L. EXTRA, CONC. TYPE)

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....\$ 0-400	102-6	July.....\$ 0-400	102-6
Feb.....	400 102-6	Aug.....	400 102-6
March.....	400 102-6	Sept.....	400 102-6
April.....	400 102-6	Oct.....	400 102-6
May.....	400 102-6	Nov.....	400 102-6
June.....	400 102-6	Dec.....	400 102-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-400; Index—102-6

METHYLENE BLUE, B.G.

Price per pound in 100 pound kegs, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....\$ 0-950	90-5	July.....\$ 0-950	90-5
Feb.....	950 90-5	Aug.....	950 90-5
March.....	950 90-5	Sept.....	950 90-5
April.....	950 90-5	Oct.....	950 90-5
May.....	950 90-5	Nov.....	950 90-5
June.....	950 90-5	Dec.....	950 90-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-950; Index—90-5

INDIGO (SYNTHETIC), 20 PER CENT, PASTE

Price per pound in ton lots, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....\$ 0-135	128-6	July.....\$ 0-135	128-6
Feb.....	135 128-6	Aug.....	135 128-6
March.....	135 128-6	Sept.....	135 128-6
April.....	135 128-6	Oct.....	135 128-6
May.....	135 128-6	Nov.....	135 128-6
June.....	135 128-6	Dec.....	135 128-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-135; Index—128-6

AUROMINE O (YELLOW)

Price per pound in 500 pound barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

Jan.....\$ 0-770	81-8	July.....\$ 0-770	81-8
Feb.....	770 81-8	Aug.....	770 81-8
March.....	770 81-8	Sept.....	770 81-8
April.....	770 81-8	Oct.....	770 81-8
May.....	770 81-8	Nov.....	770 81-8
June.....	770 81-8	Dec.....	770 81-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-770; Index—81-8

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

## DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS—Concluded

## ALKALI BLUE, No. 4

Price per pound in 10 and 25 pound tins,  
f.o.b. warehouse

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-015	103-3	July.....	\$ 2-015	103-3
Feb.....	2-015	103-3	Aug.....	2-015	103-3
March.....	2-015	103-3	Sept.....	2-015	103-3
April.....	2-015	103-3	Oct.....	2-015	103-3
May.....	2-015	103-3	Nov.....	2-015	103-3
June.....	2-015	103-3	Dec.....	2-015	103-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-015; Index—103-3

## QUEBRACHO EXTRACT, LIQUID

Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots,  
f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 4-250	121-4	July.....	\$ 4-150	118-6
Feb.....	4-250	121-4	Aug.....	4-250	121-4
March.....	4-250	121-4	Sept.....	4-250	121-4
April.....	4-150	118-6	Oct.....	4-250	121-4
May.....	4-150	118-6	Nov.....	4-250	121-4
June.....	4-250	121-4	Dec.....	4-250	121-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-225; Index—120-7

## HEMLOCK EXTRACT, LIQUID

Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots,  
f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 4-870	100-2	July.....	\$ 4-870	100-2
Feb.....	4-870	100-2	Aug.....	4-870	100-2
March.....	4-870	100-2	Sept.....	4-870	100-2
April.....	4-870	100-2	Oct.....	5-000	102-8
May.....	4-870	100-2	Nov.....	4-750	97-7
June.....	4-870	100-2	Dec.....	4-750	97-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-861; Index—100-0

## LOGWOOD EXTRACT, LIQUID

Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots,  
f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 11-500	118-3	July.....	\$ 11-500	118-3
Feb.....	12-000	123-5	Aug.....	12-000	123-5
March.....	11-500	118-3	Sept.....	11-500	118-3
April.....	11-500	118-3	Oct.....	11-000	113-2
May.....	11-500	118-3	Nov.....	10-750	110-6
June.....	11-500	118-3	Dec.....	10-750	110-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$11-417; Index—117-5

## EXPLOSIVES

## GUNPOWDER, BLACK, SPORTING

Price per 25 pound keg, f.o. b. Beloeil, Quebec

Jan.....	\$ 8-459	100-7	July.....	\$ 8-459	100-7
Feb.....	8-459	100-7	Aug.....	8-459	100-7
March.....	8-459	100-7	Sept.....	8-459	100-7
April.....	8-459	100-7	Oct.....	8-459	100-7
May.....	8-459	100-7	Nov.....	8-459	100-7
June.....	8-459	100-7	Dec.....	8-459	100-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$8-459; Index—100-7

## DYNAMITE, 40 PER CENT GELATINE

Price per 100 pounds in carlots, f.o.b. factory

Jan.....	\$ 11-750	77-2	July.....	\$ 11-750	77-2
Feb.....	11-750	77-2	Aug.....	11-750	77-2
March.....	11-750	77-2	Sept.....	11-750	77-2
April.....	11-750	77-2	Oct.....	11-750	77-2
May.....	11-750	77-2	Nov.....	11-750	77-2
June.....	11-750	77-2	Dec.....	11-750	77-2

Average, 1935: Price—\$11-750; Index—77-2

## PAINT MATERIALS

## SHELLAC, DRY, T.N.

Monthly average price per pound at New York

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-223	60-4	July.....	\$ 0-145	39-3
Feb.....	-191	51-8	Aug.....	-145	39-3
March.....	-147	39-8	Sept.....	-148	40-1
April.....	-143	38-8	Oct.....	-167	45-3
May.....	-144	39-0	Nov.....	-169	45-8
June.....	-145	39-3	Dec.....	-169	45-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-161; Index—43-6

## WHITE LEAD, BASIC CARBONATE IN OIL

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 7-800	69-6	July.....	\$ 7-800	69-6
Feb.....	7-800	69-6	Aug.....	7-800	69-6
March.....	7-800	69-6	Sept.....	7-800	69-6
April.....	7-800	69-6	Oct.....	8-585	76-6
May.....	7-800	69-6	Nov.....	8-585	76-6
June.....	7-800	69-6	Dec.....	8-585	76-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$7-996; Index—71-4

## ZINC OXIDE, "XX" GRADE

Price per 100 pounds in bags, carlots, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 6-508	94-1	July.....	\$ 5-761	83-3
Feb.....	5-764	83-3	Aug.....	5-763	83-3
March.....	5-815	84-1	Sept.....	5-779	83-6
April.....	5-775	83-5	Oct.....	5-075	73-4
May.....	5-757	83-2	Nov.....	5-058	73-1
June.....	5-757	83-2	Dec.....	5-039	72-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-654; Index—81-8

## RED LEAD, GENUINE

Price per 100 pounds, less carlots, f.o.b. Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 6-750	65-9	July.....	\$ 6-750	65-9
Feb.....	6-750	65-9	Aug.....	6-750	65-9
March.....	6-750	65-9	Sept.....	6-750	65-9
April.....	6-750	65-9	Oct.....	7-000	68-4
May.....	6-750	65-9	Nov.....	7-000	68-4
June.....	6-750	65-9	Dec.....	7-000	68-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$6-813; Index—66-6

## LITHOPONE

Price per 100 pounds in bags, carlots, f.o.b. works

Jan.....	\$ 4-506	85-8	July.....	\$ 4-508	85-9
Feb.....	4-511	85-9	Aug.....	4-510	85-9
March.....	4-551	86-7	Sept.....	4-520	86-1
April.....	4-520	86-1	Oct.....	4-568	87-0
May.....	4-506	85-8	Nov.....	4-552	86-7
June.....	4-506	85-8	Dec.....	4-535	86-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-524; Index—86-2

## LITHARGE

Price per pound at Montreal or Toronto, on first day  
of month

Jan.....	\$ 0-052	41-6	July.....	\$ 0-052	41-6
Feb.....	-052	41-6	Aug.....	-052	41-6
March.....	-052	41-6	Sept.....	-052	41-6
April.....	-052	41-6	Oct.....	-052	41-6
May.....	-052	41-6	Nov.....	-065	52-0
June.....	-052	41-6	Dec.....	-065	52-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-054; Index—43-2

## LAMPBLACK, PURE, DRY

Price per pound in less carlots, Ottawa

Jan.....	\$ 0-105	75-0	July.....	\$ 0-105	75-0
Feb.....	-105	75-0	Aug.....	-105	75-0
March.....	-105	75-0	Sept.....	-105	75-0
April.....	-105	75-0	Oct.....	-105	75-0
May.....	-105	75-0	Nov.....	-105	75-0
June.....	-105	75-0	Dec.....	-105	75-0

Average, 1935: Average—\$0-105; Index—75-0

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

## PAINT MATERIALS—Concluded

## CARBON BLACK

Price per pound in less carlots, ex warehouse,  
Montreal or Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-082	69-8	July.....	\$ 0-083	70-6
Feb.....	-083	70-6	Aug.....	-083	70-6
March.....	-083	70-6	Sept.....	-083	70-6
April.....	-083	70-6	Oct.....	-083	70-6
May.....	-083	70-6	Nov.....	-083	70-6
June.....	-083	70-6	Dec.....	-083	70-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-083; Index—70-6

## PURE LINSEED OIL PUTTY

Price per 100 pounds in 400 pound drums, less ton lots, f.o.b.  
Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 3-050	63-6	July.....	\$ 3-050	63-6
Feb.....	3-050	63-6	Aug.....	3-050	63-6
March.....	3-050	63-6	Sept.....	3-050	63-6
April.....	3-050	63-6	Oct.....	3-050	63-6
May.....	3-050	63-6	Nov.....	3-050	63-6
June.....	3-050	63-6	Dec.....	3-050	63-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-050; Index—63-6

## PREPARED PAINTS

## PAINT, PURE WHITE, FIRST QUALITY

Price per gallon at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 3-600	78-9	July.....	\$ 3-600	78-9
Feb.....	3-600	78-9	Aug.....	3-600	78-9
March.....	3-600	78-9	Sept.....	2-800	61-4
April.....	3-600	78-9	Oct.....	2-800	61-4
May.....	3-600	78-9	Nov.....	2-800	61-4
June.....	3-600	78-9	Dec.....	2-800	61-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-333; Index—73-0

## PAINT, COLOURED, FIRST QUALITY

Price per gallon at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 3-400	80-7	July.....	\$ 3-400	80-7
Feb.....	3-400	80-7	Aug.....	3-400	80-7
March.....	3-400	80-7	Sept.....	2-800	66-5
April.....	3-400	80-7	Oct.....	2-800	66-5
May.....	3-400	80-7	Nov.....	2-800	66-5
June.....	3-400	80-7	Dec.....	2-800	66-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$3-200; Index—76-0

## DRUGS AND PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMICALS

## CITRIC ACID

Price per pound in kegs at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 0-230	86-7	July.....	\$ 0-230	86-7
Feb.....	-230	86-7	Aug.....	-230	86-7
March.....	-230	86-7	Sept.....	-230	86-7
April.....	-230	86-7	Oct.....	-230	86-7
May.....	-230	86-7	Nov.....	-230	86-7
June.....	-230	86-7	Dec.....	-235	88-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-230; Index—86-7

## TARTARIC ACID, CRYSTALS

Price per pound in barrels at Montreal and Toronto, on  
first day of month

Jan.....	\$ 0-270	108-0	July.....	\$ 0-240	96-0
Feb.....	-270	108-0	Aug.....	-240	96-0
March.....	-270	108-0	Sept.....	-240	96-0
April.....	-260	104-0	Oct.....	-230	92-0
May.....	-240	96-0	Nov.....	-230	92-0
June.....	-240	96-0	Dec.....	-230	92-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-247; Index—98-8

## CHLOROFORM, U.S.P.

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of  
month

Jan.....	\$ 0-385	90-6	July.....	\$ 0-385	90-6
Feb.....	-385	90-6	Aug.....	-385	90-6
March.....	-385	90-6	Sept.....	-385	90-6
April.....	-385	90-6	Oct.....	-385	90-6
May.....	-385	90-6	Nov.....	-385	90-6
June.....	-385	90-6	Dec.....	-385	90-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-385; Index—90-6

DRUGS AND PHARMACEUTICAL  
CHEMICALS—Concluded

## ETHER, COMMERCIAL

Price per pound in 50 pound drums, f.o.b. Montreal

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 0-180	93-0	July.....	\$ 0-180	93-0
Feb.....	-180	93-0	Aug.....	-180	93-0
March.....	-180	93-0	Sept.....	-180	93-0
April.....	-180	93-0	Oct.....	-180	93-0
May.....	-180	93-0	Nov.....	-180	93-0
June.....	-180	93-0	Dec.....	-180	93-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-180; Index—93-0

## POTASSIUM IODIDE

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of  
month

Jan.....	\$ 1-600	37-0	July.....	\$ 1-600	37-0
Feb.....	1-600	37-0	Aug.....	1-600	37-0
March.....	1-600	37-0	Sept.....	1-600	37-0
April.....	1-600	37-0	Oct.....	1-600	37-0
May.....	1-600	37-0	Nov.....	1-600	37-0
June.....	1-600	37-0	Dec.....	1-600	37-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-600; Index—37-0

## HYDROGEN PEROXIDE, 10 VOL.

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of  
month

Jan.....	\$ 0-050	81-6	July.....	\$ 0-050	81-6
Feb.....	-050	81-6	Aug.....	-050	81-6
March.....	-050	81-6	Sept.....	-050	81-6
April.....	-050	81-6	Oct.....	-050	81-6
May.....	-050	81-6	Nov.....	-050	81-6
June.....	-050	81-6	Dec.....	-050	81-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-050; Index—81-6

## CAMPHOR GUM, SLABS

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of  
month

Jan.....	\$ 0-675	65-9	July.....	\$ 0-675	65-9
Feb.....	-675	65-9	Aug.....	-675	65-9
March.....	-675	65-9	Sept.....	-675	65-9
April.....	-675	65-9	Oct.....	-675	65-9
May.....	-675	65-9	Nov.....	-675	65-9
June.....	-675	65-9	Dec.....	-675	65-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-675; Index—65-9

## QUININE

Price per ounce at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of  
month

Jan.....	\$ 0-535	101-9	July.....	\$ 0-535	101-9
Feb.....	-535	101-9	Aug.....	-535	101-9
March.....	-535	101-9	Sept.....	-535	101-9
April.....	-535	101-9	Oct.....	-535	101-9
May.....	-535	101-9	Nov.....	-535	101-9
June.....	-535	101-9	Dec.....	-535	101-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-535; Index—101-9

## CASTOR OIL

Price per pound in barrels at Montreal and Toronto, on  
first day of month

Jan.....	\$ 0-090	58-1	July.....	\$ 0-090	58-1
Feb.....	-090	58-1	Aug.....	-080	51-6
March.....	-090	58-1	Sept.....	-080	51-6
April.....	-090	58-1	Oct.....	-100	64-5
May.....	-090	58-1	Nov.....	-100	64-5
June.....	-090	58-1	Dec.....	-100	64-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$0-091; Index—58-7

## IODINE, CRUDE

Price per pound at Montreal

Jan.....	\$ 1-600	38-9	July.....	\$ 1-500	36-5
Feb.....	1-600	38-9	Aug.....	1-500	36-5
March.....	1-600	38-9	Sept.....	1-500	36-5
April.....	1-500	36-5	Oct.....	1-500	36-5
May.....	1-500	36-5	Nov.....	1-500	36-5
June.....	1-500	36-5	Dec.....	1-500	36-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-525; Index—37-1



## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Concluded

## FERTILIZERS

MURIATE OF POTASH, 48 PER CENT,  $K_2O$ Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid,  
Saint John, N.B.

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 48-000	127-4	July.....	\$ 48-000	127-4
Feb.....	48-000	127-4	Aug.....	48-000	127-4
March.....	48-000	127-4	Sept.....	48-000	127-4
April.....	48-000	127-4	Oct.....	48-000	127-4
May.....	48-000	127-4	Nov.....	48-000	127-4
June.....	48-000	127-4	Dec.....	48-000	127-4

Average, 1935: Price—\$48-000; Index—127-4

## DRIED BLOOD

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots,  
freight prepaid, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 54-000	67-5	July.....	\$ 54-000	67-5
Feb.....	54-000	67-5	Aug.....	54-000	67-5
March.....	54-000	67-5	Sept.....	54-000	67-5
April.....	54-000	67-5	Oct.....	54-000	67-5
May.....	54-000	67-5	Nov.....	54-000	67-5
June.....	54-000	67-5	Dec.....	54-000	67-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$54-000; Index—67-5

SUPERPHOSPHATE, 20 PER CENT, AV.  $P_2O_5$ 

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 19-000	88-5	July.....	\$ 19-000	88-5
Feb.....	19-000	88-5	Aug.....	19-000	88-5
March.....	19-000	88-5	Sept.....	19-000	88-5
April.....	19-000	88-5	Oct.....	19-000	88-5
May.....	19-000	88-5	Nov.....	19-000	88-5
June.....	19-000	88-5	Dec.....	19-000	88-5

Average, 1935: Price—\$19-000; Index—88-5

BASIC SLAG, 16 PER CENT,  $P_2O_5$ 

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 20-500	112-6	July.....	\$ 20-500	112-6
Feb.....	20-500	112-6	Aug.....	20-500	112-6
March.....	20-500	112-6	Sept.....	20-500	112-6
April.....	20-500	112-6	Oct.....	20-500	112-6
May.....	20-500	112-6	Nov.....	20-500	112-6
June.....	20-500	112-6	Dec.....	20-500	112-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$20-500; Index—112-6

SULPHATE OF POTASH, 50 PER CENT,  $K_2O$ Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots,  
freight prepaid, Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 50-000	97-0	July.....	\$ 50-000	97-0
Feb.....	50-000	97-0	Aug.....	50-000	97-0
March.....	50-000	97-0	Sept.....	50-000	97-0
April.....	50-000	97-0	Oct.....	50-000	97-0
May.....	50-000	97-0	Nov.....	50-000	97-0
June.....	50-000	97-0	Dec.....	50-000	97-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$50-000; Index—97-0

TANKAGE, 6 PER CENT N., 15 PER CENT T.P. $2O_5$ 

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 42-000	105-0	July.....	\$ 42-000	105-0
Feb.....	42-000	105-0	Aug.....	42-000	105-0
March.....	42-000	105-0	Sept.....	42-000	105-0
April.....	42-000	105-0	Oct.....	42-000	105-0
May.....	42-000	105-0	Nov.....	42-000	105-0
June.....	42-000	105-0	Dec.....	42-000	105-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$42-000; Index—105-0

## CYANAMID, 21 PER CENT N.

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots,  
freight prepaid, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 35-000	70-0	July.....	\$ 35-000	70-0
Feb.....	35-000	70-0	Aug.....	35-000	70-0
March.....	35-000	70-0	Sept.....	35-000	70-0
April.....	35-000	70-0	Oct.....	35-000	70-0
May.....	35-000	70-0	Nov.....	35-000	70-0
June.....	35-000	70-0	Dec.....	35-000	70-0

Average, 1935: Price—\$35-000; Index—70-0

## FERTILIZERS—Concluded

BONE MEAL, 3 PER CENT N., 21 PER CENT T.  $P_2O_5$ Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots,  
freight, prepaid, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 35-000	92-1	July.....	\$ 35-000	92-1
Feb.....	35-000	92-1	Aug.....	35-000	92-1
March.....	35-000	92-1	Sept.....	35-000	92-1
April.....	35-000	92-1	Oct.....	35-000	92-1
May.....	35-000	92-1	Nov.....	35-000	92-1
June.....	35-000	92-1	Dec.....	35-000	92-1

Average, 1935: Price—\$35-000; Index—92-1

## SULPHATE OF AMMONIA, 20 PER CENT, W.S.N.

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots,  
freight prepaid, Ontario

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 40-000	53-3	July.....	\$ 40-000	53-3
Feb.....	40-000	53-3	Aug.....	40-000	53-3
March.....	40-000	53-3	Sept.....	40-000	53-3
April.....	40-000	53-3	Oct.....	40-000	53-3
May.....	40-000	53-3	Nov.....	40-000	53-3
June.....	40-000	53-3	Dec.....	40-000	53-3

Average, 1935: Price—\$40-000; Index—53-3

## NITRATE OF SODA, 16 PER CENT, W.S.N.

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots,  
freight prepaid, Quebec

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 46-000	67-9	July.....	\$ 46-000	67-9
Feb.....	46-000	67-9	Aug.....	46-000	67-9
March.....	46-000	67-9	Sept.....	46-000	67-9
April.....	46-000	67-9	Oct.....	46-000	67-9
May.....	46-000	67-9	Nov.....	46-000	67-9
June.....	46-000	67-9	Dec.....	46-000	67-9

Average, 1935: Price—\$46-000; Index—67-9

## INDUSTRIAL GASES

## ACETYLENE, CYLINDERS

Price per 100 cubic feet at Montreal and Toronto,  
on first day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 2-750	91-7	July.....	\$ 2-750	91-7
Feb.....	2-750	91-7	Aug.....	2-750	91-7
March.....	2-750	91-7	Sept.....	2-750	91-7
April.....	2-750	91-7	Oct.....	2-750	91-7
May.....	2-750	91-7	Nov.....	2-750	91-7
June.....	2-750	91-7	Dec.....	2-750	91-7

Average, 1935: Price—\$2-750; Index—91-7

## OXYGEN, CYLINDERS

Price per 100 cubic feet at Montreal and Toronto,  
on first day of month

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 1-575	78-8	July.....	\$ 1-575	78-8
Feb.....	1-575	78-8	Aug.....	1-575	78-8
March.....	1-575	78-8	Sept.....	1-575	78-8
April.....	1-575	78-8	Oct.....	1-575	78-8
May.....	1-575	78-8	Nov.....	1-575	78-8
June.....	1-575	78-8	Dec.....	1-575	78-8

Average, 1935: Price—\$1-575; Index—78-8

## SOAP

## SOAP, COMMON, LAUNDRY

Price per case 100 cartons at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 5-000	92-6	July.....	\$ 5-000	92-6
Feb.....	5-000	92-6	Aug.....	5-000	92-6
March.....	5-000	92-6	Sept.....	5-000	92-6
April.....	5-000	92-6	Oct.....	5-000	92-6
May.....	5-000	92-6	Nov.....	5-000	92-6
June.....	5-000	92-6	Dec.....	5-000	92-6

Average, 1935: Price—\$5-000; Index—92-6

## SOAP, TOILET

Price per case 100 cartons at Toronto

	Price	Index		Price	Index
Jan.....	\$ 4-600	—	July.....	\$ 4-850	—
Feb.....	4-600	—	Aug.....	4-850	—
March.....	4-850	—	Sept.....	4-850	—
April.....	4-850	—	Oct.....	4-850	—
May.....	4-850	—	Nov.....	4-850	—
June.....	4-850	—	Dec.....	4-850	—

Average, 1935: Price—\$4-808

# CANADIAN COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBERS

1914-1936  
1926=100

INDEX  
NUMBERS

160

140

120

100

80

60

40

0

COST OF LIVING  
FOOD

1914' 1915

1919 1920

1924 1925

1929 1930

1934 1935 '36

## RETAIL PRICES AND COST OF LIVING IN CANADA

Collection of data and calculation of index numbers of retail prices and the cost of living are carried out in cooperation by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics (Department of Trade and Commerce) and the Department of Labour. Resultant series of index numbers are computed from different points of view. The computations of the Labour Department are designed to show changes in the cost of living for working men in cities. They are constructed from family budgets, principally a weekly family budget of staple foods, fuel and rent, published monthly in the Labour Gazette since 1915 and annually since 1911; in addition, are included figures for clothing and sundry items and further data for fuel, light and rent. The Labour Department aims by this method to have a basis for computation that can be readily applied to the data for any given locality or district at any time, or for any class of labour; for instance, coal miners, who usually do not live in cities. Index numbers of retail prices and cost of living issued by the Bureau are constructed from a more general point of view, having for their object the measurement of the general movement of such prices and costs in the Dominion as a whole, and being so calculated as to make comparisons possible with other general index numbers constructed on similar principles, as, for example, the index of wholesale prices. Calculated as they are on the aggregative principle, i.e., the total consumption of each commodity, the Bureau's index numbers afford an excellent measurement of changes in the average cost of living in the Dominion as distinguished from that of any particular class or section.

In the Bureau's index 1926 is taken as the base year, and is represented by 100 to bring it into conformity with other series of index numbers shown in this report. The Labour Department uses 1913 as 100 for both cost of living and wages index numbers.

The Canadian cost of living index on the base 1926=100, advanced from 78.7 for 1934 to 79.3 for 1935. The movement of the index was gradually upward during 1935, and it rose irregularly from 78.7 in January to 80.5 in December. When it is recalled that the extreme low point of the recent decline was 76.6 for June of 1933, the moderate proportions of subsequent increases are readily apparent. The rise in living costs in the past three years relative to improvement in primary product prices has been smaller than in many other countries.

As might be expected, higher prices have been most noticeable among foods. An index of this group has mounted from a low point of 60.4 in March, 1933, to 73.7 for December, 1935, representing an increase of over 20 per cent. The average yearly index advanced from 69.4 in 1934 to 70.4 in 1935. During 1935, it was highest in December at 73.7 and lowest in April at 68.6. Prices of meats, milk, lard, beans and tea were appreciably higher, while moderate declines were noted for sugar, rice, prunes, coffee and potatoes.

The fuel and lighting group declined from 87.7 in 1934 to 86.8 in 1935, the recession being distributed as follows: coal from 88.9 to 87.3, coke from 86.9 to 85.6 and gas from 94.0 to 93.2. Wood recorded a slight advance. A survey of this group indicates that prices of fuel generally have tended gradually downward since 1921, when the index stood at 109.2.

Rentals were firm, causing an index for shelter costs to move up from 80.3 in the first quarter of 1935 to 82.6 in the final four months of the year. This represented a very moderate rise from the low of 79.7 for the summer months of 1934. As between 1934 and 1935 there was an advance of approximately 1.5 p.c.

An index of clothing prices increased fractionally from 70.5 in 1934 to 70.7 in 1935. The weak tendency apparent in the first eight months of 1935 was followed by an advance in the next three months, with a slight decline occurring in December. Women's clothing and yarn materials were mainly responsible for the upward tendency noted, men's apparel showing very little change. Firmness in raw silk prices and advances for wool were indicative of continued firmness.

Increases for the sub-indexes calculated for household effects, furniture, theatre admissions, newspapers, doctors' and dentists' fees, and laundry were sufficient to slightly more than offset declines which affected medicines, tobacco, toilet articles, educational requirements, tram fares, hospital charges and motor operating costs, causing the index for miscellaneous items to advance from 92.1 in 1934 to 92.2 in 1935. Indexes by months for the latter year fluctuated narrowly between 92.0 and 92.5.



TABLE XX—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1935

(1926=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index	Retail Prices Index (Food, Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements)	Retail Prices Index (Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements)
1913	65.4	66.2	65.8	64.1	63.3	66.2		
1914	66.0	68.9	64.5	62.2	63.9	66.2		
1915	67.3	69.5	63.2	60.3	69.6	66.9		
1916	72.5	77.5	64.5	60.9	79.7	70.2		
1917	85.6	100.0	71.7	65.4	93.7	76.8		
1918	97.4	114.6	78.9	69.2	109.5	86.1		
1919	107.2	122.5	86.2	75.6	125.9	95.4		
1920	124.2	141.1	102.6	86.5	153.2	104.0		
1921	109.2	107.9	109.2	94.2	124.7	106.0		
1922	100.0	91.4	104.6	98.1	105.7	106.0		
1923	100.0	92.1	104.6	100.6	104.4	105.3		
1924	98.0	90.7	102.0	101.3	101.9	103.3		
1925	99.3	94.7	100.0	101.3	101.9	101.3		
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927	98.4	98.1	97.9	98.8	97.5	99.1	97.9	97.7
1928	98.9	98.6	96.9	101.2	97.4	98.8	97.9	97.3
1929	99.9	101.0	96.4	103.3	96.9	99.0	98.9	96.9
1930	99.2	98.6	95.7	105.9	93.9	99.4	96.7	94.9
1931	89.6	77.3	94.2	103.0	82.2	97.4	82.5	87.3
1932	81.4	64.3	91.4	94.7	72.8	94.6	72.7	80.6
1933	77.7	63.7	87.7	85.1	67.9	92.6	70.4	76.7
1934	78.7	69.4	87.7	80.1	70.5	92.1	73.9	78.2
1935	79.3	70.4	86.8	81.3	70.7	92.2	74.3	77.9
1932								
January	84.8	69.6	93.7	99.3	76.4	94.8	76.7	83.3
February	83.8	66.5	93.6	99.3	76.4	94.8	75.2	83.3
March	83.3	66.1	93.4	99.3	74.5	94.6	74.2	82.0
April	83.1	65.4	92.6	99.3	74.5	94.7	73.0	81.9
May	81.2	62.9	90.9	93.9	74.5	94.9	72.5	81.6
June	80.4	62.1	90.7	93.9	71.9	94.7	71.3	80.0
July	80.1	61.4	90.5	93.9	71.9	94.5	70.9	79.9
August	80.8	63.5	91.6	93.9	71.9	94.5	72.0	80.0
September	80.4	63.0	91.5	93.9	70.7	94.4	71.3	79.2
October	79.8	63.6	90.5	90.0	70.7	94.4	71.6	79.1
November	79.9	63.9	90.2	90.0	70.7	94.4	71.7	79.1
December	79.5	64.0	89.1	90.0	69.2	94.2	71.2	78.0
1933								
January	78.8	62.8	89.2	90.0	69.2	92.9	70.6	77.9
February	78.1	60.6	89.1	90.0	69.2	92.7	69.5	77.8
March	77.5	60.4	88.7	90.0	66.5	92.5	68.4	76.0
April	77.7	61.3	88.7	90.0	66.5	92.5	68.9	76.0
May	76.7	61.9	88.4	84.0	66.5	92.5	69.2	76.0
June	76.6	62.2	87.7	84.0	66.1	92.4	69.1	75.6
July	76.8	63.2	86.0	84.0	66.1	92.4	69.4	75.2
August	78.2	67.8	86.4	84.0	66.1	92.4	71.7	75.3
September	78.4	65.9	86.3	84.0	69.9	92.7	71.9	77.6
October	77.6	65.4	87.1	80.4	69.9	92.7	71.7	77.7
November	77.7	65.8	87.2	80.4	69.9	92.7	72.0	77.8
December	77.9	66.6	87.3	80.4	69.2	92.8	72.2	77.5
1934								
January	78.0	67.7	87.3	80.4	69.2	92.1	72.6	77.3
February	78.5	69.4	87.2	80.4	69.2	92.1	73.5	77.3
March	79.7	72.9	87.4	80.4	69.9	92.2	75.4	77.8
April	79.2	71.0	87.7	80.4	69.9	92.2	74.5	77.8
May	78.3	68.6	87.8	79.7	69.9	92.0	73.3	77.8
June	78.0	67.6	87.2	79.7	70.1	92.1	72.9	77.8
July	78.2	68.4	87.0	79.7	70.1	92.1	73.2	77.8
August	78.5	69.3	87.6	79.7	70.1	92.0	73.7	77.9
September	78.8	68.8	88.0	79.7	72.3	92.1	74.2	79.2
October	79.1	69.4	88.5	80.3	72.3	92.0	74.5	79.3
November	79.3	69.9	88.6	80.3	72.3	92.0	74.7	79.3
December	78.9	69.3	88.4	80.3	71.0	92.0	74.1	78.6
1935								
January	78.7	68.8	88.7	80.3	71.0	92.0	73.8	78.5
February	78.8	69.2	88.7	80.3	71.0	92.0	74.0	78.5
March	78.8	69.5	88.6	80.3	70.3	92.0	73.9	78.1
April	78.6	68.6	88.6	80.3	70.3	92.1	73.5	78.1
May	78.6	68.7	85.8	81.4	70.3	92.0	73.2	77.5
June	78.8	69.3	84.7	81.4	69.9	92.5	73.3	77.1
July	78.7	69.3	84.6	81.4	69.9	92.3	73.3	77.0
August	79.4	71.3	85.3	81.4	69.9	92.3	74.3	77.2
September	79.6	70.9	85.3	81.4	71.6	92.5	74.7	78.3
October	80.2	72.4	86.4	82.6	71.6	92.3	75.5	78.4
November	80.6	73.2	87.0	82.6	71.6	92.3	76.0	78.6
December	80.5	73.7	87.1	82.6	70.6	92.1	76.0	78.1

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TABLE XXI—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1935

(1913=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	101.0	104.0	98.0	97.0	101.0	100.0
1915.....	103.0	104.9	96.1	94.1	110.0	101.0
1916.....	111.0	117.0	98.0	95.0	125.9	106.0
1917.....	131.0	151.0	109.0	102.0	148.0	116.0
1918.....	149.0	173.0	119.9	117.9	173.0	130.0
1919.....	164.0	185.0	131.0	117.9	198.9	144.1
1920.....	190.0	213.1	156.0	134.9	242.1	157.0
1921.....	167.1	162.9	166.0	147.0	197.0	160.1
1922.....	153.0	138.0	159.0	153.0	167.0	160.1
1923.....	153.0	139.1	159.0	156.9	165.0	159.0
1924.....	149.9	137.0	155.0	158.0	161.0	156.0
1925.....	151.9	143.0	152.0	156.0	158.0	151.0
1926.....	153.0	151.0	152.0	154.1	154.1	149.6
1927.....	150.6	148.1	148.8	157.9	153.9	149.2
1928.....	151.3	148.9	147.2	161.1	153.1	149.5
1929.....	152.8	152.5	146.5	165.2	148.4	150.1
1930.....	151.8	148.9	143.2	160.7	129.9	147.1
1931.....	137.1	116.7	138.9	147.7	115.0	142.8
1932.....	124.5	97.1	133.3	132.8	107.3	139.8
1933.....	118.9	96.2	133.3	125.0	111.4	139.1
1934.....	120.4	104.8	131.9	126.8	111.7	139.2
1935.....	121.3	106.3				
1932						
January.....	129.7	105.1	142.4	154.9	120.7	143.1
February.....	128.2	100.4	142.3	154.9	120.7	143.1
March.....	127.4	99.8	142.0	154.9	117.7	142.8
April.....	127.1	98.8	140.8	154.9	117.7	143.0
May.....	124.2	95.0	138.2	146.5	117.7	143.3
June.....	123.0	93.8	137.9	146.5	113.6	143.0
July.....	122.6	92.7	137.6	146.5	113.6	142.7
August.....	123.6	95.9	139.2	146.5	113.6	142.5
September.....	123.0	95.1	139.1	146.5	111.7	142.5
October.....	122.1	96.0	137.6	140.4	111.7	142.5
November.....	122.2	96.5	137.1	140.4	111.7	142.5
December.....	121.6	96.6	135.4	140.4	109.3	142.2
1933						
January.....	120.6	94.8	135.6	140.4	109.3	140.3
February.....	119.5	91.5	135.4	140.4	109.3	140.0
March.....	118.6	91.2	134.8	140.4	105.1	139.7
April.....	118.9	92.6	134.8	140.4	105.1	139.7
May.....	117.4	93.5	134.4	131.0	105.1	139.7
June.....	117.2	93.9	133.3	131.0	104.4	139.1
July.....	117.5	95.4	130.7	131.0	104.4	139.1
August.....	119.6	102.4	131.3	131.0	104.4	139.1
September.....	120.0	99.5	131.2	131.0	110.4	140.0
October.....	118.7	98.7	132.4	125.4	110.4	140.0
November.....	118.9	99.3	132.5	125.4	110.4	140.0
December.....	119.2	100.6	132.7	125.4	109.3	140.1
1934						
January.....	119.3	102.2	132.7	125.4	109.3	139.1
February.....	120.1	104.8	132.5	125.4	109.3	139.1
March.....	121.9	110.1	132.8	125.4	110.4	139.2
April.....	121.2	107.2	133.3	125.4	110.4	139.2
May.....	119.8	103.6	133.5	124.3	110.4	138.6
June.....	119.3	102.1	132.5	124.3	110.8	139.1
July.....	119.6	103.3	132.2	124.3	110.8	138.6
August.....	120.1	104.6	133.2	124.3	114.2	139.1
September.....	120.6	103.9	133.8	125.3	114.2	138.6
October.....	121.0	104.8	134.5	125.3	114.2	138.6
November.....	121.3	105.5	134.7	125.3	112.2	138.6
December.....	120.7	104.6	134.4	125.3		
1935						
January.....	120.4	103.9	134.8	125.3	112.2	138.6
February.....	120.6	104.5	134.8	125.3	111.1	138.6
March.....	120.6	104.9	134.7	125.3	111.1	138.6
April.....	120.3	103.6	134.7	125.3	111.1	138.6
May.....	120.3	103.7	130.4	127.0	110.4	138.6
June.....	120.6	104.6	128.7	127.0	110.4	139.1
July.....	120.4	104.6	128.6	127.0	110.4	139.1
August.....	121.5	107.7	129.7	127.0	113.1	139.1
September.....	121.8	107.1	129.7	127.0	113.1	139.1
October.....	122.9	109.3	131.3	128.9	113.1	139.1
November.....	123.3	110.5	132.2	128.9	113.1	139.1
December.....	123.2	111.3	132.4	128.9	111.5	139.1

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1931-1935

Year and month	Beef, sirloin (Pound)		Beef, chuck (Pound)		Veal, roast (Pound)		Mutton, roast (Pound)		Pork, fresh (Pound)		Pork, salt (Pound)		Bacon, breakfast (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	22.2	75.3	14.8	92.5	15.7	81.8	19.1	63.9	19.5	64.6	17.6	62.9	24.7	57.2
1926—Av. for year.....	29.4	100.0	15.9	100.0	19.2	100.0	29.8	100.0	30.2	100.0	27.9	100.0	43.2	100.0
1931—Av. for year.....	28.6	97.3	15.8	99.4	18.2	94.8	25.6	85.9	22.3	73.8	22.6	81.0	30.1	69.7
January.....	31.3	106.5	18.6	117.0	21.8	113.5	27.7	89.6	25.8	85.4	26.1	93.5	33.3	88.7
February.....	31.2	106.1	18.5	116.4	21.9	114.1	27.6	92.6	25.4	84.1	26.1	93.5	37.2	86.1
March.....	29.4	100.0	17.1	107.5	20.8	103.3	26.9	90.3	23.1	76.5	24.7	88.5	34.4	79.6
April.....	29.2	99.3	17.0	106.9	19.7	102.6	26.8	89.9	22.9	75.8	23.9	85.7	31.9	73.8
May.....	29.3	99.7	16.3	102.5	18.2	94.8	27.0	90.6	22.6	74.8	23.2	83.2	29.9	69.2
June.....	28.8	98.0	16.0	100.6	17.8	92.7	27.0	90.6	22.7	75.2	23.2	83.2	31.1	72.0
July.....	28.8	98.0	15.6	98.1	17.6	91.7	26.6	89.3	23.2	76.8	22.9	82.1	29.2	67.6
August.....	28.9	98.3	15.2	95.6	16.7	87.0	26.4	88.6	24.5	81.1	22.3	79.9	28.9	66.9
September.....	28.2	95.9	14.5	91.2	16.5	85.9	24.8	83.2	22.3	73.8	22.0	73.9	28.0	64.3
October.....	27.1	92.2	14.1	88.7	16.2	84.4	23.3	78.2	19.9	65.9	19.7	70.6	26.1	60.4
November.....	26.1	88.8	13.8	86.8	16.0	83.3	22.2	74.5	18.3	60.6	18.8	67.4	24.2	56.0
December.....	24.9	84.7	13.2	83.0	15.8	82.3	21.9	73.5	16.6	55.0	17.8	63.8	22.3	51.6
1932—Av. for year.....	24.6	83.7	12.9	81.1	13.9	72.4	21.0	73.8	15.2	50.3	15.5	55.6	18.4	42.6
January.....	25.0	85.0	13.3	83.6	15.3	79.7	22.2	74.5	16.0	53.0	17.2	61.6	20.8	48.1
February.....	25.2	85.7	13.4	84.3	15.7	81.8	22.2	74.5	15.8	52.3	16.8	60.2	19.3	44.7
March.....	25.3	86.1	13.7	86.2	15.7	81.8	22.5	75.5	15.6	51.7	16.1	57.7	18.4	42.6
April.....	24.9	84.7	13.4	84.3	14.6	76.0	22.2	74.5	15.3	50.7	15.9	57.0	17.8	41.2
May.....	24.7	84.0	13.3	83.6	13.6	70.8	22.9	76.8	15.2	50.3	13.4	55.2	17.2	39.8
June.....	25.4	86.4	13.3	83.6	13.5	70.3	22.7	76.2	15.0	49.7	15.3	54.8	16.8	38.9
July.....	25.9	88.1	13.4	84.3	13.4	69.8	21.8	73.2	15.0	49.7	15.0	53.8	16.8	38.9
August.....	25.6	87.1	13.1	82.4	13.2	68.8	21.4	71.8	15.6	51.7	15.2	54.5	17.6	40.7
September.....	25.0	85.0	12.7	79.9	13.1	68.2	20.4	68.5	15.9	52.6	15.0	53.8	18.8	43.5
October.....	24.1	82.0	12.4	78.0	13.2	68.8	19.3	64.8	15.7	52.0	15.3	54.8	19.6	45.4
November.....	22.7	77.2	11.9	74.8	12.7	66.1	17.9	60.1	14.5	48.0	14.8	53.0	19.2	44.4
December.....	20.8	70.7	10.9	68.6	12.2	63.5	16.6	55.7	12.9	42.7	14.1	50.5	18.6	43.1
1933—Av. for year.....	21.0	71.4	11.2	70.4	11.9	60.2	18.9	63.4	15.1	50.0	14.8	53.0	19.9	46.1
January.....	20.5	69.7	11.0	69.2	12.0	62.5	16.7	56.0	12.7	42.1	13.9	49.8	18.1	41.9
February.....	20.6	70.1	10.9	69.6	12.2	63.5	17.5	58.7	12.2	40.4	13.4	48.0	17.4	40.3
March.....	20.4	69.4	10.9	68.6	12.4	64.6	17.9	60.1	12.3	40.7	13.5	48.4	17.7	41.0
April.....	20.6	70.1	11.3	71.1	12.3	64.1	19.4	65.1	14.4	47.7	14.3	51.3	18.8	43.5
May.....	21.7	73.8	11.8	74.2	12.0	62.5	21.1	70.8	15.1	50.0	14.6	52.3	19.9	46.1
June.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	21.2	71.1	15.7	52.0	15.1	54.1	20.2	46.8
July.....	22.1	75.2	12.0	75.5	12.0	62.5	20.9	70.1	16.0	53.0	15.2	54.5	20.4	47.2
August.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.7	69.5	17.1	56.6	15.5	55.6	21.2	49.1
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.7	60.9	18.8	63.1	17.1	56.6	15.7	56.3	21.0	43.6
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.0	69.2	11.6	60.4	17.8	59.7	17.2	57.0	16.0	57.3	21.4	40.5
November.....	19.9	67.7	10.6	66.7	11.5	59.9	17.2	57.7	15.8	52.3	15.7	56.3	21.1	43.8
December.....	19.2	65.3	10.2	64.2	11.3	58.9	17.4	58.4	15.8	52.3	15.3	54.8	21.1	43.8
1934—Av. for year.....	21.3	72.4	11.4	71.7	12.1	63.0	20.1	67.4	20.1	66.6	18.6	66.7	30.4	70.4
January.....	20.0	68.0	10.5	66.0	12.2	63.5	19.0	63.8	16.6	55.0	15.7	56.3	21.6	50.0
February.....	21.1	71.8	11.3	71.1	12.5	65.1	20.1	67.4	19.1	63.2	18.3	65.6	24.8	57.4
March.....	21.4	72.8	11.9	74.8	13.1	68.2	20.9	70.1	21.2	70.2	18.8	67.4	28.7	66.4
April.....	21.4	72.8	12.0	75.5	12.9	67.2	20.6	69.1	20.6	68.2	18.7	67.0	29.0	67.1
May.....	22.0	74.8	12.1	76.1	12.2	63.5	22.1	74.2	19.6	64.9	17.9	64.2	28.7	66.4
June.....	22.2	75.5	12.3	77.4	11.9	62.0	21.6	72.5	20.0	66.2	18.3	65.6	29.1	67.4
July.....	22.5	76.5	12.2	76.7	11.9	62.0	20.9	70.1	20.9	69.2	18.8	67.4	31.1	72.0
August.....	22.4	76.2	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.9	70.1	21.7	71.9	19.3	69.2	33.2	76.9
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.9	62.0	19.0	63.8	21.6	71.5	19.6	70.3	35.1	81.3
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.1	69.3	11.7	60.9	13.4	61.7	20.7	68.5	19.6	70.3	36.2	83.8
November.....	20.2	68.7	10.6	66.7	11.6	60.4	18.7	62.8	20.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	34.5	79.9
December.....	19.3	65.6	10.3	64.8	11.6	60.4	18.8	63.1	19.1	63.2	19.1	68.5	32.7	75.7
1935—Av. for year.....	22.9	77.9	12.5	78.6	12.9	67.2	20.8	69.8	21.2	70.2	19.9	71.3	31.0	71.8
January.....	20.0	63.0	10.8	67.9	12.1	63.0	19.8	66.4	19.4	64.2	19.0	63.1	32.3	74.8
February.....	20.9	71.1	11.2	70.4	12.9	67.2	20.7	69.5	19.9	65.9	19.4	69.5	31.9	73.8
March.....	21.2	72.1	11.6	73.0	12.9	67.2	20.9	70.1	20.6	66.2	19.2	68.8	31.5	72.9
April.....	22.5	76.5	12.6	79.2	12.7	66.1	21.5	72.1	26.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	31.2	72.2
May.....	23.7	80.6	13.4	84.3	12.6	65.6	21.6	72.5	20.4	67.5	19.6	70.3	30.3	70.1
June.....	24.8	84.4	14.0	88.1	12.7	66.1	21.5	72.1	21.3	70.5	19.7	70.6	30.1	69.7
July.....	25.1	85.4	14.0	88.1	12.8	66.7	21.4	71.8	22.4	74.2	20.2	72.0	30.1	69.7
August.....	24.8	84.4	13.2	83.0	12.7	66.1	21.1	70.8	22.6	74.8	20.5	73.5	31.6	73.1
September.....	24.3	82.7	12.8	80.5	12.9	67.2	20.9	70.1	23.1	76.5	20.5	73.5	31.8	73.6
October.....	23.4	79.6	12.7	79.9	13.4	69.8	20.3	68.1	22.7	75.2	20.4	73.1	31.2	72.2
November.....	22.5	76.5	12.3	77.4	13.4	69.8	19.9	66.8	21.9	72.5	20.5	73.1	29.9	69.2
December.....	22.3	75.9	12.1	76.1	13.4	69.8	20.2	67.8	20.8	68.9	20.4	73.1	29.9	69.2



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TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1931-1935—Continued

Year and month	Lard, pure (Pound)	(A) Eggs, fresh (Dozen)	(B & C) Eggs, storage (Dozen)	Milk (Quart)	Butter, dairy (Pound)	Butter, creamery (Pound)	Cheese (Pound)							
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price		
1913—Av. for year.....	19.2	78.4	38.5	82.3	33.0	82.9	8.6	71.7	29.2	72.1	33.9	75.8	19.8	62.3
1926—Av. for year.....	24.5	100.0	46.8	100.0	39.8	100.0	12.0	100.0	40.5	100.0	44.7	100.0	31.8	100.0
1931—Av. for year.....	15.8	64.5	33.6	71.8	27.1	68.1	11.3	94.2	27.2	67.2	30.9	69.1	25.1	78.9
January.....	20.8	84.9	50.3	107.5	40.1	100.8	12.3	102.5	33.8	83.5	37.3	83.4	29.2	91.8
February.....	20.2	82.4	35.0	74.8	27.4	68.8	12.2	101.7	33.4	82.5	37.7	84.3	28.7	90.3
March.....	18.4	75.1	33.9	72.4	27.6	69.3	12.1	100.8	33.0	81.5	37.6	84.1	28.2	88.7
April.....	16.7	68.2	28.4	60.7	23.2	58.3	11.9	99.2	33.2	82.0	37.2	83.2	27.8	87.4
May.....	16.1	65.7	25.5	54.5	20.6	51.8	11.6	96.7	28.9	71.4	32.8	73.4	26.6	63.6
June.....	15.2	62.0	23.6	50.4	19.6	49.2	11.1	92.5	23.7	58.5	27.1	60.6	23.5	73.9
July.....	14.6	59.6	24.3	51.9	20.3	51.0	11.0	91.7	23.2	57.3	26.8	60.0	23.7	74.8
August.....	14.2	58.0	26.1	55.8	22.0	55.3	10.8	90.0	23.5	58.0	27.0	60.4	23.0	72.3
September.....	13.8	56.3	30.3	64.7	25.7	64.6	10.8	90.0	23.3	57.5	26.8	60.0	22.9	72.0
October.....	13.3	54.3	32.4	69.2	27.7	69.6	10.8	90.0	23.1	57.0	26.2	58.6	22.5	70.8
November.....	12.9	52.7	44.4	94.9	34.4	86.4	10.8	90.0	23.7	58.5	27.2	60.9	22.5	70.8
December.....	13.0	53.1	49.5	105.8	36.7	92.2	10.8	90.0	23.7	58.5	27.2	60.9	22.5	70.8
1932—Av. for year.....	12.1	49.4	29.4	62.8	22.8	57.3	9.9	82.5	21.6	53.3	25.3	56.6	20.6	64.8
January.....	12.8	52.2	41.8	89.3	32.6	81.9	10.7	89.2	24.3	60.0	27.5	61.5	22.1	69.5
February.....	12.5	51.0	29.7	63.5	22.7	57.0	10.4	86.7	22.5	55.6	25.9	57.9	21.4	67.3
March.....	11.8	48.2	32.8	70.1	20.5	64.8	10.2	85.0	20.3	50.1	24.1	53.9	21.3	67.0
April.....	11.5	46.9	24.8	53.0	19.9	50.0	10.1	84.2	25.9	64.0	31.2	69.8	21.2	66.7
May.....	11.5	46.9	19.5	41.7	15.1	37.9	10.0	83.3	21.3	52.6	24.5	54.8	21.0	66.0
June.....	11.3	46.1	19.2	41.0	15.0	37.7	9.8	81.7	19.5	48.1	22.6	50.5	20.7	63.1
July.....	11.3	46.1	21.5	45.9	16.8	42.2	9.6	80.0	17.8	44.0	21.6	48.3	20.1	63.2
August.....	11.4	46.5	24.1	51.5	19.6	49.2	9.6	80.0	18.3	45.2	22.1	49.4	20.2	63.5
September.....	12.1	49.4	25.6	54.7	20.4	51.3	9.6	80.0	20.8	51.4	25.0	53.9	19.8	62.9
October.....	12.6	51.4	30.3	64.7	23.9	60.1	9.5	79.2	22.9	56.5	26.9	60.2	20.0	62.9
November.....	13.3	54.3	38.6	82.5	29.4	73.9	9.6	80.0	22.6	55.8	26.4	59.1	19.9	62.9
December.....	12.9	52.7	45.2	96.6	32.1	80.7	9.8	81.7	22.6	55.8	25.9	57.9	19.8	62.3
1933—Av. for year.....	12.6	51.4	28.2	60.2	21.7	54.5	9.5	79.2	22.0	54.3	25.5	57.0	19.6	61.6
January.....	12.3	50.4	39.1	83.5	29.5	74.1	9.7	80.8	22.8	56.3	26.1	58.4	19.6	61.6
February.....	11.7	47.8	28.8	61.5	22.5	56.5	9.7	80.8	22.3	55.1	25.7	57.5	19.4	61.0
March.....	11.5	46.9	27.8	59.4	22.6	56.8	9.7	80.8	22.7	56.0	26.9	60.2	19.2	60.4
April.....	12.3	50.2	23.0	49.1	18.1	45.5	9.3	77.5	24.9	61.5	28.8	64.4	19.5	61.3
May.....	12.8	52.2	19.2	41.0	15.4	38.7	9.3	77.5	24.0	59.3	27.0	60.4	19.8	62.3
June.....	12.9	52.7	19.2	41.0	15.3	38.4	9.1	75.8	20.8	51.4	23.9	53.5	19.3	60.7
July.....	12.7	51.8	21.1	45.0	17.1	43.0	9.2	76.7	19.9	49.1	23.8	53.2	19.4	61.0
August.....	12.8	52.2	23.5	50.2	19.5	49.0	9.2	76.7	21.3	52.6	25.4	56.8	19.9	62.6
September.....	12.8	52.2	24.4	52.1	19.5	49.0	9.4	78.3	21.0	51.9	24.3	54.4	19.6	61.6
October.....	13.1	53.5	29.2	62.4	22.6	56.8	9.6	80.0	21.1	52.1	24.4	54.6	19.7	61.9
November.....	13.2	53.9	37.9	81.0	27.8	69.8	9.7	80.8	21.0	51.9	24.3	54.4	19.7	61.9
December.....	13.3	54.3	44.8	95.7	30.8	77.4	9.7	80.8	22.2	54.8	25.6	57.3	19.7	61.9
1934—Av. for year.....	13.5	55.1	29.9	63.9	25.9	65.1	10.0	83.3	23.6	58.3	27.0	60.4	19.9	62.6
January.....	13.5	55.1	40.7	87.0	30.4	76.4	9.9	82.5	24.4	60.2	28.4	63.5	19.7	61.9
February.....	13.5	55.1	35.3	75.4	28.4	71.4	10.0	83.3	25.7	63.5	29.7	66.4	20.1	63.2
March.....	13.8	56.3	40.5	86.5	34.6	86.9	9.9	82.5	28.3	69.9	32.5	72.7	20.3	63.8
April.....	13.5	55.1	27.1	57.9	22.8	57.3	10.0	83.3	24.3	72.3	32.9	73.6	20.4	64.2
May.....	13.1	53.5	22.3	47.6	18.5	46.5	10.0	83.3	24.5	60.5	27.8	62.2	20.1	63.2
June.....	12.9	52.7	22.3	47.6	18.6	46.7	9.9	82.5	22.2	54.8	25.3	56.6	19.9	62.6
July.....	12.6	51.4	24.8	53.0	21.1	53.0	9.9	82.5	22.0	54.3	25.1	56.8	19.9	62.6
August.....	12.7	51.8	26.9	57.5	22.6	56.8	9.9	82.5	20.8	51.4	24.1	53.9	19.9	62.6
September.....	13.2	53.9	27.5	58.8	23.6	59.3	10.0	83.3	21.0	51.9	23.9	53.5	19.9	62.6
October.....	14.5	59.2	32.6	69.7	27.2	68.3	10.1	84.2	21.8	53.8	24.6	55.0	19.8	62.3
November.....	14.6	59.6	40.4	86.3	31.7	79.6	10.6	88.3	21.7	53.6	24.4	54.6	19.6	61.9
December.....	14.6	59.6	41.8	88.5	31.2	78.4	10.5	87.5	22.2	54.8	25.1	56.2	19.4	61.0
1935—Av. for year.....	16.1	65.7	31.2	66.7	25.8	64.8	10.5	87.5	23.7	58.5	27.3	61.1	19.9	62.6
January.....	14.6	59.6	37.1	79.3	29.3	73.6	10.4	86.7	22.2	54.8	25.5	57.0	19.4	61.0
February.....	14.9	60.8	32.9	70.3	27.0	67.8	10.4	86.7	24.3	60.0	28.0	62.6	19.7	61.9
March.....	15.1	61.6	31.4	67.1	25.9	65.1	10.5	87.5	25.4	62.7	29.6	66.2	19.9	62.6
April.....	15.2	62.0	24.3	51.9	20.3	51.0	10.5	87.5	24.6	60.7	28.1	62.9	20.0	62.9
May.....	15.2	62.0	22.0	47.0	18.6	46.7	10.5	87.5	24.9	61.5	28.6	64.0	20.2	63.5
June.....	15.3	62.4	22.6	48.3	18.9	47.5	10.5	87.5	23.3	57.5	26.3	58.8	20.0	62.9
July.....	15.5	63.3	24.7	52.8	21.1	53.0	10.3	85.8	21.4	52.8	24.8	55.5	19.9	62.6
August.....	15.9	64.9	27.7	59.2	23.7	59.5	10.3	85.8	21.3	52.6	25.0	55.9	19.7	61.9
September.....	17.2	70.2	31.2	66.7	26.4	66.3	10.4	86.7	21.9	54.1	25.4	56.8	19.6	61.6
October.....	18.1	73.9	35.8	76.5	30.1	75.6	10.6	88.3	23.5	58.0	27.1	60.6	19.9	62.6
November.....	18.3	74.7	41.5	88.7	33.4	83.9	10.6	88.3	24.9	61.5	28.6	64.0	20.5	64.5
December.....	18.3	74.7	43.4	92.7	34.7	87.2	10.6	88.3	25.5	65.4	30.3	67.8	20.5	64.5

(a) Eggs, Grade "A".

(b) Eggs, Grades "B" and "C".

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1931-1935—Continued

Year and month	Bread (Pound)		Flour (Pound)		Rolled Oats (Pound)		Rice (Pound)		Beans (Pound)		Apples, evaporated (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	4.1	55.4	3.2	60.4	4.4	75.9	5.7	52.3	6.2	78.5	12.0	60.3
1926—Av. for year.....	7.4	100.0	5.3	100.0	5.8	100.0	10.9	100.0	7.9	100.0	19.9	100.0
1931—Av. for year.....	6.4	86.5	3.2	59.3	5.0	86.2	9.2	84.4	6.1	77.2	17.5	87.9
January.....	6.5	87.8	3.7	69.8	5.3	91.4	9.8	89.9	7.7	97.5	18.6	93.5
February.....	6.4	86.5	3.5	66.0	5.1	87.9	9.6	88.1	7.1	89.9	18.6	93.5
March.....	6.5	87.8	3.4	64.2	5.1	87.9	9.5	87.2	6.5	82.3	18.3	92.0
April.....	6.5	87.8	3.4	64.2	5.0	86.2	9.5	87.2	6.3	79.7	17.6	88.4
May.....	6.4	86.5	3.3	62.3	5.1	87.9	9.1	83.5	6.1	77.2	17.2	86.4
June.....	6.3	85.1	3.3	62.3	5.0	86.2	9.3	85.3	6.1	77.2	16.9	84.9
July.....	6.3	85.1	3.2	60.4	5.0	86.2	9.3	85.3	6.1	77.2	17.0	85.4
August.....	6.3	85.1	2.9	54.7	5.0	86.2	9.1	83.5	5.9	74.7	17.1	85.9
September.....	6.3	85.1	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	9.1	83.5	5.9	74.7	17.4	87.4
October.....	6.3	85.1	3.0	56.6	4.8	82.8	9.0	82.6	5.6	70.9	16.8	84.4
November.....	6.3	85.1	2.9	54.7	4.6	79.3	8.8	80.7	5.1	64.6	16.7	83.9
December.....	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.8	80.7	4.9	62.0	17.6	88.4
1932—Av. for year.....	5.9	79.7	2.9	54.7	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	4.3	54.4	15.9	79.9
January.....	6.3	85.1	3.1	58.5	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	4.8	60.7	16.6	83.4
February.....	6.3	85.1	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	4.6	58.2	16.3	81.9
March.....	6.3	85.1	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	4.4	55.7	16.4	82.4
April.....	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	4.3	54.4	15.8	79.4
May.....	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.6	78.9	4.3	54.4	15.9	79.9
June.....	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	4.3	54.4	15.5	77.9
July.....	5.7	77.0	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.6	78.9	4.3	54.4	15.7	78.9
August.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.5	78.0	4.2	53.2	15.9	80.0
September.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.5	78.0	4.3	54.4	16.1	80.9
October.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.4	77.1	4.3	54.4	15.7	78.9
November.....	5.6	75.7	2.8	52.8	4.7	81.0	8.3	76.1	4.2	53.2	15.8	79.4
December.....	5.8	78.4	2.7	50.9	4.6	79.3	8.2	75.2	4.0	50.6	15.5	77.9
1933—Av. for year.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.8	82.8	8.0	73.4	4.1	51.9	15.0	75.4
January.....	5.7	77.0	2.6	49.1	4.6	79.3	8.2	75.2	3.9	49.4	15.4	77.4
February.....	5.7	77.0	2.6	49.1	4.6	79.3	8.0	73.4	3.8	48.1	14.9	74.9
March.....	5.6	75.7	2.6	49.1	4.5	77.6	8.0	73.4	3.8	48.1	14.7	73.9
April.....	5.2	70.3	2.6	49.1	4.5	77.6	7.9	72.5	3.7	46.8	14.8	74.4
May.....	5.3	71.6	2.7	50.9	4.6	79.3	7.9	72.5	3.8	48.1	14.9	74.9
June.....	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7	4.7	81.0	7.9	72.5	4.0	50.6	14.9	74.9
July.....	5.7	77.0	3.0	56.6	4.8	82.8	8.0	73.4	4.1	51.9	15.2	76.4
August.....	5.8	78.4	3.3	62.3	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	4.4	55.7	15.1	75.9
September.....	6.1	82.4	3.3	62.3	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.4	55.7	15.4	77.4
October.....	5.7	77.0	3.2	60.4	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	4.5	57.0	15.0	75.4
November.....	5.8	78.4	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	4.4	55.7	15.1	75.9
December.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	4.4	55.7	15.2	76.4
1934—Av. for year.....	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.6	58.2	15.1	75.9
January.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.4	55.7	15.4	77.4
February.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.4	55.7	15.3	76.9
March.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.2	75.2	4.5	57.0	14.9	74.9
April.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.5	57.0	15.3	76.9
May.....	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5	4.9	84.5	8.1	74.3	4.5	57.0	15.0	75.4
June.....	5.5	74.3	3.2	60.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	4.6	58.2	15.2	76.4
July.....	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	4.6	58.2	14.7	73.9
August.....	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3	5.1	87.9	8.0	73.4	4.7	59.5	15.1	75.9
September.....	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	4.6	58.2	15.4	77.4
October.....	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	4.7	59.5	15.1	75.9
November.....	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	4.9	62.0	14.9	74.9
December.....	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	4.9	62.0	15.0	75.4
1935—Av. for year.....	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	5.2	65.8	15.5	77.9
January.....	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	5.0	63.3	15.0	75.4
February.....	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	5.1	64.6	15.1	75.9
March.....	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	5.1	64.6	14.9	74.9
April.....	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	5.2	65.8	15.3	76.9
May.....	5.6	75.7	3.4	64.2	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	5.2	65.8	15.6	78.4
June.....	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2	5.3	91.4	7.9	72.5	5.3	67.1	15.9	79.9
July.....	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	5.4	68.4	16.0	80.4
August.....	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	5.3	67.1	16.1	80.9
September.....	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	5.2	65.8	15.7	78.9
October.....	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3	5.3	91.4	7.9	72.5	5.3	67.1	15.4	77.4
November.....	5.7	77.0	3.5	66.0	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	5.3	67.1	15.4	77.4
December.....	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	5.4	68.4	15.7	78.9

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1931-1935—Continued

Year and month	Prunes (Pound)		Sugar, granulated (Pound)		Sugar, yellow (Pound)		Tea (Pound)		Coffee (Pound)		Potatoes (Peck)		Vinegar (Pint)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.9	75.8	5.9	75.6	5.5	73.3	35.6	49.6	37.6	61.4	18.0	35.7	6.4	83.1
1926—Av. for year.....	15.7	100.0	7.8	100.0	7.5	100.0	71.7	100.0	61.2	100.0	50.4	100.0	7.7	100.0
1931—Av. for year.....	12.0	76.4	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	54.9	76.6	49.1	80.2	22.3	44.2	7.6	98.7
January.....	12.6	80.3	6.3	80.8	6.1	81.3	57.3	79.9	53.2	86.9	26.5	52.6	7.7	100.0
February.....	12.3	78.3	6.3	80.8	6.1	81.3	56.5	78.8	51.7	84.5	25.9	51.4	7.7	100.0
March.....	12.1	77.1	6.3	80.8	6.0	80.8	56.3	78.5	51.2	83.7	24.7	49.0	7.7	100.0
April.....	12.1	77.1	6.3	80.8	6.0	80.0	55.8	77.8	50.3	82.2	23.4	46.4	7.6	98.7
May.....	11.9	75.8	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	55.1	76.8	50.0	81.7	23.2	46.0	7.6	98.7
June.....	11.7	74.5	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	54.7	76.3	49.0	80.1	21.9	43.5	7.6	98.7
July.....	12.0	76.4	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	55.1	76.8	49.1	80.2	22.7	45.0	7.7	100.0
August.....	11.7	74.5	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	54.9	76.6	49.2	80.4	29.3	58.1	7.6	98.7
September.....	12.2	77.7	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	54.3	75.7	47.9	78.3	20.6	40.9	7.7	100.0
October.....	11.9	75.8	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	53.6	74.8	47.1	77.0	17.6	34.9	7.5	97.4
November.....	12.1	77.1	6.2	79.5	6.0	80.0	52.7	73.5	45.9	75.0	16.1	31.9	7.5	97.4
December.....	11.8	75.2	6.2	79.5	5.9	78.7	52.4	73.1	45.0	73.5	16.1	31.9	7.5	97.4
1932—Av. for year.....	11.0	70.1	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0	46.8	65.3	42.6	69.6	17.1	33.9	7.4	96.1
January.....	11.7	74.5	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7	51.4	71.7	44.6	72.9	15.8	31.3	7.6	98.7
February.....	11.4	72.6	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7	51.3	71.5	44.3	72.4	16.1	31.9	7.5	97.4
March.....	11.4	72.6	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7	50.6	70.6	43.5	71.1	15.8	31.3	7.6	98.7
April.....	11.0	70.1	6.0	76.9	5.8	77.3	50.3	70.2	43.7	71.4	15.3	30.4	7.7	100.0
May.....	10.8	68.8	6.0	76.9	5.7	76.0	46.2	64.4	42.6	69.6	15.2	30.1	7.5	97.4
June.....	11.0	70.1	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0	45.5	63.4	42.4	69.3	14.7	29.2	7.5	97.4
July.....	10.9	69.4	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0	45.0	62.8	42.1	68.8	14.9	29.6	7.5	97.4
August.....	11.0	70.1	5.8	74.4	5.7	76.0	44.6	62.2	41.6	68.0	26.4	52.4	7.4	96.1
September.....	11.2	71.3	5.9	75.6	5.6	74.7	45.2	63.0	42.4	69.3	18.4	36.5	7.3	94.8
October.....	10.8	68.8	5.8	74.4	5.7	76.0	44.5	62.1	41.3	67.5	17.3	34.3	7.2	93.5
November.....	10.7	68.2	5.8	74.4	5.7	76.0	43.8	61.1	41.2	67.3	17.3	34.3	7.3	94.8
December.....	10.6	67.5	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7	43.7	60.9	41.0	67.0	18.1	35.9	7.2	93.5
1933—Av. for year.....	11.4	72.6	7.3	93.6	7.1	94.7	42.2	58.9	39.6	64.7	23.0	45.6	7.2	93.5
January.....	10.8	68.8	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7	43.2	60.3	40.9	66.8	19.0	37.7	7.2	93.5
February.....	10.6	67.5	5.7	73.1	5.6	74.7	42.2	58.9	40.1	65.5	19.2	38.1	7.2	93.5
March.....	10.8	68.8	5.6	71.8	5.5	73.3	41.2	57.5	39.4	64.4	19.2	38.1	7.0	90.9
April.....	10.9	69.4	7.4	94.9	7.1	94.7	41.9	58.4	39.9	65.2	19.1	37.9	7.2	93.5
May.....	11.2	71.3	7.8	100.0	7.6	101.3	41.7	58.2	39.2	64.1	19.4	38.5	7.3	94.8
June.....	11.3	72.0	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7	40.6	56.6	38.9	63.6	20.8	41.3	7.3	94.8
July.....	11.7	74.5	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7	41.8	58.3	39.1	63.9	22.3	44.2	7.4	96.1
August.....	11.7	74.5	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	41.9	58.4	39.6	64.7	41.0	81.3	7.4	96.1
September.....	12.0	76.4	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0	42.5	59.3	40.0	65.4	28.4	56.3	7.3	94.8
October.....	12.1	77.1	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	42.5	59.3	39.6	64.7	23.9	47.4	7.3	94.8
November.....	12.1	77.1	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0	43.1	60.1	39.7	64.9	22.2	44.0	7.2	93.5
December.....	12.2	77.7	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	43.8	61.1	39.1	63.9	21.6	42.9	7.2	93.5
1934—Av. for year.....	12.7	80.9	7.2	92.3	7.0	93.3	50.5	70.4	38.9	63.6	22.5	44.6	7.2	93.5
January.....	12.3	78.3	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0	45.5	63.5	39.6	64.7	22.1	43.8	7.3	94.8
February.....	12.5	79.6	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	47.4	66.1	39.5	64.5	23.5	46.6	7.3	94.8
March.....	12.7	80.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	48.9	68.2	38.9	63.6	26.4	52.4	7.3	94.8
April.....	12.7	80.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7	49.6	69.2	39.4	64.4	26.9	53.4	7.3	94.8
May.....	12.7	80.9	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7	49.6	69.2	38.8	63.4	25.9	51.4	7.2	93.5
June.....	12.7	80.9	7.0	89.7	6.8	90.7	50.8	70.9	38.7	63.2	24.3	48.2	7.2	93.5
July.....	12.7	80.9	6.8	87.2	6.6	88.0	51.0	71.1	39.1	63.9	23.1	45.8	7.2	93.5
August.....	12.9	82.2	6.7	85.9	6.6	88.0	52.0	72.5	38.8	63.4	25.7	51.0	7.2	93.5
September.....	12.9	82.2	6.6	84.6	6.5	86.7	52.6	73.4	38.9	63.6	20.4	40.5	7.2	93.5
October.....	12.9	82.2	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3	53.1	74.1	38.8	63.4	18.6	36.9	7.2	93.5
November.....	12.8	81.5	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0	52.8	73.6	38.1	62.3	16.7	33.1	7.2	93.5
December.....	12.6	80.3	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0	53.2	74.2	37.9	61.9	16.0	31.7	7.2	93.5
1935—Av. for year.....	12.2	77.7	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7	52.1	72.7	37.4	61.1	19.3	38.3	7.0	90.9
January.....	12.5	79.6	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0	52.9	73.8	38.0	62.1	16.4	32.5	7.1	92.2
February.....	12.5	79.6	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0	52.4	73.1	38.2	62.4	16.5	32.7	7.1	92.2
March.....	12.5	79.6	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0	52.3	72.9	38.1	62.3	16.8	33.3	7.1	92.2
April.....	12.3	78.3	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0	51.8	72.2	37.7	61.6	16.9	33.5	7.1	92.2
May.....	12.3	78.3	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0	52.2	72.8	37.3	60.9	16.6	32.9	7.1	92.2
June.....	12.4	79.0	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0	52.0	72.5	37.6	61.4	16.7	33.1	7.2	93.5
July.....	12.3	78.3	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0	51.8	72.2	37.1	60.6	16.3	32.3	7.2	93.5
August.....	12.3	78.3	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0	51.5	71.8	37.5	61.3	27.5	54.6	7.1	92.2
September.....	12.1	77.1	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0	52.4	73.1	37.1	60.6	20.4	40.5	7.0	90.9
October.....	12.0	76.4	6.3	80.8	6.1	81.3	51.8	72.2	37.1	60.6	22.1	43.8	6.9	89.6
November.....	11.6	73.9	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3	52.3	72.9	36.6	59.8	22.0	43.7	6.9	89.6
December.....	11.3	72.0	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3	51.9	72.4	36.7	60.0	23.6	46.8	6.9	89.6



TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1931-1935—Continued

Year and month	Ham, boiled, sliced (Pound)		Fish, cod, salt, boneless (Pound)		Fish, Finnan Haddie (Pound)		Fish, Salmon, kind most sold (Pound)		Soda Biscuits (Pound)		Tapioca, med. pearl (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	39.8	62.7	12.3	58.9	12.4	60.8	22.8	63.5	11.3	61.4	9.6	74.4
1926—Av. for year.....	63.5	100.0	20.9	100.0	20.4	100.0	35.9	100.0	18.4	100.0	12.9	100.0
1931—Av. for year.....	51.1	80.5	20.6	98.6	19.6	96.1	28.9	80.5	16.8	91.3	11.6	89.9
January.....	57.0	89.8	21.4	102.4	20.1	98.5	33.5	93.3	17.8	96.7	12.0	93.0
February.....	55.3	87.1	21.1	101.0	19.9	97.5	33.1	92.2	17.7	96.2	11.9	92.2
March.....	52.9	83.3	21.1	101.0	19.8	97.1	31.7	88.3	17.5	95.1	11.7	90.7
April.....	50.9	80.2	20.9	100.0	19.4	95.1	29.2	81.3	17.3	94.0	11.7	90.7
May.....	50.2	79.1	21.1	101.0	19.4	95.1	28.3	78.8	17.1	92.9	11.7	90.7
June.....	49.5	78.0	20.9	100.0	19.2	94.1	28.1	78.3	16.9	91.8	11.5	89.1
July.....	49.8	78.4	20.8	99.5	19.0	93.1	27.7	77.2	16.7	90.8	11.6	89.9
August.....	56.6	89.1	20.3	97.1	20.5	100.5	28.1	78.3	16.7	90.8	11.5	89.1
September.....	53.1	83.6	20.0	95.7	19.9	97.5	27.6	76.9	16.9	91.8	11.6	89.9
October.....	49.8	78.4	20.0	95.7	19.3	94.6	26.9	74.9	16.3	88.6	11.5	89.1
November.....	45.9	72.3	19.1	96.2	19.2	94.1	26.2	73.0	15.8	85.9	11.5	89.1
December.....	42.4	66.8	20.9	95.2	19.0	93.1	25.9	72.1	15.3	83.2	11.5	89.1
1932—Av. for year.....	36.8	57.9	19.0	90.9	18.2	89.2	24.6	68.5	15.0	81.5	11.1	86.0
January.....	39.6	62.4	19.6	93.8	18.9	92.6	25.8	71.9	15.0	81.5	11.3	87.6
February.....	38.4	60.5	19.3	92.3	18.5	90.7	25.4	70.8	15.1	82.1	11.2	86.8
March.....	37.5	59.1	19.2	91.9	18.2	89.2	24.6	68.5	15.1	82.1	11.2	86.8
April.....	36.7	57.8	19.0	90.9	18.1	88.7	25.6	71.3	15.0	81.5	11.0	85.3
May.....	36.4	57.3	19.0	90.9	18.0	88.2	25.1	69.9	14.9	81.0	11.2	86.8
June.....	36.4	57.3	19.0	90.9	19.1	93.6	24.3	67.7	15.1	82.1	11.2	86.8
July.....	36.1	56.9	19.1	91.4	17.7	86.8	24.3	67.7	15.1	82.1	11.1	86.0
August.....	36.8	58.0	18.8	90.0	17.8	87.3	24.6	68.5	14.8	80.4	11.0	85.3
September.....	36.8	58.0	19.0	90.9	18.1	88.7	24.6	68.5	15.4	82.7	11.1	86.0
October.....	36.6	57.6	19.5	93.3	18.1	88.7	24.1	67.1	15.2	82.6	11.0	85.3
November.....	35.9	56.5	18.3	87.6	18.1	88.7	23.8	66.3	14.7	79.9	10.8	83.7
December.....	34.1	53.7	18.2	87.1	17.2	84.3	23.0	64.1	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
1933—Av. for year.....	36.7	57.8	17.4	83.2	16.5	80.9	22.6	62.9	14.9	81.0	10.7	82.9
January.....	33.7	53.1	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	23.4	65.2	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
February.....	32.4	51.0	17.9	85.6	16.7	81.9	22.7	63.2	15.0	81.5	10.7	82.9
March.....	31.9	50.2	16.5	78.9	16.3	79.9	23.0	64.1	14.6	79.3	10.6	82.2
April.....	33.9	53.4	16.8	80.4	15.8	77.4	22.7	63.2	14.5	78.8	10.6	82.2
May.....	35.6	56.1	17.6	84.2	16.4	80.4	22.9	63.8	14.7	79.9	10.7	82.9
June.....	36.0	56.7	17.6	84.2	16.8	82.4	22.5	62.7	14.8	80.4	10.6	82.2
July.....	38.5	60.6	17.7	84.7	16.4	80.4	22.3	62.1	14.9	81.0	10.7	82.9
August.....	41.1	64.7	17.3	82.8	16.5	80.9	22.8	63.5	14.8	80.4	10.8	83.7
September.....	40.9	64.4	18.0	86.1	16.2	79.4	22.3	62.1	14.8	80.4	10.7	82.9
October.....	40.1	63.1	17.8	85.2	17.4	85.3	22.2	61.8	15.2	82.6	10.7	82.9
November.....	38.9	61.2	17.3	82.8	16.1	78.9	22.3	62.1	15.0	81.5	10.9	84.5
December.....	38.0	59.8	16.8	80.4	16.3	79.9	22.6	62.9	15.3	83.1	10.8	83.7
1934—Av. for year.....	46.7	73.5	17.3	82.8	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	14.8	80.4	10.9	84.5
January.....	38.3	60.3	17.2	82.3	16.4	80.4	22.6	63.0	14.9	81.0	10.8	83.7
February.....	41.6	65.5	16.7	79.9	16.4	80.4	23.0	64.1	15.1	82.1	10.8	83.7
March.....	45.8	72.1	16.9	80.9	16.7	81.9	22.4	62.4	14.5	78.8	10.9	84.5
April.....	46.1	72.6	16.9	80.9	17.3	84.8	22.9	63.8	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
May.....	45.8	72.1	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	14.8	80.4	10.8	83.7
June.....	46.4	73.1	17.7	84.7	16.8	82.4	22.2	61.8	14.8	80.4	10.9	84.5
July.....	48.1	75.7	17.8	85.2	17.0	83.3	22.5	62.7	14.6	79.3	10.8	83.7
August.....	50.1	78.9	17.3	82.8	17.3	84.8	22.2	61.8	14.8	80.4	10.8	83.7
September.....	50.6	79.7	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	22.7	63.2	15.2	82.6	10.9	84.5
October.....	50.6	79.7	17.4	83.3	17.2	84.3	22.6	63.0	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
November.....	49.0	77.2	17.5	83.7	16.9	82.8	22.4	62.4	14.7	79.9	11.0	85.3
December.....	47.9	75.4	17.1	81.8	17.0	83.3	22.3	62.1	14.2	77.2	10.9	84.5
1935—Av. for year.....	50.1	78.9	17.1	81.8	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	14.5	78.8	10.9	84.5
January.....	47.2	74.3	16.2	77.5	16.7	81.9	22.2	61.8	14.3	77.7	10.9	84.5
February.....	47.6	75.0	16.9	80.9	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	14.2	77.2	10.8	83.7
March.....	47.7	75.1	16.6	79.4	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	14.1	76.6	10.9	84.5
April.....	47.5	74.8	16.8	80.4	16.6	81.4	22.6	63.0	14.1	76.6	11.0	85.3
May.....	47.8	75.3	17.2	82.3	16.5	80.9	22.4	62.4	14.2	77.2	11.0	85.3
June.....	49.2	77.5	16.8	80.4	17.1	83.8	22.6	63.0	14.2	77.2	11.0	85.3
July.....	50.4	79.4	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	14.4	78.3	11.1	86.0
August.....	52.5	82.7	17.7	84.7	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
September.....	54.0	85.0	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	22.4	62.4	14.9	81.0	10.9	84.5
October.....	53.5	84.3	17.7	84.7	16.9	82.8	22.0	61.3	15.0	81.5	10.9	84.5
November.....	52.4	82.5	17.3	82.8	17.1	83.8	22.3	62.1	15.0	81.5	10.9	84.5
December.....	51.7	81.4	17.1	81.8	16.8	82.4	22.0	61.3	15.2	82.6	11.0	85.3

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1931-1935—Continued

Year and month	Tomatoes, 2½'s, canned (tin)		Peas, 2's, canned (tin)		Corn, 2's, canned (tin)		Onions, dry, yellow, etc. (Pound)		Raisins, seeded (15 oz. pkg.)		Currants, all grades (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.8	72.4	11.1	64.2	10.4	63.8	3.9	67.2	11.7	63.9	11.5	61.8
1926—Av. for year.....	16.3	100.0	17.3	100.0	16.3	100.0	5.8	100.0	18.3	100.0	18.6	100.0
1931—Av. for year.....	12.9	79.1	11.9	68.8	13.7	84.0	5.0	86.2	15.7	85.8	17.1	91.9
January.....	14.3	87.7	13.0	75.1	15.0	92.0	4.6	79.3	15.4	84.2	17.2	92.5
February.....	13.9	85.3	12.6	72.8	14.6	89.6	4.5	77.6	15.4	84.2	17.3	93.0
March.....	13.7	84.0	12.4	71.7	14.3	87.7	4.6	79.3	15.4	84.2	17.1	91.9
April.....	13.4	82.2	12.3	71.1	14.2	87.1	4.6	79.3	15.3	83.6	17.2	92.5
May.....	13.3	81.6	12.0	69.4	14.0	85.9	5.0	86.2	15.3	83.6	17.2	92.5
June.....	13.1	80.4	11.9	68.8	14.1	86.5	7.0	120.7	15.2	83.1	17.1	91.9
July.....	13.1	80.4	11.9	68.8	14.0	85.9	7.5	129.3	15.3	83.6	17.0	91.4
August.....	12.9	79.1	11.7	67.6	13.8	84.7	6.6	113.8	15.6	85.2	17.2	92.5
September.....	12.7	77.9	11.7	67.6	13.7	84.0	4.7	81.0	15.9	86.9	17.2	92.5
October.....	12.1	74.2	11.3	65.3	13.0	79.8	3.8	65.5	16.0	87.4	17.0	91.4
November.....	11.4	69.9	11.0	63.6	12.1	74.2	3.6	62.1	16.5	90.2	17.0	91.4
December.....	11.1	68.1	10.9	63.0	11.8	72.4	3.6	62.1	17.2	94.0	16.8	90.3
1932—Av. for year.....	11.0	67.5	11.0	63.6	11.3	69.3	5.1	87.9	17.8	97.3	16.9	90.9
January.....	10.7	65.6	10.7	61.8	11.5	70.6	3.8	65.5	17.4	95.1	16.6	89.2
February.....	10.5	64.4	10.5	60.7	11.1	68.1	4.0	69.0	17.6	96.2	16.8	90.3
March.....	10.4	63.8	10.4	60.1	10.9	66.9	4.4	75.9	17.7	96.7	17.0	91.4
April.....	10.5	64.4	10.5	60.7	10.8	66.3	5.2	89.7	17.8	97.3	17.0	91.4
May.....	10.7	65.6	10.7	61.8	11.0	67.5	6.6	113.8	17.9	97.8	17.0	91.4
June.....	10.8	66.3	10.8	62.4	11.0	67.5	7.7	132.8	18.0	98.4	17.1	91.9
July.....	11.0	68.1	11.0	63.6	11.3	69.3	8.2	141.4	18.1	98.9	17.3	93.0
August.....	11.2	68.7	11.1	64.2	11.3	69.3	6.3	108.6	18.0	98.4	16.9	90.9
September.....	11.3	69.3	11.3	65.3	11.5	70.6	4.5	77.6	18.0	98.4	17.3	93.0
October.....	11.5	70.6	11.4	65.9	11.5	70.6	3.5	60.3	17.9	97.8	17.0	91.4
November.....	11.5	70.6	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2	3.3	56.9	17.5	95.6	16.7	89.8
December.....	11.6	71.2	11.5	66.5	11.6	71.2	3.4	58.6	17.3	94.5	16.2	87.1
1933—Av. for year.....	11.7	71.8	11.8	68.2	11.6	71.2	4.2	72.4	16.9	92.9	16.2	87.1
January.....	11.6	71.2	11.6	67.1	11.7	71.8	3.5	60.3	17.2	94.0	16.1	86.6
February.....	11.7	71.8	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2	3.5	60.3	17.2	94.0	16.1	86.6
March.....	11.6	71.2	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2	3.4	58.6	17.0	92.9	16.3	87.6
April.....	11.7	71.8	11.7	67.6	11.6	71.2	3.4	58.6	17.1	93.4	16.3	87.6
May.....	11.7	71.8	11.7	67.6	11.5	70.6	3.9	67.2	17.0	92.9	16.3	87.6
June.....	11.6	71.2	11.5	66.5	11.4	69.9	5.6	96.6	17.0	92.9	16.3	87.6
July.....	11.6	71.2	11.4	65.9	11.3	69.3	6.3	108.6	16.9	92.3	16.3	87.6
August.....	11.6	71.2	11.8	68.2	11.3	69.3	5.9	101.7	16.9	92.3	16.5	88.7
September.....	11.8	72.4	11.8	68.2	11.6	71.2	4.6	79.3	16.8	91.8	16.3	87.6
October.....	11.8	72.4	12.2	70.5	11.7	71.8	3.5	60.3	16.9	92.3	16.1	86.6
November.....	11.8	72.4	12.3	71.1	11.7	71.8	3.3	56.9	16.8	91.8	16.1	86.6
December.....	11.7	71.8	12.2	70.5	11.7	71.8	3.4	58.6	16.7	91.2	15.7	84.4
1934—Av. for year.....	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.7	71.8	4.2	72.4	16.7	91.3	16.0	86.0
January.....	11.7	71.8	12.4	71.7	11.7	71.8	3.5	60.3	16.7	91.3	15.9	85.5
February.....	11.6	71.2	12.5	72.3	11.8	72.4	3.7	63.8	16.8	91.8	16.0	86.0
March.....	11.7	71.8	12.7	73.4	11.9	73.0	3.8	65.5	16.9	92.3	16.2	87.1
April.....	11.6	71.2	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4	3.9	67.2	16.8	91.8	16.3	87.6
May.....	11.5	70.6	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4	4.1	70.7	16.8	91.8	16.3	87.6
June.....	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4	5.4	93.1	16.8	91.8	16.3	87.6
July.....	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4	6.3	108.6	16.8	91.8	16.1	86.6
August.....	11.4	70.0	12.7	73.4	11.7	71.8	5.6	96.6	16.7	91.3	16.2	87.1
September.....	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.6	71.2	4.3	74.1	16.6	90.7	16.1	86.6
October.....	11.3	69.3	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2	3.5	60.3	16.7	91.3	16.0	86.0
November.....	11.3	69.3	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6	3.3	56.9	16.5	90.2	15.8	84.9
December.....	11.1	68.1	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9	3.3	56.9	16.4	89.6	15.3	82.3
1935—Av. for year.....	10.9	66.9	12.4	71.7	11.5	70.6	4.5	77.6	16.5	90.2	15.4	82.8
January.....	11.2	68.7	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9	3.5	60.3	16.6	90.7	15.3	82.3
February.....	11.1	68.1	12.7	73.4	11.4	69.9	3.7	63.8	16.5	90.2	15.4	82.8
March.....	11.1	68.1	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6	3.9	67.2	16.5	90.2	15.4	82.8
April.....	10.9	66.9	12.6	72.8	11.4	69.9	4.1	70.7	16.5	90.2	15.5	83.3
May.....	10.8	66.3	12.6	72.8	11.4	69.9	4.6	79.3	16.5	90.2	15.5	83.3
June.....	10.8	66.3	12.7	73.4	11.5	70.6	6.4	110.3	16.6	90.7	15.6	83.9
July.....	10.7	65.6	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2	7.5	129.3	16.4	89.6	15.6	83.9
August.....	10.7	65.6	12.4	71.7	11.5	70.6	6.1	105.2	16.5	90.2	15.5	83.3
September.....	10.7	65.6	12.2	70.5	11.5	70.6	4.2	72.4	16.6	90.7	15.6	83.9
October.....	10.8	66.3	12.1	69.9	11.5	70.6	3.5	60.3	16.4	89.6	15.5	83.3
November.....	10.8	66.3	12.1	69.9	11.6	71.2	3.4	58.6	16.4	89.6	15.3	82.3
December.....	11.0	67.5	12.1	69.9	11.7	71.8	3.5	60.3	16.6	90.7	15.1	81.2

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1931-1935—Concluded

	Jam, raspberry, (4 lb. tin)	Peaches, canned, 2's (tin)	Marmalade, orange, (4 lb. tin)	Corn Syrup, (5 lb. tin)	Cocoa, pure, ( $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. tin)	Salt, fine, table (Pound)	Pepper, black, gr. (Pound)							
Year and Month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	64.7	73.0	21.0	72.7	56.4	81.7	34.2	75.0	15.7	57.9	2.6	72.2	32.7	58.7
1926—Av. for year.....	85.2	100.0	28.9	100.0	68.8	100.0	45.6	100.0	27.1	100.0	3.6	100.0	55.7	100.0
1931—Av. for year.....	64.7	76.0	24.0	83.0	54.7	79.3	41.3	90.6	26.0	95.9	3.1	86.1	53.9	96.8
January.....	67.1	78.8	25.3	87.5	56.7	82.2	41.9	91.9	26.7	98.5	3.2	88.9	59.3	106.5
February.....	66.3	77.9	25.0	86.5	55.7	80.7	41.7	91.4	26.3	97.0	3.2	88.9	57.5	103.2
March.....	66.3	77.9	24.8	85.8	55.9	81.0	41.3	90.6	26.2	96.7	3.2	88.9	57.1	102.5
April.....	65.9	77.4	24.6	85.1	55.1	79.9	41.4	90.8	26.2	96.7	3.2	88.9	55.8	100.2
May.....	63.3	74.4	24.1	83.4	54.9	79.6	41.1	90.1	25.9	95.6	3.1	86.1	54.5	97.8
June.....	65.2	76.6	23.8	82.4	54.8	79.4	41.0	89.9	25.5	94.1	3.2	88.9	53.7	96.4
July.....	64.8	76.1	23.8	82.4	55.3	80.1	41.3	90.6	25.9	95.6	3.1	86.1	54.3	97.5
August.....	65.7	77.2	23.7	82.0	55.1	79.9	41.1	90.1	25.7	94.8	3.1	86.1	52.0	93.4
September.....	63.5	74.6	23.6	81.7	54.2	78.6	41.1	90.1	25.9	95.6	3.1	86.1	52.2	93.7
October.....	63.5	74.6	23.6	81.7	53.5	77.5	41.2	90.4	25.8	95.2	3.0	83.3	50.3	90.3
November.....	63.3	74.3	23.0	79.6	51.8	75.1	41.4	90.8	25.6	94.5	3.0	83.3	50.8	91.2
December.....	61.5	72.3	22.8	78.9	52.9	76.7	40.6	89.0	25.8	95.2	3.0	83.3	49.5	88.9
1932—Av. for year.....	57.7	67.8	21.6	74.7	51.4	74.5	40.2	88.2	25.3	93.3	3.0	83.3	47.2	84.7
January.....	59.7	70.2	22.3	77.2	52.3	75.8	40.8	89.5	25.5	94.1	3.0	83.3	49.5	88.9
February.....	58.4	68.6	22.5	77.9	52.5	76.1	40.8	89.5	25.6	94.5	3.0	83.3	48.3	86.7
March.....	57.5	67.6	21.8	75.4	51.3	74.3	40.5	88.8	25.6	94.5	2.9	80.6	47.9	86.0
April.....	57.6	67.7	21.7	75.1	50.8	73.6	40.2	88.2	25.3	93.4	3.0	83.3	47.9	86.0
May.....	57.1	67.1	21.4	74.0	51.0	73.9	40.5	88.8	25.4	93.7	3.0	83.3	47.8	85.8
June.....	60.2	70.7	21.6	74.7	52.4	75.9	39.8	87.3	25.3	93.4	2.9	80.6	47.4	85.1
July.....	57.4	67.5	21.3	73.7	51.2	74.2	40.4	88.6	25.0	92.3	3.0	83.3	47.5	85.3
August.....	57.5	67.6	21.4	74.0	50.2	72.8	40.2	88.2	25.3	93.4	3.0	83.3	46.4	83.3
September.....	55.9	65.7	21.7	75.1	51.3	74.3	40.1	87.9	25.5	94.1	3.0	83.3	46.2	82.9
October.....	56.9	66.9	21.4	74.0	51.6	74.8	40.4	88.6	25.4	93.7	2.9	80.6	45.8	82.2
November.....	57.1	67.1	21.4	74.0	52.3	75.8	39.9	87.5	25.0	92.3	2.9	80.6	46.3	83.1
December.....	56.6	66.5	20.7	71.6	50.1	72.6	39.3	86.2	24.8	91.5	2.9	80.6	45.1	86.0
1933—Av. for year.....	58.0	68.2	20.3	70.2	51.2	74.2	40.3	88.4	24.3	89.7	2.9	80.6	43.7	78.5
January.....	56.0	65.8	20.9	72.3	50.8	73.6	39.3	86.2	25.1	92.6	3.0	83.3	44.9	80.6
February.....	56.0	65.8	20.9	72.3	49.2	71.3	39.3	86.2	24.6	90.8	2.9	80.6	44.4	79.7
March.....	54.8	64.4	20.5	70.9	47.6	69.0	39.0	85.5	24.6	90.8	2.9	80.6	44.0	79.0
April.....	54.8	64.4	20.3	70.2	48.4	70.1	39.0	85.5	24.7	91.1	2.9	80.6	43.3	77.7
May.....	56.8	66.7	20.3	70.2	50.4	73.0	39.7	87.1	24.5	90.4	2.9	80.6	43.6	78.3
June.....	56.8	66.7	20.2	69.9	50.0	72.5	40.2	88.2	24.7	91.1	3.0	83.3	42.9	77.0
July.....	57.6	67.7	19.9	68.9	51.2	74.2	40.3	88.4	24.9	91.9	3.0	83.3	43.9	78.8
August.....	60.4	71.0	19.9	68.9	51.6	74.8	41.0	89.9	25.4	93.7	3.1	86.1	44.2	79.3
September.....	55.6	65.3	20.3	70.2	52.8	76.5	41.2	90.3	25.0	92.3	2.9	80.6	43.3	77.7
October.....	62.0	72.9	20.1	69.5	54.0	78.3	41.4	90.8	25.8	87.8	3.0	83.3	43.7	78.4
November.....	62.8	73.8	20.0	69.2	56.0	81.2	41.9	91.9	22.6	83.4	3.0	83.3	43.3	77.7
December.....	62.4	73.3	20.1	69.5	53.2	77.1	41.9	91.9	22.2	81.9	2.9	80.6	43.2	77.5
1934—Av. for year.....	61.6	72.3	20.2	69.9	54.4	79.1	42.6	93.4	21.2	78.2	3.0	83.3	42.3	75.9
January.....	63.2	74.2	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.3	92.8	22.3	82.3	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.7
February.....	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.5	93.2	22.1	81.5	3.0	83.3	42.0	75.4
March.....	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	21.1	77.9	3.0	83.3	42.5	76.3
April.....	63.6	74.6	19.9	68.9	55.2	80.2	42.3	92.8	21.1	77.9	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.3
May.....	61.6	72.3	20.0	69.2	54.4	79.1	42.3	92.8	20.9	77.1	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.7
June.....	62.0	72.8	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.5	93.2	21.0	77.5	3.0	83.3	42.8	76.8
July.....	61.2	71.8	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.3	92.8	21.3	78.6	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
August.....	60.4	70.9	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.4	93.0	21.4	79.0	3.0	83.3	42.1	75.6
September.....	60.8	71.4	20.3	70.2	53.6	77.9	42.5	93.2	21.1	77.9	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.3
October.....	60.4	70.9	20.3	70.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	20.7	76.4	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
November.....	60.8	71.4	20.6	71.3	54.8	79.7	43.1	94.5	20.4	75.3	3.0	83.3	41.7	74.9
December.....	59.6	70.0	20.8	72.0	53.6	77.9	43.3	95.0	20.8	76.8	3.0	83.3	41.9	75.2
1935—Av. for year.....	59.2	69.5	21.0	72.7	51.6	75.0	43.1	94.5	20.3	74.9	2.9	80.6	41.9	75.2
January.....	59.6	70.0	21.0	72.7	53.6	77.9	43.5	95.4	20.6	76.0	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
February.....	59.6	70.0	21.0	72.7	53.2	77.3	43.7	95.8	20.9	77.1	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
March.....	59.2	69.5	21.1	73.0	52.4	76.2	43.3	95.0	19.9	73.4	2.9	80.6	43.0	77.2
April.....	58.8	69.0	21.1	73.0	52.0	75.6	43.1	94.5	20.4	75.3	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
May.....	59.2	69.5	21.3	73.7	51.2	74.4	43.0	94.3	20.2	74.5	2.9	80.6	42.0	75.4
June.....	58.8	69.0	21.5	74.4	50.8	73.8	42.8	93.9	20.3	74.9	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
July.....	58.0	68.1	21.2	73.4	50.4	73.3	43.1	94.5	20.1	74.2	2.9	80.6	42.1	75.6
August.....	58.8	69.0	21.2	73.4	50.8	73.8	42.9	94.1	20.5	75.6	2.9	80.6	42.0	75.4
September.....	59.2	69.5	21.1	73.0	51.2	74.4	43.2	94.7	20.5	75.6	2.8	77.8	41.3	74.1
October.....	59.2	69.5	20.9	72.3	52.0	75.6	43.0	94.3	20.1	74.2	2.8	77.8	41.2	74.1
November.....	59.2	69.5	20.7	71.6	51.6	75.0	42.9	94.1	20.2	74.5	2.8	77.8	41.1	73.8
December.....	59.2	69.5	20.3	70.2	51.6	75.0	43.0	94.3	19.7	72.7	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.2



TABLE XXIII—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 AND 1923-1935

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0-222	0-283	0-280	0-285	0-294	0-308	0-345	0-363	0-356	0-286	0-245	0-210	0-214
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0-148	0-152	0-148	0-152	0-160	0-172	0-206	0-227	0-221	0-158	0-129	0-112	0-115
3	Veal, roast.....	1 "	0-157	0-182	0-179	0-182	0-193	0-203	0-226	0-245	0-239	0-183	0-138	0-119	0-121
4	Mutton, roast.....	1 "	0-191	0-277	0-278	0-289	0-298	0-291	0-300	0-309	0-302	0-253	0-209	0-188	0-200
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0-195	0-264	0-240	0-275	0-302	0-282	0-273	0-300	0-298	0-223	0-152	0-151	0-201
6	Pork, salt, mess...	1 "	0-176	0-252	0-231	0-254	0-278	0-265	0-261	0-273	0-271	0-226	0-155	0-148	0-184
7	Bacon, breakfast...	1 "	0-247	0-394	0-337	0-385	0-431	0-393	0-379	0-393	0-399	0-301	0-184	0-198	0-304
8	Lard, pure leaf.....	1 "	0-192	0-231	0-220	0-242	0-246	0-221	0-221	0-219	0-212	0-157	0-121	0-126	0-135
9	Eggs, fresh.....	1 doz.	0-337	0-442	0-439	0-486	0-466	0-487	0-478	0-475	0-457	0-337	0-294	0-281	0-319
10	Eggs, storage.....	1 "	0-281	0-370	0-368	0-417	0-398	0-424	0-412	0-403	0-394	0-271	0-228	0-217	0-259
11	Milk.....	1 qt.	0-086	0-117	0-121	0-119	0-118	0-119	0-121	0-123	0-123	0-111	0-098	0-093	0-098
12	Butter, dairy.....	1 lb.	0-292	0-399	0-387	0-389	0-406	0-415	0-417	0-428	0-368	0-272	0-216	0-220	0-236
13	Butter, creamery...	1 "	0-339	0-451	0-435	0-439	0-448	0-463	0-461	0-470	0-405	0-300	0-253	0-255	0-270
14	Cheese, old.....	1 "	0-205	0-326	0-301	0-312	0-318	0-310	0-329	0-334	0-318	0-251	0-206	0-196	0-199
15	Cheese, new.....	1 "	0-191	0-326	0-301	0-312	0-318	0-310	0-329	0-334	0-318	0-251	0-206	0-196	0-199
16	Bread, plain white...	1 "	0-041	0-067	0-069	0-078	0-076	0-077	0-077	0-078	0-075	0-062	0-059	0-057	0-059
17	Flour, family.....	1 "	0-032	0-044	0-045	0-057	0-053	0-053	0-052	0-051	0-047	0-033	0-030	0-029	0-032
18	Rolled oats.....	1 "	0-044	0-055	0-056	0-061	0-058	0-061	0-063	0-064	0-061	0-050	0-047	0-048	0-051
19	Rice, good, medium	1 "	0-057	0-104	0-105	0-109	0-110	0-108	0-105	0-104	0-101	0-092	0-085	0-080	0-081
20	Beans, handpicked..	1 "	0-062	0-087	0-084	0-083	0-079	0-081	0-089	0-115	0-094	0-061	0-043	0-041	0-046
21	Apples, evaporated..	1 "	0-120	0-200	0-194	0-204	0-200	0-194	0-210	0-213	0-206	0-178	0-160	0-150	0-152
22	Prunes, medium.....	1 "	0-119	0-185	0-160	0-156	0-158	0-148	0-135	0-141	0-155	0-121	0-111	0-115	0-127
23	Sugar, granulated...	1 "	0-059	0-117	0-109	0-085	0-079	0-083	0-079	0-073	0-068	0-062	0-059	0-073	0-072
24	Sugar, yellow.....	1 "	0-055	0-112	0-104	0-081	0-075	0-079	0-075	0-069	0-065	0-060	0-057	0-071	0-070
25	Tea, black.....	1 "	0-356	0-656	0-700	0-714	0-719	0-716	0-713	0-704	0-628	0-552	0-472	0-424	0-504
26	Tea, green.....	1 "	0-372	0-656	0-700	0-714	0-719	0-716	0-713	0-704	0-628	0-552	0-472	0-424	0-504
27	Coffee.....	1 "	0-376	0-539	0-550	0-604	0-612	0-612	0-607	0-604	0-572	0-492	0-428	0-400	0-392
28	Potatoes.....	1 pk.	0-180	0-252	0-270	0-276	0-436	0-317	0-258	0-291	0-355	0-172	0-130	0-189	0-183
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0-064	0-075	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-030	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-072	0-072	0-072
30	All foods (weighted) Total.....		7-337	10-52	10-31	10-81	11-21	11-00	11-04	11-34	10-96	8-49	7-10	7-03	7-56
31	Starch, laundry.....	1 lb.	0-096	0-122	0-122	0-124	0-124	0-123	0-123	0-123	0-123	0-120	0-117	0-114	0-114
32	Coal, anthracite....	1 ton	8-80	17-989	17-052	16-833	17-392	16-465	16-272	16-192	16-112	16-064	15-616	15-056	15-056
33	Coal, bituminous....	1 "	6-19	11-555	10-707	10-249	10-311	10-213	10-113	10-080	10-064	9-840	9-584	9-296	9-280
34	Wood, hard, best...	1 cd.	6-80	12-764	12-485	12-280	12-195	12-128	12-077	12-208	12-176	11-696	10-912	9-808	9-632
35	Wood, soft.....	1 "	4-90	9-512	9-209	8-979	8-947	8-960	8-397	8-800	8-672	8-560	7-984	7-408	7-328
36	Coal oil.....	1 gal.	0-237	0-307	0-306	0-304	0-308	0-314	0-311	0-311	0-309	0-291	0-274	0-271	0-275
37	Fuel and Lighting— Weighted Total.....		1-91	3-55	3-40	3-33	3-36	3-30	3-27	3-27	3-25	3-18	3-03	2-87	2-86
38	Rent per month.....		19-00	27-86	27-79	27-54	27-43	27-43	27-67	27-92	28-16	27-80	25-76	23-04	22-16
39	Weighted total.....		14-024	21-07	20-69	21-06	21-47	21-20	21-27	21-61	21-29	18-66	16-60	15-70	16-02

\* Includes data for 60 cities.

TABLE XXIII—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA, \*1913 AND 1923-1935—Concluded

(Dollars)

No	Commodities	Quantity	1935	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0-231	0-200	0-209	0-212	0-226	0-239	0-248	0-253	0-250	0-246	0-237	0-227	0-225
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0-126	0-108	0-113	0-117	0-126	0-134	0-140	0-140	0-133	0-128	0-127	0-123	0-121
3	Veal, roast.....	1 "	0-129	0-121	0-129	0-128	0-127	0-126	0-129	0-129	0-127	0-128	0-132	0-134	0-135
4	Mutton, roast.....	1 "	0-209	0-197	0-209	0-209	0-215	0-214	0-217	0-214	0-216	0-211	0-208	0-201	0-202
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0-212	0-194	0-199	0-200	0-200	0-204	0-213	0-225	0-227	0-231	0-227	0-220	0-208
6	Pork, salt, mess....	1 "	0-198	0-189	0-192	0-192	0-193	0-195	0-196	0-201	0-202	0-201	0-205	0-205	0-203
7	Bacon, breakfast....	1 "	0-311	0-323	0-319	0-316	0-312	0-305	0-301	0-302	0-305	0-318	0-318	0-312	0-300
8	Lard, pure leaf.....	1 "	0-161	0-146	0-149	0-152	0-152	0-152	0-155	0-155	0-159	0-172	0-180	0-183	0-183
9	Eggs, fresh.....	1 doz.	0-312	0-370	0-379	0-314	0-243	0-220	0-226	0-247	0-277	0-312	0-358	0-415	0-435
10	Eggs, storage.....	1 "	0-258	0-295	0-220	0-259	0-203	0-186	0-190	0-212	0-273	0-264	0-301	0-334	0-347
11	Milk.....	1 qt.	0-102	0-103	0-103	0-103	0-103	0-103	0-102	0-101	0-101	0-101	0-102	0-103	0-102
12	Butter, dairy.....	1 lb.	0-237	0-222	0-243	0-255	0-246	0-249	0-233	0-214	0-215	0-218	0-235	0-249	0-266
13	Butter, creamery....	1 "	0-273	0-255	0-280	0-296	0-281	0-286	0-263	0-248	0-250	0-254	0-271	0-286	0-304
14	Cheese, old.....	1 "	0-199	0-194	0-197	0-199	0-200	0-201	0-200	0-199	0-197	0-196	0-199	0-204	0-204
15	Cheese, new.....	1 "	0-199	0-194	0-197	0-199	0-200	0-201	0-200	0-199	0-197	0-196	0-199	0-204	0-204
16	Bread, plain, white.	1 "	0-059	0-060	0-059	0-060	0-059	0-059	0-059	0-059	0-059	0-059	0-059	0-060	0-061
17	Flour, family.....	1 "	0-034	0-034	0-034	0-033	0-033	0-034	0-033	0-033	0-033	0-033	0-034	0-035	0-035
18	Rolled oats.....	1 "	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052	0-052
19	Rice, good, medium	1 "	0-078	0-079	0-079	0-080	0-078	0-078	0-079	0-078	0-078	0-079	0-079	0-078	0-078
20	Beans, handpicked..	1 "	0-052	0-049	0-051	0-051	0-052	0-052	0-053	0-054	0-053	0-052	0-053	0-053	0-054
21	Apples, evaporated..	1 "	0-155	0-148	0-152	0-150	0-154	0-151	0-160	0-160	0-162	0-159	0-156	0-156	0-154
22	Prunes, medium....	1 "	0-122	0-125	0-126	0-125	0-123	0-123	0-124	0-124	0-123	0-121	0-121	0-116	0-113
23	Sugar, granulated...	1 "	0-064	0-064	0-065	0-064	0-064	0-064	0-065	0-064	0-064	0-064	0-063	0-062	0-062
24	Sugar, yellow.....	1 "	0-062	0-063	0-063	0-063	0-063	0-063	0-063	0-063	0-063	0-063	0-061	0-061	0-061
25	Tea, black.....	1 "	0-524	0-528	0-524	0-524	0-520	0-524	0-520	0-520	0-516	0-524	0-520	0-524	0-520
26	Tea, green.....	1 "	0-524	0-528	0-524	0-524	0-520	0-524	0-520	0-520	0-516	0-524	0-520	0-524	0-520
27	Coffee.....	1 "	0-376	0-380	0-384	0-380	0-376	0-376	0-376	0-372	0-376	0-372	0-372	0-368	0-368
28	Potatoes.....	1 pk.	0-152	0-122	0-125	0-129	0-130	0-127	0-129	0-127	0-206	0-165	0-183	0-180	0-202
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072
30	All foods (weighted) Total.....		7-70	7-51	7-59	7-63	7-50	7-52	7-54	7-53	7-73	7-74	7-93	8-04	8-14
31	Starch, laundry.....	1 lb.	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-117
32	Coal, anthracite.....	1 ton	14-704	15-216	15-168	15-152	15-056	14-576	14-144	14-192	14-304	14-400	14-576	14-768	14-832
33	Coal, bituminous....	1 "	9-360	9-424	9-424	9-408	9-376	9-344	9-296	9-264	9-280	9-280	9-344	9-376	9-392
34	Wood, hard, best...	1 cd.	9-792	9-936	9-920	9-904	9-952	9-872	9-760	9-728	9-680	9-728	9-728	9-664	9-664
35	Wood, soft.....	1 "	7-296	7-424	7-392	7-376	7-328	7-328	7-312	7-264	7-232	7-248	7-216	7-216	7-216
36	Coal oil.....	1 gal.	0-272	0-272	0-273	0-273	0-273	0-272	0-274	0-273	0-273	0-270	0-273	0-270	0-271
37	Fuel and Lighting— Weighted Total.....		2-84	2-90	2-89	2-89	2-88	2-84	2-81	2-80	2-80	2-81	2-83	2-83	2-84
38	Rent per month.....		22-32	22-16	22-16	22-16	22-20	22-28	22-28	22-28	22-28	22-28	22-52	22-52	22-52
39	Weighted Total.....		16-16	15-99	16-06	16-10	15-97	15-95	15-94	16-15	16-16	16-42	16-54	16-65	

\* Includes data for 60 cities.

TABLE XXIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1921-1935

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	1913	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
STAPLE FOODS																
1	Nova Scotia...	99.3	169.3	143.6	148.8	144.1	149.5	154.8	148.6	149.3	153.5	151.6	121.7	102.9	99.5	106.6
2	Prince Ed. Is...	86.4	152.2	129.5	130.0	128.9	134.8	142.3	136.8	134.3	139.1	140.4	115.4	95.4	94.9	100.0
3	New Brunswick	96.0	167.1	142.5	146.6	144.7	147.7	155.9	150.1	149.0	151.4	149.1	119.9	102.1	99.9	105.6
4	Quebec.....	93.6	158.0	135.2	137.0	132.2	139.3	144.9	139.4	139.2	142.8	138.8	107.4	89.4	87.9	95.4
5	Ontario.....	98.2	170.4	140.4	142.7	139.5	145.0	154.2	150.8	151.0	153.8	148.7	114.5	95.7	95.5	104.1
6	Manitoba.....	107.3	162.6	137.3	136.4	133.1	141.7	142.2	141.6	145.6	151.2	144.5	108.8	93.0	92.1	97.0
7	Saskatchewan..	112.4	164.7	138.6	141.1	137.7	148.2	148.6	150.7	152.3	158.3	149.1	110.4	93.4	92.4	99.5
8	Alberta.....	113.5	163.6	137.4	138.2	137.9	149.9	147.5	148.4	151.1	158.9	150.9	111.8	93.0	92.1	99.4
9	Br. Columbia..	124.4	180.2	157.6	155.5	154.1	164.6	163.1	163.2	164.6	170.4	164.5	129.6	106.9	106.0	112.7
FUEL AND LIGHTING																
1	Nova Scotia...	80.1	194.0	161.7	163.8	160.9	157.1	155.5	150.8	152.4	151.8	150.3	149.2	139.3	131.4	133.0
2	Prince Ed. Is...	77.2	193.9	174.6	196.6	179.1	174.3	167.0	162.8	152.4	154.5	153.9	152.9	150.8	138.7	142.9
3	New Brunswick	88.0	198.1	173.1	174.8	169.5	164.9	168.1	164.4	161.8	160.2	160.7	156.0	147.6	140.3	139.3
4	Quebec.....	93.7	197.6	183.1	183.8	175.4	172.8	177.5	175.4	174.9	174.9	173.3	167.0	157.1	149.2	149.7
5	Ontario.....	95.2	203.1	190.2	194.1	183.0	179.6	182.2	179.1	177.0	177.0	175.9	173.3	164.9	156.5	155.5
6	Manitoba.....	122.6	221.4	194.5	203.9	195.3	188.5	184.8	183.2	184.8	189.5	190.1	181.7	159.2	153.9	157.6
7	Saskatchewan..	139.2	216.5	205.8	201.7	195.2	186.4	181.2	182.7	183.8	181.2	174.9	160.7	112.6	102.6	102.1
8	Alberta.....	86.6	140.4	129.7	134.8	122.5	128.3	126.2	122.0	108.4	100.5	100.5	97.4	94.2	90.6	87.4
9	Br. Columbia..	117.8	184.5	166.0	156.1	152.4	147.1	147.6	147.1	147.1	147.6	147.6	146.1	137.2	128.3	124.6
RENT																
1	Nova Scotia...	81.3	122.9	123.3	117.7	118.5	117.5	117.9	117.9	117.9	117.9	121.1	126.9	126.9	117.5	111.8
2	Prince Ed. Is...	36.2	95.3	117.4	121.7	123.8	122.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	122.3	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.2	121.1
3	New Brunswick	63.7	128.1	131.1	138.7	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	139.4	135.6	132.4	120.2
4	Quebec.....	73.0	106.2	113.4	118.0	121.1	120.8	120.8	121.7	122.7	123.2	125.9	124.4	118.1	110.1	105.3
5	Ontario.....	84.9	147.2	152.6	151.7	154.4	152.8	151.8	151.2	153.1	154.3	155.8	153.3	139.6	123.2	120.4
6	Manitoba.....	152.7	181.2	181.2	181.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	185.7	176.8	156.0	133.1
7	Saskatchewan..	198.2	180.8	182.5	184.5	187.6	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	185.7	176.8	156.0	133.1	129.3
8	Alberta.....	156.8	158.5	161.2	157.7	150.8	148.0	151.8	152.4	151.8	157.9	161.7	160.4	143.6	125.5	116.6
9	Br. Columbia..	106.1	132.0	132.1	132.1	134.3	135.4	135.8	136.6	138.1	139.8	140.8	140.2	131.4	118.3	110.3
GRAND TOTAL																
1	Nova Scotia...	90.6	154.7	139.1	140.1	137.4	139.4	142.1	138.4	138.9	141.0	140.8	127.0	115.8	109.7	111.7
2	Prince Ed. Is...	68.0	138.3	131.5	136.2	133.7	135.6	137.3	134.0	131.2	135.3	136.3	123.1	112.4	110.2	112.8
3	New Brunswick	83.8	157.9	143.0	147.7	146.9	147.9	152.7	149.1	148.2	149.2	147.1	129.9	118.4	113.4	114.9
4	Quebec.....	86.5	145.6	134.3	136.7	134.1	137.4	141.0	138.1	138.3	140.3	138.8	121.1	108.2	103.6	106.0
5	Ontario.....	93.2	163.5	151.4	152.5	150.2	152.2	156.8	154.6	155.0	156.9	154.5	135.4	119.8	113.0	116.4
6	Manitoba.....	124.9	176.8	160.1	160.7	158.6	162.2	161.9	161.5	163.8	167.4	163.9	141.5	122.3	113.8	114.6
7	Saskatchewan..	145.5	177.2	162.8	163.9	162.1	165.3	164.8	166.2	167.2	170.0	164.7	139.5	117.0	107.4	109.7
8	Alberta.....	124.7	158.7	144.5	144.1	140.6	146.0	145.8	145.9	145.3	150.4	147.4	126.1	110.1	103.0	103.4
9	Br. Columbia..	117.2	164.1	150.0	147.2	146.9	152.0	151.5	151.5	153.0	156.7	153.9	135.2	119.1	113.0	113.3



TABLE XXIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL  
AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA,  
1913 AND 1921-1935—Conc.

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	1935	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
STAPLE FOODS														
1	Nova Scotia.....	107.0	105.4	105.8	105.8	105.5	104.8	103.7	103.7	105.2	107.8	110.0	112.2	113.7
2	Prince Edward Island.....	100.2	99.5	98.7	98.3	96.9	99.5	99.6	97.2	96.6	102.1	103.0	105.5	105.4
3	New Brunswick.....	107.5	107.0	107.0	107.0	106.0	104.5	104.3	103.9	105.6	108.9	109.9	112.3	113.4
4	Quebec.....	96.4	95.1	95.5	96.2	94.2	93.8	92.8	93.8	95.5	95.7	99.1	101.7	103.3
5	Ontario.....	105.4	102.2	103.0	104.7	102.6	102.5	102.4	102.5	105.5	106.2	109.7	110.9	111.6
6	Manitoba.....	101.7	98.1	98.8	99.9	99.5	100.0	103.4	102.2	104.4	102.8	101.9	104.3	105.5
7	Saskatchewan.....	101.4	99.1	101.7	102.1	100.0	101.0	102.2	99.6	104.0	99.2	101.3	102.9	104.4
8	Alberta.....	102.5	99.9	102.6	101.7	100.2	100.4	102.6	101.4	105.5	101.0	102.6	104.4	107.3
9	British Columbia.....	115.9	111.5	114.2	112.6	112.4	113.5	114.4	114.6	118.7	118.0	118.8	120.2	120.9

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

1	Nova Scotia.....	130.4	132.5	131.9	132.5	134.0	133.0	126.7	126.2	128.3	128.8	129.8	128.8	130.4
2	Prince Edward Island.....	139.8	140.3	140.3	140.3	140.3	140.3	140.3	140.3	140.3	138.2	138.7	138.7	138.7
3	New Brunswick.....	139.8	141.4	141.4	141.4	141.4	141.4	139.8	138.7	138.7	138.7	139.3	138.2	138.7
4	Quebec.....	148.7	151.3	151.3	151.3	151.3	149.2	147.6	146.1	146.1	146.6	147.1	147.1	148.2
5	Ontario.....	155.5	159.7	159.2	158.6	157.6	155.5	153.4	152.9	152.9	153.4	154.5	155.0	155.5
6	Manitoba.....	158.1	158.6	158.6	158.6	158.1	158.1	158.6	158.1	158.1	158.6	158.6	158.6	158.6
7	Saskatchewan.....	103.7	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	103.1	102.1	102.1	102.1
8	Alberta.....	85.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	86.9	85.3	85.7	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3
9	British Columbia.....	123.6	123.6	123.6	124.1	124.1	123.6	123.6	123.6	123.6	123.6	124.1	124.1	124.1

## RENT

1	Nova Scotia.....	112.6	111.4	111.4	111.4	111.4	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	114.1	114.1	114.1
2	Prince Edward Island.....	115.8	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3
3	New Brunswick.....	117.5	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4
4	Quebec.....	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4
5	Ontario.....	122.9	121.7	121.7	121.7	121.7	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	124.8	124.8	124.8
6	Manitoba.....	123.4	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	122.3	122.3	122.3	122.3	122.3	122.3	122.3	122.3
7	Saskatchewan.....	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8
8	Alberta.....	116.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	117.1	117.1	117.1	117.1	117.1	117.7	117.7	117.7
9	British Columbia.....	112.0	110.3	110.3	110.3	111.6	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	114.1	114.1	114.1

## GRAND TOTAL

1	Nova Scotia.....	111.9	110.9	111.0	111.1	111.2	111.1	109.7	109.6	110.7	112.1	113.9	114.9	115.9
2	Prince Edward Island.....	110.7	112.2	111.7	111.5	110.8	109.5	109.6	108.3	108.0	110.6	111.2	112.5	112.4
3	New Brunswick.....	115.1	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.3	113.4	113.0	112.7	113.6	115.3	115.9	117.0	117.7
4	Quebec.....	106.0	105.7	106.0	106.3	105.2	104.7	104.0	104.3	105.2	105.4	107.2	108.6	109.6
5	Ontario.....	117.9	116.4	116.8	117.6	116.4	116.4	116.1	116.1	117.7	118.1	120.7	121.4	121.9
6	Manitoba.....	116.5	115.3	115.7	116.2	115.9	115.3	117.1	116.5	117.6	116.7	116.4	117.6	118.2
7	Saskatchewan.....	109.1	108.0	109.3	109.5	108.5	109.0	109.6	108.2	110.5	108.0	109.0	109.6	110.5
8	Alberta.....	104.9	103.3	104.7	104.2	103.5	103.8	105.0	104.3	106.5	104.1	105.2	106.1	107.6
9	British Columbia.....	115.4	112.5	113.9	113.2	113.5	114.1	114.5	114.7	116.8	116.4	117.7	118.4	118.8



TABLE XXV—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN CERTAIN CITIES IN CANADA, 1934 AND 1935

(Dominion Average for 1913=100)

1935

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
STAPLE FOODS													
Halifax.....	106.9	106.2	105.8	104.3	104.6	104.8	104.2	104.8	106.8	109.2	114.9	114.5	107.2
St. John's.....	108.1	108.6	109.2	108.2	104.1	104.2	103.9	108.2	110.7	112.1	115.5	117.5	109.2
Montreal.....	101.2	102.6	103.3	100.8	101.2	100.2	101.5	102.1	102.2	104.4	107.5	109.6	103.1
Toronto.....	107.0	107.3	109.2	107.1	106.9	105.4	107.6	108.5	108.2	114.2	115.8	116.5	109.5
Winnipeg.....	101.0	102.5	102.6	102.0	103.1	104.6	103.9	107.5	105.5	104.0	104.7	106.9	104.0
Regina.....	100.3	101.7	102.6	101.1	103.5	103.7	101.2	104.5	100.8	105.0	105.6	106.9	103.1
Calgary.....	100.8	103.1	102.3	101.9	102.4	106.1	104.4	107.5	103.4	104.9	105.9	108.4	104.3
Vancouver.....	105.8	110.6	108.2	106.9	108.5	111.9	110.5	114.2	113.0	114.9	118.2	117.3	111.7

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

Halifax.....	149.0	149.5	149.0	153.9	151.9	145.3	145.3	147.0	148.3	150.5	147.0	148.6	143.8
St. John's.....	149.3	149.2	149.5	149.2	149.1	147.6	146.6	146.6	146.7	146.6	146.6	147.1	147.9
Montreal.....	153.6	155.7	155.5	155.8	147.5	149.3	151.0	151.0	152.7	152.7	153.0	152.7	152.6
Toronto.....	178.0	177.5	177.4	177.7	172.0	170.9	172.1	173.2	174.6	176.4	177.9	178.0	175.5
Winnipeg.....	159.2	158.8	158.8	158.8	157.6	158.4	158.0	158.5	158.8	159.2	159.4	159.2	158.7
Regina.....	159.4	159.6	159.2	159.2	159.0	159.3	159.3	159.2	159.2	150.2	138.0	138.0	155.0
Calgary.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vancouver.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

## RENT

Halifax.....	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4
St. John's.....	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	117.5
Montreal.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1
Toronto.....	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	147.4
Winnipeg.....	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8
Regina.....	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7
Calgary.....	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	121.1	121.1	121.1	119.1
Vancouver.....	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.1

## TOTAL

Halifax.....	126.4	126.1	125.9	125.7	125.6	124.9	124.5	125.0	126.3	127.8	130.3	130.3	126.6
St. John's.....	120.0	120.2	120.6	120.0	113.4	113.3	112.9	115.2	116.5	117.2	119.0	120.1	117.4
Montreal.....	115.1	116.1	116.5	115.2	114.3	114.0	115.0	115.3	115.5	116.6	118.3	119.4	115.9
Toronto.....	128.6	128.7	129.7	128.6	130.4	129.5	130.8	131.4	131.4	134.8	135.9	136.2	131.3
Winnipeg.....	121.2	121.9	122.0	121.6	122.0	122.9	122.5	124.5	123.5	122.8	123.1	124.2	122.7
Regina.....	123.5	124.3	124.7	123.9	125.1	125.3	124.0	125.7	123.8	124.8	123.4	124.1	124.4
Calgary.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vancouver.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....



TABLE XXVI—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF COAL USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION BY PROVINCES, 1932-1935

(Dollars per ton)

Province	Kind of Coal	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1932													
Prince Ed. Island....	Bituminous.....	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12	10-12
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-73	9-73	9-73	9-71	9-71	9-70	9-70	9-70	9-70	9-12	9-12	9-12
New Brunswick.....	" .....	11-77	11-77	11-77	11-77	11-77	11-77	11-69	11-62	11-62	11-25	11-02	10-77
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	16-01	16-00	16-00	15-99	14-72	14-60	14-62	15-00	14-99	14-99	14-62	14-62
Ontario.....	" .....	15-64	15-63	15-62	15-09	14-71	14-64	14-65	14-64	14-68	14-68	14-78	14-82
Manitoba.....	Domestic .....	11-00	11-00	11-00	11-00	10-96	10-96	10-96	11-38	11-38	10-96	10-96	10-96
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	9-67	9-60	9-50	9-50	9-47	9-47	9-50	9-50	9-50	9-51	9-51	9-51
Alberta.....	" .....	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-94	6-91	6-91	6-91
British Columbia....	" .....	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-49	10-50	10-52	10-52	10-52
1933													
Prince Ed. Island....	Bituminous.....	10-00	10-00	10-00	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-77	10-77	10-77	10-37	10-37	10-37	10-22	10-53	10-53	10-53	10-84	10-84
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-64	14-64	14-64	14-64	14-63	14-42	13-85	13-86	13-86	14-46	14-56	14-56
Ontario.....	" .....	14-80	14-80	14-80	14-80	14-70	14-50	13-57	13-59	14-87	14-37	14-46	14-46
Manitoba.....	Domestic .....	10-95	10-95	10-95	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-85	10-85	10-85
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	9-05	9-05	9-05	9-05	8-99	8-99	8-99	9-12	8-93	8-78	8-61	8-61
Alberta.....	" .....	6-68	6-68	6-52	6-52	6-35	6-60	6-52	6-52	6-52	5-74	5-74	5-74
British Columbia....	" .....	10-52	10-52	10-52	10-52	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-39	10-39	10-39
1934													
Prince Ed. Island....	Bituminous.....	9-12	9-37	9-37	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-01	8-98	9-12	9-15	8-98
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-92	10-86	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-76	14-73	14-75	14-75	14-76	14-80	14-80
Ontario.....	" .....	14-51	14-51	14-54	14-54	14-52	13-88	13-89	14-13	14-25	14-58	14-61	14-61
Manitoba.....	Domestic .....	10-85	10-83	10-81	10-81	10-83	10-83	10-83	10-85	11-29	11-29	11-28	11-28
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	8-37	8-37	8-42	8-43	8-43	8-61	8-61	8-61	8-80	8-94	8-94	8-94
Alberta.....	" .....	5-74	5-54	5-65	5-73	5-73	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95
British Columbia....	" .....	10-39	10-39	10-34	10-34	10-33	10-33	10-33	10-35	10-31	10-31	10-31	10-31
1935													
Prince Ed. Island....	Bituminous.....	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-25	9-25	9-00	8-75	8-75	8-75
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-15	9-13	9-13	9-10	9-05	9-09	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-09	9-16	9-16
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-88	10-84	10-84	10-84	10-53	10-56	10-72	10-88	10-97	10-81	10-89	10-89
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-80	14-79	14-79	14-79	13-93	12-85	12-85	13-24	13-24	13-67	13-72	13-72
Ontario.....	" .....	14-62	14-60	14-61	14-59	13-36	13-22	13-22	13-52	13-59	14-03	14-37	14-37
Manitoba.....	Domestic .....	11-31	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-27	11-27
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	9-09	9-12	9-12
Alberta.....	" .....	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95
British Columbia....	" .....	10-32	10-33	10-33	10-31	10-31	10-33	10-33	10-32	10-35	10-35	10-35	10-35

# PRICES OF SERVICES

Data relating to service costs are collected by the Bureau in connection with its cost of living measurements. Results of annual investigations regarding street car fares, hospital charges, fuel gas, electric light rates, and telephone rates are also included in this report.

## STREET CAR FARES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1935

An average fare for all of Canada declined slightly from 6.4c. in 1934 to 6.3c. in 1935. The Ontario average fell from 6.4c. to 6.2c. and that for Saskatchewan from 5.5c. to 5.4c. The average fare for Alberta rose from 5.7c. to 5.9c.

A Dominion index number of car fares on a 1926 base receded from 105.8 in 1934 to 104.5 in 1935. Provincial index declines contributing to the decrease were as follows: Ontario from 11.2 to 107.1 and Saskatchewan from 89.2 to 88.0. The index for Alberta rose from 98.3 to 102.5 between 1934 and 1935.

TABLE XXVII—AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1921-1935

Province	1913	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926*	1927*	1928*	1929*	1930*	1931*	1932*	1933*	1934*	1935*
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
CANADA.....	·042	·051	·059	·059	·060	·060	·060	·060	·061	·062	·063	·064	·064	·064	·064	·063
Nova Scotia.....	·044	·061	·060	·060	·069	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074
New Brunswick....	·047	·070	·059	·055	·053	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059
Quebec.....	·044	·061	·061	·061	·061	·061	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062
Ontario.....	·040	·039	·057	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·060	·062	·063	·064	·064	·064	·064	·062
Manitoba.....	·041	·060	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·060	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062
Saskatchewan.....	·043	·061	·062	·061	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·065	·072	·072	·072	·072	·072
Alberta.....	·041	·058	·058	·057	·057	·057	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·055	·054
British Columbia..	·051	·065	·064	·064	·064	·063	·063	·063	·063	·063	·067	·067	·067	·067	·067	·067

\*Fares from 1926 forward revised on basis of movements in actual tariffs in effect. Prior to 1926, fares based on total passenger revenue and passengers carried.

TABLE XXVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1921-1935

(1926=100)

Province.	1913	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
CANADA.....	70.0	85.0	98.3	98.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	101.1	102.4	104.2	106.1	106.4	106.2	105.8	104.5
Nova Scotia.....	59.5	82.4	81.1	81.1	93.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	106.4	106.2	105.8	104.5
New Brunswick....	79.7	118.6	100.0	93.2	89.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Quebec.....	71.0	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	98.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Ontario.....	69.0	67.2	98.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Manitoba.....	69.5	101.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	103.2	107.1	109.2	111.3	111.3	111.2	111.2	107.1
Saskatchewan.....	69.3	98.4	100.0	98.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	109.7	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.6	122.6
Alberta.....	70.7	100.9	100.0	98.2	98.2	98.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	89.2	88.0
British Columbia..	81.0	103.2	101.6	101.6	101.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	106.2	106.0	106.0	106.0	98.3	102.5

TABLE XXIX—INDEX NUMBERS OF AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1921-1935

(1913=100)

Province	1913	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
CANADA.....	100.0	121.4	140.5	140.5	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	144.5	146.3	148.9	151.6	152.0	151.8	151.2	149.3
Nova Scotia.....	100.0	138.6	136.4	136.4	156.8	168.2	168.2	168.2	168.2	168.2	168.2	168.2	168.2	168.2	168.2	168.2
New Brunswick....	100.0	148.9	125.5	117.0	112.8	125.5	125.5	125.5	125.5	125.5	125.5	125.5	125.5	125.5	125.5	125.5
Quebec.....	100.0	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	138.6	140.9	140.9	140.9	140.9	141.0	141.0	142.2	142.2	142.2	142.2
Ontario.....	100.0	97.5	142.5	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	145.0	149.6	155.3	158.3	161.4	161.4	161.2	161.2	155.3
Manitoba.....	100.0	146.3	143.9	143.9	143.9	143.9	143.9	143.9	143.9	143.9	157.9	176.4	176.4	176.4	176.4	176.4
Saskatchewan.....	100.0	141.9	144.2	141.9	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	144.2	128.6	126.9
Alberta.....	100.0	141.5	141.5	139.0	139.0	139.0	141.5	141.5	141.5	141.5	141.5	141.5	141.5	141.5	139.1	145.0
British Columbia..	100.0	127.5	125.5	125.5	125.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	123.5	131.2	130.9	130.9	130.9	130.9	130.9

## RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913-1935

Basing its calculations upon returns from 230 hospitals in all parts of Canada, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics has calculated that rates charged in 1935 were generally unchanged from those for 1934, but 3.6 p.c. higher than in 1926. In the tables that follow, weighted index numbers of rates and average costs are shown for each province, and for the Dominion as a whole, covering public ward, semi-private ward, and private room rates, operating room fees, and maintenance costs per patient per day. Index numbers are given based on average costs both in 1913 and 1926.

Only very minor changes were apparent in 1935 rate indexes. The number for semi-private room charges showed the most movement, declining from 99.8 to 99.2 (1926=100). Private room rates fell from 99.3 to 98.9 and operating room charges from 99.0 to 98.9. Public ward rates registered the first advance since 1930, moving fractionally from 108.7 in 1934 to 108.9 in 1935. An index measuring daily maintenance costs advanced from 92.7 to 93.1, marking the first break in a decline dating from 1930. Various current costs have been affected by high commodity prices including those for foods.

An average of public ward rates throughout the Dominion was \$1.98 for both 1934 and 1935. Rates for Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta and British Columbia recorded minor advances, while those for Saskatchewan were slightly lower. Provincial averages varied between \$1.50 for Prince Edward Island and \$2.54 for New Brunswick.

Semi-private room rate averages changed from \$2.81 to \$2.79, owing to decreases for New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario and Alberta. Provincial averages ranged from \$2.10 for Ontario to \$2.34 for British Columbia.

Private room rate averages for the Dominion receded from \$5.03 in 1934 to \$5.01 for 1935. This small decrease was accounted for by declines for New Brunswick, Quebec, and Ontario. Nova Scotia, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia showed moderate advances. The range of provincial averages was marked by New Brunswick at \$3.75 and Quebec at \$6.00.

An average of operating room charges changed fractionally from \$8.10 to \$8.09, easier rates for Ontario, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia more than offsetting advances for Nova Scotia and Quebec. Provincial rates varied between \$6.30 for Alberta and \$9.62 for Quebec.

The average cost of maintaining a patient for one day advanced slightly from \$3.22 in 1934 to \$3.23 in 1935, owing to increases registered by institutions in Quebec, Ontario, Saskatchewan and British Columbia. The advance was modified by declines for Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Manitoba and Alberta. Provincial rates ranged between \$2.50 for Nova Scotia and \$3.62 for Quebec. Owing to differing methods in accounting cost of maintenance figures cannot be considered strictly comparable as between various institutions or provinces. It is believed, however, that these figures furnish a reliable basis upon which to calculate fluctuations in costs from year to year.



TABLE XXX—HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1931 AND 1920-1935

Province	1913	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES FOR PUBLIC WARDS																	
P.E.I.																	
Nova Scotia	0.91	1.18	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
New Brunswick								1.54	1.54	1.54	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.86
Quebec	0.89	1.49	1.77	1.90	1.95	1.97	1.97	2.46	2.46	2.46	2.46	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54
Ontario	1.00	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.84	1.90	2.05	2.11	2.12	2.12	2.12	2.11	2.10	2.12
Manitoba	1.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.50	1.50	1.69	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.73	1.72	1.72
Saskatchewan	1.13	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.92	1.97	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.51	1.51	1.52
Alberta	1.24	1.56	1.56	1.56	1.62	1.62	1.97	2.45	2.45	2.43	2.45	2.45	2.40	2.35	2.24	2.20	2.19
British Columbia	1.05	1.81	2.10	2.10	2.11	2.14	2.14	2.27	2.27	2.30	2.31	2.31	2.29	2.28	2.23	2.21	2.20
Dominion Average.....	0.99	1.54	1.67	1.71	1.73	1.77	1.78	1.83	1.86	1.96	2.03	2.04	2.03	2.03	1.99	1.98	1.98

AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS																	
P.E.I.																	
Nova Scotia	1.60	2.33	2.51	2.53	2.53	2.56	2.56	2.50	2.50	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.51	2.51	2.51
New Brunswick								3.16	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.20	3.19	3.19	3.18	3.08	3.08
Quebec	1.64	2.21	2.35	2.37	2.50	2.52	2.91	2.12	2.11	2.43	2.43	2.64	2.64	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.52
Ontario	1.30	2.25	2.47	2.63	2.64	2.65	2.60	2.14	2.17	2.17	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.16	2.11	2.10
Manitoba	2.18	3.58	3.59	3.59	3.59	3.55	3.55	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.32	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.28
Saskatchewan	1.72	3.26	3.40	3.39	3.39	3.39	3.44	3.39	3.39	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.36	3.33	3.24	3.23	3.23
Alberta	2.16	2.99	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.52	3.45	3.45	3.37	3.38	3.34	3.33
British Columbia	1.89	2.84	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.52	3.40	3.40	3.39	3.39	3.39	3.34	3.33	3.34	3.34	3.34
Dominion.....	1.57	2.44	2.63	2.69	2.73	2.74	2.84	2.82	2.83	2.85	2.87	2.89	2.89	2.85	2.82	2.81	2.79

AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS																	
P.E.I.																	
Nova Scotia	1.87	2.76	2.85	3.00	3.00	3.02	3.07	3.75	3.75	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.94	3.94	3.94
New Brunswick								3.82	3.99	4.01	4.04	4.11	4.02	4.02	4.02	3.89	3.91
Quebec	2.60	3.68	4.27	4.29	4.38	4.56	5.85	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.81	3.81	3.85	3.83	3.82	3.75
Ontario	2.54	4.18	4.52	4.63	4.64	4.62	4.59	4.64	4.66	4.46	4.41	4.44	4.46	4.65	4.62	4.60	4.57
Manitoba	3.98	5.97	6.03	6.10	6.10	6.10	6.10	4.81	4.81	4.76	4.75	4.75	4.66	4.60	4.58	4.58	4.57
Saskatchewan	3.13	4.91	5.34	4.96	4.96	5.09	4.80	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.05	5.99	5.97	5.91	5.80	5.80	5.80
Alberta	3.33	4.83	4.89	5.01	5.01	5.01	5.11	4.62	4.62	4.96	4.96	4.96	4.97	4.75	4.70	4.75	4.77
British Columbia	2.58	3.38	3.90	3.90	3.95	3.95	3.97	4.51	4.57	4.56	4.63	4.59	4.58	4.57	4.50	4.48	4.49
Dominion Average.....	2.68	4.05	4.45	4.49	4.52	4.58	4.92	5.07	5.14	5.25	5.23	5.24	5.23	5.11	5.06	5.03	5.01

AVERAGE OPERATING ROOM CHARGES																	
P.E.I.																	
Nova Scotia	4.55	6.77	6.87	6.87	6.87	6.87	6.28	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
New Brunswick	6.00	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	10.00	10.00	7.26	7.39	7.40	7.43	7.34	7.30	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27
Quebec	5.58	7.00	7.16	7.24	7.24	8.70	8.74	9.26	9.65	9.69	9.69	9.69	9.68	9.66	9.60	9.59	9.62
Ontario	4.43	6.72	6.88	7.02	7.02	7.06	7.27	7.48	7.51	7.58	7.58	7.58	7.56	7.49	7.39	7.32	7.30
Manitoba	6.81	9.67	9.67	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	9.58	9.58	9.59	9.59	9.59	9.59	9.49	9.45	9.45	9.45
Saskatchewan	5.74	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.59	8.36	7.69	7.83	7.87	7.88	7.88	7.84	7.80	7.55	7.47	7.41
Alberta	5.12	5.69	5.91	5.91	5.69	6.50	6.50	6.99	7.02	7.10	7.10	7.04	7.02	6.57	6.45	6.34	6.30
British Columbia	4.73	6.39	6.94	6.94	6.94	6.94	7.06	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.57	8.56	8.52	8.52	8.52	8.51
Dominion Average.....	5.16	7.00	7.15	7.24	7.24	7.87	7.97	8.17	8.31	8.36	8.37	8.36	8.33	8.23	8.14	8.10	8.09

AVERAGE COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY																	
P.E.I.																	
Nova Scotia	1.28	2.57	2.46	2.44	2.23	2.22	2.14	2.61	2.47	2.88	3.26	3.34	3.25	2.97	3.12	3.16	3.06
New Brunswick								2.87	2.94	2.92	3.24	3.41	3.47	2.80	2.71	2.58	2.50
Quebec	1.63	2.96	2.96	2.84	2.84	3.16	3.14	3.24	3.21	3.35	3.28	3.17	3.22	3.03	2.87	2.91	2.78
Ontario	1.49	3.02	3.40	3.32	3.44	3.39	3.52	3.51	3.51	3.33	3.35	3.81	3.81	3.63	3.42	3.42	3.45
Manitoba	2.20	3.31	3.31	2.90	3.01	3.26	3.09	3.04	3.08	3.17	3.12	3.33	3.18	3.09	2.91	2.91	2.84
Saskatchewan	2.29	3.52	3.33	3.34	3.36	3.34	3.14	3.19	3.22	3.20	3.18	3.24	3.16	3.16	2.90	2.74	2.82
Alberta	2.18	3.83	3.65	3.45	3.77	3.77	3.83	3.60	3.43	3.39	3.28	3.13	3.10	3.01	2.82	2.73	2.68
British Columbia	2.01	3.11	3.21	3.04	3.29	3.18	3.25	3.55	3.32	3.19	3.35	3.47	3.40	3.19	2.89	3.01	3.06
Dominion Average.....	1.68	3.08	3.22	3.12	3.17	3.25	3.26	3.48	3.45	3.49	3.62	3.63	3.58	3.44	3.25	3.22	3.23

## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

TABLE XXXI—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1920-1935

Province	1913	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES (1926=100)																	
P.E.I.	59.1	76.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Nova Scotia	44.9	75.2	89.0	95.9	98.5	99.3	99.3	100.0	100.0	103.5	111.5	114.6	115.0	115.0	115.1	114.7	114.9
New Brunswick	66.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	112.7	116.6	116.6	116.7	116.6	115.6	114.7	114.7
Quebec	57.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	101.2	101.2	101.0	86.6	86.5	86.5
Ontario	52.7	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9	92.3	100.0	100.0	99.3	100.3	100.3	98.1	96.1	91.9	90.2	89.8
Manitoba	32.2	65.6	65.6	65.6	68.9	91.4	95.8	100.0	101.6	101.5	102.0	102.0	101.2	100.7	98.7	97.7	98.4
Saskatchewan	49.0	84.7	98.1	98.1	98.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.1	110.4	110.4	110.4	109.3	109.3	108.6	109.0
Alberta																	
British Columbia																	
Dominion Index	54.6	85.6	93.1	95.5	96.7	98.5	98.9	100.0	101.1	107.5	111.3	111.6	111.4	111.4	109.5	108.7	108.9

INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES  
(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100.0	129.5	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	196.8	195.8	196.6	205.1	205.1	205.1	205.1
Quebec	100.0	167.4	198.2	213.6	219.3	221.2	221.2	222.7	230.5	248.3	255.2	256.1	256.3	256.3	255.4	254.1	255.9
Ontario	100.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	169.1	174.9	174.9	175.1	174.9	173.4	172.1	172.0
Manitoba	100.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	177.1	177.3	176.7	151.6	151.4	151.4
Saskatchewan	100.0	170.6	170.6	170.6	170.6	170.6	175.1	189.8	189.8	188.5	190.4	190.4	186.2	182.4	174.4	171.2	170.4
Alberta	100.0	125.7	125.7	125.7	130.2	175.2	183.6	191.6	194.7	194.5	195.4	195.4	193.9	192.9	189.1	187.2	188.5
British Columbia	100.0	172.8	200.1	200.1	200.7	204.0	204.0	204.0	204.0	204.2	225.2	225.2	225.2	223.0	223.0	221.5	222.4
Dominion Index	100.0	156.9	170.5	175.0	177.1	180.4	181.2	183.2	185.2	196.9	203.9	204.5	204.1	204.1	200.6	199.1	199.5

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1926=100)

P.E.I.								100.0	100.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	100.4	100.4	100.4
Nova Scotia	59.7	87.1	93.8	94.7	94.7	95.6	95.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	101.5	101.5	101.1	101.1	100.8	97.6	97.6
New Brunswick	66.7	109.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.9	115.3	115.3	125.1	125.1	124.1	124.1	124.1	119.6
Quebec	56.0	75.5	80.1	80.8	85.1	85.9	99.3	100.0	100.7	101.2	101.2	102.6	102.7	102.7	102.7	101.4	101.7
Ontario	48.5	83.6	92.0	97.8	98.1	93.4	96.6	100.0	101.2	101.2	101.2	100.0	100.0	90.5	93.3	98.2	98.2
Manitoba	63.0	103.5	103.5	103.8	103.8	102.5	102.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.9	99.9	99.8	99.1	98.4	95.6	95.3
Saskatchewan	50.1	94.7	93.9	93.6	93.6	98.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.3	100.3	98.1	98.4	97.3
Alberta	62.7	86.8	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.1	100.1	102.3	100.3	100.3	98.1	98.4	97.3
British Columbia	53.6	80.7	99.5	99.5	99.5	99.5	100.2	100.0	99.8	99.6	99.6	99.6	98.0	97.7	98.0	98.0	98.0
Dominion Index	54.0	84.4	91.0	93.5	94.8	95.1	98.4	100.0	100.6	101.4	102.1	102.8	102.7	101.5	100.3	99.8	99.2

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100.0	145.8	157.0	153.6	158.6	160.0	160.0	167.4	167.4	167.4	169.9	169.9	169.2	169.2	168.7	163.4	163.4
New Brunswick	100.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	149.9	173.0	173.0	187.7	187.7	186.1	186.2	186.2	179.4
Quebec	100.0	134.8	142.9	144.2	151.9	153.3	177.2	178.5	179.7	180.6	180.6	183.7	183.7	183.2	181.0	181.5	179.2
Ontario	100.0	172.2	189.5	201.4	202.1	202.8	198.9	206.0	208.5	208.1	210.9	211.4	211.6	207.2	202.9	201.3	201.5
Manitoba	100.0	164.3	164.4	164.8	164.8	162.8	162.8	153.8	153.8	153.8	158.8	158.8	158.0	156.1	155.9	155.9	153.6
Saskatchewan	100.0	139.2	197.5	196.9	196.9	196.9	199.7	199.7	199.7	199.7	199.5	199.3	197.9	196.5	190.9	190.3	190.3
Alberta	100.0	138.5	151.0	151.0	151.0	151.0	150.5	150.5	159.7	159.7	163.2	160.0	160.0	156.5	156.9	155.2	154.4
British Columbia	100.0	150.4	185.4	185.4	185.4	185.4	186.7	186.4	186.0	185.7	185.7	185.7	182.7	182.1	182.7	182.7	182.7
Dominion Index	100.0	156.3	163.6	173.1	175.6	176.1	182.2	185.2	186.3	187.8	189.1	190.4	190.2	188.0	185.8	184.8	183.7

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1926=100)

P.E.I.								100.0	100.0	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	103.3	105.0	105.0	105.0
Nova Scotia	58.0	85.4	88.4	93.1	93.1	93.8	95.4	100.0	104.3	104.8	105.6	107.4	105.1	105.1	105.1	101.7	102.0
New Brunswick	46.3	66.4	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	89.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	103.9	103.9	105.0	104.6	104.2	102.4
Quebec	43.9	62.1	72.1	72.3	74.0	77.0	98.8	100.0	103.2	103.2	104.2	104.6	105.0	100.0	99.4	98.5	97.5
Ontario	54.9	90.6	97.9	100.3	100.4	100.1	99.5	100.0	100.5	103.4	102.6	102.5	102.5	100.6	99.2	98.8	98.5
Manitoba	66.4	99.5	100.6	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.4	99.4	99.1	91.1	96.3	96.3	96.3
Saskatchewan	66.1	103.6	112.6	104.6	104.6	107.3	101.4	100.0	100.0	107.5	107.5	107.5	106.0	103.0	101.9	102.9	102.9
Alberta	65.2	94.6	95.7	98.0	98.0	98.0	100.0	100.0	101.1	101.0	102.5	101.6	101.5	101.3	99.7	99.2	99.5
British Columbia	65.1	85.2	93.2	93.2	93.4	99.4	104.0	100.0	100.0	100.7	99.7	99.4	99.4	100.3	97.3	97.3	97.5
Dominion Index	53.1	80.3	83.8	89.7	90.3	91.4	98.6	100.0	101.4	103.6	103.2	103.4	103.2	100.9	99.8	99.3	98.0

TABLE XXXI—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1920-1935—  
Concluded

Province	1913	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS (1913=100)																	
Nova Scotia.....	100-0	147-0	152-5	150-6	160-6	161-8	164-5	172-5	179-9	180-8	182-2	185-3	181-3	181-3	181-3	175-4	175-9
New Brunswick.....	100-0	143-3	186-7	186-7	186-7	186-7	192-5	215-8	215-8	215-8	215-8	224-2	224-2	226-6	225-7	224-0	221-0
Quebec.....	100-0	141-4	164-3	164-8	168-5	175-3	225-1	227-8	235-1	239-2	237-4	238-3	239-2	227-8	226-4	224-0	222-1
Ontario.....	100-0	164-9	178-3	182-7	182-9	182-3	181-2	182-1	183-0	188-3	186-8	186-7	186-7	183-2	180-6	170-0	170-4
Manitoba.....	100-0	149-8	151-5	153-1	153-3	153-1	153-1	150-6	150-6	150-6	151-2	149-7	149-2	147-7	145-0	145-0	145-0
Saskatchewan.....	100-0	156-9	170-5	158-3	158-3	162-5	153-5	151-4	151-4	162-8	162-8	162-8	160-5	155-9	154-3	155-8	156-4
Alberta.....	100-0	145-0	146-7	150-2	150-2	150-2	153-3	153-3	155-0	154-8	157-1	155-8	155-6	155-3	152-8	152-1	152-5
British Columbia.....	100-0	131-0	151-0	151-0	152-8	152-8	153-7	153-7	153-7	153-7	154-8	153-2	152-8	152-8	149-6	149-6	149-8
Dominion Index.....	100-0	151-4	167-4	169-1	170-3	172-3	185-9	188-5	191-1	195-3	194-5	194-9	194-5	190-2	188-1	187-2	186-4

INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES  
(1926=100)

P.E.I.....	.....	107-7	109-3	109-3	109-3	109-3	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Nova Scotia.....	72-4	107-7	109-3	109-3	109-3	109-3	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-8	99-8	94-2	94-4
New Brunswick.....	60-0	75-0	75-0	75-0	75-0	75-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-4	102-1	101-2	100-6	100-2	100-2	100-2
Quebec.....	61-5	77-1	78-9	79-7	95-8	95-8	96-3	100-0	104-3	104-7	104-7	104-7	104-6	104-4	103-7	103-6	103-9
Ontario.....	60-4	91-7	93-8	95-7	95-7	96-3	99-2	100-0	100-0	101-4	101-4	101-4	101-1	99-0	98-9	97-9	97-7
Manitoba.....	63-1	96-7	96-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1	99-1	98-7	95-7	96-3
Saskatchewan.....	73-0	90-4	90-4	90-4	90-4	96-6	106-4	100-0	101-7	102-3	102-5	102-5	101-9	101-4	98-2	97-2	96-7
Alberta.....	78-7	87-6	90-9	90-9	87-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-5	101-6	101-6	100-8	100-5	94-0	92-4	90-8	90-2
British Columbia.....	66-1	89-5	97-1	97-1	97-1	97-1	98-9	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-8	99-4	99-3	99-4	99-2
Dominion Index.....	63-8	87-4	89-4	90-5	95-0	97-6	99-0	100-0	101-5	102-2	102-3	102-2	101-9	100-6	99-6	99-0	98-9

INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES  
(1913=100)

Nova Scotia.....	100-0	148-8	151-1	151-1	151-1	151-1	138-2	138-2	138-2	138-5	139-0	139-0	137-9	137-9	130-2	130-2	130-5
New Brunswick.....	100-0	125-0	125-0	125-0	125-0	166-7	166-7	166-7	166-7	169-0	170-2	168-7	167-7	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0
Quebec.....	100-0	125-5	128-3	129-7	155-9	155-9	156-7	152-7	159-3	159-9	159-9	159-9	159-7	159-4	158-3	158-2	158-6
Ontario.....	100-0	151-8	155-4	158-4	158-5	159-4	164-2	165-6	166-3	167-9	167-9	167-9	167-4	163-9	163-8	162-1	161-8
Manitoba.....	100-0	141-9	141-9	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-9	146-9	146-9	146-9	145-5	144-9	144-9	144-9
Saskatchewan.....	100-0	123-8	123-8	123-8	123-8	132-3	145-7	136-9	139-2	140-0	140-3	140-3	139-5	138-8	134-4	133-1	131-8
Alberta.....	100-0	111-2	112-5	115-5	111-2	127-0	127-0	127-0	127-6	129-0	129-0	128-0	127-6	119-4	117-3	115-3	114-5
British Columbia.....	100-0	135-3	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	149-5	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-0	150-9	150-3	150-1	150-3	150-0
Dominion Index.....	100-0	137-0	140-1	141-8	145-9	153-0	155-1	156-7	159-1	160-1	160-3	160-1	159-7	157-6	150-1	155-1	155-0

INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY  
(1926=100)

P.E.I.....	.....	108-2	103-7	102-8	93-9	93-6	90-4	100-0	94-6	110-3	124-8	127-9	124-4	113-7	119-5	120-8	116-9
Nova Scotia.....	54-0	108-2	103-7	102-8	93-9	93-6	90-4	100-0	94-6	110-3	124-8	127-9	124-4	113-7	119-5	120-8	116-9
New Brunswick.....	42-7	90-5	109-2	99-7	106-8	103-6	102-4	100-0	92-5	101-7	113-0	118-9	120-9	97-7	94-6	90-0	87-4
Quebec.....	43-7	83-5	88-5	87-5	84-8	94-5	93-7	100-0	104-2	107-3	103-9	102-9	99-8	93-8	85-9	90-1	86-0
Ontario.....	43-0	87-0	97-7	95-6	98-8	97-7	101-4	100-0	94-7	95-3	103-3	103-3	103-2	103-2	103-1	97-2	97-1
Manitoba.....	71-8	103-1	103-2	94-6	98-1	106-5	100-0	100-0	101-4	104-3	102-8	109-5	104-7	101-9	95-8	97-0	98-1
Saskatchewan.....	68-1	104-4	98-9	92-9	99-7	90-9	93-3	100-0	90-9	90-2	99-5	101-6	99-7	99-1	90-8	85-9	88-5
Alberta.....	57-8	101-4	96-6	91-5	100-0	90-9	101-5	100-0	95-1	94-1	91-0	86-8	86-0	83-4	73-1	75-7	74-4
British Columbia.....	63-7	93-4	101-6	96-3	104-2	100-8	102-8	100-0	93-5	89-8	94-3	97-6	95-7	89-8	81-4	84-7	86-1
Dominion Index.....	49-5	92-7	96-9	94-0	95-3	97-6	98-2	100-0	98-9	100-2	104-2	104-6	102-9	99-0	93-6	92-7	93-1

INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY  
(1913=100)

Nova Scotia.....	100-0	200-2	192-0	190-2	173-8	173-2	167-3	185-1	189-7	188-2	209-2	220-1	223-8	180-8	175-1	166-6	161-8
New Brunswick.....	100-0	211-8	255-6	233-3	250-0	242-4	239-6	234-0	232-4	242-2	237-5	229-3	233-5	219-5	208-0	210-8	201-2
Quebec.....	100-0	181-7	181-8	179-7	174-2	191-4	192-5	205-4	214-0	220-4	213-4	211-4	203-3	204-4	195-5	193-3	195-3
Ontario.....	100-0	202-4	227-2	222-3	229-9	227-2	235-9	232-6	220-3	221-9	251-9	251-9	251-7	239-8	226-1	225-6	228-2
Manitoba.....	100-0	150-5	150-6	131-7	136-6	143-3	140-5	139-2	141-1	145-2	143-1	152-4	145-7	141-8	133-4	133-4	130-4
Saskatchewan.....	100-0	153-4	145-0	145-7	146-5	145-5	137-1	146-9	148-2	147-2	146-2	149-3	145-4	145-6	133-4	126-2	130-0
Alberta.....	100-0	175-4	167-1	158-3	173-0	172-9	175-6	173-0	164-5	162-8	157-4	150-2	149-8	144-3	135-1	131-0	128-7
British Columbia.....	100-0	154-4	159-4	151-1	163-5	158-2	161-3	156-9	146-7	140-9	148-0	153-1	150-2	140-9	127-7	132-9	135-1
Dominion Index.....	100-0	187-2	195-6	189-7	192-5	197-1	198-3	201-9	199-7	202-3	210-4	211-2	207-8	199-9	189-0	187-2	188-0



# INDEX NUMBERS AND PRICES OF MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES, 1913-1935

The Dominion index of manufactured fuel gas on the base 1926 = 100, fell from 94.0 in 1934 to 93.0 in 1935, continuing a gradual decline which has been in progress since 1921, when the index stood at 109.4. Decreases for London, Sault Ste. Marie and Victoria were responsible for the change in the index. Guelph was the only city to show an increase. Prices in Canada ranged from \$1.90 per thousand cubic feet at Halifax to \$0.75 for both Guelph and Hamilton.

The natural gas index on the base 1926 = 100, moved down slightly from 93.4 in 1934 to 93.2 in 1935, which was the lowest number recorded since 1930. A decline in the typical bill for Medicine Hat was accountable for the decrease. City rates per first thousand cubic feet of gas were unchanged during 1935, and ranged from \$1.40 at Windsor, Ontario, to \$0.237 at Medicine Hat.

TABLE XXXII—PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1919-1935

Net price per 1,000 cu. ft. as at the end of each year (exclusive of meter rent or other service charge).

	1913	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Nova Scotia—																		
Halifax.....									1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90
New Brunswick—																		
Saint John.....	1.00	2.00	2.00	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.25	2.25	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75
Quebec—																		
Montreal.....	.90	.85	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Quebec.....	1.20	1.25	1.75	1.75	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Sherbrooke.....	1.25	1.50	1.57	1.57	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21
Ontario—																		
Belleville.....	1.25	1.65	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60
Brockville.....	.90	1.40	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.70	1.53	1.44	1.38	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35
Guelph.....										1.05	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.90	.70	.75
Hamilton <sup>1</sup> .....										1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.75	.75	.75
Kingston.....										1.44	1.44	1.40	1.40	1.35	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.25
Kitchener.....	1.10	1.35	1.80	1.70	1.60	1.60	1.50	1.30	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95	.95
London.....	.90	.90	.90	1.25	1.25	1.15	1.15	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Oshawa.....	1.40	1.75	2.15	2.15	2.15	2.00	2.00	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.65	1.65	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.76	1.76	1.76
Ottawa <sup>2</sup> .....	1.10	1.15	1.29	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
Owen Sound.....	1.25	1.22	1.35	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.00	1.15	1.15
Peterborough.....	1.25	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.22	1.35	1.22	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12
St. Thomas.....									1.90	1.90	1.48	1.48	1.39	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30
Sault Ste. Marie.....									1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40	1.00	1.00	1.15	1.15
Stratford.....	1.20	1.45	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.60	1.60	1.54	1.54
Toronto.....	.70	1.00	1.10	1.25	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Waterloo.....									1.65	1.30	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.15	1.15	1.15
Manitoba—																		
Winnipeg.....	1.20	1.35	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47
Brit. Columbia—																		
New Westminster.....	2.25	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	1.70	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77
Vancouver.....	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62
Victoria.....	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.71

<sup>1</sup> Hamilton has been included with the manufactured gas companies, as the volume of natural gas distributed there is very small.

<sup>2</sup> First price for standard service; second price for dual service.

<sup>3</sup> Price as at September 23rd. Following that date natural gas was introduced.

TABLE XXXIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1919-1935

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)  
(1926=100)

	1913	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
DOMINION.....	76.3	84.7	95.7	109.4	107.2	103.5	102.7	100.4	100.0	98.4	98.1	97.7	97.4	95.5	94.3	94.1	94.0	93.0
Provinces—																		
N.S. (1 city)....									100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2
N.B. (1 city)....									100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Quebec.....	82.6	75.2	89.5	101.4	100.3	100.3	100.2	100.0	96.1	96.1	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0
Ontario.....	69.7	87.8	98.8	115.3	111.6	105.0	104.5	100.2	100.0	99.7	99.2	98.5	97.9	93.8	91.8	91.4	91.1	89.2
Prairie (1 city)...	81.6	91.8	95.9	108.8	108.8	106.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Brit. Columbia..	96.8	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	100.0	99.1	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.2
Cities—																		
Halifax.....									100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2
Saint John.....	51.2	100.0	100.0	124.4	124.4	124.4	112.2	112.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Montreal.....	82.6	73.9	87.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7
Quebec.....	80.0	86.0	116.6	116.6	103.4	103.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sherbrooke.....	97.2	115.6	121.3	116.6	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5
Belleville.....	67.6	89.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5
Brockville.....	50.0	77.8	77.8	111.1	111.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.4	85.2	82.6	78.1	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8
Guelph.....									100.0	100.0	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6
Hamilton.....									100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	82.3	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0
Kingston.....									100.0	97.7	95.1	95.1	91.8	90.1	85.9	85.9	92.2	92.2
Kitchener.....	103.0	125.0	164.8	155.9	147.2	147.2	138.3	120.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.3	95.3	95.3
London.....	82.6	82.6	82.6	103.0	113.0	106.4	104.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	91.7*
Oshawa.....	77.6	92.1	113.2	113.2	113.2	111.0	105.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.7	98.7	86.8	86.8	86.8	84.7	84.7	84.7
Ottawa.....	77.9	76.9	87.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	93.6	92.0	92.0
Owen Sound.....	93.2	93.8	144.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	90.9	100.0	90.8	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6
Peterborough.....	65.8	105.3	105.3	105.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	92.6	87.4	82.5	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3
Sault Ste. Marie									100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.6	98.3	93.2	93.2
St. Thomas.....									100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	93.3	93.3	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9
Stratford.....	62.3	74.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.3	90.6	88.2	88.2	84.9	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5
Toronto.....	66.7	88.9	100.0	119.1	113.4	104.7	104.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	96.8	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2
Waterloo.....									100.0	79.6	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	71.3	71.3	71.3
Winnipeg.....	81.6	91.8	95.9	108.8	108.8	106.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
New Westminster	91.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	71.4	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8
Vancouver.....	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2
Victoria.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2

TABLE XXXIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1919-1935

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)  
(1913=100)

	1913	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
DOMINION.....	100.0	111.1	125.4	143.6	140.6	135.7	134.6	131.6	131.1	129.0	128.6	128.1	127.7	125.2	123.6	123.4	123.2	121.9
Provinces—																		
Maritime (1 city)...	100.0	195.2	195.2	242.9	242.9	242.9	219.0	219.0	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2
Quebec.....	100.0	91.0	82.8	122.7	121.4	121.4	121.2	121.2	121.0	116.3	116.3	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2
Ontario.....	100.0	125.9	141.7	165.4	160.1	150.5	149.9	143.8	143.4	143.0	142.3	141.2	140.4	134.5	131.6	131.1	130.6	127.9
Prairie (1 city)...	100.0	112.5	117.5	133.3	133.3	130.0	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5
Brit. Columbia..	100.0	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	99.4	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	96.9	96.9	96.9	96.5
Cities—																		
Saint John.....	100.0	195.2	195.2	242.9	242.9	242.9	219.0	219.0	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2
Montreal.....	100.0	89.5	105.3	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
Quebec.....	100.0	104.2	145.8	145.8	129.2	129.2	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0
Sherbrooke.....	100.0	119.0	126.8	120.0	113.3	113.3	113.3	102.9	102.9	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1
Belleville.....	100.0	132.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0
Brockville.....	100.0	155.6	155.6	222.2	222.2	200.0	200.0	200.0	188.8	170.4	165.2	156.2	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6
Kitchener.....	100.0	121.4	160.0	151.4	142.9	142.9	134.3	117.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5
London.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	124.7	136.8	128.9	126.3	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
Oshawa.....	100.0	118.6	145.8	145.8	145.8	142.4	135.6	128.8	128.8	128.8	127.1	127.1	111.8	111.8	111.8	109.1	109.1	109.1
Ottawa.....	100.0	98.7	111.8	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	122.1	122.1	122.1	122.1	120.1	118.0	118.0
Owen Sound.....	100.0	100.7	155.0	127.1	127.1	127.1	127.1	97.5	107.3	97.4	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8
Peterborough.....	100.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	140.8	138.8	125.4	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0
Stratford.....	100.0	118.9	160.4	160.4	160.4	160.4	160.4	160.4	160.4	152.9	145.3	141.5	141.5	136.2	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9
Toronto.....	100.1	133.3	150.0	178.6	170.1	157.1	157.1	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	145.2	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.8
Winnipeg.....	100.0	112.5	117.5	133.3	133.3	130.0	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5
New Westminster	100.0	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	78.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8
Vancouver.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5
Victoria.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2

\* Manufactured gas replaced by natural gas after September 23rd. Index based on average bill for year.

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TABLE XXXVII—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1919-1935

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1913=100)

	1913	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
DOMINION.....	100.0	116.1	125.1	137.6	163.2	163.0	162.2	179.3	172.4	166.9	160.8	160.7	159.5	161.9	162.6	161.9	161.0	160.7
Provinces—																		
Maritime.....	100.0	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6
Ontario.....	100.0	113.8	129.9	150.2	172.2	171.8	171.2	208.3	209.5	209.5	209.5	209.1	209.1	221.4	223.5	221.7	219.1	219.1
Alberta.....	100.0	115.8	119.3	126.1	159.4	159.4	158.3	158.3	142.2	132.2	121.4	121.4	119.3	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	114.8
Cities—																		
Moncton.....	100.0	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6
Brantford.....	100.0	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6
Chatham.....	100.0							218.2	228.6	228.6	228.6	228.6	228.6	228.6	228.6	249.9	254.7	254.7
Niagara Falls...	100.0	108.3	125.0	137.5	175.0	172.2	167.8	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0
St. Catharines...	100.0	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4
Sarnia.....	100.0	118.5	155.6	155.6	223.7	223.7	223.7	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6
Welland.....	100.0	154.5	178.6	196.4	250.0	245.5	239.4	357.1	357.1	357.1	357.1	357.1	357.1	317.5	317.5	317.5	317.5	317.5
Windsor.....	100.0	100.0	116.7	146.7	166.7	166.7	166.7	226.7	226.7	226.7	226.7	226.7	226.7	263.4	269.3	258.0	249.6	249.6
Woodstock.....	100.0	90.0	125.1	160.2	160.2	160.2	160.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2
Calgary.....	100.0	116.7	116.7	124.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	142.0	126.7	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1
Medicine Hat...	100.0	104.4	151.9	151.9	151.9	151.9	137.8	137.8	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	136.9

## INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES

Computed by the Bureau's Transportation Branch in collaboration with the Prices' Division

The accompanying table shows that charges for electricity for domestic lighting and, in the majority of cases, for other domestic uses, declined 1.0 per cent. from 1913 to 1935, the index being 87.8 in the latter year. In recent years, although the average domestic bill has been somewhat larger than formerly, rate reductions in the form of greater discounts, etc., have reduced the unit cost of electricity used in the home.

TABLE XXXVIII—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1926-1935

(1926=100)

	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	*1935
CANADA.....	100.0	99.0	96.9	93.1	90.5	88.8	88.7	89.1	88.7	87.8
Prince Edward Island.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	74.6	74.6	74.6
Nova Scotia.....	100.0	97.2	95.2	92.7	78.3	72.7	72.1	71.5	71.5	71.3
New Brunswick.....	100.0	96.8	95.2	95.0	94.2	94.2	92.1	91.7	91.6	90.7
Quebec.....	100.0	99.0	98.7	93.7	87.9	85.3	85.1	84.9	82.3	79.1
Ontario.....	100.0	99.1	98.3	95.5	94.9	93.1	93.1	94.5	95.5	95.7
Manitoba.....	100.0	100.0	99.8	99.7	99.5	98.6	98.3	98.3	98.3	97.6
Saskatchewan.....	100.0	95.8	94.5	86.8	84.2	84.2	83.6	87.1	83.1	83.1
Alberta.....	100.0	99.4	98.0	80.1	79.3	78.8	78.8	78.8	78.8	78.3
British Columbia.....	100.0	100.0	83.6	82.9	82.9	82.9	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8

\*Subject to revision.

TABLE XXXIX—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1926-1935

(1913=100)

	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	*1935
CANADA.....	68.7	68.0	66.5	63.9	62.2	61.0	60.9	61.1	60.9	60.3
Prince Edward Island.....	119.8	119.8	119.8	101.3	101.3	101.3	101.3	89.4	89.4	89.4
Nova Scotia.....	83.5	81.1	79.5	77.4	65.4	60.7	60.2	59.7	59.7	59.6
New Brunswick.....	68.9	66.7	65.6	65.4	64.9	64.9	63.4	63.2	63.1	62.5
Quebec.....	63.4	62.8	62.6	59.4	55.7	54.1	54.0	53.8	52.2	50.1
Ontario.....	60.6	60.0	59.5	57.9	57.5	56.4	56.4	57.2	57.9	58.0
Manitoba.....	99.9	99.9	99.7	99.6	99.4	98.5	98.2	98.2	98.2	97.5
Saskatchewan.....	97.2	93.1	91.8	84.4	81.9	81.9	81.3	80.8	80.8	80.7
Alberta.....	79.0	78.5	77.4	63.2	62.6	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	61.8
British Columbia.....	68.3	68.3	57.1	56.6	56.6	56.6	57.2	57.2	57.2	57.2

\*Subject to revision.

## TELEPHONE RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS

## DOMESTIC TELEPHONES

The index number for domestic telephone rates in Canada on the base 1926=100 remained unchanged for 1935 at 107.4. The average 1935 rate for domestic use in Canada was \$2.58 per month, while provincial rates ranged from \$2.17 for British Columbia to \$2.94 for Manitoba.

## BUSINESS TELEPHONES

Taking average quotations in 1926 as equal to 100, the index of business telephone rates in Canada at 118.5 in 1935 showed no change from the previous year. Average rates for business telephones were highest in British Columbia at \$6.75, while the minimum rate of \$3.67 was reported by Prince Edward Island. The average Dominion rate of \$6.16 was the same as for 1934. It should be noted that the amounts of service given in the case of business telephones vary materially in different cities.

TABLE XL—DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1932-1935

	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1932	1933	1934	1935	1913	1932	1933	1934	1935
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.25-2.50	1.60-3.17	1.60-3.17	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	2.01	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58
Prince Edward Island.....	1	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
Nova Scotia.....	6	1.67-2.17	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.00	2.43	2.43	2.43	2.43
New Brunswick.....	3	1.67-2.50	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.16	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
Quebec.....	14	1.50-2.40	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	2.31	2.67	2.67	2.67	2.67
Ontario.....	32	1.25-2.08	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.84	2.56	2.56	2.56	2.56
Manitoba.....	3	1.66-2.50	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.46	2.94	2.94	2.94	2.94
Saskatchewan.....	4	2.25-2.58	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.25	2.56	2.68	2.68	2.68
Alberta.....	5	1.25-1.67	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	1.67	2.81	2.81	2.81	2.81
British Columbia.....	6	1.50-2.00	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.98	2.17	2.17	2.17	2.17

\*Approximate.

TABLE XLI—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1932-1935

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1932	1933	1934	1935	1913	1932	1933	1934	1935
DOMINION.....	83.2	107.2	107.4	107.4	107.4	100.0	128.8	129.1	129.1	129.1
Prince Edward Island.....	73.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5
Nova Scotia.....	82.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5
New Brunswick.....	78.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	127.3	127.3	127.3	127.3
Quebec.....	95.3	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	100.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0
Ontario.....	79.7	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	100.0	139.1	139.1	139.1	139.1
Manitoba.....	78.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	126.8	126.8	126.8	126.8
Saskatchewan.....	87.9	100.0	104.8	104.8	104.8	100.0	113.8	119.3	119.3	119.3
Alberta.....	59.0	100.0	110.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.4	169.4	169.4	169.4
British Columbia.....	91.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5

TABLE XLII—BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1932-1935

	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1932	1933	1934	1935	1913	1932	1933	1934	1935
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.83-6.00	2.95-3.67	2.95-3.67	2.95-3.67	2.95-7.20	4.21	6.15	6.16	6.16	6.16
Prince Edward Island.....	1	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67
Nova Scotia.....	6	2.67-3.92	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00	3.35-7.00	3.35-7.00	3.54	5.81	5.81	5.81	5.81
New Brunswick.....	3	2.67-3.91	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91	3.85-5.91	3.85-5.91	3.54	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39
Quebec.....	14	1.83-4.75	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	4.34	6.47	6.47	6.47	6.47
Ontario.....	32	1.83-4.33	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.77	6.01	6.01	6.01	6.01
Manitoba.....	3	3.16-5.25	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	5.10	6.53	6.53	6.53	6.53
Saskatchewan.....	4	3.09-4.00	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.09	3.96	4.14	4.14	4.14
Alberta.....	5	2.17-4.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	3.33	5.63	5.63	5.63	5.63
British Columbia.....	6	4.50-6.00	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	5.70	6.75	6.75	6.75	6.75

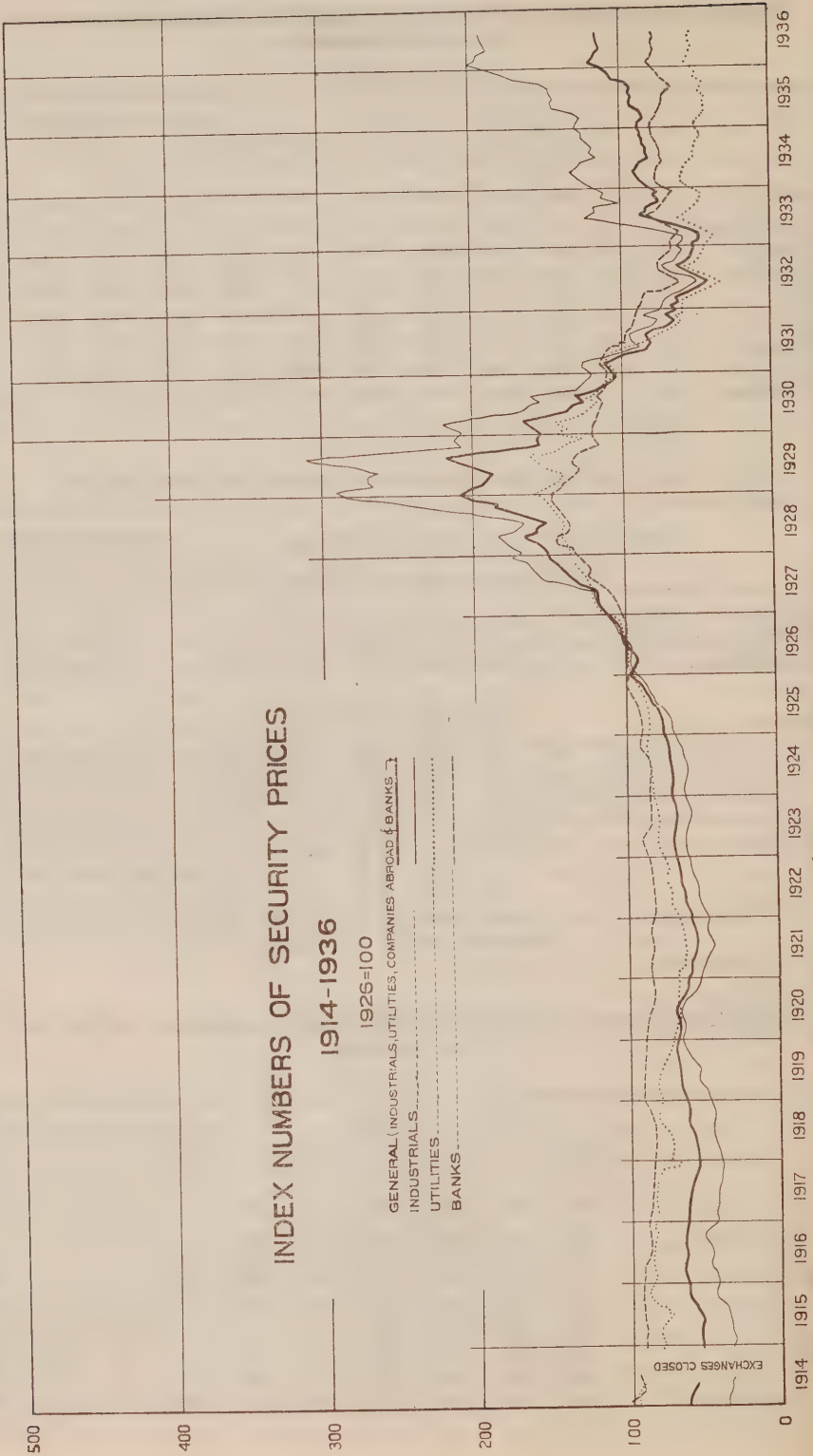
\*Measured service basis.

TABLE XLIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1932-1935

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1932	1933	1934	1935	1913	1932	1933	1934	1935
DOMINION.....	80.6	118.4	118.5	118.5	118.5	100.0	146.8	146.9	146.9	146.9
Prince Edward Island.....	82.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	122.0	122.0	122.0	122.0
Nova Scotia.....	60.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	164.1	164.1	164.1	164.1
New Brunswick.....	65.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	152.3	152.3	152.3	152.3
Quebec.....	87.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	100.0	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3
Ontario.....	80.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	100.0	159.3	159.3	159.3	159.3
Manitoba.....	76.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2
Saskatchewan.....	78.0	100.0	104.5	104.5	104.5	100.0	128.2	134.0	134.0	134.0
Alberta.....	59.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.1	169.1	169.1	169.1
British Columbia.....	84.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	118.2	118.2	118.2	118.2





## SECURITY PRICES

## INVESTORS' SECURITY PRICES INDEX NUMBERS

After an uncertain start in the first quarter of 1935, common stock prices moved forward sharply to levels not hitherto touched during the current recovery movement. The first stage of this advance ended in the latter part of May, and was followed by over four months of rather aimless fluctuation during which time price ranges generally were narrow. Early in October a second rise commenced which carried markets precipitately upward in a sustained movement which continued for the balance of the year. The magnitude of these advances may be judged from the following price index numbers based upon 87 industrial issues: December 1934, 125·6, May 1935, 144·4, and December 178·2. Utilities failed to share in this rise, the December 1934 index being 47·5 and that for the following December 50·1. The behaviour of various groups has differed widely. Transportation and pulp and paper issues, for example, are still at low levels, the former group index being 28·6 for December, and the latter 15·9 despite some improvement during the year. Textiles at 70·4 for December averaged lower than the preceding December number of 74·3. Other groups, however, recorded substantial advances as indicated by the following December 1934-December 1935 comparisons: Foods and Allied Products 130·3 and 148·5, Beverages 93·6 and 161·0, Iron and Steel 119·8 and 125·0, Milling 71·0 and 76·7, and Miscellaneous issues including International Nickel 166·2 and 294·5. A general index for industrial and utility common stocks mounted from 86·2 in December 1934 to 107·4 in December 1935.

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PREFERRED STOCKS

Preferred issues were much less active than common stocks, reversing the situation existing in 1934 when gains for the preferred group slightly exceeded the rise of an average index for common stocks. The December 1935 index for 25 Canadian preferred issues was 73·8 as compared with 71·4 for the preceding December, with no trend apparent. During 1936 a firmer tendency was in evidence.

TABLE XLIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF 25 PREFERRED STOCKS, 1926-1936  
(1926=100)

—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
26.....	100·4	101·4	100·9	99·6	93·3	98·7	99·1	99·4	100·0	100·2	101·0	101·4
27.....	102·1	102·5	102·7	102·6	102·5	102·1	102·5	103·8	104·8	107·8	110·8	111·8
28.....	111·5	110·9	109·9	111·4	111·7	111·2	110·3	107·5	107·6	106·2	104·0	107·9
29.....	107·4	108·1	106·8	104·3	104·3	104·8	104·8	105·6	105·1	102·9	99·8	100·4
30.....	97·9	98·8	100·0	103·4	102·6	99·5	97·4	97·1	96·2	85·4	81·9	82·5
31.....	83·2	83·4	84·2	78·8	73·8	72·6	71·8	69·1	64·2	63·9	66·5	63·0
32.....	57·2	58·8	58·0	55·4	48·4	45·2	49·5	52·9	53·4	52·9	52·2	50·2
33.....	49·6	49·6	47·3	47·2	54·6	58·5	61·9	61·7	61·0	59·7	59·1	60·2
34.....	64·1	66·5	67·3	68·5	68·7	68·4	68·1	67·3	67·4	69·5	70·6	71·4
35.....	73·5	73·8	71·2	69·2	68·4	68·4	69·6	70·9	69·2	69·5	72·5	73·8
36.....	74·9	77·2	76·3	76·0	74·6	76·2	79·5	80·6	83·8	86·8	.....	.....

## INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS

In the mining section, gold stocks and base metals behaved quite differently. The gold group remained comparatively inactive for the first four months of the year, and then commenced to lose ground until August. Subsequent recovery was spasmodic and an index for the group was 116·9 in December, materially below the preceding December level of 124·7. Base metals broke away in March from the inertia which characterized all security markets in the early months of the year. Their advance was interrupted in June and July, but gathered momentum again in the fall months. The December index was 201·7 as compared with 159·2 in May and 190·6 in December 1934. A composite price index of mining stocks showed a moderate increase during the year, being 124·9 in December 1934 and 133·6 in December 1935.

TABLE XLV—INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS PRICES, 1932-1936

(1926=100)

Month	Gold	Copper	Silver and Miscel- laneous	Total Index
1932				
No. of Stocks	11	4	5	20
January.....	60.1	62.5	26.5	59.7
February.....	57.5	61.2	22.2	57.3
March.....	57.6	63.4	21.4	57.8
April.....	52.6	56.5	18.3	52.4
May.....	50.2	47.9	15.5	48.4
June.....	49.9	47.8	16.8	48.3
July.....	57.2	55.6	21.0	55.6
August.....	58.1	69.7	26.3	59.7
September.....	56.4	81.0	28.4	60.9
October.....	55.0	71.0	24.4	57.5
November.....	58.1	76.5	23.6	60.9
December.....	62.7	70.9	21.9	63.1
1933				
No. of Stocks	19	Base Metals		Total Index
January.....	66.8	70.4		67.1
February.....	74.7	79.9		75.3
March.....	66.6	76.9		68.4
April.....	72.9	83.7		74.5
May.....	84.5	109.7		89.6
June.....	97.5	128.0		104.1
July.....	99.7	133.5		106.9
August.....	100.5	136.5		107.4
September.....	107.3	140.6		113.4
October.....	108.6	131.8		112.2
November.....	105.2	129.7		109.4
December.....	100.4	127.1		105.1
1934				
No. of Stocks	19	4		23
January.....	104.7	128.3		108.9
February.....	110.1	134.2		114.4
March.....	124.3	147.1		128.1
April.....	132.0	162.3		137.2
May.....	124.2	156.5		129.8
June.....	133.4	164.2		138.5
July.....	133.3	158.3		137.0
August.....	137.4	161.7		141.1
September.....	136.7	154.9		139.2
October.....	132.9	141.4		133.5
November.....	125.7	129.0		125.5
December.....	124.7	129.6		124.9
1935				
No. of Stocks	19	4		23
January.....	123.2	132.4		124.3
February.....	123.4	131.2		124.2
March.....	127.5	135.3		128.2
April.....	124.5	140.1		128.7
May.....	121.4	150.2		128.3
June.....	116.3	153.2		123.0
July.....	110.1	151.9		117.9
August.....	106.2	155.4		115.6
September.....	109.5	159.6		119.1
October.....	106.3	169.7		118.6
November.....	111.8	181.9		125.5
December.....	116.9	201.7		133.6
1936				
No. of Stocks	20	3		23
January.....	124.8	214.8		142.4
February.....	130.2	230.4		149.8
March.....	122.7	232.2		144.2
April.....	122.8	241.1		145.8
May.....	128.9	239.2		150.3
June.....	134.4	246.0		156.1
July.....	134.4	254.1		157.6
August.....	132.6	264.0		158.1
September.....	181.2	267.1		157.6
October.....	126.4	289.4		158.2



\*TABLE XLVI—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1932-1936

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)  
(1926=100)

Month	GENERAL	BANKS	UTILITIES				INDUSTRIALS		
	Total	Total	Total	Transportation	Telephones and Telegraph	Power and Traction	Total	Iron, Steel and Iron and Steel Products	Pulp and Paper
1932 No. of Stocks	130	8	18	2	2	14	96	19	9
January.....	64.8	90.3	59.1	40.9	88.3	76.8	73.7	77.2	10.5
February.....	63.5	86.1	59.1	43.3	82.0	75.3	71.1	76.5	9.9
March.....	64.1	86.0	59.8	46.2	81.1	73.6	71.5	79.2	10.1
April.....	54.0	85.8	48.9	34.4	68.8	63.7	58.2	62.5	9.2
May.....	45.8	65.7	36.9	26.0	63.8	45.0	51.4	44.9	8.6
June.....	43.2	60.5	34.9	24.7	59.6	42.7	48.8	40.5	8.4
July.....	49.6	67.1	41.8	31.5	59.9	51.6	56.6	51.1	7.9
August.....	59.0	73.9	51.9	42.7	71.6	60.4	69.9	63.5	8.8
September.....	63.0	76.1	56.9	47.6	76.3	65.9	73.8	69.1	4.4
October.....	54.0	74.4	49.1	39.0	73.4	57.7	63.1	55.9	3.5
November.....	53.4	69.6	46.6	38.2	70.8	53.1	62.5	51.3	3.1
December.....	52.2	67.6	45.7	37.9	69.1	51.3	58.9	46.0	2.8
1933 No. of Stocks	126	8	19	2	2	15	93	19	8
January.....	52.9	67.8	45.9	36.6	72.2	52.4	60.7	50.8	4.0
February.....	49.2	66.0	40.4	28.0	65.9	50.0	58.0	46.1	5.0
March.....	48.9	62.8	39.9	26.5	66.4	50.7	59.1	46.6	3.2
April.....	53.8	60.3	40.4	29.3	63.4	49.2	60.7	50.6	3.8
May.....	66.1	65.2	49.5	38.6	72.4	58.4	88.6	68.2	5.5
June.....	77.4	73.4	56.4	45.9	77.5	65.5	107.1	86.5	9.3
July.....	86.5	80.4	61.5	50.0	85.5	71.2	122.3	102.3	12.3
August.....	81.8	76.0	56.8	43.2	85.3	67.7	117.2	95.2	11.2
September.....	81.6	74.8	53.5	39.4	84.9	64.3	119.1	88.6	10.8
October.....	73.3	71.7	48.5	32.5	83.0	60.4	103.6	75.7	8.9
November.....	76.8	68.4	47.8	31.5	84.2	59.7	113.4	78.6	8.5
December.....	75.3	64.7	47.8	32.5	86.4	58.1	111.4	79.3	7.8
1934 No. of Stocks	121	8	20	2	2	16	87	17	6
January.....	81.6	71.7	53.5	38.6	86.2	64.8	118.6	98.1	11.4
February.....	86.5	76.7	58.0	42.1	88.8	70.9	123.8	114.6	13.6
March.....	88.0	76.9	58.8	43.3	90.0	71.1	128.5	113.6	13.2
April.....	90.7	76.1	58.1	42.0	90.9	70.7	133.0	114.9	13.2
May.....	88.6	75.2	56.7	40.2	90.0	69.7	128.0	106.9	13.8
June.....	87.2	72.7	54.5	37.9	90.2	67.0	126.1	104.7	12.5
July.....	81.3	73.6	50.6	32.9	89.6	63.4	116.6	97.8	10.5
August.....	83.8	73.1	51.2	33.4	89.4	64.4	120.1	100.7	9.9
September.....	83.8	74.9	50.1	33.1	90.6	61.7	118.8	98.8	9.6
October.....	85.2	76.1	49.0	31.1	92.7	60.8	122.0	107.7	9.8
November.....	86.0	78.3	46.5	28.6	93.7	57.5	125.3	111.4	11.0
December.....	86.2	79.0	47.5	29.1	97.6	58.5	125.6	119.8	11.6
1935 No. of Stocks	121	9	20	2	2	16	87	15	6
January.....	88.6	80.1	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	129.7	129.4	14.0
February.....	87.8	79.9	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	128.8	126.4	13.4
March.....	84.4	76.8	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	125.6	117.0	11.6
April.....	86.4	75.0	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	130.8	119.4	11.1
May.....	93.6	73.1	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	144.4	121.9	10.8
June.....	93.8	72.0	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	145.2	118.6	10.5
July.....	92.4	71.7	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	143.8	122.2	10.6
August.....	94.7	70.6	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	146.1	122.1	12.0
September.....	93.6	65.9	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	147.1	118.7	12.4
October.....	96.1	68.4	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	152.9	123.0	12.6
November.....	105.8	73.0	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	170.3	127.8	14.6
December.....	107.4	75.1	50.1	28.6	108.0	62.7	178.2	125.0	15.9
1936 No. of Stocks	121	9	23	2	2	19	89	15	6
January.....	112.9	78.6	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	187.7	130.3	18.6
February.....	120.7	82.6	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	200.0	140.5	20.2
March.....	117.4	79.6	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	194.8	136.8	18.5
April.....	115.9	77.5	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	194.2	131.7	17.5
May.....	112.8	77.7	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	187.9	125.1	16.7
June.....	113.8	77.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	189.3	125.3	17.5
July.....	114.3	77.2	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	190.1	126.0	18.0
August.....	114.7	79.0	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	191.4	128.5	20.3
September.....	119.5	79.7	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	200.6	137.9	20.3
October.....	126.9	80.6	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	212.3	151.9	24.4

\* For 1914-1930 Data see Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1933, Page 158.

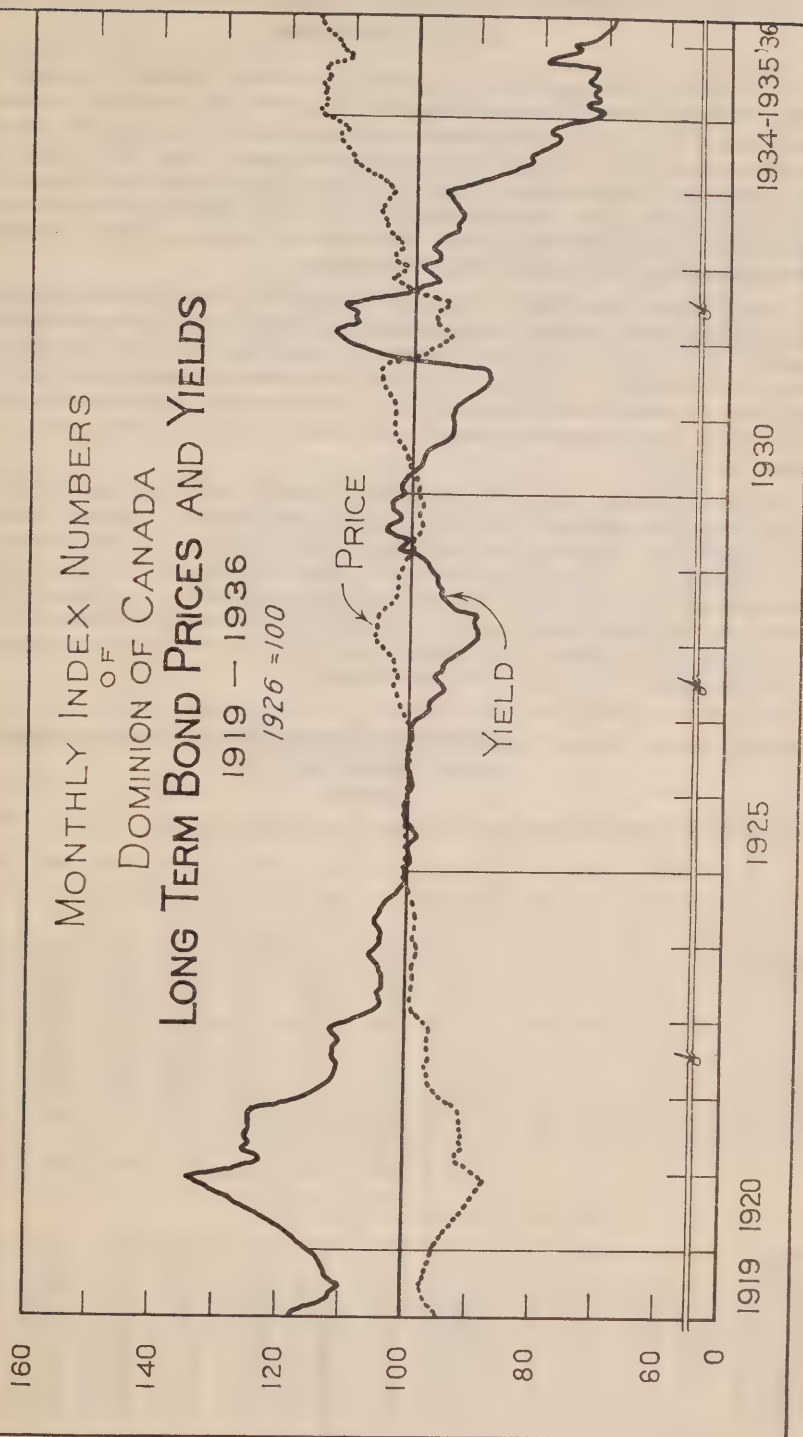
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\*TABLE XLVI—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1932-1936—Concluded

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)—Concluded

(1926=100)

Month	Industrials						Companies Abroad		
	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Beverages	Miscellaneous	Total	Industrial	Utility
1932 No. of Stocks	5	4	9	21	8	21	8	1	7
January.....	66.5	107.8	44.9	94.7	42.5	86.9	54.3	67.1	42.9
February.....	64.9	106.3	39.6	89.6	40.6	81.7	54.5	65.2	44.8
March.....	65.5	116.8	38.3	87.8	40.3	82.4	55.8	67.0	45.7
April.....	63.7	87.7	32.5	83.2	36.1	62.2	47.4	59.1	37.1
May.....	63.1	90.1	29.1	76.5	26.3	47.1	49.4	66.3	34.9
June.....	62.6	84.8	28.3	81.2	30.2	43.3	46.5	59.6	35.1
July.....	38.3	97.0	28.9	89.7	35.6	55.6	49.9	65.6	36.0
August.....	47.4	110.0	38.5	89.7	44.1	78.7	52.7	72.8	35.7
September.....	53.0	113.0	42.3	90.8	44.1	89.2	56.5	77.6	38.7
October.....	49.8	97.4	38.0	86.5	40.7	73.9	47.4	64.3	33.1
November.....	48.3	95.9	38.7	85.9	43.3	74.2	48.3	67.9	31.8
December.....	43.7	91.8	38.2	83.7	37.7	70.8	49.6	69.9	32.3
1933 No. of Stocks	5	4	9	19	8	21	6	1	5
January.....	42.0	95.7	38.1	84.4	35.1	72.6	50.2	71.2	32.1
February.....	41.0	89.5	35.4	82.4	34.2	71.7	48.6	70.1	29.8
March.....	39.1	89.8	34.0	80.8	37.9	75.3	47.6	68.9	28.9
April.....	45.9	101.7	32.9	87.8	39.9	98.2	55.5	81.3	32.8
May.....	63.1	127.0	48.2	108.2	66.8	119.8	67.3	93.7	44.2
June.....	72.9	146.9	58.4	121.8	112.4	140.9	77.9	109.3	50.5
July.....	82.1	162.5	63.4	143.3	173.7	151.1	85.8	119.2	56.6
August.....	79.3	153.2	62.5	130.8	160.9	150.5	81.0	115.5	50.9
September.....	75.8	156.1	65.2	124.9	168.6	155.1	84.0	122.9	49.9
October.....	73.6	133.6	61.6	115.1	134.8	139.0	78.6	115.5	46.3
November.....	72.9	155.7	60.8	118.1	135.1	151.3	83.0	129.1	42.3
December.....	68.4	143.9	58.6	117.1	148.5	152.9	80.2	124.8	41.0
1934 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	18	8	20	6	1	5
January.....	74.9	147.0	66.6	122.6	163.6	160.9	86.4	133.5	45.0
February.....	77.1	153.7	73.3	128.2	148.5	169.0	91.9	141.6	48.3
March.....	77.1	152.2	76.3	129.4	141.8	189.2	89.2	140.3	44.3
April.....	75.2	159.4	76.8	134.3	138.0	198.4	98.3	161.4	42.6
May.....	74.3	159.0	79.1	129.9	113.8	190.5	99.3	166.4	40.0
June.....	74.1	161.9	77.7	128.1	113.5	182.5	101.1	175.1	34.5
July.....	72.4	153.8	72.7	123.3	86.7	168.9	93.7	161.4	33.6
August.....	73.2	158.0	73.1	125.5	91.3	174.7	100.5	171.3	37.6
September.....	72.6	160.2	71.9	123.4	93.8	168.4	104.8	176.3	41.4
October.....	68.4	169.0	74.4	126.6	89.2	168.8	108.6	183.1	42.4
November.....	66.0	180.8	74.3	128.1	98.4	164.6	111.2	191.8	39.6
December.....	71.0	177.8	74.3	130.3	93.6	166.2	109.0	187.4	39.4
1935 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	19	8	21	5	1	4
January.....	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	168.6	108.0	187.4	36.0
February.....	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	168.6	107.5	186.1	37.2
March.....	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	168.7	104.8	184.2	32.9
April.....	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	185.1	110.2	194.7	33.4
May.....	59.9	211.7	70.3	127.8	102.4	200.0	125.9	224.5	36.6
June.....	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	198.1	124.5	222.6	34.5
July.....	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	195.4	119.4	214.5	31.9
August.....	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	202.0	122.7	222.5	30.1
September.....	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	209.6	119.9	217.5	29.3
October.....	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	217.5	123.0	224.3	28.7
November.....	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	254.4	130.8	233.6	36.7
December.....	76.7	214.8	70.4	148.5	161.0	294.5	124.3	219.3	38.3
1936 No. of Stocks	5	5	11	18	9	20	—	—	—
January.....	80.4	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	307.1	.....	.....	.....
February.....	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	331.2	.....	.....	.....
March.....	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	320.7	.....	Discontinue d.....	.....
April.....	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	319.0	.....	.....	.....
May.....	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	313.1	.....	.....	.....
June.....	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	330.5	.....	.....	.....
July.....	89.8	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	338.7	.....	.....	.....
August.....	87.0	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	351.3	.....	.....	.....
September.....	93.9	220.5	70.6	162.5	138.2	384.4	.....	.....	.....
October.....	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	409.5	.....	.....	.....





## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRICES AND YIELDS OF CANADIAN BONDS, 1900-1936

The following tables present index numbers of prices and yields of Dominion of Canada long-term bonds. Exactly the same issues are included in both series and methods of computation are identical. The average maturity of issues included ranges generally between twelve and thirteen years, with an arbitrary minimum of seven years. Since only domestic issues have been utilized, the Dominion indexes do not extend beyond the post-war period when the domestic market first became active. A supplementary series of domestic Ontario bond yield index numbers is included which runs back to 1900. Provincial and municipal issues in the home market ante-date Dominion issues by more than twenty years.

As may be noted from Chart 7, prices move inversely to yields, but the amplitude of index fluctuations is greater for yields of Canadian issues than for prices, due to their relatively short average maturity. A bond yield in reciprocal or inverse form represents the price of a bond in perpetuity, whereas the market price of a bond is reckoned to a fixed maturity date, representing a definitely limited life. In order to obtain a picture of bond market price trends therefore, an index of actual market prices is essential, unless the life of issues be much longer than the maturities currently prevalent.

Top grade Canadian long-term bond prices established a new high record in January 1935, when the Dominion long-term index was 115.9. For the balance of the year, prices held fairly firm excepting for a temporary reaction in September and October. The Dominion index recovered from a low of 110.2 for October to 112.5 for December, and further advances led to new records for 1936, the August index for that year touching 119.1. An index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond yields, moving conversely to prices, remained between 70.9 and 73.4 from January until September 1935, when it mounted to 79.8, and then receded gradually to 75.5 for December. The August 1936 index was 63.2.

**TABLE XLVII—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM  
BOND PRICES, 1919-1936**

(1926=100)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January.....	94.1	94.5	90.9	95.7	98.3	99.3	100.4	100.1	101.3
February.....	94.5	94.0	92.1	96.4	99.4	99.2	100.5	100.1	101.7
March.....	96.0	93.2	91.7	96.6	99.4	98.7	100.5	100.0	101.6
April.....	96.9	92.5	90.9	96.7	99.5	98.8	100.4	99.9	102.4
May.....	96.9	91.5	91.5	97.0	99.2	98.8	100.4	100.0	103.0
June.....	97.5	90.8	91.0	96.4	99.3	98.9	100.7	99.9	102.5
July.....	96.6	90.1	91.3	96.5	99.2	99.3	100.4	100.0	102.0
August.....	96.3	89.3	91.3	96.8	99.2	99.8	100.1	100.0	102.9
September.....	96.3	88.7	91.3	96.8	99.1	100.1	100.1	99.9	102.6
October.....	95.9	88.1	91.2	96.7	98.7	100.4	100.0	99.8	103.2
November.....	95.8	87.4	93.6	96.2	98.5	100.4	99.8	99.9	103.8
December.....	95.1	88.8	94.7	97.2	98.7	100.2	100.0	100.4	105.3
	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January.....	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6
February.....	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0
March.....	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5
April.....	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7
May.....	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9
June.....	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0
July.....	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0
August.....	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1
September.....	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1
October.....	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1
November.....	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	.....
December.....	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	.....

TABLE XLVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1919-1936

(1926=100)

	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927
January.....	117.9	116.7	125.2	113.6	107.0	104.0	100.3	99.9	97.6
February.....	116.8	117.9	122.3	112.5	104.3	104.2	99.7	99.6	96.5
March.....	113.5	119.7	123.2	111.7	103.8	104.5	99.8	100.0	97.3
April.....	111.3	120.9	125.4	111.3	104.0	105.5	100.0	100.1	95.7
May.....	111.3	122.9	124.0	110.6	104.4	104.9	99.8	100.1	94.6
June.....	109.7	124.6	125.1	111.8	104.0	104.6	98.5	100.4	95.7
July.....	111.9	126.6	124.6	111.5	104.0	103.6	99.8	100.0	96.4
August.....	112.5	128.2	124.7	111.5	104.4	102.5	100.4	100.0	94.7
September.....	112.7	130.4	124.7	110.7	104.4	101.2	100.4	100.1	95.4
October.....	113.4	131.8	124.8	111.3	105.7	100.2	100.8	100.1	94.0
November.....	113.4	134.2	119.4	112.1	106.2	100.2	101.0	100.1	92.8
December.....	115.4	130.8	116.3	109.6	105.2	100.6	100.1	99.3	90.2
	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January.....	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4
February.....	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8
March.....	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9
April.....	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5
May.....	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.6	71.4	68.8
June.....	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9
July.....	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1
August.....	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2
September.....	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	70.8	63.1
October.....	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2
November.....	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	.....
December.....	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	.....

TABLE XLIX—INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1900-1936

(1926=100)

	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	1912
January.....	73.1	77.9	79.3	78.5	78.5	78.5	76.2	78.3	88.7	82.5	81.4	83.5	83.5
April.....	74.1	78.5	79.3	78.5	78.5	75.2	76.2	81.4	87.7	81.4	82.5	81.0	85.6
June.....	75.2	78.7	79.3	78.5	79.3	74.1	76.2	85.6	86.6	80.4	82.5	81.0	86.6
October.....	77.2	78.7	79.3	78.5	79.3	75.2	76.8	87.7	85.6	80.4	82.5	81.4	87.7
December.....	77.7	79.3	78.5	78.5	78.3	76.2	77.2	88.7	83.5	81.4	83.5	83.5	88.7
	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925
January.....	88.7	91.9	88.7	109.6	100.2	125.3	121.1	120.0	125.3	116.9	112.7	106.5	99.2
April.....	89.8	90.8	91.9	110.6	109.6	125.3	116.9	121.1	125.3	112.7	107.5	106.1	100.2
June.....	90.8	88.7	93.9	109.6	114.8	126.3	112.7	125.3	126.3	112.7	107.5	105.8	99.2
October.....	91.9	88.7	104.4	104.4	123.2	125.3	116.9	129.4	126.3	111.7	107.9	100.2	100.2
December.....	91.0	88.7	109.6	102.3	125.3	125.3	120.0	128.4	119.4	113.2	107.3	99.2	100.2
	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936		
January.....	100.2	97.1	89.8	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.2	76.2	85.5		
February.....	100.2	97.1	87.7	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6		
March.....	100.2	96.0	88.7	101.3	101.3	92.9	110.6	100.0	90.1	79.5	77.3		
April.....	100.2	95.2	88.7	103.3	101.3	92.9	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5		
May.....	100.2	95.0	90.8	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6		
June.....	100.2	95.0	91.9	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3		
July.....	100.2	95.0	93.9	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0		
August.....	100.2	95.0	96.0	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2		
September.....	100.2	95.0	96.0	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	83.8	69.9		
October.....	100.2	93.9	95.0	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2		
November.....	99.2	93.9	95.0	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	.....		
December.....	99.2	90.8	96.0	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	.....		

TABLE L—YIELD OF ONTARIO BONDS, 1900-AUGUST, 1936

Month	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908		
January.....	3.50	3.73	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.65	3.75	4.25		
April.....	3.55	3.76	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.60	3.65	3.90	4.20		
June.....	3.60	3.77	3.80	3.76	3.80	3.55	3.65	4.10	4.15		
October.....	3.70	3.77	3.80	3.76	3.80	3.60	3.68	4.20	4.10		
December.....	3.72	3.80	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.65	3.70	4.25	4.00		
	1909	1910	1911	1912	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917		
January.....	3.95	3.90	4.00	4.00	4.25	4.40	4.25	5.25	4.90		
April.....	3.90	3.95	3.88	4.10	4.30	4.35	4.40	5.30	5.25		
June.....	3.85	3.95	3.88	4.15	4.35	4.25	4.50	5.25	5.50		
October.....	3.85	3.95	3.90	4.20	4.40	4.25	5.00	5.00	5.90		
December.....	3.90	4.00	4.00	4.25	4.40	4.25	5.25	4.90	6.00		
		1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925		
January.....		6.00	5.80	5.75	6.00	5.60	5.40	5.10	4.75		
April.....		6.00	5.60	5.80	6.00	5.40	5.15	5.08	4.80		
June.....		6.05	5.40	6.00	6.05	5.40	5.15	5.07	4.75		
October.....		6.00	5.60	6.20	6.05	5.35	5.17	4.80	4.80		
December.....		6.00	5.75	6.45	5.72	5.42	5.14	4.75	4.80		
	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
January.....	4.80	4.65	4.30	4.65	4.90	4.55	5.74	4.75	4.66	3.65	4.10
February.....	4.80	4.65	4.20	4.70	4.90	4.55	5.55	4.73	4.60	3.75	3.86
March.....	4.80	4.60	4.25	4.85	4.85	4.45	5.30	4.79	4.32	3.81	3.70
April.....	4.80	4.56	4.25	4.95	4.85	4.45	5.33	4.85	4.20	3.87	3.76
May.....	4.80	4.55	4.35	5.00	4.85	4.40	5.42	4.70	4.06	3.76	3.67
June.....	4.80	4.55	4.40	4.95	4.83	4.40	5.48	4.65	4.09	3.85	3.51
July.....	4.80	4.55	4.50	4.95	4.80	4.45	5.30	4.63	3.98	3.84	3.45
August.....	4.80	4.55	4.60	4.90	4.60	4.40	4.95	4.55	3.94	3.82	3.41
September.....	4.80	4.55	4.60	5.00	4.45	4.65	4.88	4.59	3.93	4.23	3.35
October.....	4.80	4.50	4.55	4.95	4.50	4.95	4.70	4.53	3.97	4.09	3.46
November.....	4.75	4.47	4.55	4.95	4.50	5.05	4.90	4.64	3.88	3.87	.....
December.....	4.75	4.35	4.60	4.90	4.50	5.20	4.92	4.72	3.65	3.96	.....



## TABLE LI—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1931-1936

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(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 419 Stocks	Industrials 347 Stocks	Railroads 32 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1931				
January.....	111.3	102.6	98.7	162.3
February.....	119.8	110.3	104.7	177.9
March.....	121.6	111.8	97.2	188.9
April.....	111.6	102.8	88.6	173.0
May.....	98.3	89.6	77.8	156.5
June.....	95.1	86.5	74.0	153.0
July.....	99.1	90.5	76.3	158.7
August.....	95.3	88.2	67.2	153.7
September.....	85.4	79.4	57.5	138.1
October.....	69.2	64.1	48.8	110.9
November.....	71.7	67.5	46.0	114.7
December.....	58.4	55.0	33.4	96.5
1932				
January.....	57.5	53.9	35.6	93.9
February.....	56.5	52.9	34.2	92.8
March.....	57.8	54.6	32.9	95.0
April.....	45.7	43.5	23.6	76.1
May.....	39.8	38.1	17.4	67.8
June.....	34.3	33.7	14.4	55.5
July.....	35.2	35.1	15.1	54.9
August.....	52.1	50.5	27.8	82.1
September.....	58.4	55.9	35.4	91.9
October.....	51.4	49.2	29.0	82.6
November.....	47.9	45.9	25.8	78.0
December.....	47.1	44.5	25.4	78.9
1933				
January.....	49.1	46.2	27.6	81.8
February.....	44.9	42.5	26.7	73.1
March.....	43.3	41.5	25.5	68.3
April.....	46.5	47.4	26.2	63.2
May.....	61.5	63.7	36.5	77.8
June.....	72.8	75.1	42.8	93.9
July.....	79.8	82.8	51.3	97.4
August.....	74.4	77.9	48.7	87.2
September.....	75.5	81.0	48.2	81.5
October.....	69.5	75.5	40.3	75.0
November.....	68.8	76.2	38.4	70.0
December.....	70.4	78.8	40.0	67.8
1934				
January.....	74.6	82.9	44.5	72.2
February.....	80.9	88.9	50.5	80.7
March.....	77.2	85.1	47.5	76.2
April.....	79.6	88.3	49.3	76.3
May.....	71.8	79.6	43.3	69.7
June.....	73.1	81.0	43.9	71.6
July.....	71.4	79.7	41.2	69.2
August.....	67.5	76.3	35.3	64.5
September.....	67.4	76.2	35.4	64.0
October.....	67.6	76.7	35.9	63.2
November.....	68.3	78.4	34.8	60.8
December.....	69.6	80.6	35.9	58.8
1935				
January.....	70.1	81.9	35.0	57.6
February.....	68.0	80.1	32.3	55.1
March.....	64.6	76.2	28.4	53.4
April.....	67.5	78.9	29.4	59.1
May.....	73.1	85.7	30.9	63.7
June.....	75.5	87.4	32.4	69.8
July.....	78.8	91.2	33.8	73.3
August.....	83.0	95.0	35.8	80.6
September.....	85.0	97.5	37.0	81.9
October.....	85.2	98.5	34.3	81.0
November.....	93.3	107.4	37.6	90.1
December.....	95.3	109.2	41.4	91.6
1936				
January.....	100.1	114.5	43.8	97.0
February.....	106.1	120.9	49.1	102.8
March.....	108.7	124.6	49.2	102.8
April.....	108.9	125.3	48.9	101.5
May.....	101.0	116.2	45.0	94.7
June.....	105.6	120.6	47.7	102.0
July.....	109.2	124.3	50.7	105.8
August.....	113.0	128.4	53.9	108.8
September.....	114.1	130.2	55.4	107.7
October.....	118.7	136.0	58.4	109.1

For 1918-1929 data, see 1913-1933 Prices and Price Indexes, page 175.—Revised indexes from 1931.

## NOTES ON WORLD PRICE TRENDS AND ECONOMIC CONDITIONS, 1935

Further gradual increases in price levels occurred during 1935, with firmness apparent for the first time in several years in some of the remaining gold standard countries. These advances were commonly associated with plentiful supplies of money, unbalanced budgets financed by government borrowing, and growing evidences of income in the hands of the people. A marked increase in residential building in a number of leading commercial countries was one of the most convincing indications of growing purchasing power. Industrial production was greater in nearly all areas than in 1934 and unemployment declined correspondingly. In those countries seeking recovery through deflationary media, economic conditions failed to show much improvement. For most countries, the value, and in some cases the volume, of foreign trade showed improvement, and a considerable number of bi-lateral trade arrangements were completed.

Recovery in commodity prices broadened out perceptibly during 1935, and only two major currency adjustments occurred during the year. On March 30, the Belgian belga was devalued by approximately 28 p.c., and subsequently the Belgian wholesale price index advanced over 23 p.c. On November 4, the Chinese government issued a decree announcing currency devaluation and abandonment of the silver standard. This occurred after a fall in wholesale prices amounting to 8 p.c. in the Shanghai index in the earlier part of the year. A decline of roughly 20 p.c. in the China (Shanghai) dollar preceded the intimation that it would be stabilized at a level approximating 30 cents in Canadian funds.

Wholesale price index numbers in most parts of the world advanced from one to five p.c. during 1935. More appreciable increases, however, were noted for Belgium (over 23 p.c.), Italy (over 20 p.c.) and Hungary (over 13 p.c.). Minor declines were noted for Argentina, Egypt, China and South Africa.

The principal support for price advances came from non-ferrous metals and textiles. Silk and wool made substantial gains, the former rising sharply in the last quarter of the year. Silver was the exception to the rule among non-ferrous metals, declining about 15 cents per ounce in December. Wheat averaged higher than in 1934, but coarse grain prices were mostly lower. Livestock and meats generally were firm.

### UNITED KINGDOM

Economic improvement continued throughout 1935 despite the unsettling effect of disturbed political conditions in Europe. Domestic trade improved materially, aided in no small way by unusual activity in the building of middle class homes. Foreign trade also showed moderate improvement, and as might be anticipated, employment figures reflected the higher rate of activity in trade. Money rates continued low, while price levels advanced slightly. The disparity between relative price levels of raw materials, intermediate and manufactured articles was corrected to a considerable extent during the year.

Harvests were slightly below those of 1934 for cereal grains and potatoes. Although wheat acreage was stimulated by subsidization, yields declined and the crop amounted to only 1,560,000 tons as compared with 1,748,000 tons in the preceding year. Both acreages and yields were slightly lower for coarse grains with the exception of oats, for which the area planted increased a few thousand acres, although the total crop was less than in 1934. The Milk Scheme and Pig Marketing Scheme were associated with increases in dairy herds and the pig population. Unemployment in agriculture increased somewhat.

Production showed substantial gains in all major industries, and indexes for December 1935 were nearly all considerably above those of a year earlier. The non-ferrous metals group furnished the only noteworthy exception to this statement, the Board of Trade's fourth quarter index being 132.1 for 1935 as compared with 145.4 for the same quarter of 1934. A general index of production advanced from 106.1 for 1934 to 113.5 for 1935 (1930=100). Activity in the building

trades continued to increase, with residential building contributing more than one half of the value of plans approved. The total value of such plans mounted from £95,563,000 in 1934 to £114,308,000 in 1935. Retail sales also furnished evidence of larger incomes, the Bank of England's retail sales index mounting from 103 in 1934 to 108 in 1935, an increase which was accompanied by a rise in living costs of only about one per cent. Weekly average railway traffic receipts showed further moderate improvement, rising from £2,870,000 in 1934 to £2,900,000 in 1935.

External trade also increased in value, both exports and imports being appreciably larger than in 1934. Imports mounted from £731·4 millions to £756·9 millions, while combined exports and re-exports advanced from £447·2 millions to £481·2 millions, resulting in a decrease in the net import surplus of £8·5 millions. Manufactures and foodstuffs contributed chiefly to the rise in imports, while manufactures were also largely responsible for the greater value of exports. The more favourable showing of foreign trade contributed to the first active balance of payments in the past five years. According to estimates of the British Board of Trade, this balance amounted to £37 millions in contrast with a small passive balance in 1934 of £2 millions. Income from overseas investments and shipping income showed improvement in 1935. Evidence of better conditions in shipping was furnished by figures of idle tonnage which dropped from 878,400 in January 1935 to 425,800 in January 1936.

Except for two brief periods when sterling was under pressure, the supply of foreign funds in London tended to increase. An addition of £8 millions to the Bank of England's gold stocks along with an increase in earning assets was sufficient to permit an expansion of £20 millions in note circulation without curtailing available credit. This additional note issue was needed to move the greater volume of trade referred to above. New capital issues, exclusive of refunding operations, amounted to £236·1 millions, as compared with £169·1 millions in 1934 and £369·1 millions in the peak year of 1928. Refunding issues were also of considerable importance. Although the banks co-operated in measures to make business more profitable, particularly with reference to Treasury Bills, rates held at very low levels. The Bank rate remained unchanged at 2 p.c., while an average for three month bills dropped from 0·83 p.c. to 0·56 p.c. The average yield on all new government loans fell from 3·14 p.c. in 1934 to 2·21 p.c. in 1935. Exchange movements were narrower during 1935 than for any year subsequent to the abandonment of the gold standard in 1931. Apart from temporary pressures mostly associated with seasonal movements of funds, the only noteworthy alterations in exchange ratios followed devaluation of the belga at the end of March, and of the Chinese dollar in November. The United States dollar rate on sterling was £1·93 for December 31, 1935, as compared with \$4·94½ a year earlier, while corresponding French franc rates were 74½ and 74 23/32 francs to the £.

Further gradual improvement was discernible in the field of employment. The average percentage of insured unemployed in Great Britain dropped from 16·6 in 1934 to 15·3 in 1935, representing an actual decrease of over 150,000. The number of insured employed at the beginning of 1936 was approximately 400,000 more than at the beginning of 1928. Wage rates increased on the average by one per cent as indicated by the Ministry of Labour's index which mounted from 94·5 for 1934 to 95·5 for 1935. This, however, was counterbalanced by a slight rise in living costs. As is usual when conditions of employment improve, labour disputes increased somewhat, but working days lost aggregated slightly less than two million, considerably below an average for the preceding ten years.

An appreciable rise in basic material prices was reflected in firmer general wholesale price index numbers in 1935. The Board of Trade series for all articles averaged 88·9 as compared with 88·1 for 1934, but this failed to indicate the magnitude of a rise dating from the second quarter of the year. The low point of a reaction beginning early in 1934 was reached in the following March, when the Board of Trade's general index touched 86·9. By December 1935, it had advanced to 91·4 (1930=100). A sharp rise in raw materials, together with a less pronounced increase in intermediate products, brought prices of raw and partly manufactured products close to the relative positions obtaining between them in 1930 before the recent decline in prices developed serious proportions. Higher food prices were chiefly responsible for a rise in the Ministry of Labour's cost of living index from 141 for 1934 to 143 for 1935. The food index mounted from 125 for December 1934 to 130 for December 1935 (July 1914=100).



## UNITED STATES

The average level of industrial production was higher during 1935 despite a moderate reaction in the first half of the year. Figures of employment also showed improvement, although the problem of the unemployed continued to be acute. Estimates of farm income were materially above those for 1934, and retail sales, indicative of income generally, were above those of the preceding year. Although little improvement occurred in industrial construction, there was marked acceleration in the rate of residential building. Government expenditures continued upon a large scale, causing an addition of approximately \$2,000 millions to the national debt.

Industrial production, as measured by the Federal Reserve adjusted index dropped from 91 in January to 85 in May, and then moved up to 104 in December (1923-1925=100). The Annalist's index of general business activity behaved similarly, declining from 83.6 in January to 79.3 in May, and then advancing to 94.8 in December (normal=100). Greater expansion relatively occurred in the production of investment than of consumption goods. An index of the former rose from 56 in 1934 to 70 in 1935, while a corresponding series for consumption goods mounted only from 97 to 102 (1923-25=100). This latter advance would have been greater had it not been for an unusual decline of production in the food manufacturing industries due in part to drought conditions which limited supplies of raw materials. A marked increase in output of automobiles was beneficial to iron and steel production as well as to many smaller auxiliary industries. Although many crops were smaller than in the preceding year agricultural cash income was reckoned to be about 12 p.c. higher, due to the improved price situation. Freight car loadings showed practically no change, the December index for merchandise in less carlots being 66 for both 1934 and 1935. Moderate improvement in the employment situation was reflected both in numbers employed and in the amount of pay-rolls. Employment, after holding relatively steady for the first half of the year, advanced subsequently, and the Bureau of Labor employment index closed the year at 85.6 against 79.0 for the preceding December. Corresponding pay-roll indexes were 76.6 and 63.2 respectively (1923-25=100). Foreign trade returns showed increases, imports mounting from \$1,636.0 millions to \$2,038.6 millions, while exports rose less sharply from \$2,100.1 millions to \$2,242.0 millions.

Further additions to monetary gold stocks in 1935 brought the total amount to over ten billion dollars, and excess bank reserves approximated three billion dollars as the year closed. Bank investment portfolios continued to grow, rising from \$11,367 millions to \$12,646 millions between December 1934 and December 1935 for reporting Federal Reserve member banks. Federal Reserve credit outstanding showed little change, being reported as \$2,463 millions at the beginning of the year and \$2,486 millions at the end. Bankers' acceptances declined from \$543 millions to \$397 millions. Money in circulation, however, increased from \$5,577 millions to \$5,897 millions. With reserves excessive, and industrial demand for funds rather indifferent, money rates continued low. Four to six month commercial paper was quoted at from  $\frac{3}{4}$ -1 p.c. in December 1934 and at  $\frac{3}{4}$  p.c. a year later. Bonds and stocks were both firm, the latter registering considerable advances. The Standard Statistics price index of 421 common stocks mounted from 69.6 for December 1934 to 95.3 for the following December (1926=100). Corresponding figures representing an average of domestic bond prices on the New York Stock Exchange were 92.57 and 94.47 respectively. Apart from refunding operations, the capital market was chiefly concerned with the needs of the Treasury which required approximately \$2,000 millions of new money. Domestic corporate issues were placed at \$2,267 millions of which \$404 millions represented new capital. A small amount of foreign refunding was done, but no new issues appeared.

The prolonged advance in prices which commenced early in 1933 showed signs of lagging during 1935, although price indexes continued to register moderate advances. The Bureau of Labor Statistics general index of wholesale prices mounted gradually from 76.9 in December 1934 to 80.9 for the following December (1926=100). Raw materials, semi-manufactures, and finished products shared about equally in this rise. Considering various commodity groups, the largest increases were recorded for foods, hides and leather. Grains declined appreciably while building materials, chemicals, and household furnishings showed little change. The National Industrial Conference Board cost of living index mounted from 80.8 to 84.8 between December 1934 and 1935, chiefly due to the influence of foods (1923=100).

## FRANCE

France continued to maintain the franc's gold parity, and at the same time renewed efforts to balance the national budget. Although the latter aim was not achieved, the franc was defended successfully against two serious flights of capital, and rising wholesale prices gave some grounds for believing that deflation had run its course. Most indicators of trade and production were below the levels of 1934.

A general index of industrial production averaged 94 for 1935 against 99 for 1934 (1913 = 100). The textile industry was amongst the few for which higher rates of activity were recorded, the 1935 index of production being 65 as compared with 63 for the year preceding. With the exception of copper manufacturing, the principal engineering industries operated at lower rates, although a general index of production in the engineering trades held at 79 for 1935 against 80 for 1934. The building trades, leather, rubber and paper manufacturing industries were all less active than in 1934. Railway carloadings were more than 5 p.c. below 1934 levels at 14,648,009. Foreign trade continued to decline in value, although the volume of exports increased. The value of imports fell from 23,097 millions to 20,945 million francs, while exports dropped from 17,850 millions to 15,473 million francs, reducing the import surplus slightly to 5,472 million francs. Lower production of agricultural crops was accompanied by material improvement in prices. The 1935 wheat crop was estimated at 76 million quintals against 92 millions in 1934, while estimates of wine production declined less sharply from 78 millions to 76 million hectolitres.

Renewed efforts to balance the national budget met with only partial success, and further borrowing was necessary, bringing the total debt to over 333,000 million francs, an increase in excess of 17,000 million francs for the year. Two major flights of capital necessitated many adjustments in the official bank discount rate and produced unsettlement in the money market generally. Deposits with the four large banks declined about two billion francs during the year to a level approximating 28 billions. While industrial shares on the Paris Bourse were slightly stronger, lower Rente quotations indicated a weak tendency in bonds.

A gradual but nevertheless definite upturn in wholesale commodity prices commenced in the second half of 1935, following upon a period of over six years in which declines persisted with only minor interruptions. This upturn was hailed in some quarters as the end of deflation although the stimulus of so moderate a recovery could not be very great. A general wholesale price index of 126 commodities dropped from 350 in January 1935 to 322 in July, and then advanced to 359 in January 1936 (1913 = 100). Recovery was fairly general, but did not affect metals and minerals, textiles, wool or building materials to any extent. It was greatest in animal and vegetable products, and hides and skins. Retail prices for foods also advanced moderately in the closing months of the year, but other cost of living groups showed little change. A Paris index of retail prices after falling from 460 in January to 420 in August moved up to 454 in January 1936 (1914 = 100).

## GERMANY

Production of capital goods continued to increase rapidly while the volume of consumption goods actually declined. Rediscounts and currency in circulation increased, the supply of available funds remained plentiful and commercial rates declined. Although total foreign trade decreased further in value, a small export surplus occurred. Earlier rates of improvement in the unemployment situation failed to be maintained.

The Institut für Konjunkturforschung index of all industrial production mounted from 83 in 1934 to 96 for 1935, due entirely to an increase in producers' goods, a series for which mounted from 77 for 1934 to 99 for 1935. A slight decline from 93 to 91 was recorded for consumption goods including textiles, household articles, boots and shoes, and meats (1928 = 100). Cereal crops were of about the same volume as in 1934, small decreases for rye and oats being balanced by increases for wheat and barley. Livestock censuses showed increases in the sheep and horse population with small declines for cattle and hogs. The December 1935 record of unemployed aggregated 2,508,000 against 2,604,000 a year earlier. The value of imports fell from Rm. 451 millions in 1934 to Rm. 4,159 millions in 1935, while exports mounted from Rm. 4,167 millions to Rm. 4,270 millions.



The Reichsbank rediscount rate remained at 4 p.c. throughout the year, while the market discount rate fell from  $3\frac{1}{2}$  p.c. to 3 p.c., although both rediscounts and note issue increased by approximately 10 p.c. Reichsbank reserves mounted from Rm. 84 millions to Rm. 87 millions. The external value of the reichsmark was maintained nominally at its gold parity, although not convertible into gold upon demand, and marks internally were quoted at substantial discount in terms of other currencies. Although 1935-36 tax receipts were above those for the preceding year, the financial position of the Reich could not be determined because the budget had not been made public. For 1934-35, a deficit of nearly Rm. 415 millions was recorded.

The Federal Statistical Office index of wholesale prices continued gradually upward from 101.0 for December 1934 to 103.4 for the succeeding December (1913=100). Prices for live animals, metals, and textiles registered material increases, while other groups showed little change. The cost of living index for Germany mounted from 122.2 for December 1934 to 123.4 a year later, due mainly to moderate increases recorded for foods and clothing (1913-14=100).

### ITALY

The stimulus of the East African War contributed to a considerable rise in industrial production and to improvement in the employment situation. A sharp increase in prices, however, in the absence of any material advance in wage rates made the position of the individual wage-earner less favourable. War borrowing added further to the growing national debt.

Since few statistical records are available for Italy for the last four months of the year, it is difficult to make a complete appraisal of economic conditions during 1935, or to contrast them with records for the preceding year. A general index of industrial production mounted from 90 in December 1934 to 114 in May, but had dropped back to 95 for August. This compared with 87 for the preceding August. Production during the first three quarters of 1935 was generally greater in the engineering and metallurgical industries, as well as in the building trades, but declined in the textile industries. Production of wheat and wines showed improvement over 1934. A general index of employment mounted from 83.7 in December 1934 to 100.1 for August, 1935, which was about 15 p.c. above levels of the preceding August. Foreign trade values continued to decline gradually, despite the compensating influence of a large increase in prices. Imports for the first nine months of 1935 were shown as 5,649 million lire against 5,670 millions in the first three quarters of 1934, while exports fell from 3,821 million lire to 3,681 millions.

Budget records have been complicated recently by war expenditures, but it is known that the internal public debt increased from 105,389 millions to 107,078 million lire between June and September 1935, while the total public debt was placed at 149,900 million lire in the latest estimate issued. The 1936-37 budget has been calculated to produce an excess of revenue over expenditure of about 20 million lire if war outlays be excluded. Money markets tightened in the second half of the year, although relative ease existed in the first seven months. The private rate on long bills remained at  $3\frac{1}{2}$  p.c. until July, but in the next two months it jumped to 5 p.c. Discounts and advances of the Bank of Italy mounted from 6,455 million lire for December 1934 to 7,050 millions in September 1935.

During the first eight months of 1935 Bachi's wholesale price index for Italy advanced over 20 p.c., with all commodity groups excepting chemicals contributing substantially to the increase. The August index of 329.5 compared with one of 275.9 for December 1934, and with 271.4 for the preceding August (1913=100). A cost of living index series for Italy moved upward less rapidly from 74.26 in December 1934 to 76.07 in August 1935 (January 1929=100).

### JAPAN

Industrial recovery continued at an impressive rate, with foreign trade showing material expansion. Despite the persistence of a big budgetary deficit, and the consequent necessity of further government borrowing on a large scale, the money market showed no signs of tightness. Sales of government bonds in the open market contributed to the maintenance of a relatively stable volume of currency in circulation, and prices increased only to a moderate extent. Although employment was greater, there was no improvement in the average earnings of individual workers.



A general index of industrial production for Japan issued by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry mounted from 128 for 1934 to 141 for 1935 (1931-33=100). Sharp advances were recorded for the manufacture of steel, machinery, cotton and rayon textiles. Agricultural production although still subnormal netted the producer considerably larger returns than in 1934, due to the higher level of prices obtaining. The value of merchandise imports rose from 2,244.4 million yen in 1934 to 2,426.9 millions in 1935, while exports advanced from 2,133.7 millions to 2,453.7 million yen in 1935, leaving a small export surplus, the first in many years. A general index of employment mounted from 91.3 in 1934 to 99.9 for the following year, although wage rates dropped slightly from 82.9 to 81.3 (1926=100).

The 1935-36 budget deficit of over 809 million yen was equal to nearly 60 p.c. of revenue actually collected, and the 1936-37 budget anticipated a further deficit approaching 700 million yen. Nevertheless the financial situation showed no signs of strain, and the official bank rate remained at 3½ p.c. The yen was strong and maintained a close relationship with sterling exchange. Industrial profits compared favourably with those of the two preceding years.

A gradual secondary rise in wholesale prices continued throughout 1935, after making a modest beginning in the latter half of the preceding year. It was interrupted by a reaction in the summer months, but a rapid subsequent rise carried the Bank of Japan's Tokyo index up to 145.0 for December 1935, which compared with 136.8 for the preceding December (1913=100). The Bank's cost of living index for Tokyo, behaved similarly, falling from 149.9 for December 1934 to 148.3 for June of 1935, and then rising to 155.6 for the succeeding December (July 1914=100). Higher food prices were chiefly responsible for the advance.

### OTHER COUNTRIES

*Argentina.*—The continued rise in prices for leading export commodities contributed to further economic recovery in 1935. Although wheat production was considerably below average this was counterbalanced by higher prices and by unusual demand for corn of which there was a large crop. The Government raised the producers' minimum price for wheat in December from 5.75 to 11.50 pesos per kilo, after subnormal yields had become a certainty. Operations of the Government exchange fund have been extremely remunerative, and besides guaranteeing the new minimum prices for wheat and linseed, it was proposed to use some of the profits to build a number of terminal grain elevators. Exchange rates were steadier than for several years past with the government maintaining its policy of buying exchange bills from exporters and after apportioning part of them to importers with special permits, the balance was sold to importers of goods unsecured by permits. The free market rate on pesos ranged between 25.0 cents and 27.5 cents in Canadian funds.

The Argentine wholesale price level maintained marked stability throughout 1935, as indicated by monthly high and low indexes of 98.7 for December and 96.1 for June. The 1934 average was 98.4 (1926=100).

*Australia.*—The Commonwealth continued to be one of the few countries exhibiting a favourable rate of economic recovery and at the same time maintaining a balanced budget. Agricultural producers were less favourably situated due to the lower prices for wool and as a result of the small wheat crop, these factors being mainly responsible for a decrease in the value of exports amounting to about £10 millions Australian currency. The value of exports dropped from £111.5 millions for the year ended June 1934 to £101.7 millions for the subsequent year, while imports advanced from £73.2 millions to £89.4 millions. Domestic business reflectors, however, revealed substantial gains over 1934. The value of new building was much higher than in the preceding year, and bank clearings also were considerably greater, while bankruptcies declined. Trade union unemployment percentages were materially lower than in 1934, particularly in the final quarter of the year. At the same time, an index of wage rates moved upward from 815 to 824 (1928=1000). Living costs, however, scored a comparable advance from 814 for the final quarter of 1934 to 831 for the same period of 1935, influenced principally by higher food prices and shelter costs. The Melbourne wholesale price index moved irregularly from 814 for December 1934 to 805 for March 1935, then up to 836 for October, and back to 815 at the end of the year (1928=1000).

*Austria.*—One of the principal happenings of economic interest during 1935 was the removal of practically all restrictions upon movements of capital. As a result there was a considerable inflow of repatriated funds which contributed to the increase in foreign bill holdings from 26 millions to 132 million schillings. The firmness of stock and share markets also reflected the return of funds hitherto held in other countries. An official index of industrial production mounted from 88 for 1934 to 97 for 1935, due to greater output of both consumers' and capital goods. Supplies of loanable funds were large and interest rates declined, yet credit was extended only upon a conservative basis, indicating presumably that confidence in recovery has not yet been fully restored. The position of the farmer generally was not greatly improved, larger crops of wheat and rye being counterbalanced by declines for maize, potatoes and sugar beets. The tourist traffic was more remunerative than in recent years, doing much towards the creation of an active trade balance despite an excess of imports amounting to over 300 million schillings. Both exports and imports were moderately higher at 895 millions and 1,205 million schillings respectively.

An index of wholesale prices for Austria was relatively stable during 1935, ranging between 109 and 112 throughout the year, with a tendency toward gradual decline apparent in the latter half (Jan.-June 1914 = 100). A cost of living index for Vienna moved between 103 and 106 during 1935, showing no definite trend (July 1914 = 100).

*Belgium.*—Devaluation of the belga by 28 p.c. at the end of March was followed by a marked degree of financial and commercial recovery. A general index of industrial production which had shown little sign of improvement in the two preceding years mounted from 98 for 1934 to 110 for 1935 (1923-25 = 100), with textiles, iron and steel manufactures leading the advance. The number of totally unemployed fell from 223,000 at the beginning of 1935 to 170,000 at the end, with a corresponding degree of relief to the Treasury. The position of the Treasury was further improved by an increase in tax receipts during the last three quarters of the year. The government made efforts to prevent the exchange advantage to exporters after devaluation from being exploited to the extent that protective measures would be enacted against Belgian goods. Imports rose from 14,000 million francs in 1934 to 17,235 millions in 1935, while exports mounted from 13,700 millions to 16,146 millions. Thus, although the gold value of trade showed no increase, actual currency values were materially higher.

The Belgian wholesale price index, after falling from 472 for January to 464 in March, moved up sharply to 581 for December 1935 (April 1914 = 100). This rise of over 23 p.c. was greater than that for living costs but less than the amount of devaluation. A cost of living index for Belgium dropped from 172.6 for January to 164.7 for March and then mounted to 187.4 for January 1936 (1921 = 100).

*Czechoslovakia.*—Economic improvement of an uneven character occurred during 1935, with the important leather and textile industries showing less than average progress. The Government endeavoured to promote recovery by several means, including sales control arrangements for agricultural products, an extensive public works program, and the negotiation of trade treaties. The public debt was increased by over 1.5 billion Czech. kronas to a total of nearly 41 billion Cz. K. Agricultural crops were larger for wheat, rye and barley, but lower for oats and maize. A general index of industrial production advanced from 67 for 1934 to 70 for 1935. The December number, however, was 81 as compared with 65 for the preceding December (1929 = 100). Foreign trade increased in value, imports mounting from 6,349.1 millions Cz. K. to 6,707.6 millions while exports advanced from 7,266.8 millions to 7,402.7 million Cz. K.

The stimulus of a 16.6 p.c. devaluation of the krone early in 1934 appeared to have worn off, with the general wholesale price index fluctuating between 691 for December 1934 and 722, the index for August 1935. The December 1935 index was 707 (July 1914 = 100). Most commodity groups with the exception of vegetable products showed moderate increases. A cost of living series which had not paralleled the rise in wholesale prices during the preceding year, advanced from 679 to 703 in 1935 (1914 = 100).

*India.*—Relatively good crops of agricultural products, expanding foreign trade, and a ready market for new financial issues were indicative of moderate economic progress in 1935. Cotton production increased from 8.4 millions to 10.3 million quintals, while the wheat crop estimated at 98.8 million quintals was also greater than that of 95.7 millions in 1934-35. The value of imports to British India increased from 1,252.4 million rupees in 1934 to 1,342.0 millions in 1935, while



exports rose from 1,482.7 millions to 1,571.7 millions. The reduction of the Reserve bank rate to 3 p.c. in November made it the lowest in post-war years.

Wholesale price levels as measured by both the Bombay and Calcutta indexes declined moderately during 1935, the former falling from 100 to 96, and the latter from 94 to 92 (July 1914=100). The Bombay cost of living index, however, advanced from 98 to 103 due to higher food prices (July 1914=100).

*Netherlands.*—The continued policy of deflation met with little encouragement in 1935, with production, shipping and foreign trade records all lower than for the preceding year. Although the output of consumption goods was somewhat greater, a general index of production fell from 113 for 1934 to 107 for 1935, indicative of a further reaction in capital goods after slight recovery in the two preceding years. Weakness in the guilder resulted in a reduction in gold reserves of approximately 200 million guilders to a total of 643 millions. Discount rates were moved repeatedly as a defense against this outflow, with coincidental disturbances to the money market. The number of unemployed rose from 414,300 in December 1934 to 471,900 in the following December, while the movement of Rotterdam shipping was less than in 1934. Merchandise imports fell from 1,038.3 million guilders in 1934 to 935.9 millions in 1935, while exports dropped from 711.8 millions to 675.1 millions.

There was little movement in the Netherlands wholesale price index during 1935, and it stood at 78 in December of both 1935 and the year preceding (1913=100). The Amsterdam cost of living series declined moderately from 136.8 to 133.4 (1911-1913=100).

*New Zealand.*—Although lower crop yields due to an exceptionally dry season and reduced prices of wool combined to reduce slightly the total value of production, the gains made earlier towards recovery were generally maintained. New Zealand is exceptional in that this progress has been made without any increase of consequence in the national debt. Railway tonnage of goods carried amounted to 6,188,805 tons for the year ended March 1936 as compared with 6,023,960 tons for the preceding year. Bankruptcies in 1935 totalled 226 against 326 in 1934. Gross indebtedness of the Dominion dropped from £302.7 millions, New Zealand currency, to £280.5 millions in 1935.

The official wholesale price index number for New Zealand rose from 1,330 for 1934 to 1,385 for 1935, due principally to higher quotations for agricultural produce. A wholesale series for imported goods fell from 1345 to 1322 while another for goods produced domestically rose from 319 to 1437 (1909-13=1000). A cost of living index advanced from 808 to 837, all budget groups excepting clothing being irregularly higher than in 1934 (1926-30=1000). The largest increases were recorded for foods.

*Poland.*—The struggle to reach a position of economic well being via the deflationary route was continued with meagre results. Production records revealed little improvement although a general index of industrial production rose from 63 for 1934 to 66 for 1935 (1922-25=100). While exports increased from 798.8 million zlotys to 859.5 millions, exports dropped from 975.3 millions to 925.0 millions. The average number of registered unemployed rose from 342,166 in 1934 to 31,935 in 1935.

Moderate recovery in agricultural product prices was attributed mainly to short crops. Continuing rigidity in manufactured product price levels was said to be giving the Government some anxiety, and steps were being taken to effect reductions in cartel prices. An index of wholesale prices of agricultural products showed little net change for the year, although it rose moderately during the fall months. The course of agricultural prices generally is indicated by the following indexes: January 1935, 42.8, October 46.5, and January 1936, 42.3. Industrial product prices declined slightly during this period as shown by January indexes of 57.1 for 1935 and 56.0 for 1936, while corresponding numbers for the general wholesale price level were 52.7 and 52.1 respectively (1928=100). The Warsaw cost of living index declined gradually from 60.6 for January 1935 to 60.3 for the succeeding January, with alcohol, tobacco and rent contributing to the change (1928=100).

*South Africa.*—Record activity in the gold mining industry has been offered as the chief explanation of prosperity existing in South Africa. Milling tonnage for the year 1935 approximated 45,000,000, an increase of over 20 p.c., with value returns about £4 millions higher at £75



millions, South African currency. Firmer prices for wool at the outset of 1936 added another favourable factor to economic prospects for the near future. A budget revenue surplus of over £3 millions was declared for the fiscal year 1934-5, and the public debt was reduced for the first time in many years. The January 1936 employment index of 1,338 was the highest since 1927 (July 1925=100).

The official wholesale price index averaged 1066 for 1935 against 1143 for 1934, the decline being due mainly to cereals and meats (1910=1000). A cost of living series was 1157 for December 1934 and 1152 for December 1935 (1914=1000).

*Sweden.*—Although economic progress proved less spectacular than in the two preceding years, it was none the less substantial. Foreign trade returns were not quite so satisfactory but domestic production continued to increase, and at the same time taxation was reduced, a very unusual occurrence in recent years. A monthly average estimate of pig iron production mounted from 43,600 metric tons in 1934 to 47,200 tons in 1935, the highest level touched in post-war years. Unemployment declined further, percentages of trade union unemployed falling from 18.0 for 1934 to 15.1 for 1935. The value of total imports mounted from Kr. 1,304.7 millions to Kr. 1,468 millions, while exports dropped from Kr. 1,302.4 millions to Kr. 1,291 millions. Nevertheless, the Riksbank's supply of gold rose from Kr. 351.3 millions to Kr. 407.8 millions, and other bank assets also increased. Money consequently was cheap, and industrial bond yields were lower than in 1934 except for the fourth quarter of the year.

Wholesale price levels moved forward again as indicated by the wholesale price index of the Board of Trade which advanced from 115 for December 1934 to 118 for the following December (1913=100). This was due in large part to higher quotations for imported goods, and it was about evenly distributed between producers' and consumers' goods. The Swedish cost of living index registered a slight rise from 155 to 157 during the year (July 1914=100).

### FOREIGN EXCHANGE, 1935

The promise of returning stability held out by exchange movements in the latter part of 1934, failed to materialize. Recurrent pressure upon the remaining "gold bloc" currencies gave warning of their continued precarious positions. The group was reduced late in March, when Belgium devalued its currency by approximately 28 p.c. following a flight of capital and serious gold losses. Later on, the position of the Dutch guilder and the French franc became critical. These currencies were successfully defended, although in the last four months of the year, gold shipments from France approximated \$500,000,000. The £ sterling was subject to speculative selling late in February which spread from a local disturbance in commodity markets. Montreal quotations on sterling dropped approximately 9 cents to 4.80 $\frac{3}{4}$  at this time, but gradual recovery carried the market upward again until sterling was quoted between \$4.99 and \$5.00 during August. Considerable purchases of silver in London by the United States Treasury were a factor in the strength shown by sterling during the summer. In September, gold commenced to flow from London to New York to meet seasonal commitments, but no appreciable reaction in sterling rates occurred. Rates on Canadian dollars reflected to some extent movements in sterling, but remained fairly stable for the greater part of the year. Temporary weakness in October advanced the premium on New York funds to 2 p.c. but this was gradually reduced again to about 1 p.c. Considerable interest was attracted by the abandonment of the silver standard by China during November, and devaluation of the China (Shanghai) Dollar to a level approximating 30 cents in Canadian funds. Earlier in the year, this unit had been quoted around 37 cents. Another event of importance in exchange markets was the restoration of unrestricted exchange movements by Austria, which was followed by a considerable repatriation of funds to that country. The Italian lira, after commencing to slip from the ranks of the gold group in the latter part of 1934, continued to weaken gradually during 1935, and was quoted upon a nominal basis in the closing months of the year.

Note.—The nominal closing quotations in Canadian funds upon which these averages are based, have been supplied by the Bank of Montreal.

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1935	Australia Pound 4-8666	Austria Schilling 1407	Belgium Belga 1390	Czechoslovakia Krone	Denmark Krone 2080	*Finland Markka 0252	France Franc 0392	Germany Reichs- Mark 2382	Holland Guilder 4020	Italy Lira 0526	Norway Krone 2680	Spain Peseta
January.....	3-9035	1880	2331	04176	2185	0216	0658	4003	6738	0852	2458	1365
February.....	3-9013	1884	2340	04165	2183	0215	0661	4019	6769	0850	2457	1371
March.....	3-8527	1908	2305	04252	2158	0214	0669	4079	6860	0844	2429	1388
April.....	3-8821	1886	2308	04213	2173	0214	0663	4047	6783	0834	2444	1376
May.....	3-9100	1877	1700	04186	2189	0216	0660	4030	6775	0825	2464	1370
June.....	3-9492	1891	1698	04197	2210	0218	0662	4046	6797	0827	2486	1374
July.....	3-9685	1893	1697	04191	2220	0219	0664	4045	6815	0826	2498	1378
August.....	3-9808	1897	1695	04175	2227	0219	0664	4046	6800	0824	2506	1379
September.....	3-9761	1899	1702	04181	2223	0219	0665	4057	6813	0822	2500	1379
October.....	3-9823	1906	1709	04203	2222	0219	0668	4079	6869	0824	2501	1385
November.....	3-9823	1897	1708	04180	2222	0220	0665	4065	6851	0819	2501	1379
December.....	3-9804	1894	1702	04185	2221	0219	0666	4059	6841	0816	2499	1380

1935	Sweden Krona 2680	Switzer- land Franc 1930	*Argentina Peso (paper) 4244	*Brazil Milreis 1196	*Mexico Peso 4895	*Hong Kong Dollar	India Rupee 3650	Japan Yen 4085	*Shanghai Dollar	Great Britain Pound 4-8666	New York Dollar 1-00
January.....	2522	3229	2509	0824	2782	4243	3692	2863	3528	4-8870	9986
February.....	2521	3243	2577	0825	2786	4466	3700	2852	3676	4-8833	1-0013
March.....	2492	3288	2561	0837	2804	4888	3654	2838	3888	4-8247	1-0097
April.....	2500	3255	2558	0830	2788	5372	3675	2858	3955	4-8622	1-0049
May.....	2528	3239	2550	0829	2780	5945	3707	2888	4120	4-8958	1-0015
June.....	2550	3273	2625	0832	2780	5728	3738	2915	4025	4-9426	1-0014
July.....	2564	3283	2645	0832	2780	5771	3752	2928	3847	4-9674	1-0022
August.....	2571	3282	2679	0837	2780	5072	3769	2946	3695	4-9850	1-0027
September.....	2566	3279	2721	0841	2797	5040	3768	2925	3798	4-9701	1-0080
October.....	2566	3300	2761	0849	2814	5001	3754	2908	3640	4-9778	1-0141
November.....	2566	3278	2737	0847	2806	3661	3752	2902	2987	4-9776	1-0105
December.....	2565	3273	2748	0846	2800	3240	3755	2902	2973	4-9755	1-0093

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No.	Country	Albania	Argen- tine	Common- wealth of Aus- tralia	Austria	Belgium	Bulgaria	Canada		Chile
	Authority	Official	Banco de la Nacion	Common- wealth Statist- ician Melbourne	Federal Statist- ical Office	Ministry of Industry and Labour	Official	Dominion Bureau of Statistics		Official
	Number Commodities	23	108	192	47 (b)	130	55	502 (h)		—
	Base Period	1927	1926	1913	Jan.-July, 1914	April, 1914	1914	1926	1913	1913
1	1913.....		76	100-0		(d) 100	100	64-0	100-0	100-0
2	1914.....			105-6				65-5	102-3	
3	1915.....			147-4				70-4	109-9	
4	1916.....			138-2				84-3	131-6	
5	1917.....			152-8				114-3	178-5	
6	1918.....			177-8				127-4	199-0	
7	1919.....			188-9				134-0	209-2	
8	1920.....			227-9				155-9	243-5	
9	1921.....			174-9		(e) 366		110-0	171-8	
10	1922.....		109	161-6	99	367		97-3	152-0	
11	1923.....		102	178-7	124	497		98-0	153-0	
12	1924.....		110	173-3	136	573		99-4	155-2	
13	1925.....		111	169-5	136	558		102-6	160-3	
14	1926.....		100	168-4	123	744	2,947	100-0	156-2	
15	1927.....	100	98	167-0	133	847	3,017	97-7	152-6	
16	1928.....	104	99	164-7	130	843	3,237	96-4	150-6	193
17	1929.....	100	96	165-7	130	851	3,447	95-6	149-3	192
18	1930.....	88	92	146-7	117	744	2,788	88-6	135-3	187
19	1931.....	90	89	131-3	109	626	2,332	72-1	112-6	152
20	1932.....	74	90	129-7	112	532	2,071	66-7	104-2	130
21	1933.....	57	86	129-5	108	501	1,821	67-1	104-8	346
22	1934.....	51	98	135-2	110	473	1,873	71-6	111-8	344
23	1935.....	(a) 56	97	135-0	(c) 110	(f) 537	(g) 1,917	72-1	112-6	343
24	1932 January.....	88	92	130-0	114	557	2,231	69-5	108-6	147
25	February.....	86	92	133-2	112	554	2,236	68-9	107-6	152
26	March.....	80	92	132-2	113	548	2,237	69-0	107-8	164
27	April.....	79	91	131-5	112	539	2,132	68-2	106-5	190
28	May.....	73	91	129-4	113	526	2,113	67-4	105-3	214
29	June.....	72	90	127-8	112	512	2,039	66-5	103-9	230
30	July.....	66	90	128-4	112	524	2,000	66-7	104-2	240
31	August.....	69	89	130-1	110	533	1,971	65-9	102-9	282
32	September.....	66	88	132-4	111	529	1,926	65-0	101-5	294
33	October.....	67	88	129-0	111	525	1,865	64-7	101-1	289
34	November.....	69	87	127-0	108	522	1,843	64-0	100-0	338
35	December.....	68	86	125-6	108					
36	1933 January.....	68	85	123-5	108	521	1,873	63-8	99-7	346
37	February.....	66	85	122-2	106	512	1,838	63-5	99-2	345
38	March.....	62	85	122-5	107	504	1,797	64-3	100-4	343
39	April.....	60	85	124-8	107	501	1,813	65-3	102-0	351
40	May.....	56	85	129-2	108	502	1,830	66-7	104-2	358
41	June.....	55	86	132-3	109	507	1,807	67-5	105-4	353
42	July.....	55	87	133-7	111	506	1,845	70-5	110-1	353
43	August.....	53	86	134-6	108	501	1,795	69-5	108-6	356
44	September.....	52	85	136-1	108	496	1,839	68-9	107-6	352
45	October.....	52	85	132-8	109	489	1,798	67-9	106-1	339
46	November.....	53	85	130-0	108	485	1,830	68-9	107-6	330
47	December.....	54	94	132-0	108	484	1,793	69-0	107-8	322
48	1934 January.....	52	97	133-8	109	484	1,742	70-6	110-3	329
49	February.....	50	96	133-5	110	483	1,844	72-1	112-6	331
50	March.....	50	97	134-1	113	478	1,818	72-0	112-5	337
51	April.....	50	96	135-2	112	474	1,816	71-1	111-1	343
52	May.....	49	97	133-8	110	470	1,858	71-1	111-1	343
53	June.....	51	98	134-5	110	472	1,893	72-1	112-6	352
54	July.....	51	99	136-3	110	471	1,891	72-0	112-5	353
55	August.....	52	102	137-9	110	474	1,937	72-3	112-9	354
56	September.....	52	101	137-2	108	470	1,931	72-0	112-5	353
57	October.....	52	99	137-2	108	467	1,951	71-4	111-5	344
58	November.....	52	99	135-1	109	466	1,910	71-2	111-2	343
59	December.....	51	99	134-1	109	468	1,882	71-2	111-2	342
60	1935 January.....	52	98	134-1	110	472	1,902	71-4	111-5	347
61	February.....	52	97	133-4	109	466	1,895	71-8	112-2	340
62	March.....	53	97	132-6	109	464	1,891	71-9	112-3	337
63	April.....	53	97	132-7	109	531	1,946	72-5	113-2	335
64	May.....	54	96	134-0	110	552	1,907	72-2	112-8	339
65	June.....	55	96	134-7	111	555	1,896	71-4	111-5	342
66	July.....	55	96	135-9	112	553	1,892	71-7	112-0	343
67	August.....	56	96	137-7	111	552	1,887	72-4	113-1	346
68	September.....	57	97	137-4	110	560	1,898	73-1	114-2	349
69	October.....	61	99	137-8	109	574	1,963	72-7	113-6	352
70	November.....	62	99	135-9	109	582	1,972	72-7	113-6	350
71	December.....	63	99	134-2	109	579	1,967			

(a) End of month. (b) No. of commodities changed from 42 to 47. (c) Fifteenth of month. (d) April. (e) Average of five months. (f) Second half of month. (g) Last week or end of month. (h) No. of commodities changed in 1926 from 236 to 502.



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China		Czecho-Slovakia	Danzig	Denmark	Dutch East Indies	Egypt	Estonia	Finland	No
National Tariff Commission, Shanghai	Ministry of Industries, North China	General Bureau of Statistics	Official	Official	Official	Department of Statistics, Cairo	Official	Official	
154	100	126	—	118	92	23	44	139	
1926	1926	July, 1914	1913-1914	1913	1913	Jan. 1, 1913- July 31, 1914	1913	1926	
	67	(c) 100		100	(c) 98		100		1
	67								2
	69								3
	74					103			4
	80					128			5
	82					176			6
	81					215			7
	89					248			8
104.6	89					231			9
98.6	86					316			10
102.0	90					191			11
97.9	94					173	(113)		12
99.3	97		143	210	173	132	(114)		13
100.0	100		151	163	178	143	(116)		14
104.4	103		146	153	159	152	124	100	15
101.7	108		146	153	154	132	114	101	16
104.5	111		142	153	149	121	114	102	17
114.8	116	119	135	150	148	116	121	98	18
126.7	123	108	121	130	134	104	117	90	19
112.4	113	100	106	114	105	97	102	84	20
103.8	101	96	91	117	86	84	91	89	21
97.1	92	85	90	125	71	71	83	89	22
(b) 96.4	95	(e) 86	(d) 116	134	67	87	85	90	23
					65	95	84	90	24
119.3	117	101	95	118	93	89	85	94	25
	119	101	95	119	92	91	85	93	26
	118	101	94	117	91	93	86	92	27
116.7	118	100	91	115	89	90	84	89	28
115.7	117	97	93	114	86	86	83	88	29
113.6	114	98	89	113	84	81	81	87	30
111.8	112	98	90	115	82	78	83	89	31
111.3	111	100	89	117	82	77	81	89	32
109.8	109	100	90	119	82	78	81	90	33
108.7	107	99	91	118	81	80	81	90	34
106.9	107	99	90	120	79	79	82	91	35
107.5	107	97	89	119	78	76	81	90	36
108.6	109	96	87	117	75	73	82	90	37
107.6	108	96	87	124	74	72	82	89	38
106.7	106	95	89	123	72	70	80	89	39
104.5	103	96	90	122	71	68	80	88	40
104.2	101	98	91	123	71	68	79	89	41
104.5	103	98	90	123	72	67	79	89	42
103.4	101	97	91	125	72	69	89	90	43
101.7	98	97	91	126	71	68	91	90	44
100.4	97	96	90	128	69	68	91	90	45
100.3	95	96	91	127	68	73	90	90	46
99.9	94	95	90	128	68	75	89	90	47
98.4	93	95	90	129	67	73	89	89	48
97.2	92	94	89	130	68	75	88	90	49
98.0	92	(f) 81	88	131	69	79	89	90	50
96.6	91	81	88	129	68	79	88	90	51
94.6	89	80	88	128	68	75	87	89	52
94.9	89	81	88	128	67	81	85	89	53
95.7	89	85	88	128	67	84	85	89	54
97.1	91	84	88	129	66	89	83	89	55
99.8	95	84	87	134	67	92	83	90	56
97.3	93	84	87	135	67	102	81	90	57
96.1	92	84	87	135	68	99	82	90	58
98.3	93	84	88	136	67	96	82	90	59
99.0	95	85	88	135	67	98	83	90	60
99.4	96	85	88	135	67	100	83	90	61
99.9	97	85	88	135	66	100	83	90	62
96.4	96	87	87	132	65	96	82	90	63
95.9	95	86	87	132	65	92	80	90	64
95.0	95	86	116	121	66	92	81	90	65
92.1	93	88	121	130	65	94	82	90	66
90.5	92	86	127	131	64	95	81	90	67
91.9	92	86	132	134	64	96	83	90	68
91.1	91	86	135	136	65	92	84	91	69
94.1	94	86	138	139	66	96	88	92	70
103.3	101	86	139	139	66	94	89	91	71
103.3	103	87	139	139	65	94	89	91	72

(a) Average for ten months only. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) July. (d) 10th and 20th of month. (e) First of following month. (f) Since February 1934, compiled according to new gold parity.

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No.	Country	France		Germany	Greece	Hungary	India		Indo-China	Italy		Japan
		Statistical	Statistical	Federal	Official	Official	Dept. of	Labour	Statistical	Bachi	Milan	Bank
		Générale	Générale	Statistical			Statistics,	Office,	Générale,		Chamber	of
				Office			Calcutta	Bombay	Saigon		of Commerce	Japan
	Number of Commodities	45	126	400 (b)	60	52	72	43	37	150	125	56
	Base Period	July, 1914	1913	1913	Jan. 1913-July 1914	1913	July, 1914	July, 1914	1913	1913	1913	1913
1	1913	102	100	100		100			100	100	100	100
2	1914	104		99			(d) 100	(d) 100				96
3	1915	143					112					97
4	1916	192					128					117
5	1917	267					145					149
6	1918	346		208			178	239				196
7	1919	364		339			196	223				236
8	1920	520		1,367			201	216				259
9	1921	352		1,428			178	198		531	(e) 517	200
10	1922	334		10,059			176	187		508	529	196
11	1923	428		7,478,700			172	181		512	536	199
12	1924	499		(b) 137.3			138	173		512	554	206
13	1925	561		141.8			140	159	163	596	646	202
14	1926	718	695	134.4			124	148	149	131	603	654
15	1927	630	642	137.6			132	148	147	142	495	527
16	1928	634	645	140.0			135	145	146	144	462	491
17	1929	623	627	137.2	1,811	(c) 121	141	145	150	445	481	166
18	1930	543	554	124.6	1,646	96	116	126	150	383	411	137
19	1931	462	502	110.9	1,471	95	96	109	128	328	342	111
20	1932	407	427	96.5	1,766	92	91	109	117	304	310	123
21	1933	388	398	93.3	1,997	76	87	98	106	280	283	138
22	1934	366	376	98.4	1,969	79	89	95	96	273	276	134
23	1935	347	(a) 338	101.8		(a) 90	(a) 91	99	94	(a)		140
24	1932 January	414	439	100.0	1,419	98	97	114	123	317	326	121
25	February	421	446	99.8	1,424	99	97	113	121	314	323	123
26	March	427	444	99.8	1,507	99	94	112	120	315	322	120
27	April	425	439	98.4	1,619	97	92	110	119	311	319	119
28	May	421	438	97.2	1,829	97	89	111	119	305	313	114
29	June	408	425	96.2	1,899	96	86	109	118	297	304	111
30	July	404	430	95.9	1,904	94	87	106	116	296	300	111
31	August	394	415	95.4	1,877	89	91	107	115	297	307	120
32	September	397	413	95.1	1,894	90	91	107	114	300	307	121
33	October	392	412	94.3	1,902	86	91	107	115	299	304	121
34	November	391	413	93.9	1,939	82	90	104	114	298	302	130
35	December	390	413	92.4	1,983	81	88	105	112	296	299	140
36	1933 January	390	411	91.0	2,020	82	88	104	112	292	296	140
37	February	390	404	91.2	2,032	83	86	100	111	286	293	138
38	March	385	390	91.1	2,017	82	82	96	107	281	287	133
39	April	384	387	90.7	2,033	80	84	96	107	279	282	133
40	May	382	383	91.9	1,987	79	87	97	107	279	282	133
41	June	396	403	92.9	1,988	79	89	98	108	281	285	133
42	July	397	401	93.9	2,007	73	91	100	110	279	283	133
43	August	394	397	94.2	2,008	71	89	98	110	278	282	133
44	September	386	397	94.9	1,985	70	88	98	107	276	281	133
45	October	384	397	95.7	1,963	71	88	98	106	274	277	133
46	November	383	403	96.0	1,957	70	88	96	103	273	275	133
47	December	389	407	96.2	1,963	71	89	95	104	275	277	133
48	1934 January	388	405	96.3	1,975	71	90	95	104	276	278	133
49	February	384	400	96.2	1,970	74	89	95	103	275	276	133
50	March	380	394	95.9	1,945	74	88	93	100	275	275	133
51	April	378	387	95.8	1,936	75	89	93	99	273	275	133
52	May	372	381	96.2	1,928	83	90	94	99	273	274	133
53	June	363	379	97.2	1,936	81	90	96	99	272	275	133
54	July	361	374	98.9	1,956	79	89	95	99	270	273	133
55	August	363	371	100.1	1,984	81	89	96	100	271	275	133
56	September	360	365	100.4	2,001	83	89	96	102	270	276	133
57	October	352	357	101.0	2,005	82	89	95	95	272	276	133
58	November	349	356	101.2	1,994	83	88	96	95	274	277	133
59	December	344	344	101.0	1,994	84	88	98	95	276	279	133
60	1935 January	349	350	101.1	1,996	86	94	100	95	277	280	133
61	February	349	343	100.9	1,986	86	90	99	95	278	282	133
62	March	344	335	100.7	1,998	85	87	98	94	288	289	133
63	April	346	336	100.8	1,987	86	88	98	95	296	299	133
64	May	353	340	100.8	1,974	88	91	99	96	302	304	133
65	June	344	330	101.2	1,966	87	91	99	95	308	315	133
66	July	334	322	101.9	1,986	90	91	100	94	310	319	133
67	August	343	330	102.4	1,998	89	89	99	94	323	329	133
68	September	345	332	102.3		92	89	100	94	330	337	14
69	October	350	342	102.8		95	93	100	95			14
70	November	353	348	103.1		95	92	98	95			14
71	December	357	354	103.4		97	93	97	94			14

(a) End of month. (b) Since 1924, new series. (c) Since January, 1929, new index. (d) July. (e) Average of eight months.

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Latvia	Lithuania	Nether- lands	New Zealand	Norway		Peru	Poland	Portugal	No.
Official	Official	Central Bureau of Statistics	Govern- ment Statisti- cian	Official	Okono- misk Revue	Official	Commerce Reports	Banco de Portugal	
61	88	48	180	95	100	58	238	—	
1913	1913	1913	1909-1913	1913	Dec. 31, '13- June 30, '14	1913	1928	June 1927	
100	100 109	100 109	100 105.3	100	115	100			1
					159	104			2
					233	120			3
					341	146			4
					345	176			5
					322	212			6
					382	220			7
					298	239			8
					233	205			9
					233	190			10
					269	189			11
					251	192			12
					196	202			13
					160	203			14
					155	203			15
					148	186			16
					138	178			17
					123	175			18
					125	170			19
					124	189			20
					126	188			21
					132	189			22
					127	189			23
					123	165			24
					127	163			25
					125	164			26
					125	163			27
					120	164			28
					122	175			29
					124	176			30
					126	174			31
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					134	188			69
					134	188			70
					134	189			71

(a) Revised since January, 1931. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) New series beginning 1928. (d) End of month. (e) June.



## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

TABLE LIH—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	South Africa	Spain	Sweden		Switzer-land	Turkey	United Kingdom			
	Authority	Census and Statistics Office	Director of General Statistics	Gotebergs Handels Tidning	Commerce Dept.	Federal Labour Department	Official	Board of Trade	Economist	Statist	Times
	Number of Commodities	188	74	47	160	78	52	200	58	45	60
	Base Period	1913	1913	July 1, '13 June 30, '14	1913	July, 1914	1913 1914	1930	1927	1913	1913
1	1913.....	100-0	100	.....	100	.....	.....	100-0	.....	100-0	100-0
2	1914.....	96-9	101	.....	116	(b) 100-0	.....	.....	.....	100-0	.....
3	1915.....	107-0	119	.....	145	.....	.....	.....	.....	127-1	.....
4	1916.....	122-6	141	.....	185	.....	.....	.....	.....	159-5	.....
5	1917.....	140-7	166	.....	244	.....	.....	.....	.....	206-1	.....
6	1918.....	153-1	207	.....	339	.....	.....	.....	.....	226-5	.....
7	1919.....	164-8	204	.....	330	.....	.....	.....	.....	241-9	.....
8	1920.....	223-3	221	.....	347	.....	.....	(f) 307-3	.....	295-3	(d) 251-2
9	1921.....	160-4	190	.....	211	222	200-1	197-2	.....	182-4	(d) 162-1
10	1922.....	128-4	176	.....	162	173	157-9	158-8	.....	154-1	(d) 158-6
11	1923.....	126-6	172	.....	157	163	169-9	158-9	.....	151-8	(d) 169-1
12	1924.....	123-3	183	.....	155	162	171-2	166-2	115-7	164-0	(d) 179-3
13	1925.....	127-6	188	.....	157	161	160-5	159-1	112-0	159-5	(d) 152-8
14	1926.....	123-3	181	.....	144	149	144-5	148-1	104-0	148-0	(d) 142-1
15	1927.....	124-0	172	.....	141	146	142-2	141-6	100-0	144-0	(d) 141-9
16	1928.....	120-7	167	.....	144	148	144-6	140-3	98-1	141-2	(d) 137-5
17	1929.....	115-1	171	.....	134	140	141-2	131-6	92-4	135-3	(d) 128-8
18	1930.....	102-6	172	.....	115	122	126-5	1,000	(e) 100-0	77-6	114-1 (d) 103-2
19	1931.....	99-5	174	.....	105	111	109-7	85-9	87-8	64-9	(d) 99-5
20	1932.....	91-5	173	.....	101	109	96-0	738	85-6	62-6	(d) 98-2
21	1933.....	93-1	.....	.....	100	107	91-0	648	85-7	63-1	(d) 98-2
22	1934.....	101-7	.....	.....	114	114	89-8	672	88-1	65-6	96-4
23	1935.....	(a) 94-8	.....	.....	116	(c) 89-8	731	88-9	(c) 68-5	(c) 99-5	.....
24	1932 January.....	96-3	176	101	109	101-4	768	89-3	65-4	99-6	98-9
25	February.....	.....	178	101	110	99-6	767	88-4	67-0	102-0	100-0
26	March.....	.....	180	101	109	98-7	778	87-7	65-3	98-9	97-4
27	April.....	94-4	181	101	109	97-7	769	86-3	62-7	97-0	96-6
28	May.....	.....	177	101	109	95-6	752	85-1	60-5	94-4	93-9
29	June.....	.....	174	100	108	94-5	743	83-1	58-8	90-6	90-3
30	July.....	89-1	172	101	108	93-6	719	83-1	60-1	92-8	93-2
31	August.....	.....	171	101	108	95-0	712	84-3	61-9	94-9	96-0
32	September.....	.....	171	101	110	94-8	688	85-9	64-0	94-6	97-7
33	October.....	86-9	169	100	110	94-8	693	85-0	62-0	91-5	96-5
34	November.....	.....	170	100	109	94-2	704	85-1	62-3	91-6	95-3
35	December.....	.....	169	98	108	91-8	692	84-8	61-1	91-4	94-3
36	1933 January.....	87-3	170	97	106	91-3	681	84-7	61-2	91-5	94-7
37	February.....	.....	168	97	106	90-1	677	83-5	60-1	90-6	92-9
38	March.....	.....	166	96	105	90-0	662	82-7	59-8	90-6	91-7
39	April.....	90-0	164	96	105	91-1	645	82-8	61-4	92-4	93-2
40	May.....	.....	163	99	106	91-6	626	84-3	63-6	95-2	95-7
41	June.....	.....	163	102	106	91-2	656	86-2	65-0	95-6	97-5
42	July.....	95-3	164	103	108	91-7	652	86-8	65-3	96-1	97-9
43	August.....	.....	165	102	108	90-9	638	87-2	65-2	95-5	99-5
44	September.....	.....	.....	100	109	90-8	637	87-8	65-0	94-9	98-3
45	October.....	99-7	.....	101	109	90-7	625	87-5	64-0	94-7	98-6
46	November.....	.....	.....	101	110	91-0	624	87-6	63-1	93-3	97-6
47	December.....	.....	.....	102	110	91-3	625	87-6	63-9	94-1	98-2
48	1934 January.....	106-0	.....	104	112	91-8	635	88-8	65-7	97-1	101-5
49	February.....	.....	.....	106	112	91-4	634	89-2	65-9	97-1	100-8
50	March.....	.....	.....	106	112	90-9	638	88-2	65-4	96-7	99-2
51	April.....	104-1	.....	107	113	89-6	616	87-7	65-4	95-3	98-9
52	May.....	.....	.....	106	113	89-0	610	87-2	65-4	95-4	99-1
53	June.....	.....	.....	107	114	89-0	637	87-9	65-3	94-9	97-6
54	July.....	98-0	.....	108	114	88-9	661	87-3	66-2	96-9	99-6
55	August.....	.....	.....	.....	114	89-8	661	89-0	67-1	98-1	102-4
56	September.....	.....	.....	.....	114	89-1	681	88-4	65-7	96-6	.....
57	October.....	98-6	.....	.....	114	89-6	706	87-8	65-2	95-4	.....
58	November.....	.....	.....	.....	115	89-4	731	87-5	64-7	95-3	.....
59	December.....	.....	.....	.....	115	89-0	736	87-8	65-7	97-4	.....
60	1935 January.....	95-5	.....	.....	115	88-3	734	88-3	66-6	98-4	.....
61	February.....	.....	.....	.....	115	87-6	725	88-0	66-4	98-1	.....
62	March.....	.....	.....	.....	115	86-4	709	86-9	66-1	97-5	.....
63	April.....	92-8	.....	.....	115	87-1	682	87-5	66-7	98-9	.....
64	May.....	.....	.....	.....	115	87-6	674	88-2	68-1	100-2	.....
65	June.....	.....	.....	.....	116	88-6	680	88-4	67-5	98-5	.....
66	July.....	95-0	.....	.....	116	89-9	704	88-0	68-1	99-2	.....
67	August.....	.....	.....	.....	115	91-4	717	88-4	67-9	98-9	.....
68	September.....	.....	.....	.....	115	92-2	725	89-6	69-9	100-1	.....
69	October.....	96-0	.....	.....	117	93-3	745	91-1	71-5	100-9	.....
70	November.....	.....	.....	.....	118	92-8	798	91-2	71-3	101-5	.....
71	December.....	.....	.....	.....	118	92-1	844	91-4	71-5	102-0	.....

(a) Monthly average. (b) July. (c) End of month. (d) December. (e) Since January 1935, new series, 1930=100.  
(f) 1920-29, base 1913=100.

## IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1935—Concluded

United States							Yugoslavia	No.
Bureau of Labor Statistics	Irving Fisher	Bradstreet		Dun		Annalist	National Bank	
(a) 784	200	106	106	200	200	72 series	55	
1926	1926	—	1913	—	1913	1913	1926	
69.8	69.8	9.2115	100	120.887	100	100.0		1
68.1	68.1	8.9034	97	122.211	101			2
69.5	69.5	9.8530	107	126.393	104			3
85.5	85.5	11.8237	128	148.807	122			4
117.5	117.5	15.6385	170	204.121	169			5
131.3	131.3	18.7117	203	229.220	190			6
138.6	138.6	18.6642	203	230.846	190			7
154.4	154.4	18.8095	204	248.721	205			8
97.6	97.6	11.3696	123	170.451	141			9
96.7	96.7	12.1185	132	171.660	142			10
100.6	101.1	13.4028	146	189.787	157			11
98.1	98.9	12.8672	140	189.322	157			12
103.5	105.2	13.9445	151	197.694	164	158.9		13
100.0	100.0	13.0207	141	189.398	157	150.2	100.0	14
95.4	94.2	12.7787	139	187.092	155	144.7	103.4	15
96.7	97.9	13.2823	144	194.521	161	149.0	106.2	16
95.3	96.3	12.6727	138	191.043	158	145.6	100.6	17
86.4	86.3	10.7451	117	174.453	144	127.6	86.6	18
73.0	71.4	8.7604	95	147.353	122	104.1	72.9	19
64.8	61.6	7.0949	77	134.303	121	91.0	65.2	20
66.0	64.6	7.8557	85	144.661	110	94.9	64.4	21
75.0	76.6	9.2195	100	166.082	137	113.2	63.2	22
80.0	83.0	(b) 9.9222	(b) 108	(b) 174.744	(b) 145	125.9	65.9	23
67.3	65.0	7.7325	84	140.681	116	94.0	67.8	24
66.3	63.7	7.5243	82	140.344	116	92.3	67.3	25
66.0	63.1	7.3186	79	139.219	115	91.1	67.8	26
65.5	62.2	7.1515	78	136.864	113	90.7	66.1	27
64.4	61.0	6.9183	75	132.324	109	88.8	65.4	28
63.9	59.6	6.6824	73	128.879	107	88.6	64.9	29
64.5	60.4	6.7266	73	125.316	104	92.1	65.6	30
65.2	61.8	6.7950	74	128.761	107	94.2	62.6	31
65.3	62.7	7.1724	78	134.099	111	95.2	61.8	32
64.4	61.1	7.2753	79	136.555	113	91.0	63.9	33
63.9	60.3	6.9568	76	134.700	111	88.4	64.7	34
62.6	58.5	6.8855	75	133.898	111	85.7	64.8	35
61.0	56.4	6.7906	74	130.166	108	82.4	67.6	36
59.8	55.3	6.5324	71	128.435	106	80.4	68.4	37
60.2	56.1	6.3532	69	127.606	106	81.9	67.0	38
60.4	57.2	6.5359	71	128.172	106	83.8	66.3	39
62.7	60.3	6.9845	76	133.488	110	90.5	64.9	40
65.0	63.7	8.0214	87	139.931	116	94.5	66.1	41
68.9	69.0	8.3373	91	149.178	123	103.4	63.7	42
69.5	70.5	9.0095	98	156.134	129	102.7	60.7	43
70.8	71.2	8.9918	98	160.265	133	104.8	60.7	44
71.2	71.6	9.0512	98	162.632	135	106.2	61.5	45
71.1	71.7	8.8480	96	160.433	133	104.8	63.1	46
70.8	71.7	8.8126	96	159.491	132	103.3	62.3	47
72.2	72.3	8.8329	96	162.309	134	105.2	62.9	48
73.6	73.7	9.0110	98	164.530	136	108.1	63.6	49
73.7	74.3	9.2627	101	165.026	137	108.2	63.3	50
73.3	73.3	9.1697	100	163.415	135	108.6	63.0	51
73.7	75.2	9.1552	99	161.331	134	110.8	64.1	52
74.6	77.3	9.1404	99	163.985	136	114.3	65.6	53
74.8	77.9	9.2351	100	167.156	138	114.4	62.8	54
76.4	78.3	9.3216	101	167.912	139	117.7	61.1	55
77.6	80.1	9.4778	103	169.188	140	120.3	63.2	56
76.5	79.1	9.4566	103	170.032	141	116.3	63.6	57
76.5	78.9	9.2791	101	168.005	139	116.4	62.7	58
76.9	78.7	9.2913	101	170.099	141	118.0	62.3	59
78.8	81.0	9.4925	103	173.075	143	122.6	64.4	60
79.5	82.0	9.7800	106	176.770	146	124.3	63.9	61
79.4	81.3	9.7954	106	176.806	146	123.5	63.0	62
80.1	81.6	9.6643	105	172.461	143	125.8	62.9	63
80.2	82.3	9.7665	106	176.231	146	126.0	64.0	64
79.8	82.0	9.9070	108	174.314	144	123.2	63.9	65
79.4	82.1	9.8416	107	171.046	141	123.6	63.3	66
80.5	83.8	9.9185	108	171.511	142	126.8	64.8	67
80.7	85.1	10.0085	109	170.859	141	127.6	67.8	68
80.5	85.4	10.1762	110	177.514	147	129.2	70.0	69
80.6	84.7	10.2834	112	178.614	148	128.3	71.6	70
80.9	84.2	10.4029	113	177.732	147	129.4	71.1	71

(a) Number of commodities changed from 550 to 784 since January, 1926.

(b) First of month.

TABLE LIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND

No.	Country	Australia		Austria		Belgium		Bulgaria		Canada		Chile	
	Localities	30 Towns		Vienna		59 Localities		12 (67) Towns (f)		69 Localities		Santiago	
	Base Period	1923-1927		July, 1914		1921		1914		1926		March, 1922	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913									(g)	(g)		
2	1914									65.4	66.2		
3	1915			100 July	100 July			100	100	66.0	68.9		
4	1916									67.3	69.5		
5	1917									72.5	77.5		
6	1918									85.6	100.0		
7	1919									97.4	114.6		
8	1920									107.2	122.5		
9	1921									124.2	141.1		
10	1922			(b) 15,476	57,600	100	100	11,409	1,766	109.2	107.9		
11	1923			460,733	539,783	93	90	1,899	2,337	100.0	91.4		
12	1924	99.6	101.1	(c) 74	1,250,108	109	106	1,868	2,399	100.0	92.1		
13	1925	98.0	97.2	88	1,480,583	128	127	2,057	2,705	98.0	90.7		
14	1926	99.1	100.2	97	1,612,150	136	137	2,339	3,024	99.3	94.7		
15	1927	100.6	102.7	103	(c) 116	165	171	2,871	2,813	100.0	100.0		
16	1928	99.7	100.4	106	119	203	208	2,814	2,751	98.4	98.1		
17	1929	100.3	98.9	108	119	208	207	2,875	2,883	98.9	98.6	108	118
18	1930	102.6	104.7	111	122	220	218	2,941	2,992	99.9	101.0	108	119
19	1931	97.1	94.6	111	118	228	209	2,690	2,439	99.2	98.6	108	118
20	1932	87.0	83.0	106	108	204	176	2,349	1,913	89.6	77.3	104	103
21	1933	82.8	80.0	108	110	184	150	2,160	1,765	81.4	64.3	113	113
22	1934	80.3	75.4	105	104	182	150	2,006	1,680	77.7	63.7	140	147
23	1935	81.6	78.6	105		175	143	1,873	1,676	78.7	69.4	140	143
		83.1	80.9	105		176	146	1,750	1,643	79.3	70.4	140	153
24	1932 January	(a)	81.4	109	111	190	157	2,210	1,886	84.8	69.6	97	95
25	February	84.4	82.9	108	110	186	151	2,196	1,849	83.8	66.5	96	92
26	March		82.5	108	109	183	148	2,196	1,851	83.3	66.1	100	96
27	April		82.4	107	107	180	144	2,165	1,833	83.1	65.4	102	97
28	May	83.5	81.2	107	108	180	145	2,161	1,824	81.2	62.9	105	103
29	June		80.3	109	113	180	144	2,163	1,830	80.4	62.1	108	107
30	July		80.0	108	110	180	144	2,162	1,829	80.1	61.4	108	108
31	August	82.3	79.6	107	109	178	143	2,143	1,778	80.8	63.5	114	119
32	September		79.2	108	110	184	151	2,136	1,762	80.4	63.0	127	139
33	October		78.6	108	110	187	159	2,135	1,767	79.8	63.6	130	140
34	November	81.1	76.4	107	109	190	159	2,134	1,766	79.9	63.9	132	143
35	December		75.9	107	109	188	157	2,127	1,748	79.5	64.0	133	143
36	1933 January		74.6	106	106	186	154	2,123	1,698	79.1	62.8	140	160
37	February	79.9	74.2	105	103	187	156	2,126	1,709	78.4	60.6	141	154
38	March		73.4	104	103	183	150	2,124	1,705	77.8	60.4	139	153
39	April		74.6	104	103	181	148	1,988	1,669	78.1	61.3	139	149
40	May	80.3	75.0	105	103	177	143	1,972	1,635	77.0	61.9	142	147
41	June		75.9	106	106	177	143	1,967	1,624	77.0	62.2	141	148
42	July		75.4	105	104	177	144	1,974	1,645	77.2	63.2	141	149
43	August	80.6	76.7	105	104	179	147	1,968	1,631	78.6	67.8	144	153
44	September		76.8	105	104	182	151	1,968	1,631	78.8	65.9	146	159
45	October		76.4	106	104	183	153	1,938	1,639	77.9	65.4	143	157
46	November	80.5	75.0	105	104	183	154	1,948	1,664	78.1	65.8	142	155
47	December		76.9	106	104	183	154	1,957	1,684	78.4	66.6	140	147
48	1934 January		76.7	106	104	181	150	1,962	1,698	78.2	67.7	136	139
49	February	80.9	77.1	105	102	178	147	1,974	1,729	78.7	69.4	135	138
50	March		77.4	105	101	174	141	1,960	1,694	79.9	72.9	136	140
51	April		79.1	105	101	171		1,902	1,661	79.4	71.0	137	141
52	May	81.8	79.8	104	100	168	132	1,895	1,644	78.5	68.6	139	143
53	June		77.7	105	102	169	134	1,892	1,639	78.2	67.6	141	144
54	July		77.9	104	100	170	137	1,903	1,666	78.4	68.4	142	145
55	August	81.7	78.9	104	100	176	143	1,893	1,641	78.7	69.3	141	145
56	September		79.1	105	101	176	143	1,896	1,648	79.0	68.8	143	153
57	October		80.5	105	101	178	149	1,829	1,668	79.3	69.4	138	150
58	November	82.0	79.5	105		179	150	1,837	1,678	79.4	69.9	143	150
59	December		79.4	105		175	144	1,836	1,677	79.0	69.3	147	160
60	1935 January		80.0	105		173	142	1,827	1,657	78.8	68.8	142	157
61	February		79.8	104		170	138	1,837	1,683	78.9	69.2	136	144
62	March	82.4	79.5	104		165	131	1,820	1,640	78.8	69.5	138	148
63	April		79.5	103		167	133	1,770	1,628	78.6	68.6	139	151
64	May	82.7	80.2	104		169	136	1,763	1,610	78.6	68.7	140	154
65	June		80.5	106		173	141	1,767	1,621	78.8	69.3	140	155
66	July		81.2	105		175	144	1,778	1,649	78.8	69.3	141	157
67	August	83.6	82.0	105		177	147	1,757	1,596	79.4	71.3	140	157
68	September		82.6	105		182	154	1,751	1,594	79.6	70.9	141	158
69	October		82.7	106		186	160	1,699	1,609	80.4	72.4	141	158
70	November	83.8	82.0	106		188	163	1,711	1,636	80.6	73.2	142	158
71	December		81.3	104		187	160	1,714	1,649	80.6	73.7	143	160

(a) Quarterly index. (b) December. (c) Gold index, since 1926, new series. (d) Middle of month. (e) Fifteenth of month. (f) Yearly figures 1921-1930=65 towns, 1931-32=67 towns; monthly figures 12 towns. (g) Recalculated on 1926 base. (h) First of month.



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China				Czechoslovakia		Danzig		Denmark		Dutch East Indies		Egypt		No.
Shanghai		Peiping		Prague		Danzig		100 Localities		Java and Madura		Cairo		
1926		1927		July, 1914		1913-1914		July, 1914		1913		Jan. 1913-July, 1914		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
				(a) 100	(a) 100			(a) 100	(a) 100	100	100			
												102	99	2
												121	123	3
												154	190	4
												189	216	5
												202	224	6
												237	281	7
												196	196	8
												176	172	9
												162	152	10
												161	148	11
												165	158	12
												160	158	13
												153	147	14
												148	152	15
												151	146	16
												148	141	17
												138	123	18
												132	112	19
												125	101	20
												127	110	21
												130	115	22

(a) July. (b) Middle of month. (c) Average for last seven months. (d) First of month.

TABLE LIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country	Estonia		Finland		France			Germany		Greece		Hungary	
	Localities	Tallinn		21 Towns		Paris	300 Towns		72 Towns		44 Towns		Budapest	
	Base Period	1913		Jan.-June 1914		July, 1914			1913-1914		1914		1913	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913	100	100			(a)100	(e)100	(e) (f) 100			(m) 100	100	100	100
2	1914													
3	1915													
4	1916													
5	1917													
6	1918							238						
7	1919							260						
8	1920							291						
9	1921	(a) 85	(a)104	1,171	1,254	342	371	386	(a) 1,065	(a) 1,252	351	351		
10	1922	(a) 91	(a) 98	1,139	1,143	296	301	317	(a) 1,250	(a) 1,491	398	393		
11	1923	(a)102	(a)115	1,147	1,079	334	332	349	(a)3,765,100	(a)4,651,000	1,181	1,213		
12	1924	(a) 94	(a)106	1,170	1,093	369	380	406	(k) 127-6	(k) 136-3	1,235	1,271	(n) 116	(n) 45
13	1925	107	118	1,212	1,147	400	425	450	139-8	147-8	1,414	1,455	108	128
14	1926	106	118	(d)154	(d)145	505	554	571	141-2	144-4	1,633	1,673	102	113
15	1927	105	112	158	146	514	556	559	147-6	151-9	1,790	1,843	111	125
16	1928	112	120	161	150	519	549	537	151-7	152-3	1,868	1,829	117	128
17	1929	117	126	160	147	556	(h)102	609	153-8	154-5	1,923	1,987	117	124
18	1930	104	103	147	127	581	100	609	147-3	142-9	1,682	1,719	106	105
19	1931	(b)100	(b) 91	135	113	569	99	605	135-9	127-6	(l)1,671	(l)1,576	101	96
20	1932	94	80	134	117	526	88	535	120-9	112-3	1,773	1,697	98	91
21	1933	88	77	131	117	520	83	501	118-5	109-9	1,904	1,857	91	81
22	1934	87	76	128	114	516	78	474	121-7	116-2	1,945	1,898	89	77
23	1935	88	77	130	119	482	69	417	123-0	120-4	1,961	1,930	91	81
24	1932 January..	(c) 95	(c) 81	137	120		(j) 91	(g) 546	124-5	116-1	1,643	1,538	99	92
25	February.....	96	81	136	119	534	91	546	122-3	113-9	1,631	1,526	98	90
26	March.....	97	83	136	119		90		122-4	114-4	1,657	1,560	98	90
27	April.....	97	83	134	116		91		121-7	113-4	1,697	1,594	97	90
28	May.....	96	81	133	114	535	90	536	121-1	112-7	1,748	1,654	99	93
29	June.....	95	80	131	114		87		121-4	113-4	1,830	1,777	99	93
30	July.....	96	83	132	116		85		121-5	113-8	1,811	1,748	98	92
31	August.....	94	80	133	117	517	85	531	120-3	111-8	1,822	1,764	99	94
32	September.....	93	79	133	116		85		119-5	110-5	1,840	1,782	99	93
33	October.....	91	77	133	117		85		119-0	109-6	1,856	1,797	98	92
34	November.....	90	76	135	120	516	86	526	118-8	109-5	1,864	1,802	96	88
35	December.....	89	75	133	119		86		118-4	109-0	1,878	1,822	95	87
36	1933 January..	88	75	132	117		86		117-4	107-3	1,914	1,873	95	87
37	February.....	87	74	131	115	523	86	517	116-9	106-5	1,908	1,863	94	86
38	March.....	88	75	130	114		85		116-6	106-2	1,897	1,845	93	86
39	April.....	86	73	130	113		85		116-6	106-3	1,883	1,825	93	85
40	May.....	86	74	130	113	516	83	491	118-2	109-5	1,887	1,837	92	84
41	June.....	85	74	129	115		81		118-8	110-7	1,886	1,841	92	84
42	July.....	89	77	131	118		80		118-7	110-5	1,886	1,837	90	79
43	August.....	92	81	132	120	516	79	491	118-4	110-2	1,905	1,871	90	78
44	September.....	91	81	132	120		82		119-0	111-1	1,903	1,870	89	77
45	October.....	89	77	132	121		83		119-8	112-3	1,907	1,855	87	74
46	November.....	89	78	131	119	526	83	504	120-4	113-4	1,915	1,855	87	72
47	December.....	90	79	129	115		84		120-9	114-2	1,950	1,917	88	74
48	1934 January..	89	78	127	111		83		120-9	114-1	1,949	1,899	88	75
49	February.....	89	79	126	110	526	84	493	120-7	113-8	1,947	1,901	89	76
50	March.....	89	78	128	113		81		120-6	113-5	1,923	1,865	88	76
51	April.....	89	79	127	111		79		120-6	113-7	1,923	1,869	89	76
52	May.....	89	79	127	111	522	79	471	120-3	113-3	1,911	1,852	91	80
53	June.....	88	77	126	111		78		121-5	115-5	1,916	1,859	90	80
54	July.....	88	77	126	112		76		122-9	117-8	1,910	1,850	89	77
55	August.....	86	75	129	115	511	77	470	123-3	118-5	1,921	1,866	90	78
56	September.....	85	73	129	116		74		122-5	116-7	1,943	1,899	89	78
57	October.....	84	72	130	118		76		122-0	119-3	1,993	1,962	89	78
58	November.....	85	72	133	123	504	75	461	122-3	119-5	1,952	1,905	88	76
59	December.....	85	72	131	120		74		122-2	119-1	1,955	1,912	88	76
60	1935 January..	86	74	130	119		73		122-4	119-4	1,965	1,928	88	76
61	February.....	87	77	129	117	494	73	436	122-5	119-5	1,949	1,908	89	77
62	March.....	87	76	128	116		71		122-2	118-8	1,939	1,894	89	78
63	April.....	87	76	128	116		69		122-3	119-0	1,937	1,892	89	78
64	May.....	86	75	127	114	490	69	413	122-8	120-2	1,948	1,908	89	78
65	June.....	85	73	128	116		68		123-0	120-6	1,934	1,877	90	80
66	July.....	87	76	130	119		67		124-3	122-9	1,937	1,888	93	85
67	August.....	87	76	132	122	469	65	405	124-5	123-2	1,945	1,903	94	85
68	September.....	88	77	132	121		66		123-4	120-9	1,955	1,924	93	84
69	October.....	93	83	133	124		68		122-8	119-6	1,983	1,976	93	84
70	November.....	94	83	133	123	478	70	415	122-9	119-9	1,989	1,975	93	85
71	December.....	94	83	132	122		72		123-4	120-9	1,996	1,982	93	85

(a) July. (b) Revised from May, 1931. (c) End of month. (d) Since date of stabilization gold index. (e) Prior to 1914: 13 commodities, including alcohol and petroleum: corresponding figures for 1929: Paris, 611; other towns, 583. (f) 300 towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, excluding Paris. Since 1929: 29 foodstuffs. (g) Monthly average. (h) Since 1929: 55 foodstuffs; base 1930. (i) Fifteenth of month. (j) Average of quarter. (k) Since 1924, new series in Reichsmark prices. (l) Prior to 1931: old series: 106 towns. (m) Prior to 1931, excluding clothing and rent. (n) December.

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India		Indo-China		Irish Free State		Italy				Japan	
Bombay		Saigon		105 Towns and Localities		Milan		50 Towns		Tokyo	
July, 1914		1925		July, 1914		Jan.-June 30, 1914		June, 1927		July, 1914	
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
(a) 100	(a) 100			100	100	100	100			(a) 100	(a) 100
(a) 104	(a) 105										
(a) 108	(a) 105										
(a) 118	(a) 114										
(a) 149	(a) 142										
(a) 186	(a) 187										
(a) 190	(a) 188										
(a) 173	(a) 169					541	559				
(a) 164	(a) 159			188	191	501	515				
(a) 154	(a) 149			184	188	494	499			236	257
(a) 157	(a) 151			186	190	527	528			221	228
(a) 155	(a) 150	100	100	190	193	611	622			221	233
(a) 155	(a) 152	99	99	185	179	654	655			218	236
(a) 154	(a) 151	103	103	175	170 (e)	588 (e)	559			199	217
(a) 147	(a) 144	106	104	174	169	530	517			189	211
(a) 149	(a) 146	113	112	176	169	545	543	92	94	184	202
(a) 137	(a) 134	121	117	171	160	530	519	91	96	181	203
(a) 110	(a) 102	105	92	161	147	485	452	82	79	155	173
(a) 109	(a) 102	92	76	157	141	468	431	78	74	136	151
(a) 102	(a) 95	85	69	151	131	449		75	70	137	158
(a) 97	(a) 87	78	60	152	135	430		75	70	146	161
(a) 101	(a) 93	78	64	155	140			71	67	149	164
(b)	(b)	(c)	(c)	(d)	(d)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(d)	(d)
110	103			162	151	470	431	79	75	139	164
110	102	96	81			470	433	79	75	139	162
111	103					478	446	80	76	136	157
108	99					481	450	80	77	135	155
107	99	94	78	159	144	474	442	79	77	134	155
107	99					472	438	79	76	132	151
109	102					465	427	78	74	130	149
109	102	91	74	153	134	456	411	76	71	132	152
109	101					455	410	76	71	138	159
109	102					462	423	77	72	140	160
110	103	89	71	155	135	465	428	77	73	142	161
110	103					468	434	77	74	146	166
109	101					463	426	77	74	148	167
106	98	87	71	151	130	461	423	76	73	146	162
106	98					458	417	76	72	144	159
101	93					451	405	75	70	144	159
100	91	86	70	148	126	444	398	75	70	143	159
104	95					447	403	75	70	142	156
103	95					447	402	74	70	143	158
103	94	86	71	149	129	440	391	74	68	144	160
102	94					446	402	74	69	147	161
100	91					448	405	74	69	148	162
101	92	82	63	156	140	445		74	69	149	165
98	88					450		74	69	149	164
96	86					457		75	71	147	162
96	85	80	62	152	133	450		74	70	148	164
94	84					448		74	69	149	166
93	83					447		74	69	149	166
94	83	78	60	149	129	424		70	66	149	166
95	85					419		69	65	148	162
97	87					420		69	65	147	161
97	87	77	59	152	134	415		69	65	148	162
100	90					416		69	65	149	163
100	91					418		69	65	150	164
101	92	78	61	157	143	421		70	66	149	164
99	90					424		70	67	150	166
98	88					421		70	66	151	168
99	90	73	61	153	136	423		70	67	151	169
98	89					423		70	67	150	166
98	88					425		71	68	149	165
100	90	69	59	151	132	426		71	69	150	166
101	92					430		72	69	148	163
103	94	70	61	156	140			72	70	150	165
103	94							72	69	152	172
103	94							72	70	154	177
104	96	77	65	162	150					154	175
105	96									155	175
										156	177

(a) July. (b) Average from sixteenth of current month to fifteenth of following month. (c) Average of quarter. Fifteenth of month. (e) Since 1927, new series.



TABLE LIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country		Latvia		Lithuania		Luxemburg		Netherlands		New Zealand		Norway	
	Localities		Riga		84 Towns		9 Towns		Amsterdam		25 Towns		31 Towns	
	Base Period		1930		1913		Jan.-June, 1914		1911-1913		1926-1930		July, 1914	
	Nature of Index		Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913				100	100					(d) 62.8	(d) 70.3	(d) 100	(d) 100
2	1914										67.6	80.3		
3	1915										72.4	85.7		
4	1916										78.6	92.0		
5	1917										85.0	98.5		
6	1918										91.2	102.7		
7	1919										101.9	116.5	300	319
8	1920								202	217	103.4	113.4	277	295
9	1921										95.2	95.8	231	251
10	1922						374	348	182	184	95.2	95.8	218	217
11	1923				110		442	415	174	171	95.9	96.5	218	217
12	1924				136		497	470	177	176	98.4	100.5	239	250
13	1925				151		520	492	179	176	100.4	103.0	243	255
14	1926				141	146	616	597	(b) 168	(b) 161	101.0	102.6	206	197
15	1927				141	145	776	746	168	163	100.1	98.3	186	168
16	1928				137	144	811	758	169	166	100.6	100.4	(f) 173	155
17	1929				134	142	871	807	168	162	100.4	101.3	166	152
18	1930		100	100	115	117	886	809	161	150	98.1	97.4	161	139
19	1931		91	89	105	102	783	685	151	136	90.6	84.4	153	134
20	1932		79	75	88	85	686	553	141	119	83.8	77.5	149	131
21	1933		76		75		686		139	119	79.5	73.2	147	131
22	1934		72		70		661		140	120	80.8	77.4	148	132
23	1935				61		648		136	114	83.6	83.5	151	137
24	1932 January				95	92	(a) 726	(a) 595	(c) 141	(c) 119	(e) 82.7	(e) 82.7	(g) 150	131
25	February		79	69	93	90	701	591			87.5	81.0	150	131
26	March		78	68	94	93	698	560	141	119		79.2	150	131
27	April		79	70	93	89	684	542				79.7	150	131
28	May		77	78	93	90	681	541			83.9	78.7	149	131
29	June		80	83	90	87	665	520	141	119		76.1	149	131
30	July		81	84	87	86	679	542				76.1	149	131
31	August		79	81	86	84	679	545			82.1	75.8	149	131
32	September		77	78	83	79	675	543	141	120		76.5	149	131
33	October		84	82	81	76	689	568				74.5	149	131
34	November		79	74	81	77	699	573			81.1	71.3	148	131
35	December		75	68	80	77	694	571	140	119		71.3	148	131
36	1933 January		70	61	78	75	699	576				70.7	147	131
37	February		71	64	78	75	695	570			79.7	72.7	147	131
38	March		73	66	76	73	680	550	138	116		71.2	147	131
39	April		74	69	76	71	678	550				71.4	147	131
40	May		75	79	75	70	671	542			79.6	72.7	147	131
41	June		78	83	76	71	684	561	137	117		72.3	147	131
42	July		80	86	78	72	680	567				73.2	148	131
43	August		78	82	76	70	698	584			79.6	74.1	148	131
44	September		76	79	73	68	686	569	140	119		74.6	148	131
45	October		83	83	72	68	685	570				75.3	147	131
46	November		79		73	70	686	568			80.0	75.1	147	131
47	December		72		73		685		143	125		75.0	146	12
48	1934 January		68		73		678				79.9	75.0	145	12
49	February		70		75		665				80.4	76.3	145	12
50	March		70		76		653		142	122	80.6	76.9	145	12
51	April		71		75		645				80.9	77.7	147	13
52	May		72		73		646				81.2	78.0	147	13
53	June		77		73		649		140	120	80.9	77.8	148	13
54	July		76		72		653				81.1	78.0	148	13
55	August		71		69		662				80.7	77.4	150	13
56	September		70		66		663		140	120	80.6	77.1	149	13
57	October		78		66		666				80.6	77.1	149	13
58	November		74		65		662				81.0	78.0	149	13
59	December		69		64		650		139	118	81.4	79.2	149	13
60	1935 January		67		63		655				81.8	79.8	148	13
61	February		69		63		646				82.6	82.1	149	13
62	March		68		62		635		137	114	82.7	81.9	149	13
63	April		71		62		630				82.9	82.4	149	13
64	May				61		636				83.3	82.9	150	13
65	June				60		646		136	116	83.6	83.6	150	14
66	July				59		651				83.2	82.6	151	14
67	August				59		652				83.6	82.8	152	14
68	September				59		657		136	113	83.9	83.7	152	14
69	October				59		662				85.3	87.4	153	14
70	November				60		659				85.1	87.3	153	14
71	December				60		653		137	115	84.5	85.5	153	14

(a) First of following month. (b) Since March 1926, new series. (c) First of following month. (d) July. (e) Middle month. (f) New method of calculation since 1928. (g) Fifteenth of month.

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Palestine	Peru	Poland	Portugal	Roumania	Saar Territory	No.
3 Towns	Lima	Warsaw	Entire Country	20 Towns	Sarrebruck	
January, 1922	1913	1928	June, 1914	1913	July, 1914	
Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
100	100			100	100	1
104	107		(e) 1,000		(h) 100	2
112	115					3
123	123					4
142	145					5
164	162					6
188	188					7
210	208					8
199	183			(f) 1,305		9
88.2	190			1,708		10
76.6	180			2,500		11
79.4	187			2,985		12
83.8	200			3,250	(438)	13
82.1	201	(c)		3,552		14
77.4	194	99.5		3,855	581	15
73.7	181	100.0		3,964	594	16
69.4	177	101.4	(e)	4,244	600	17
61.4	169	94.4	83.7	(4,206)	620	18
55.3	158	85.9	73.9	(g) 3,004	(g) (4,046)	19
56.6	151	143	78.2	2,796	582	20
54.9	148	139	71.2	2,512	536	21
55.1	150	148	66.5	2,319	515	22
54.7	152	147	63.9	2,235	511	23
	(a)		49.9	2,552	2,439	24
59.8	152	143		(a) 1,914	(d) 2,723	25
58.9	151	142		1,917	2,488	26
56.9	150	144		1,919	2,453	27
56.5	150	144		1,920	2,455	28
55.2	150	143		1,951	2,597	29
55.6	152	144		1,927	2,574	30
54.1	153	146		1,904	1,908	31
54.8	152	144		1,918	1,915	32
55.1	152	145		1,920	1,916	33
57.1	152	140		1,967	1,967	34
59.7	151	142	(d)	1,971	1,950	35
56.1	150	137	72.8	2,080	2,087	36
			57.0	2,000	2,002	37
57.8	147	136	72.2	1,962	1,923	38
54.0	145	131	72.5	1,931	1,929	39
55.1	145	135	73.0	1,931	1,929	40
53.9	145	134	73.0	1,914	1,915	41
52.0	147	134	72.4	1,916	1,916	42
53.1	149	138	71.8	1,919	1,918	43
54.8	151	141	72.3	1,932	1,935	44
53.4	153	147	68.9	2,036	2,031	45
54.7	150	142	69.7	1,958	1,961	46
55.7	(b) 151	145	69.6	1,962	2,232	47
56.0	149	141	69.5	1,958	2,281	48
57.7	148	140	69.9	1,956	2,283	49
					2,120	50
53.6	147	142	68.7	1,932	2,257	51
55.9	146	142	68.9	1,925	2,254	52
54.2	148	145	68.3	1,926	2,250	53
54.5	148	145	68.5	1,935	2,206	54
53.4	149	145	66.7	1,943	2,209	55
53.7	151	149	65.8	1,942	2,214	56
54.7	150	148	65.9	1,905	2,217	57
55.2	154	155	66.4	1,965	2,222	58
56.9	152	151	65.7	2,042	2,226	59
55.7	152	152	65.6	2,089	2,226	60
57.1	154	153	64.2	2,023	2,263	61
56.4	150	146	63.5	1,985	2,271	62
					2,151	63
55.7	150	143	63.6	1,986	2,401	64
56.0	151	145	62.9	1,965	2,471	65
54.1	152	148	62.5	1,962	2,530	66
54.2	151	145	62.4	1,966	2,556	67
53.9	152	148	63.0	1,975	2,594	68
54.0	153	148	63.8	1,973	2,550	69
54.6	152	147	65.7	1,989	2,524	70
54.2	153	149	65.1	1,971	2,540	71
54.4	152	146	65.6	2,005	2,546	72
54.9	153	147	65.8	2,014	2,550	73
54.9	155	151	65.4	1,951	2,546	74
55.1	155	150	61.1	1,992	2,818	75

(a) Middle of month. (b) Since Oct., 1933, including heating. (c) New series. (d) Last week of month. (e) June, 1921-1929: 71 towns, excluding rent. (g) Since 1931 new method of calculation. (h) July.

TABLE LIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1935—Concluded

Country	South Africa		Spain		Sweden		Switzerland		Turkey		United Kingdom		United States		Yugoslavia	
Localities	9 Towns		Madrid		49 Towns		34 Towns		Istanbul		630 Towns		51-173 Localities		3 Towns	
Base Period	1914		1914		July, 1914		June, 1914		1914		July, 1914		1923		July, 1914	
Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1913																
1914	100	100	100	100	(b)100	(b)100	(e)100	(e)100	1,000	1,000	100	100			68.4	b)1,000
1915	105	107	108												70.0	b)1,000
1916	112	111	116												69.3	b)1,000
1917	122	124	126												77.7	b)1,000
1918	131	125	154		(b)219	(b)258	204	223			218				100.1	b)1,000
1919	145	136	174		(b)257	(b)318	222	244			217				115.1	b)1,000
1920	179	178	190	192	(b)270	(b)287	224	242			249	256			127.2	b)1,000
1921	162	145	189	184	(b)236	(b)231	200	213			226	230	102.7		139.1	b)1,000
1922	135	119	181	177	(b)190	(b)178	164	163			183	176	97.3		104.8	b)1,000
1923	131	117	177	174	(b)174	(b)158	164	165			174	169	100.0		96.8	b)1,000
1924	133	120	184	188	(b)171	(b)155	169	172			175	170	101.5		100.0	b)1,000
1925	133	120	189	195	(b)176	(b)168	168	169			176	171	103.8		99.8	b)1,000
1926	131	118	187	191	(b)172	(b)156	162	160			172	164	103.8		107.7	b)1,000
1927	131	118	189	196	(b)169	(b)148	160	158			168	160	101.6		109.8	b)1,000
1928	131	117	176	178	(b)173	(b)156	161	157			166	157	100.4		106.4	b)1,000
1929	131	115	181	185	(b)169	(b)148	161	156	1,381	1,555	164	154	100.0		105.6	b)1,000
1930	128	110	187	194	(b)164	(b)138	158	152	1,272	1,292	158	145	96.2		1,819	b)1,000
1931	123	105	196	205	(b)158	(b)127	150	141	2,023	1,114	147	131	86.7		1,664	b)1,000
1932	118	96	187	192	(b)156	(b)124	138	126	1,172	1,030	143	126	77.7		1,523	b)1,000
1933	115	99	181		(b)153	(b)120	131	117	1,047	924	140	120	74.8		1,374	b)1,000
1934	116	104	186		(b)155	(b)123	129	115	1,031	912	141	122	79.4		1,189	b)1,000
1935	116	102			(b)156	(b)129	128	114	957	892	143	124	83.1		75.9	b)1,000
			(a)	(a)	(d)	(d)	(f)	(f)			(g)	(g)	(a)	(a)	(c)	(c)
1932 Jan...	120	99	197	207			144	132	1,203	1,067	147	131	81.4		74.8	1,441
Feb...	120	99	197	207			142	129	1,205	1,080	147	131	80.1		72.1	1,430
Mar...	119	99	193	202	157	125	142	128	1,200	1,092	146	129	79.6		71.9	1,427
April...	119	99	197	203			140	123	1,182	1,059	144	126	78.8		71.0	1,409
May...	119	98	184	188			139	126	1,181	1,084	143	125	77.9		69.3	1,383
June...	118	96	179	184	156	124	138	125	1,196	1,115	142	123	77.2		68.5	1,369
July...	117	94	179	183			138	124	1,168	1,037	143	125	77.0		69.1	1,315
Aug...	117	93	178	182			137	123	1,143	958	141	123	76.8		69.0	1,324
Sept...	116	93	180	185	156	125	136	122	1,132	931	141	123	76.6		68.7	1,367
Oct...	116	93	184	190			136	123	1,151	978	143	125	76.1		68.7	1,366
Nov...	116	93	186	192			135	122	1,159	1,000	143	125	75.6		68.0	1,379
Dec...	115	93	179	183	154	123	134	120	1,142	958	143	125	75.1		67.6	1,293
1933 Jan...	112	93	177	180			133	118	1,094	955	142	123	73.7		64.9	1,283
Feb...	113	94	181	185			133	117	1,089	955	141	122	72.1		62.2	1,265
Mar...	113	95	184	185	153	119	132	116	1,061	881	139	119	71.8		61.9	1,256
April...	114	97	180	181			131	116	1,045	854	137	115	71.5		61.9	1,247
May...	114	98	178	178			130	116	1,046	852	136	114	72.1		64.1	1,237
June...	115	99	179	185	153	120	131	116	1,038	835	136	114	72.8		66.2	1,202
July...	114	98	180	181			131	116	1,020	795	138	118	75.2		71.7	1,153
Aug...	114	97	180				131	116	1,022	803	139	119	76.9		73.0	1,137
Sept...	115	99	183		154	123	131	117	1,027	812	141	122	77.9		73.2	1,123
Oct...	116	103	185				131	117	1,037	807	141	123	78.0		73.4	1,110
Nov...	117	105	189				131	117	1,035	803	143	126	77.8		73.0	1,118
Dec...	117	105	179		153	120	131	117	1,033	837	143	126	77.3		71.7	1,138
1934 Jan...	116	104	183				131	117	1,087	904	142	124	77.5		72.0	1,128
Feb...	116	104	187				131	116	1,074	913	141	122	78.3		74.1	1,126
Mar...	116	104	186		153	120	130	115	1,059	901	140	120	78.5		74.3	1,139
April...	117	105	186				130	115	1,057	900	139	118	78.4		73.5	1,134
May...	117	106	183				129	115	1,051	906	137	116	78.6		74.1	1,135
June...	116	104	181		155	123	129	115	1,028	920	138	117	78.8		74.5	1,105
July...	116	103	181				129	115	1,031	924	141	122	79.1		75.2	1,088
Aug...	116	104	183		155	125	129	114	1,026	906	142	123	79.6		76.5	1,073
Sept...	116	103	181				129	114	988	925	143	126	81.0		79.9	1,073
Oct...	116	104	186				129	114	997	947	143	125	80.9		79.1	1,070
Nov...	116	103	189				129	115	993	908	144	127	80.8		78.8	1,081
Dec...	116	102	184		155	124	129	114	986	887	144	127	80.8		78.4	1,090
1935 Jan...	116	102	184				128	113	975	903	143	125	81.6		81.1	1,103
Feb...	116	102	187				127	112	965	895	142	124	82.4		83.5	1,098
Mar...	116	102	183		156	126	127	112	953	876	141	122	82.4		83.3	1,098
April...	116	103	188				127	111	946	874	139	119	83.2		85.4	1,104
May...	116	103	179				126	111	955	898	139	118	82.9		85.1	1,112
June...	116	104	170		156	129	127	113	951	900	140	120	82.7		84.2	1,090
July...	116	102	176				128	115	938	863	143	126	82.6		83.3	1,090
Aug...	115	100					129	116	933	850	143	126	83.0		83.7	1,090
Sept...	115	100			157	131	129	116	934	852	143	125	83.5		84.8	1,090
Oct...	115	100					129	117	955	892	145	128	83.9		85.2	1,090
Nov...	115	101					130	118	980	931	147	131	84.3		86.1	1,090
Dec...	115	101			158		130	118	997	971	147	131	84.8		87.2	1,090

(a) Middle of month. (b) July. (c) First of following month. (d) New method of calculation since 1932. (e) June. (f) End of month. (g) First of month.



## APPENDIX A

## CANADIAN FARM EXPENDITURES, 1934

The data presented in the following tables for Quebec, Ontario, Saskatchewan, and Alberta have been compiled from replies made to a Dominion-wide survey of farm expenditures for the calendar year 1934. All purchases, credit as well as cash, are represented in the tabular averages shown. This information was collected to serve as the basis of a weighting system for a price index number series for farm purchases. Consequently, emphasis has been placed upon goods and services suitable for use in constructing such an index, and some items usually listed separately in farm surveys were included only in group aggregates, while a few have been omitted altogether. It is estimated that totals shown for living and operating costs comprise about 90 p.c. of a complete list of expenditures, exclusive of debt charges such as mortgage interest. These latter commonly averaged about \$300 per farm in western provinces, and between \$100 and \$200 in the east.

The records were obtained from farm crop correspondents of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics through the mail. Although largely estimation, they represent the judgment of men accustomed to filling in statistical returns, and tests based on frequency distributions indicate that averages formed from these returns are significant. In most cases figures showed a point of marked concentration, although distributions were not always normal. For goods representing capital costs there was a tendency towards abnormal concentration in the smallest expenditure ranges.

Since 1934 was a year in which incomes were unusually low, estimates were requested for expenditures on such items as clothing, farm equipment, etc., that are postponed as long as possible under such conditions. These supplementary estimates applied to an earlier year, presumably the 1927-1929 period when incomes might be considered as "normal". As may be observed, "normal" expenditures, particularly for farm equipment were much larger than those for 1934. The "normal" estimates are admittedly less accurate than those for 1934, but frequency distribution tests revealed a reasonable degree of consistency which indicated "normal" averages to be a useful supplement to the 1934 data, and a guide to more typical expenditures.

Although results being currently issued are only partial, and no systematic analysis is appended, comments upon a few salient features may facilitate examination of these data. Living expenditures were of course quite different from those appearing in an ordinary urban budget. The aggregate amounts which ranged from \$485 for Quebec to \$608 for Alberta were materially lower than the average wage of approximately \$800 for industrial workers. However, against this disparity must be placed the value of foods produced on the farm and of the rental equivalent of the house in which the family lived. No reckoning of the latter has been attempted, but data given on the schedules indicated that the value of foods supplied would be almost double that of the amount purchased, if reckoned at prevailing retail prices. In other words, average food expenditures would run well over \$400 per year instead of between \$140 and \$160. Despite the large proportion of food furnished, the ratio of food expenditures to total living expenses ranging from 27 p.c. to 30 p.c. was only a little below similar ratios for urban workers' budgets of which foods account for between 30 p.c. and 35 p.c. of the total. Conversely, the proportion farm families spent on clothing, which centred around 23 p.c., was moderately higher than in city budgets, and so too was the proportion of fuel expenses despite large quantities of wood cut from home properties. Percentages of family expenditures on health maintenance, household equipment and sundries were materially higher than similar proportions in urban budgets, though the actual amounts were probably less.

Provincial averages offer marked contrasts in some cases, which require careful interpretation. Alberta living and operating costs, for example, were the highest of any of the four provinces, yet Quebec families were largest by an average of more than three persons, and Saskatchewan farm acreage was greatest by more than fifty acres. Price levels, living standards, and economic well-being are so closely interrelated in the explanation of these facts that generalization on them would be unwise. However, comparisons of different tables shown will reveal clues

which may lead to useful conclusions. The proportion of foods and fuel furnished and purchased, as well as the comparison of 1934 averages with "normal" averages are particularly significant for this purpose. Thus, Saskatchewan "normal" operating costs are higher in the aggregate than those for Alberta, pointing to a condition of severe stringency in the former province. This is emphasized by reference to the table of foods furnished and purchased which show proportions furnished to be materially higher for western than for the eastern provinces despite greater diversification in the latter area with its consequent possibilities for a higher degree of self sufficiency.

TABLE LV—POPULATION AND SIZE OF FARMS, 1934

Item	Quebec	Ontario	Saskatchewan	Alberta
Number of reports used.....	384	512	639	523
Average number of persons per farm.....	8.42	5.01	5.74	5.32
Average number of adults per farm.....	4.57	3.41	3.51	3.31
Average number of children per farm.....	3.85	1.60	2.23	2.01
Average area per farm in acres.....	153	153	604	546

TABLE LVI AVERAGE LIVING AND OPERATING COSTS, 1934

(Showing percentage distribution)

Description	Average Living and Operating Costs in 1934				Percentage Distribution			
Item	Quebec	Ontario	Saskatchewan	Alberta	Quebec	Ontario	Saskatchewan	Alberta
	\$	\$	\$	\$	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.
<b>Total Living Cost.....</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Food.....	138	155	159	163	28.4	29.2	29.9	26.8
Clothing.....	128	122	119	141	26.4	23.0	22.4	23.2
Household equipment.....	44	52	47	64	9.1	9.8	8.8	10.5
Fuel.....	25	47	58	59	5.2	8.8	10.9	9.7
Health.....	41	47	46	64	8.4	8.9	8.6	10.5
Miscellaneous.....	109	108	103	117	22.5	20.3	19.4	19.3
<b>Total Operating Costs.....</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>835</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Implements and machinery....	45	64	123	146	10.0	8.3	16.8	17.5
Tools.....	4	7	7	12	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.4
Feed.....	65	101	99	65	14.4	13.2	13.5	7.8
Seed grain.....	25	76	72	43	5.5	9.9	9.9	5.1
Fertilizer.....	28	21	2	4	6.2	2.7	0.3	0.5
Live stock purchased.....	32	82	27	45	7.1	10.7	3.7	5.4
Gasolene.....	22	46	64	97	4.8	6.0	8.8	11.6
Kerosene.....	3	8	41	23	0.7	1.0	5.6	2.8
Automobile maintenance.....	27	45	28	52	6.0	5.9	3.8	6.2
Wages.....	69	118	84	145	15.3	15.4	11.5	17.4
Taxes.....	55	110	136	121	12.2	14.3	18.6	14.5
Insurance—property.....	5	7	5	6	1.1	0.9	0.7	0.7
fire.....	10	20	12	12	2.2	2.6	1.6	1.4
Lumber.....	12	12	13	33	2.6	1.6	1.8	4.0
Repairs on buildings.....	38	36	7	12	8.4	4.7	1.0	1.4
Fencing.....	12	15	10	19	2.6	1.9	1.4	2.3
<b>Grand Total.....</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>1,299</b>	<b>1,262</b>	<b>1,443</b>				

TABLE LVII—COMPARISON OF 1934 EXPENDITURES WITH THOSE OF A  
"NORMAL" YEAR<sup>(1)</sup>

Description	Quebec		Ontario		Saskatchewan		Alberta	
	1934	"Normal"	1934	"Normal"	1934	"Normal"	1934	"Normal"
Number of farms	384		386		639		523	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Living Costs—</b>								
Clothing.....	128	197	122	164	119	248	141	261
Household equipment.....	44	74	56	84	47	140	64	141
Fuel.....	25	37	50	67	58	86	59	81
<b>Operating Costs—</b>								
Implements and machinery.....	45	88	63	146	123	500	146	280
Tools.....	4	8	8	12	7	20	12	25
Feed.....	65	73	110	120	99	63	65	60
Seed.....	25	31	96	82	72	57	43	54
Fertilizer.....	28	30	22	29	2	3	4	3
Live stock purchased.....	32	42	90	143	27	60	45	87
Gasoline.....	22	20	48	52	64	136	97	140
Kerosene.....	3	3	9	10	41	68	23	38
Automobile maintenance.....	27	37	46	58	28	99	52	116
Wages.....	69	89	129	166	84	320	145	306
Taxes.....	55	108	110	121	136	221	121	149
Insurance—property.....	5	5	6	6	5	15	6	9
fire.....	10	9	22	19	12	21	12	15
Lumber.....	12	15	14	17	13	82	33	93
Repairs on buildings.....	38	45	42	53	7	49	12	42
Fencing.....	12	20	15	28	10	41	19	37

<sup>(1)</sup> "Normal" refers to one of the years immediately preceding the sharp decline in farm prices, presumably in the period 1927-1929.

TABLE LVIII—AVERAGE OPERATING COSTS PER FARM REPORTING, 1934<sup>(2)</sup>

Item	Quebec		Ontario		Saskatchewan		Alberta	
	Number of farms	Average per farm	Number of farms	Average per farm	Number of farms	Average per farm	Number of farms	Average per farm
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
Implements and machinery.....	187	93	254	182	278	283	331	228
Tools.....	251	7	360	10	409	10	392	16
Feed.....	261	97	414	125	397	159	318	107
Seed.....	294	33	299	130	410	112	289	77
Fertilizer.....	227	48	193	54	18	69	28	68
Live stock purchased.....	156	80	261	161	237	73	241	98
Gasoline.....	263	32	399	59	487	83	413	123
Kerosene.....	119	10	226	17	355	74	240	50
Automobile maintenance.....	105	99	375	62	339	52	346	79
Wages.....	252	105	376	160	397	135	392	193
Taxes.....	376	56	511	110	622	139	523	121
Insurance—property.....	109	19	180	21	95	32	95	30
fire.....	114	33	393	26	354	22	264	23
Lumber.....	94	48	190	32	286	29	332	51
Repairs on buildings.....	256	57	323	57	218	20	231	26
Fencing.....	241	19	314	24	323	19	365	27

<sup>(2)</sup> This table is a supplement to Table LVII. It will be noted that averages per farm reporting differ materially in some cases from the averages for all farms, because for a large proportion of these farms no expenditures were made.

TABLE LIX—VALUE RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN FOODS FURNISHED  
AND PURCHASED, 1934

Item	Quebec		Ontario		Saskatchewan		Alberta	
	Furnished	Purchased	Furnished	Purchased	Furnished	Purchased	Furnished	Purchased
	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.	p.c.
Meats.....	78.5	21.5	72.0	28.0	90.9	9.1	87.0	13.0
Butter and cheese.....	74.0	26.0	64.0	36.0	90.5	9.5	89.0	11.0
Grain.....	23.4	76.6	21.0	79.0	26.9	73.1	43.0	57.0
Feed goods.....	69.6	30.4	21.0	79.0	6.3	93.7	10.0	90.0
Barley.....	5.3	94.7	.....	100.0	.....	100.0	.....	100.0
Wheat and coffee.....	.....	100.0	.....	100.0	.....	100.0	.....	100.0
Cellulose.....	0.4	99.6	1.0	99.0	0.2	99.8	1.0	99.0
Total.....	58.6	41.4	51.5	48.5	63.0	37.0	64.0	36.0



TABLE LX—AVERAGE CONSUMPTION OF SPECIFIED FOOD ITEMS,  
FURNISHED FROM THE FARM AND PURCHASED, 1934

Item	Unit of Consumption	Average Quantities							
		Quebec		Ontario		Saskatchewan		Alberta	
		Furnished	Purchased	Furnished	Purchased	Furnished	Purchased	Furnished	Purchased
Beef.....	pound	272	77	192	125	464	59	451	83
Pork.....	"	337	62	222	32	266	14	247	15
Bacon.....	"	10	5	21	10	73	5	66	10
Lard.....	"	35	47	25	26	42	14	42	16
Butter.....	"	138	40	128	54	205	13	181	13
Cheese.....	"	4	11	4	24	10	10	10	13
Flour.....	"	249	818	159	587	318	861	458	608
Rolled oats.....	"	.....	63	.....	85	.....	110	.....	98
Rice.....	"	.....	43	.....	10	.....	18	.....	24
Canned tomatoes.....	can	26	17	4	13	1	23	1	33
Canned peas.....	"	2	2	1	8	1	6	2	7
Canned corn.....	"	9	4	1	7	1	7	1	8
Canned peaches.....	"	.....	1	.....	1	.....	2	.....	2
Jam.....	pound	26	5	3	5	3	37	7	39
Prunes.....	"	.....	5	.....	8	.....	20	.....	24
Raisins.....	"	.....	11	.....	19	.....	23	.....	25
Currants.....	"	.....	3	.....	5	.....	8	.....	7
Sugar.....	"	21	374	.....	365	.....	372	.....	339
Coffee.....	"	.....	6	.....	8	.....	18	.....	21
Tea.....	"	.....	12	.....	15	.....	17	.....	15
Vinegar.....	quart	.....	11	1	12	.....	11	.....	11

TABLE LXI AVERAGE QUANTITIES OF CLOTHING PURCHASED IN 1934 AND IN  
A "NORMAL" YEAR<sup>(1)</sup>

Item	Quebec		Ontario		Saskatchewan		Alberta	
	1934	"Normal"	1934	"Normal"	1934	"Normal"	1934	"Normal"
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Men's Clothing—								
Overcoats.....	0.9	1.5	0.5	0.8	0.4	1.5	0.5	1.2
Suits.....	1.1	1.7	0.8	1.0	0.5	1.7	0.7	1.4
Sweaters.....	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.3	2.4	1.4	0.3
Overalls.....	3.1	3.4	3.5	3.0	4.9	6.0	5.0	5.2
Socks, pairs.....	4.6	4.9	7.6	6.8	9.9	12.8	11.0	11.7
Underwear.....	4.3	4.8	3.4	2.9	4.4	6.3	4.6	5.4
Pyjamas.....	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.6	1.5	0.9	1.4
Shirts.....	5.4	6.8	5.8	5.1	6.1	8.3	6.5	7.4
Mitts, pairs.....	3.7	4.1	3.8	3.2	3.5	4.5	3.6	3.4
Caps.....	2.1	2.6	1.5	1.5	2.0	3.3	2.0	2.6
Boots, pairs.....	5.3	5.6	3.4	3.0	4.3	5.7	4.2	4.8
Women's Clothing—								
Topcoats.....	1.1	1.5	0.7	1.0	0.5	1.6	0.7	1.3
House dresses.....	4.0	4.4	3.3	3.2	4.2	6.3	4.1	5.2
Sweaters.....	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.1	0.8	2.0	0.9	1.5
Skirts.....	1.3	1.7	1.2	2.4	1.1	2.1	1.2	1.8
Hats.....	2.5	3.0	1.9	1.9	1.3	2.8	1.5	2.2
Stockings, pairs.....	6.2	6.9	6.8	6.2	7.1	10.2	7.9	9.3
Pyjamas.....	0.6	0.7	1.1	1.1	1.1	2.1	1.1	1.5
Vests.....	3.5	4.0	2.5	2.6	2.5	4.1	2.7	3.4
Bloomers.....	4.3	4.7	3.7	3.5	4.4	6.5	4.6	5.4
Slips.....	2.4	2.8	2.1	2.1	1.9	3.4	2.1	2.7
Aprons.....	5.1	5.4	3.6	3.4	3.0	4.9	3.4	4.2
Gloves, pairs.....	2.1	2.6	1.7	1.8	1.5	2.9	1.7	2.4
Shoes, pairs.....	4.0	4.5	3.3	3.2	3.8	5.4	3.7	4.3
Overshoes, pairs.....	0.1	0.2	1.7	1.0	1.4	2.3	1.3	1.8
Piece goods, yards.....	17.0	18.7	27.0	26.6	22.1	35.9	23.9	28.7

<sup>(1)</sup> See footnote Table LVII.

TABLE LXII—AVERAGE FUEL CONSUMPTION AND ESTIMATED CASH COST, 1934

Item	Unit of measurement	Quebec		Ontario		Saskatchewan		Alberta	
		Average consumption	Estimated cash cost	Average consumption	Estimated cash cost	Average consumption	Estimated cash cost	Average consumption	Estimated cash cost
			\$		\$		\$		\$
Wood cut from farm....	cord	34.4	.....	17.7	.....	6	.....	10	.....
Wood bought.....	"	2.1	5	3.4	9	4	10	2	13
Coal bought.....	ton	0.2	3	1.1	15	7	35	6	33
Kerosene bought.....	gal.	14.4	3	24.5	6	29	8	21	6
Electricity bought.....			14		17		5		7
Total cash cost.....			25		47		58		59

TABLE LXIII—AVERAGE EXPENDITURE ON HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT, HEALTH AND MISCELLANEOUS LIVING REQUIREMENTS, 1934

Item	Quebec	Ontario	Saskatchewan	Alberta
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Furnishings.....	12	15	10	21
Housekeeping equipment.....	32	37	37	43
Doctors' fees.....	20	27	25	34
Dentists' fees.....	7	11	10	13
Hospital bills.....	14	9	11	17
Life insurance.....	44	53	50	51
Newspapers and magazines.....	7	9	6	8
Educational expenses.....	43	27	30	38
Tobacco.....	9	7	8	11
Telephone.....	6	12	9	9
Total.....	194	207	196	245

## APPENDIX B

INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL  
EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

## DESCRIPTION AND CONSTRUCTION PROCEDURE

Wholesale price index numbers of principal imports and exports have been constructed annually from 1913 to 1933 inclusive, and monthly since that time. Beginning January 1936 they appear in the monthly bulletin Prices and Price Indexes. As already noted, composite average indexes for imports and exports have been computed from eight component groups for which separate index numbers are shown. These groups include the following numbers of commodities and price series:

Group	EXPORTS		IMPORTS	
	Commodities	Price Series	Commodities	Price Series
Vegetable Products.....	17	21	25	36
Animal Products.....	23	32	9	9
Textiles.....	2	3	12	15
Wood Products.....	12	13		
Iron and Its Products.....	4	5	8	8
Non-Ferrous Metals.....	6	8	2	2
Non-Metallic Minerals.....	2	3	9	14
Chemicals and Allied Products.....	4	4	11	11
Total.....	70	89	76	95

For years prior to 1926, 50 export and 55 import price series were utilized.

Weights have been applied to each commodity which are proportionate to the physical quantity imported or exported during the years 1926-1931 inclusive. In addition, sub-group and group weights have been used to offset unequal representation. These weights which are proportional to the value of commodity groups imported and exported in the years 1926-1931 have been reduced to percentage form before being applied to group index numbers. A complete outline of weights employed is given in the following table.

WEIGHTING SYSTEM USED IN CALCULATING INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE  
PRICES OF PRINCIPAL IMPORTS

Commodity	Weight for Individual Commodity	Sub-group Weight	Group Weight
VEGETABLES AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....			22.23
<i>Fruits, fresh</i> .....		16.59	
Bananas.....	1,268,400 bunches		
Oranges.....	1,385,200 cases		
Lemons.....	280,000 boxes		
<i>Fruits, dried</i> .....		4.28	
Raisins, Thompson's Seedless.....	23,022,000 lbs.		
Prunes, 50's-60's.....	10,601,000 "		
<i>Grains</i> .....		9.46	
Corn, American Yellow, No. 2.....	12,126,700 bush.		
Flax, No. 1 W.C.....	687,000 "		
Oats, No. 2, C.W.....	2,237,000 "		
<i>Vegetable Oils</i> .....		8.20	
Cocanut Oil, Manila crude.....	269,000 cwt.		
Olive Oil, Italian.....	295,300 gals.		
Peanut Oil, Oriental crude.....	289,000 cwt.		
Chinawood Oil.....	4,716,000 lbs.		



WEIGHTING SYSTEM USED IN CALCULATING INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE  
PRICES OF PRINCIPAL IMPORTS—Continued

Commodity	Weight for Individual Commodity	Sub-group Weight	Group Weight
<b>VEGETABLES AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded</b>			
<i>Rubber</i> .....		13-17	
Rubber, Raw, Ribbed Smoked Sheets.....	10,804,000 lbs.		
Rubber, Raw, First Latex Crepe.....	42,500,000 "		
Rubber, Para, Upriver Fine.....	11,303,000 "		
<i>Sugar and Its Products</i> .....		22-91	
Sugar, Raw, B.W.I.....	6,455,800 cwt.		
Sugar, Granulated, Montreal.....	232,000 "		
Molasses, Barbados.....	4,653,000 gals.		
<i>Tea, Coffee and Cocoa</i> .....		15-30	
Cocoa Beans, Trinidad.....	4,864,000 lbs.		
Cocoa Beans, Grenada.....	1,436,500 "		
Cocoa Beans, Jamaica.....	1,436,500 "		
Cocoa Beans, Acra.....	5,046,000 "		
Coffee, Santos.....	11,022,000 "		
Coffee, Jamaica.....	7,903,000 "		
Coffee, Bogota.....	2,844,000 "		
Tea, Ceylon and India.....	20,488,000 "		
Tea, Japan.....	3,275,400 "		
<i>Miscellaneous Vegetables</i> .....		10-09	
Tobacco, Virginia Lugs.....	29,164,000 lbs.		
Potatoes, Montreal.....	335,900-80 lb. bags		
Potatoes, Toronto.....	230,000-90 lb. bags		
Rosin.....	81,000 bbls.		
Turpentine.....	659,000 gals.		
Rice, Rangoon, cleaned.....	72,000 cwt.		
Rice, Chinese Pakling.....	62,000 "		
Rice, Rangoon, uncleaned.....	256,000 "		
Rice, Japan, uncleaned.....	183,000 "		
Chicle.....	1,410,000 lbs.		
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b> .....			6-14
<i>Hides, Skins, Leather and Leather Products</i> .....		63-74	
Cattle Hides, Native Steers.....	38,697,000 lbs.		
Calf Skins, City Cured.....	5,364,900 "		
Sheep Skins, City Cured.....	689,800 "		
Gunmetal Calf Leather.....	3,096,000 ft.		
Box Sides "B".....	6,135,000 "		
Harness Leather.....	4,526,000 lbs.		
Shoes, Men's.....	524,830 pairs		
<i>Meats</i> .....		11-91	
Mess Pork, Toronto.....	32,000 bbls.		
<i>Milk Products</i> .....		24-35	
Butter, No. 1 Prints, Montreal.....	17,586,000 lbs.		
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS</b> .....			18-07
<i>Cotton</i> .....		19-40	
Raw Cotton, Middling 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> -11/16" Hamilton.....	116,279,000 lbs.		
Cotton Yarn, 10's.....	9,096,000 "		
<i>Cotton Fabrics</i> .....		16-62	
Grey Cotton.....	26,062,000 yards		
Bleached Cotton.....	15,659,000 "		
<i>Miscellaneous Cotton Products</i> .....		11-90	
Binder Twine.....	20,233,000 lbs.		
Mexican Sisal.....	51,691,000 "		
<i>Silk and Artificial Silk</i> .....		23-77	
Special Grand, XX, 85 p.c., 13/15 denier.....	395,000 lbs.		
Crack, XX, 78 p.c., 13/15 denier.....	421,000 "		
Crack, XX, 78 p.c., 20/22 denier.....	441,000 "		
Rayon Yarn, 150 denier "A".....	1,483,000 "		
<i>Wool and Wool Yarns</i> .....		10-40	
Raw Wool, Eastern.....	10,293,000 lbs.		
Wool Yarn, 2/36-50's.....	2,247,000 "		
Wool Yarn, 2/30-58's.....	2,114,000 "		
<i>Wool Blankets and Cloth</i> .....		17-91	
Wool Blankets.....	757,000 lbs.		
Wool Cloth.....	12,991,300 yds.		

# WEIGHTING SYSTEM USED IN CALCULATING INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL IMPORTS—Concluded

Commodity	Weight for Individual Commodity	Sub-group Weight	Group Weight
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>26.35</b>
<i>Rolling Mill Products.....</i>		91.19	
Steel Tank Plates.....	1,333,000 cwt.		
Structural Shapes.....	4,308,000 "		
Steel Sheets, Galv., No. 24 U.S.G.....	474,000 "		
Steel Sheets, Hot Rolled and Annealed, No. 24 U.S.G.....	2,829,000 "		
Tinplate.....	1,325,000 "		
<i>Scrap and Iron Ore.....</i>		8.81	
Scrap Steel, Heavy Melting.....	56,000 gross tons		
Scrap Iron, No. 2 Machinery.....	44,000 "		
Iron Ore.....	743,000 "		
<b>NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>6.82</b>
<i>Copper.....</i>		77.25	
Copper Wire Bars, Electrolytic.....	326,000 cwt.		
<i>Tin.....</i>		22.75	
Tin Ingots, Straits.....	4,929,000 lbs.		
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>16.63</b>
<i>Pottery.....</i>		3.52	
Dinner Sets, Printed.....	285,920 sets		
<i>Coal.....</i>		45.90	
Coal, American, Anthracite.....	2,162,000 tons		
Coal, American, Bituminous, run of mine.....	4,178,400 "		
<i>Glass and Its Products.....</i>		6.44	
Window Glass, 40 U.I.....	138,000 boxes		
Window Glass, 60 U.I.....	75,000 "		
Plate Glass, 3/4' Super.....	987,000 sq. ft.		
Plate Glass, 10'/12' Super.....	677,000 "		
Plate Glass, 25'/50' Super.....	613,000 "		
Glass Tumblers.....	240,000 gross		
<i>Petroleum and Its Products.....</i>		44.14	
Crude Oil, Mid-Continent.....	5,982,000 bbls.		
Crude Oil, Salt Creek.....	5,682,000 "		
Gasolene, Montreal.....	33,050,000 gals.		
Gasolene, Vancouver.....	32,481,000 "		
Coal Oil, Montreal.....	1,753,000 "		
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>3.76</b>
<i>Chemicals, etc.....</i>		35.69	
Alum.....	267,200 cwt.		
Caustic Soda.....	84,300 "		
Soda Ash.....	343,000 "		
Glycerine, refined.....	3,295,000 lbs.		
Coal Tar.....	315,000 bbls.		
Soap, Common Laundry.....	113,000 cases		
Lithopone.....	130,000 cwt.		
Carbon Black.....	6,371,000 lbs.		
<i>Fertilizers.....</i>		64.31	
Superphosphate.....	59,430 tons		
Nitrate of Soda.....	20,000 "		
Muriate of Potash.....	20,420 "		

WEIGHTING SYSTEM USED IN CALCULATING INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE  
PRICES OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS

Commodity	Weight for Individual Commodity	Sub-group Weight	Group Weight
VEGETABLES AND THEIR PRODUCTS			42.80
<i>Grains</i>		75.53	
Wheat, weighted average Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Manitoba Northern	244,794,000 bush.		
Rye, No. 3 C.W.	6,699,000 "		
Flax, No. 2 C.W.	1,865,000 "		
Oats, No. 3 C.W.	11,739,000 "		
Barley, No. 4 C.W.	28,335,000 "		
<i>Flour and Milled Products</i>		13.87	
Flour, No. 2 Manitoba Spring	6,183,000 bbls.		
Flour, Ontario, 90 p.c. Patent	1,743,000 "		
Rolled Oats	706,000-90 lb. bags		
Malt	237,000-36 lb. bush.		
Bran	41,000 tons		
Shorts	54,000 "		
<i>Rubber Products</i>		6.34	
Tires, Balloon, 4.75 x 19, 4 ply	586,730		
Tires, Balloon, 5.50 x 17, 4 ply	441,000		
Rubbers, Men's	3,081,000 pairs		
<i>Sugar</i>		1.41	
Sugar, granulated, Montreal	706,000 cwt.		
Sugar, yellow, Montreal	249,000 "		
<i>Vegetables, Tobacco and Hay</i>		2.85	
Potatoes, Can. A, Saint John	4,189,000 cwt.		
Tobacco, Ontario, Burley	10,511,000 lbs.		
Hay, Timothy No. 2—Good No. 2, Toronto	128,000 tons		
ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS			12.48
<i>Fish</i>		30.08	
Whitefish, Toronto	9,715,000 lbs.		
Halibut, B.C.	41,000 cwt.		
Fillets of Cod, Maritime points	30,434,000 lbs.		
Salt Herring, Halifax	76,000 bbls.		
Dry Salt Herring, Vancouver	47,000 (2100 lbs.) tons		
<i>Salmon, Canned—</i>			
Sockeye	93,000 cases		
Coho	87,000 "		
Pinks	396,000 "		
Chums	382,000 "		
Lobster, Canned	132,000 "		
<i>Furs</i>		17.78	
Beaver	102,000 skins		
White Fox	70,000 "		
Muskrat, Spring	1,340,000 "		
<i>Hides and Leather</i>		13.78	
Packer Hides, Native Steers	32,929,000 lbs.		
Calf Skins, City Cured	4,575,300 "		
Shoulders	6,233,000 "		
<i>Livestock, Meats, Meat Products and Lard</i>		16.50	
Hogs, Toronto	49,000 cwt.		
Hogs, Winnipeg	54,000 "		
Pork Carcass, Toronto	3,897,000 lbs.		
Pork Carcass, Winnipeg	3,930,000 "		
Mess Pork, Montreal	4,000 bbls.		
Mess Pork, Winnipeg	4,000 "		
Beef, Good Steer, Toronto	13,800,000 lbs.		
Beef, Good Steer, Winnipeg	12,993,000 "		
Bacon, Montreal	23,616,000 "		
Ham, Montreal	9,770,000 "		
Lard, Toronto	1,296,000 "		
Lard, Winnipeg	1,288,000 "		
<i>Milk Products</i>		21.86	
Butter, No. 1 Creamery Prints, Montreal	3,833,000 lbs.		
Condensed Milk	246,000 cases (48 tins)		
Cheese, Old, Montreal	42,059,000 lbs.		
Cheese, New, Montreal	49,263,000 "		



# WEIGHTING SYSTEM USED IN CALCULATING INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS—Concluded

Commodity	Weight for Individual Commodity	Sub-group weight	Group Weight
<b>FIBRES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>78</b>
Raw Wool, Eastern.....	3,288,000 lbs.		
Raw Wool, Western Range.....	3,393,000 "		
Binder Twine.....	14,863,000 "		
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....</b>			<b>24.73</b>
<i>Lumber.....</i>		27.11	
Fir, No. 1 Timber 6' x 8'.....	388,000 M bd. ft.		
Fir Dimension.....	459,000 "		
Spruce Deals.....	784,000 "		
Cedar, Bevel Siding.....	55,000 "		
Pine, No. 1 and 2 Common.....	261,000 "		
Hemlock, 2' mill run.....	81,000 "		
Cedar Shingles.....	2,001,000 M		
Spruce Lath, Maritime.....	1,321,000 M. bd. ft.		
<i>Pulp and Paper.....</i>		72.89	
Pulp, Unbleached Sulphite.....	197,000 tons		
Pulp, Groundwood.....	250,000 "		
Pulp, Bleached Sulphite.....	240,000 "		
Newsprint Paper, Rolls.....	43,357,000 cwt.		
Wrapping Paper.....	268,000 "		
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>5.79</b>
Mild Steel Merchant Bars.....	254,000 cwt.		
Pig Iron, Foundry No. 2.....	32,000 gross tons		
Cast Iron Pipe.....	36,000 tons		
Scrap Iron, No. 1 Machinery.....	23,000 "		
Scrap Iron, No. 2 Machinery.....	28,000 "		
<b>NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>9.53</b>
Lead, Domestic.....	1,519,000 cwt.		
Electrolytic Copper Wire Bars.....	105,000 "		
Copper Sheet.....	1,309,900 lbs.		
Solid Bare Copper Wire.....	1,012,000 "		
Zinc, Domestic.....	967,000 cwt.		
Silver.....	15,318,000 ozs.		
Nickel.....	36,366,000 lbs.		
Aluminium.....	33,053,000 "		
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>2.30</b>
Asbestos, Spinning Stocks.....	7,000 tons		
Asbestos, Millboard and Paper Stocks.....	178,000 "		
Gasolene, Montreal.....	3,852,000 gals.		
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.....</b>			<b>1.59</b>
Cresote Oil, Crude.....	1,471,000 gals.		
Sulphate of Ammonia.....	10,000 tons		
Cyanamid.....	90,000 "		
Tankage.....	12,000 tons		











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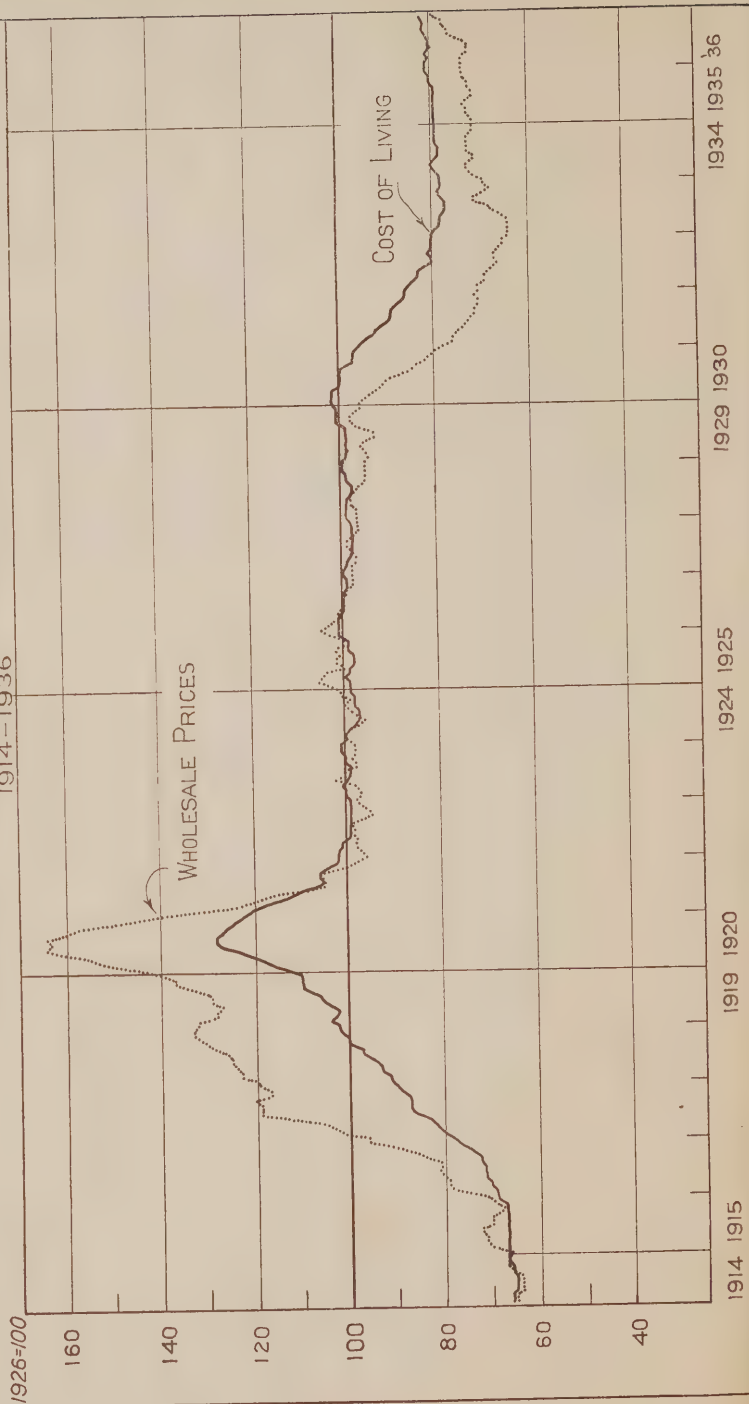
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# Report on Prices and Price Indexes, Canada, 1936.

## THE COURSE OF WHOLESALE PRICES, 1867-1936

Price levels were high in 1867 following the American Civil War and the Austro-Prussian War of 1866, and rose again in 1872 after the Franco-German War. From 1873 to 1897, a period of declining prices occurred, marked by a notable increase in the growth of the world's supply of commodities relative to monetary stocks of gold. It was also a time of disputes and political unrest in debtor communities, culminating in the case of the United States, in the free coinage of silver dollars in 1896.

Following the discoveries of new gold fields in South Africa and the cyanide process of recovering gold from low grade ore, the world supply of gold increased, with the result that the general trend of prices was upward from around 1897 until the outbreak of the Great War. In consequence the index on the base 1913=100, rose from a low of 68.1 in 1897 to 102.3 in 1914. From 1915 prices climbed at a progressively increasing rate to a peak of 243.5 in 1920, due to the combined influence of monetary inflation and scarcity of commodities. Then followed a drastic collapse which caused the index to drop to 152.0 in 1922, and with the exception of a minor recovery, which reached a maximum of 160.3 in 1925, the trend of prices was thereafter steadily downward until 1933. In 1930 this movement was accelerated, and the index fell from 149.3 in 1929 to 104.2 in 1932, the lowest level since 1914. The first rise in eight years advanced the annual number fractionally to 104.8 in 1933. Subsequent irregular recovery has carried the index upward to 116.5 for 1936.

Table II shows the yearly movements of Canadian wholesale prices from 1867 to date, with the year 1913 taken as the basis of calculation. Succeeding tables of a summary nature, covering various periods from 1890 forward are given on this base also, adjacent to the same data upon a 1926 base. Of these, Table IV, showing the movement of prices by groups from 1890 to 1934 is the most comprehensive.

TABLE I—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1867-1936\*

(1926=100)

Unweighted		Unweighted Weighted		Unweighted Weighted		Unweighted Weighted	
1867.....	85.1	1885.....	59.3	1902.....	55.2	1919.....	Weighted
1868.....	82.4	1886.....	58.1	1903.....	55.6	1920.....	134.0
1869.....	81.0	1887.....	58.8	1904.....	55.7	1921.....	155.9
1870.....	79.1	1888.....	59.9	1905.....	56.2	1922.....	110.0
1871.....	79.7	1889.....	59.3	1906.....	59.3	1923.....	97.3
1872.....	86.9	1890.....	59.5	1907.....	61.6	1924.....	98.0
1873.....	85.7	1891.....	58.5	1908.....	61.8	1925.....	99.4
1874.....	82.6	1892.....	55.2	1909.....	58.2	1926.....	102.6
1875.....	77.3	1893.....	54.5	1910.....	58.5	1927.....	100.0
1876.....	74.6	1894.....	51.6	1911.....	60.4	1928.....	97.7
1877.....	73.7	1895.....	51.0	1912.....	60.8	1929.....	96.4
1878.....	66.8	1896.....	48.7	1913.....	63.7	1930.....	95.6
1879.....	64.7	1897.....	48.4	1914.....	64.0	1931.....	86.6
1880.....	72.3	1898.....	49.8	1915.....	65.5	1932.....	72.1
1881.....	70.4	1899.....	49.8	1916.....	70.4	1933.....	66.7
1882.....	71.8	1900.....	52.1	1917.....	84.3	1934.....	67.1
1883.....	67.9	1901.....	54.9	1918.....	114.3	1935.....	71.6
1884.....	64.4	1902.....	54.1	1919.....	127.4	1936.....	72.1
							74.6

TABLE II—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1867-1936\*

(1913=100)

Unweighted		Unweighted Weighted		Unweighted Weighted		Unweighted Weighted	
1867.....	133.0	1885.....	92.7	1902.....	86.2	1919.....	Weighted
1868.....	128.7	1886.....	90.7	1903.....	86.9	1920.....	209.2
1869.....	126.5	1887.....	91.9	1904.....	87.0	1921.....	243.5
1870.....	123.5	1888.....	93.5	1905.....	87.8	1922.....	171.8
1871.....	124.5	1889.....	92.6	1906.....	84.4	1923.....	152.0
1872.....	135.7	1890.....	93.0	1907.....	84.6	1924.....	153.0
1873.....	133.8	1891.....	91.4	1908.....	92.6	1925.....	155.2
1874.....	129.0	1892.....	80.5	1909.....	91.4	1926.....	160.3
1875.....	129.0	1893.....	86.2	1910.....	92.9	1927.....	156.2
1876.....	120.7	1894.....	85.2	1911.....	94.3	1928.....	152.6
1877.....	116.6	1895.....	75.8	1912.....	95.0	1929.....	150.6
1878.....	115.1	1896.....	80.6	1913.....	99.5	1930.....	149.3
1879.....	104.3	1897.....	79.6	1914.....	100.0	1931.....	135.3
1880.....	101.0	1898.....	76.0	1915.....	102.3	1932.....	112.6
1881.....	101.0	1899.....	68.1	1916.....	109.9	1933.....	104.2
1882.....	109.9	1900.....	77.8	1917.....	131.6	1934.....	104.8
1883.....	112.1	1901.....	81.4	1918.....	178.5	1935.....	111.8
1884.....	106.0		74.8		199.0	1936.....	112.6
	100.6		76.4				116.5

\*NOTE.—As the weighted index has not been compiled for years previous to 1890, the old unweighted series is also shown.



TABLE III—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1936

CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1926=100)

Groups	I Vegetable Products	II Animals and Their Products	III Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	IV Wood, Wood Products and Paper	V Iron and Its Products	VI Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	VII Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	VIII Chemicals and Allied Products	All Commodities
Number of commodities	1890-1912 1913-1925 1926-1933 1934-1936	47 50 74 76	23 28 60 85	26 21 44 49	30 26 39 44	14 15 15 18	21 16 73 83	27 13 73 77	247 236 502 567
1890.....	55.5	45.5	53.8	38.5	77.9	109.4	50.0	49.6	51.5
1891.....	58.8	45.2	49.2	38.2	72.1	101.9	48.7	49.8	51.5
1892.....	47.9	45.2	46.8	38.8	69.5	92.8	49.4	48.9	47.8
1893.....	48.3	47.6	46.7	38.6	67.9	86.0	49.0	48.6	48.5
1894.....	44.2	43.6	43.9	39.6	63.2	73.1	47.9	48.2	45.3
1895.....	44.3	42.3	43.7	37.3	61.0	72.0	47.0	47.6	44.4
1896.....	42.2	39.9	44.5	35.9	61.6	75.4	46.9	47.9	42.9
1897.....	43.5	42.2	43.7	35.8	56.4	70.4	46.0	46.8	43.6
1898.....	48.5	43.6	43.0	36.1	56.2	72.9	45.6	46.6	45.6
1899.....	46.4	45.9	43.4	37.1	64.4	95.3	45.8	46.3	40.5
1900.....	42.9	48.5	48.4	40.6	75.1	102.4	48.5	49.0	47.9
1901.....	47.1	48.3	46.4	40.3	67.9	100.2	51.7	51.1	48.9
1902.....	50.1	51.2	40.6	42.6	67.7	84.3	53.6	49.9	51.1
1903.....	51.6	49.5	47.0	47.9	67.3	82.7	55.5	50.2	51.8
1904.....	54.6	48.2	51.0	48.0	69.9	85.1	54.7	51.7	52.4
1905.....	55.3	52.4	50.6	49.3	62.0	93.8	53.2	52.0	54.0
1906.....	52.2	53.2	54.4	52.6	65.8	108.3	52.1	50.8	54.2
1907.....	59.1	57.1	55.3	55.3	68.9	115.3	54.2	58.3	58.6
1908.....	61.7	56.5	50.8	54.4	66.6	86.9	55.6	57.5	58.5
1909.....	62.0	60.3	52.4	53.3	63.3	84.6	54.7	53.4	59.5
1910.....	59.0	63.1	55.8	58.5	62.3	87.8	54.1	54.8	60.2
1911.....	62.5	60.9	54.3	62.1	63.2	87.0	53.3	59.1	62.2
1912.....	68.0	67.6	52.5	62.2	64.0	100.0	56.8	61.9	65.4
1913.....	58.1	70.9	58.2	63.9	68.9	98.4	56.8	63.4	64.0
1914.....	64.8	72.6	56.9	60.3	67.3	94.7	53.7	65.3	65.5
1915.....	75.6	74.0	58.3	56.5	73.9	106.9	52.7	68.1	70.4
1916.....	87.0	85.0	77.6	64.0	104.6	135.1	58.0	78.0	84.3
1917.....	124.5	110.4	114.6	79.8	151.8	143.9	71.6	98.1	114.3
1918.....	127.9	127.1	157.1	89.1	156.9	141.9	82.3	118.7	127.4
1919.....	136.1	140.8	163.8	109.6	139.1	133.5	93.6	117.5	134.0
1920.....	167.0	145.1	176.5	154.4	168.4	135.5	112.2	141.5	155.9
1921.....	103.5	109.6	96.0	129.4	128.0	97.0	116.6	117.0	110.0
1922.....	89.2	96.0	101.7	106.3	104.6	97.3	107.0	105.4	97.3
1923.....	83.7	95.0	116.9	113.0	115.8	95.3	104.4	104.4	88.0
1924.....	89.2	91.8	117.9	105.9	111.0	94.8	104.1	102.5	99.4
1925.....	100.6	100.3	112.5	101.6	104.5	103.9	100.3	99.6	102.6
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	98.3	101.9	93.7	98.5	96.2	91.5	96.5	98.3	97.7
1928.....	93.0	108.1	94.5	98.7	93.2	92.0	92.5	95.3	96.4
1929.....	91.6	109.0	91.3	93.9	93.7	90.2	92.9	95.4	95.6
1930.....	77.7	99.1	81.8	88.7	91.1	80.7	91.3	92.8	86.6
1931.....	55.9	73.9	73.4	79.1	87.4	64.6	86.5	86.7	72.1
1932.....	54.8	59.7	69.7	69.1	86.3	59.0	85.5	83.9	66.7
1933.....	59.3	59.4	69.7	62.8	85.4	64.3	84.4	81.3	67.1
1934.....	66.6	67.2	72.9	65.4	87.0	64.3	86.0	81.2	71.6
1935.....	67.3	70.4	70.2	64.6	87.2	69.1	85.5	79.1	72.1
1936.....	72.6	71.8	69.6	68.5	88.0	70.0	85.5	78.0	74.6
1935									
January.....	66.8	67.3	71.1	64.6	86.9	64.0	86.4	80.5	71.4
February.....	67.1	69.3	71.0	64.8	87.2	63.9	86.3	80.4	71.8
March.....	67.4	69.7	70.4	64.4	87.6	65.2	85.8	80.5	71.9
April.....	69.4	69.1	70.3	63.9	87.4	67.9	85.8	80.0	72.5
May.....	68.0	69.2	70.5	63.9	87.4	70.7	85.3	79.8	72.2
June.....	66.1	68.7	70.4	63.9	87.2	69.6	85.1	79.8	71.4
July.....	66.0	68.6	70.8	64.3	87.1	68.9	84.6	79.8	71.4
August.....	66.1	69.9	70.6	64.2	87.1	69.9	85.0	79.5	71.7
September.....	67.5	72.1	68.8	65.1	87.2	71.1	85.2	76.9	72.4
October.....	68.4	73.6	69.2	65.0	87.2	73.7	85.0	77.4	73.1
November.....	67.2	73.0	69.6	65.3	87.2	73.4	85.0	77.4	72.7
December.....	67.1	73.0	69.6	65.9	87.2	71.5	85.4	77.5	72.7
1936									
January.....	67.7	72.9	69.9	67.4	87.2	68.3	85.3	77.3	72.9
February.....	66.4	72.1	69.4	67.8	87.3	68.4	85.9	77.2	72.5
March.....	66.7	70.5	69.6	67.8	87.3	69.2	85.9	77.2	72.4
April.....	66.5	69.9	69.5	68.0	87.4	69.1	85.5	77.4	72.2
May.....	65.7	69.1	69.1	68.2	87.8	68.3	85.4	77.2	71.9
June.....	66.9	69.7	69.1	68.1	87.7	67.7	85.7	77.2	72.3
July.....	73.1	70.5	69.5	68.2	87.8	68.1	85.1	78.3	74.3
August.....	77.5	72.3	69.8	68.6	87.9	69.1	85.2	78.4	76.1
September.....	77.4	73.4	69.6	68.8	88.2	70.2	85.4	78.5	76.4
October.....	79.6	73.4	69.5	69.3	88.2	70.4	85.0	78.7	77.1
November.....	79.1	73.5	69.6	69.4	88.3	74.0	85.0	78.8	77.2
December.....	84.0	73.9	70.9	69.6	91.4	77.8	85.9	79.1	79.6

TABLE IV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN  
CANADA, 1890-1936  
CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1913=100)

Groups	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	All Commodities
	Vegetable Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	
Number of commodities	59	47	23	26	30	14	21	27	247
(1890-1899)	51	39	20	18	22	11	19	23	203
(1900-1912)	67	50	28	21	26	15	16	13	236
(1913-1925)	124	74	60	44	39	15	73	73	502
(1926-1933)	135	76	85	49	44	18	83	77	567
(1934-1936)									
1890.....	95.6	64.2	92.4	60.2	113.1	111.2	88.1	78.3	80.5
1891.....	101.2	63.8	84.5	59.8	104.6	103.6	85.8	78.6	80.5
1892.....	82.5	63.7	80.4	60.7	100.9	94.3	86.9	77.1	74.7
1893.....	83.2	67.2	80.2	60.4	98.6	87.4	86.3	76.6	75.8
1894.....	76.1	61.5	75.5	61.9	91.7	74.3	84.3	76.1	70.8
1895.....	76.3	59.7	75.1	58.4	88.5	73.2	82.8	75.0	69.4
1896.....	72.6	56.3	76.4	56.2	89.4	76.6	82.5	75.5	67.0
1897.....	74.9	59.5	75.0	56.1	81.9	71.5	81.0	73.8	68.1
1898.....	83.5	61.5	73.9	56.5	81.6	74.1	80.2	73.5	71.3
1899.....	79.9	64.7	74.6	58.0	93.4	96.8	80.6	73.1	72.6
1900.....	73.9	68.4	83.2	63.5	109.0	104.0	85.4	77.4	74.8
1901.....	81.1	68.1	79.7	63.1	98.5	101.8	91.1	80.6	76.4
1902.....	86.2	72.3	80.1	66.6	98.3	85.6	94.4	78.8	79.3
1903.....	88.9	69.8	89.7	75.0	97.6	84.0	97.7	79.2	80.9
1904.....	94.0	68.0	87.6	75.1	91.3	86.5	96.3	81.6	81.8
1905.....	95.2	74.0	87.0	77.2	89.9	95.3	93.6	82.0	84.4
1906.....	89.9	75.0	93.5	82.3	95.5	110.0	91.8	80.1	84.6
1907.....	101.7	80.6	96.3	86.5	100.0	117.1	95.4	92.0	91.6
1908.....	106.2	79.7	87.3	85.1	96.7	88.3	97.9	90.8	91.4
1909.....	106.7	85.1	90.0	83.4	91.8	86.0	96.3	84.2	92.9
1910.....	101.6	89.1	95.8	91.6	90.4	89.2	95.2	86.5	94.0
1911.....	107.6	86.0	93.3	97.2	91.7	88.4	93.8	93.3	97.2
1912.....	117.1	95.4	90.2	97.4	92.3	101.6	100.0	97.6	102.2
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	111.6	102.5	97.8	94.3	97.7	96.2	94.5	103.0	102.3
1915.....	130.2	104.4	100.2	88.5	107.2	108.6	92.8	107.4	109.9
1916.....	149.8	119.9	133.3	100.1	151.8	137.3	102.2	123.1	131.6
1917.....	214.4	155.8	196.8	124.9	220.2	146.2	126.0	154.8	178.5
1918.....	220.2	179.4	269.9	139.4	227.3	144.2	144.9	187.3	199.0
1919.....	234.4	198.7	281.4	171.6	201.8	135.6	163.8	185.4	209.2
1920.....	287.6	204.8	303.3	241.6	244.4	137.7	197.5	223.3	243.5
1921.....	178.2	154.6	165.0	202.5	185.7	98.6	205.4	184.7	171.8
1922.....	148.4	135.4	174.7	166.4	151.8	98.9	188.4	166.4	152.0
1923.....	144.2	134.1	200.9	176.8	168.0	96.8	183.8	164.8	153.0
1924.....	153.6	129.5	202.5	165.8	161.0	96.3	183.4	161.8	155.2
1925.....	173.3	141.5	193.3	159.0	151.6	105.6	176.6	157.1	160.3
1926.....	172.2	141.1	171.8	156.5	145.1	101.6	176.1	157.8	156.2
1927.....	169.3	143.8	161.0	154.2	139.6	93.0	169.9	155.1	152.6
1928.....	160.1	152.5	162.4	154.5	135.2	93.5	162.9	150.4	150.6
1929.....	157.7	153.8	156.9	147.0	136.0	100.8	163.6	150.5	149.3
1930.....	133.8	139.8	140.5	138.8	132.2	82.0	160.8	146.4	135.3
1931.....	98.0	104.3	126.1	123.8	126.8	65.6	152.3	136.8	112.6
1932.....	94.4	84.2	119.7	108.1	125.2	59.9	150.6	132.4	104.2
1933.....	102.1	83.8	119.7	98.3	123.9	65.3	148.6	128.3	104.8
1934.....	114.7	94.8	125.2	102.4	126.2	65.3	151.4	128.1	111.8
1935.....	115.9	99.3	120.6	101.1	126.5	70.2	150.6	124.8	112.6
1936.....	125.0	101.3	119.6	107.2	127.7	71.1	150.6	123.1	116.5
1935									
January.....	115.0	95.0	122.1	101.1	126.1	65.0	152.2	127.0	111.5
February.....	115.5	97.8	122.0	101.4	126.5	64.9	152.0	126.9	112.2
March.....	116.1	98.3	120.9	100.8	127.1	66.2	151.1	127.0	112.3
April.....	119.5	97.5	120.8	100.0	126.8	69.0	151.1	126.2	113.2
May.....	117.1	97.6	121.1	100.0	126.8	71.8	150.2	125.9	112.8
June.....	113.8	96.9	120.9	100.0	126.5	70.7	149.9	125.9	111.5
July.....	113.7	96.8	121.6	100.6	126.4	70.0	149.0	125.9	111.5
August.....	113.8	98.6	121.3	100.5	126.4	71.0	149.7	125.5	112.0
September.....	116.2	101.7	118.2	101.9	126.5	72.2	150.0	121.3	113.2
October.....	117.8	103.8	118.9	101.7	126.5	74.9	149.7	122.1	114.1
November.....	115.7	103.0	119.6	102.2	126.5	74.6	149.7	122.1	113.6
December.....	115.5	103.0	119.6	103.1	126.5	72.6	150.4	122.3	113.6
1936									
January.....	116.6	102.9	120.1	105.5	126.5	69.4	150.2	122.0	113.9
February.....	114.3	101.7	119.2	106.1	126.7	69.5	151.3	121.8	113.2
March.....	114.9	99.5	119.6	106.1	126.7	70.3	151.3	121.8	113.1
April.....	114.5	98.6	119.4	106.4	126.8	70.2	150.6	122.1	112.8
May.....	113.1	97.5	118.7	106.7	127.4	69.4	150.4	121.8	112.3
June.....	115.2	98.3	118.7	106.6	127.3	68.8	150.9	121.8	112.9
July.....	125.9	99.5	119.4	106.4	127.4	69.2	149.9	123.6	116.1
August.....	133.5	102.0	119.9	107.4	127.5	70.2	150.0	123.7	118.9
September.....	133.3	103.6	119.6	107.7	128.0	71.3	150.4	123.9	119.3
October.....	137.1	103.6	119.4	108.5	128.0	71.5	149.7	124.2	120.4
November.....	136.2	103.7	119.6	108.6	128.1	75.2	149.7	124.3	120.6
December.....	144.6	104.3	121.8	108.9	132.6	79.0	151.3	124.8	124.5

## WHOLESALE PRICES, 1936

(Detailed prices supplementing the following commodity market notes may be found on pages 68 to 100.)

The general level of wholesale prices in Canada advanced 9.5 p.c. during 1936. This was represented by a rise in the Dominion Bureau of Statistics wholesale price index number from 72.7 to 79.6, which compared with 63.5, the extreme low of the preceding decline reached in February, 1933. The December 1936 index was thus 25.5 p.c. above the depression nadir, and it is noteworthy that more than a third of subsequent recovery has come in the year just ended. Of even greater interest is the fact that the 1936 increase came almost entirely during the last six months after a period of two and one-half years of exceptional stability. The 1936 advance was very unevenly distributed as may be observed from the following percentages of increase for different commodity groups: Vegetable Products 28.0, Animal Products 1.8, Textiles 2.0, Wood Products 5.8, Iron and Its Products 4.9, Non-Ferrous Metals 17.8, Non-Metallic Minerals 0.5, Chemical Products 1.9, and Canadian Farm Products 29.6.

These widely differing rates of increase, however, have served to compensate for earlier uneven rates of decline, so that price relationships of significant commodity groups have been practically restored to pre-depression relative positions, although still averaging about 20 p.c. lower than 1928-29 levels. That is, commodity group price indexes now vary by only small amounts from the December 1936 general wholesale index of 79.7, whereas in February 1933 the differences were as much as 50 p.c. The net effect of recent changes has been to improve materially the purchasing power of the large numbers of primary producers who form a preponderant part of Canada's population. The gradual restoration of price relationships to pre-depression positions may be observed from the following table which shows various commodity group indexes expressed as a percentage of the general wholesale price level in specified periods.

	February 1933	December 1933	December 1934	December 1935	December 1936
General Wholesale Price Level.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Producers' Goods.....	91.5	93.2	96.1	95.6	100.9
Consumers' Goods.....	108.2	106.2	102.5	102.3	95.5
Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	79.7	85.4	90.4	92.7	99.5
Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Materials.....	105.2	104.3	102.0	100.4	97.0
Building Materials.....	117.6	116.8	114.5	114.6	110.4
Canadian Farm Products.....	67.6	77.7	86.6	90.1	103.4

As might be expected from the irregular rise in the price levels for commodity groups, there were wide divergencies in the behaviour of individual commodity prices. The sharpest advances occurred among primary products which showed small gains or losses during 1935. Thus the 1935 decline of 34 p.c. in oat prices was followed by a 1936 increase of 83 p.c. Other impressive gains were recorded for raw rubber, wheat, wool, pig lead, and copper. Hides, tin, cotton, pig iron, and steel showed moderate improvement, while cattle, hogs, raw silk and raw sugar declined, in most cases by small amounts. Although speculative activity caused some anxiety in the closing months of the year, price increases generally were accompanied by improving demand and definite decreases in world supplies. This was particularly true of wheat, rubber, and the non-ferrous metals. The extent of 1936 price changes may be observed from the table following which shows percentage changes in Canadian wholesale prices between December 1935 and 1936 for more important basic commodities.

PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN WHOLESALE PRICES OF IMPORTANT  
COMMODITIES BETWEEN DECEMBER 1935 AND DECEMBER 1936

Rye.....	+ 137	Flour.....	+ 32	Raw Cotton.....	+ 6
Barley.....	+ 131	Wool.....	+ 32	Pig Iron.....	+ 5
Oats.....	+ 83	Copper.....	+ 23	Beef Hides.....	+ 4
Rubber.....	+ 59	Hides and Skins.....	+ 22	Hogs.....	- 1
Wheat.....	+ 46	Lumber.....	+ 10	Raw Silk.....	- 3
Pig Lead.....	+ 34	Steel Bars.....	+ 7	Cattle.....	- 10



## VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

After a minor recession in the first half of the year, Vegetable Products moved sharply upward in a sustained advance led by grains. All sub-groups with the exception of sugar products made substantial gains during 1936, with the majority occurring in the second half of the year. The group index for Vegetable Products moved down from 67.7 in January to 65.7 in May before advancing to 84.0 in December. The 1936 annual average for this group was 72.6 as compared with 67.3 for 1935.

*Fruits.*—Sharp increases for lemons and oranges in the summer and early fall months were partially cancelled by later declines, but remained sufficient to account for small advances in the annual average index for fruits from 77.1 for 1935 to 79.0 for 1936. Apples were firm in areas outside of Nova Scotia, but quotations there suffered to such a degree that a Dominion average price per barrel dropped from \$2.57 to \$2.43 between 1935 and 1936. Although canned and dried fruits averaged lower than in 1935, they were firm or advancing in most cases as the year ended. Prunes, for example, closed at 10 cents per pound although averaging 8.9 cents per pound at Toronto. The December monthly index for fruits was 75.7 which compared with an October peak of 89.7, and 75.5 in January.

*Grains.*—A weak undertone in wheat markets persisted from the beginning of the year until late in May and this was mainly responsible for a gradual recession in the grain index from 58.3 in January to 53.6 for May. Other grains held their ground during this period with the single exception of flax. Subsequently all grains registered broad advances which carried the index up to 86.0 for December. Keen competition principally by Australian and Canadian wheat for a limited European import market was the most important factor in the early decline. Less active Oriental demand caused Australia to offer more wheat than usual to Europe, particularly in the first quarter of the year. Markets turned upward late in May, as evidence of drought in United States and Canadian spring wheat areas began to accumulate. No. 1 Manitoba Northern prices moved above \$1.00 per bushel in July for the first time since 1930. Drought in North America was offset to some extent by improving prospects in the Argentine during the fall months, but prices continued irregularly upward as indicated by the No. 1 Manitoba Northern December average of \$1.20 per bushel. This compared with a January average of 85 cents per bushel. Advances of importance occurred for all other grains, with those for barley and rye being even more spectacular than the rise in wheat. The grain price index averaged 66.3 in 1936 as compared with 58.8 in 1935.

*Milled Products and Bread.*—Increases in flour and oat products advanced the milled products index from 69.8 to 75.5. Minor rises for corn meal and malt also occurred, although bran, shorts and gluten meal showed little or no change from 1935 averages. Exports of these items were slightly higher, with the exception of flour. The value of flour exports exceeded that for 1935 however, due to marked price advances in the latter half of the year. Bread prices remained relatively constant in eastern Canada, but moderate increases were noted in the larger western cities, causing an index of bread prices to mount from 83.0 in 1935 to 84.0 in 1936. Wholesale bread prices ranged from 5.0 cents to 6.0 cents per pound in the principal Canadian cities in 1936.

*Vegetable Oils.*—A decided increase in linseed oil prices was mainly instrumental in raising an index for this group from 70.8 in 1935 to 74.5 in 1936. Coconut oil, olive oil, peanut and soya bean oil also scored lesser gains. Refined cottonseed oil averaged the same as in 1935, while Chinawood and palm oil declined moderately.

*Rubber.*—Sharp declines in world stocks of raw rubber in 1935 paved the way for a marked 1936 recovery in prices. Continuing a movement which commenced in September of the preceding year, raw rubber quotations advanced rapidly in the first quarter of 1936. New York prices moved above 16 cents in March for a gain of more than 5½ cents per pound in a little over six months. A 5 p.c. quota increase late in April by the International Rubber Regulation Committee was followed by a brief reaction. Prices turned upward again in May, however, as United States consumption held at high levels and world stocks continued to decline. A second smaller reaction occurred in July and August despite an increase in the duty on Netherlands East Indies exports from 35 to 36 florins per 100 kilograms. A tight spot situation attracted speculative interest in the fall months which ran New York quotations up above 20 cents per

pound before the close of the year. In December, quota increases of 5 p.c. for the first quarter and 10 p.c. for the second quarter of 1937 were announced. The second quarter figure would place production at 80 p.c. of an estimated normal. A small advance in Canadian automobile tire prices in June was the only noteworthy reflection of raw prices in staple manufactured products. The price index for rubber and its products mounted gradually from 56.8 in January to 62.0 in December. The annual average of 58.4 compared with an average of 56.8 for 1935.

*Sugar.*—World prices moved irregularly lower for the first three quarters of 1936, and then stiffened moderately in the final quarter. London quotations closed the year at approximately 1.06 cents per pound for a net loss of about 6 points. British West Indies raw prices at Montreal paralleled the London market quite closely, opening at 1.95 cents and closing at 1.88 cents per pound. With quotas still in force despite the invalidation of Agricultural Adjustment Administration legislation in the United States, prices in that country continued to move quite independently of world markets. They advanced sharply in the first three months after it became apparent that the quota system would be maintained. Then after several months of comparative stability an almost equally severe break occurred in September. This was quickly recovered in October and the year closed with prices advancing into new high territory with Cuban raws close to 2.90 cents as compared with less than 2.30 cents at the beginning of January. A small reduction in Canadian refined prices was made in March, which was the only general revision during the year. A monthly index for sugar and its products declined irregularly from 80.9 in January to 79.4 in December, while the annual index of 79.6 was 3.1 below that for 1935.

World production of raw sugar for 1936-37 was estimated at 28,050,000 metric tons, almost exactly the same amount as for the preceding year. The world visible supply at the end of September, placed at 2,983,000 tons was over a million tons lower than for September 1935, and compared with 7,090,000 tons in 1932 when visible supplies reached a depression peak.

*Tea, Coffee, Cocoa, and Spices.*—A price index for this group advanced at an accelerating rate from 70.6 in January to 81.6 in December, due principally to spectacular increases in cocoa bean quotations. Coffee beans and pepper averaged lower than in 1935 while tea showed no change. An annual index for the group mounted from 70.7 for 1935 to 73.2 for 1936.

Restriction of supplies by international agreement was considered responsible for the stable price situation in tea markets. A quota of 82½ p.c. of "standard exports" equivalent to nearly 660,000,000 pounds for the year ended March 1937 was believed likely to increase world stocks somewhat. In 1936 they had been reduced moderately despite slightly lower English consumption subsequent to a 2d. rise in the British import duty.

Rising coffee consumption was more than balanced by production increases which piled up visible stocks above levels for the past few years. During the first half of 1936 the Brazilian Government reorganized its coffee control scheme, and planned to maintain supply equilibrium by a sacrifice quota of 30 p.c. and the destruction of surpluses. Coffee consumption for the year ended June 30, 1936, at 25,845,000 bags, showed an increase of over 3,000,000 bags, while production increased over 5,000,000 bags to 31,483,000 bags. With 1937 production of cocoa beans likely to show a moderate decrease and consumption prospects good, prices for cocoa beans advanced sharply. Much of the increase, however, was due to excessive speculative interest. World stocks at the end of the 1935-36 season were said to represent less than six months' supply. World exports for 1936 increased 20,000 metric tons to 698,400 tons.

*Tobacco.*—Sharply reduced imports and a cut of over 8,000,000 pounds in the domestic crop were accompanied by higher raw tobacco prices in 1936. A monthly index advanced from 48.3 in January to 55.4 in December, with the 1936 annual average index moving up 6.3 to 48.9. Domestic production dropped from 54,473,000 pounds in 1935 to 46,084,000 pounds in 1936, while tobacco imports fell from 6,703,543 to 3,474,465 pounds.

*Vegetables.*—A sharp rise in potato prices was chiefly responsible for an increase in this index from 46.0 for 1935 to 69.7 for 1936. Onions were firm in British Columbia but declined in the East. Canned vegetables generally were higher in prices, although quotations for canned peas moved slightly lower. Potato production at approximately 39,000,000 cwt. was just above that for 1935, but as already noted, prices showed marked improvement.

*Miscellaneous Vegetable Products.*—This index dropped from 67.0 for 1935 to 60.1 for 1936. Hay, straw, and vinegar declined materially, while rice quotations advanced moderately.



## ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Upward revisions in the prices of fish, furs, milk and its products, eggs, calves and lambs carried the general animal product index from 70·4 in 1935 to 71·8 in 1936.

*Live Stock.*—Price movements in live stock markets followed divergent trends in 1936. Cattle and hog prices were below levels of the preceding year, with the average per head for cattle marketed at the nine principal Canadian stock yards amounting to \$3.45 per cwt. as against \$3.70 in 1935, while hogs on the same basis were shown at \$7.95 compared with \$8.05 per cwt. in 1935. Values, although lower, were supported by increases in domestic and export demand. Sales of cattle from farms approximated 199,000 more than in 1935. Stock yards sales aggregated 885,477 cattle and 450,955 calves as compared with 838,894 and 409,074 respectively in 1935. The quality of offerings showed improvement and exports were double those of the previous year. Marketings of hogs reached a record of 3,797,000. Prices held comparatively firm till the fall when seasonal increases in runs carried quotations down to the year's lowest point in November. An average price for sheep and lambs showed a gain of 65c. over the 1935 figure. Unlike other types of livestock, marketings of sheep and lambs at 401,862 head were 37,477 lighter than in 1935.

*Fishery Products.*—Price differences for fish between 1935 and 1936 were not large in most cases, with advances of slightly more importance than declines. For the majority of varieties, both quantities and values marketed compared favourably with records for 1935. This was true of salmon, cod, herring, and pickerel among the more important kinds. The estimated value of Canadian fish marketed in 1936 was \$39,165,000, or 14 p.c. above that for the preceding year. An annual average price index for fish advanced from 71·5 for 1935 to 72·1 for 1936. A monthly series moved erratically during the year between a high of 76·4 for October and a low of 69·8 in January. It closed at 72·2.

*Furs.*—Most 1936 fur prices registered marked increases over 1935 averages, with the important exception of silver fox, which declined moderately. The value of raw fur production for the year ended June 30, 1936, was \$14,040,000, or more than a million dollars above the total for the preceding year. An annual index of fur prices mounted from 51·7 for 1935 to 59·8 for 1936. A corresponding monthly series moved irregularly upward from 58·5 in January to 62·6 in December.

*Hides and Leather Products.*—After a sharp reaction in the first half of the year, hide prices moved abruptly upward in the second half, advancing into new ground for the recovery movement. The extent of these fluctuations may be gauged from the following hide and skins price indexes: January 87·9, July 63·1, and December 102·1. Leather prices also recorded appreciable net gains for the year despite a mild reaction in the summer months when hides were declining. The December leather index of 91·0 compared with one of 86·6 for January. During the same period a series for boots and shoes mounted from 87·0 to 90·0.

*Oils and Fats.*—Declines in lard and tallow were much sharper than decreases for hogs and cattle. An index for this group averaged 69·9 for 1936 as compared with 77·1 for 1935. Prices were rising in the latter half of the year however, and the December index of 74·8 was just above the January number of 74·6.

*Meats.*—Meat prices generally registered moderate declines of smaller proportions than the recession in live stock quotations. Fresh and cured varieties both were subject to reductions which came chiefly in the latter half of the year when most commodity markets were firm. A general index of meats and poultry dropped from 70·6 for 1935 to 70·0 for 1936.

*Milk and Its Products.*—Prices paid to producers throughout Canada for fresh milk averaged 19·4c. per gallon in 1936 as compared with 19·0c. per gallon in 1935. Butter and cheese quotations were also higher and the index for milk and its products mounted from 68·2 in 1935 to 71·0 in the following year. Although prices advanced, production of these commodities also increased. Milk output was estimated by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 16,741,613,100 pounds as compared with 16,356,661,300 pounds in the preceding year. The creamery make of butter was approximately 5,000,000 pounds greater at 57,331,500 pounds and factory made cheese at 14,234,100 pounds showed a gain of about 3,700,000 pounds over the 1935 figure.



*Eggs.*—A rise of over 11 p.c. was shown in the price index for eggs which averaged 67·3 in 1936. Production was calculated by the Agricultural Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 219,428,000 dozen. This represented a drop of 2 p.c. from the previous year's figures and was the lowest level reached since 1927. Cold storage holdings on January 1, 1937, were 1,205,117 dozen, or about 7 p.c. less than stocks on January 1, 1936. After opening the year at 68·1 in January, a price index for eggs dropped to a seasonal low of 49·7 in April, then advanced to 83·6 in November, and closed at 75·6 for December.

### FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

Practically all raw materials in this group advanced in the latter half of 1936 and cotton and woollen fabrics also were firm. Rayon yarn and fabrics were exceptions to the general trend and jute and burlap bags likewise averaged lower, although their raw materials were firmer. Wool was exceptionally strong, almost regaining peak levels of 1934. Despite a firm tone in most sections of the group, the general textile index for 1936 of 69·6 was fractionally lower than the 1935 average of 70·2. This was due principally to the sharp decline in cotton fabrics in the second half of 1935. Actually the group registered a small net gain for the year as indicated by January and December indexes of 69·9 and 70·9 respectively.

*Cotton.*—Cotton prices moved irregularly in 1936, but the tendency was generally upward. In January, prices broke sharply following the United States Supreme Court's decision invalidating the Agricultural Adjustment Administration's program and the Bankhead Act, but owing to a tight spot position the market soon recovered. For the remainder of the year the price structure was supported by heavy consumptive demand, while further disposition of controlled stocks was planned so as to minimize market fluctuations. The market was influenced considerably by new crop reports which at first showed reductions, but later indicated substantial increases over the preceding year. In December some 3,000,000 bales of government owned cotton remained unsold and the market turned hesitant. However, early in 1937 it was stated that sales would be made upon a conservative basis. The 1935-36 world production approximated 26,262,000 bales compared with 29,621,000 bales in 1936-37, but consumption was estimated at 27,764,000 bales as against 29,644,000 bales for these respective periods. An index of raw cotton prices moved irregularly between 66·9 for March, and 77·5 for July, closing at 74·5 in December.

*Wool.*—Canadian wool markets reflected the firmness apparent at primary centres, where demand was influenced by unusually heavy Japanese purchases. Despite a slight increase in the world wool clip, unsold wool at the chief basic sources was shown as decidedly less at the end of 1936 than at the close of the previous year. The noteworthy drop in the New Zealand carryover from 64,000,000 pounds to 16,000,000 pounds was caused by the diversion of a large part of Japan's trade in wool to that country consequent to the unsettled tariff arrangements with Australia. The 1936 output of Canadian wool was estimated at 19,206,000 pounds or 165,000 pounds less than in 1935, and supplies were practically exhausted at the close of the year. An index of raw wool prices advanced from 62·9 in January to 78·4 in December, while corresponding indexes for wool fabric prices were 77·6 and 81·1.

*Rayon.*—Steady increase in demand for rayon yarn was apparent in 1936. World production rose from 930,960,000 pounds in 1935 to 1,019,090,000 pounds in the following year. Canadian output at 12,000,000 pounds was about 750,000 pounds below 1935 but production in the United States advanced 8 p.c. to 277,626,000 pounds, while consumption in that country was approximately 18 p.c. greater than in the previous year. A price index of artificial silk products dropped from 47·0 in January to 45·8 in December due to lower quotations for rayon yarn and women's hosiery.

*Silk.*—From January to June, world silk markets followed a fairly even course, but prices began to rise in July following an estimated 11 p.c. decrease in the Japanese new crop. The movement gained momentum in the fall months when a fairly general rise occurred in primary commodity price levels. Considerable liquidation subsequently took place in December and prices receded when United States consumption figures of 41,627 bales fell below trade expectations. World supplies of raw silk have been moving downward for some time and for the season ended June 30, 1936-37 were estimated at 35,750 metric tons as compared with 35,939

metric tons for the 1935-36 season. A raw silk price index dropped from 32.4 in January to 25.7 in June and then mounted to 32.0 for December. Small declines were noted for silk fabrics and hosiery.

*Miscellaneous Fibre Products.*—There was little change in prices of manila hemp for the first part of the year but latterly the market showed a radical improvement. As the year closed, the statistical position strengthened and stocks at the source of origin were in the neighbourhood of 128,000 bales as against 197,000 bales at the beginning of January. After opening firm, raw jute declined in July but stiffened when estimates indicated that the new crop would fall below world requirements. A composite price index for flax, hemp, and jute products moved irregularly lower from 51.9 in January to 44.5 in December.

### WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER

Prices for wood and its products advanced almost uninterruptedly and the index mounted from 67.4 in January to 69.6 in December. For the year, the average was 68.5 as compared with 64.6 in 1935. The principal price increases were for lumber, but newsprint, wood pulp, and furniture also recorded advances.

*Newsprint.*—A record output by Canadian mills of 3,860,000 tons of newsprint paper was reached in 1936 but the value was recorded at the lowest level in about thirty years if 1934 and 1935 be excepted. Some difficulty in meeting the increased demand was experienced, and mill operations were speeded up from about 77 p.c. of capacity in the opening days, to 88 p.c. by mid-year and to 91 p.c. during the last quarter. This compared with an average operating rate of 71 p.c. in 1935. Newsprint paper rolls f.o.b. mill were quoted at \$1.71 per cwt. in 1936 as against \$1.66 per cwt. in 1935.

*Wood Pulp.*—Sales of chemical wood pulp mounted steadily till by the last quarter of 1936 operations had reached capacity levels, and advancing prices furnished an incentive for the opening of new plants. At the close of the year, practically all mills had sold their 1937 production and some contracts had been placed for 1938 output. Less pronounced activity was apparent in groundwood pulp. Consumptive channels are not so diversified as for chemical grades, practically the entire output being absorbed by the paper trade. Unbleached sulphite pulp averaged \$36.36 per ton in 1936 and \$37.60 per ton f.o.b. mill in 1935. Groundwood pulp No. 1 f.o.b. mill rose from \$19.15 per ton in 1935 to \$20.10 per ton in 1936.

*Lumber and Timber.*—Decided improvement in Canadian lumber markets was due mostly to greatly increased exports with both hard and soft woods sharing in the movement. Demand for some types exceeded supply and comparatively early in the year, accumulations of dry descriptions were practically exhausted. Log production was increased and the British Columbia scale mounted to 1,200,000,000 bd. ft. or 340,000,000 bd. ft. greater than in 1935. Mill stocks at the close of the year, were reported lighter than for several years and retail dealers apparently were carrying small inventories. Although forwardings to the United States fell below quota allocations, foreign shipments of planks and boards rose from 1,337,041 M bd. ft. in 1935 to 1,749,860 M bd. ft. in the following year. Major price changes were shown for cedar, fir and hard woods, which caused a lumber price index to mount from 83.1 in January to 89.1 for December.

### IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS

During the first eleven months of 1936, the index for prices of iron and its products advanced only 1.1 to 88.3, but a sharp rise in December for nearly all specifications brought the index up to 91.4. Yearly figures for 1935 and 1936 were 87.2 and 88.0 respectively. Production of steel ingots mounted rapidly in the first half of the year but later slowed down. However, the year's output of 1,114,350 long tons exceeded the 1935 figure by 173,023 long tons. Pig iron production rose from 599,875 long tons in 1935 to 678,672 long tons in 1936 but imports of iron ore dropped from 1,509,933 tons to 1,317,033 tons during the same period. Throughout the year orders from the auto manufacturing and the mining industries were the chief sustaining force but increased demand from other sources was also apparent. Exports of iron and its products approximated \$52,304,000 or slightly over \$2,000,000 more than in 1935.

*Hardware.*—Reductions in axes, wire nails, wood screws and thumb latches were of sufficient proportions to reduce the index for prices of hardware from 87.5 in 1935 to 86.3 in 1936. For the third consecutive year the volume of sales by hardware dealers continued to advance and their 1936 value was about 11 p.c. greater than in the previous year.

### NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

A minor increase from 69.1 for 1935 to 70.0 for 1936 for the annual non-ferrous price series indicated a stability in this group which actually did not exist. The monthly non-ferrous index declined from 68.3 in January to 67.7 for June, and then rose at an accelerating rate to 77.8 for December. Copper, lead, tin, and aluminium contributed materially to the final advance, although tin declined sharply in the summer months and showed its first appreciable gain in November. Silver and antimony registered moderate recessions.

*Copper.*—An upward movement in copper, gained momentum in the latter half of 1936 and particularly towards the final months of the year. In the United Kingdom a rise of over 40 p.c. in cash quotations for standard copper, represented the greatest annual gain recorded in any peace time period. Production was closely controlled, and world stocks declined from 487,955 short tons to 458,914 short tons during the first six months. Meanwhile consumption increased and on August 1, the quotas of countries assenting to the curtailment agreement, were raised 5 p.c. to 75 p.c. of standard tonnages. Subsequently there came a wave of speculative buying in which European interests were prominent, and production allocations were advanced to 80 p.c. on October 1, 85 p.c. on October 15, 95 p.c. on November 1 and 105 p.c. on November 5, at which level they rested for the remainder of the year. London led the rising market and its gains were followed closely in the United States where spot copper closed at 12c. per pound Connecticut Valley basis as compared with an opening price of 9½c. World production was estimated at 1,596,000 long tons in 1936 compared with 1,438,000 long tons in 1935, while consumption at 1,880,000 long tons exceeded the 1935 figure by 190,000 long tons. World stocks at the close of December stood at 150,000 long tons or 55,000 tons below stocks at the end of the previous year. The Canadian index for electrolytic copper moved almost steadily forward from 58.9 in January to 73.3 in December. The average for the year was 63.9 as compared with 53.8 in 1935.

*Tin.*—The course of tin prices was affected materially by the progress made towards the resumption of the restriction agreement which had lapsed at the end of 1935. The price at Toronto opened at 52½c., reached 54c. in March, had dropped back to 48½c. by June, but closed the year at 58c. after touching 59c. per pound in November. World output had been restricted to 90 p.c. of standard tonnages at the beginning of the year but in the second quarter, quotas were reduced to 85 p.c. Uncertainty remained as to the quotas for the two subsequent quarters and prices moved irregularly. On June 25, they were restored to a 90 p.c. basis and markets weakened, but strengthened later when it was understood that the new allowance did not include Bolivia, which had showed a deficit in deliveries of 10,000 tons by mid-year. Fourth quarter allocations were not made known till September and then it was intimated that production rates would continue unchanged. Later, a five year agreement was announced which included a retroactive increase of 15 p.c. for fourth quarter operations, Bolivia operating at 90 p.c. and other signatory countries at 105 p.c. of standard tonnages. Consumption during the year totalled 154,000 long tons compared with 142,500 long tons in 1935. Visible supplies at the end of 1936 were 23,000 long tons as against 14,000 at the close of 1935.

*Silver.*—Fluctuations in silver in the New York market were narrow with quotations remaining unusually stable throughout the year. The market opened at 49½c. per ounce which proved to be high for the year, fell to a low of 44½c. on January 20, a level which obtained for all months other than April, May, November and December. London fluctuations, stimulated chiefly by speculative demand, were broader, but seldom were they sufficiently large to revise the New York price. Flurries at New York subsided on intimations that no change would be made in the buying policy of the United States Treasury. Open market purchases by the United States government aggregated 317,700,000 fine ounces in 1936 compared with 489,400,000 fine ounces in 1935. An index for fine silver fluctuated between 70.0 and 76.3 with the 1936 average of 72.6 approximately 43 p.c. below 1935.



*Lead.*—Considerable improvement both in prices and statistical position was shown for lead in 1936. Demand steadily increased and London cash prices moved up more than 80 p.c. during the year, from £15 10s. in January to £28 10s. per long ton in December. In the United States the rise was less noteworthy and quotations in the New York market mounted from 4½c. to 6c. per pound during the same interval. World output had been restricted by an informal understanding since July 1935, but in August 1936, this arrangement was cancelled. World output approximated 1,465,000 long tons in 1936 as compared with 1,400,000 in 1935, while consumption at 1,555,000 long tons in 1936 was 155,000 tons greater than in the previous year. The Canadian output for the year was approximately 161,590 short tons marking a decrease of about 8,000 tons from the previous year. Quotations for domestic lead at Montreal opened the year at \$4.36 and by June had fallen to \$4.09 per cwt. Advances during the latter half of the year brought lead to \$6.25 in December. Averages for 1935 and 1936 were \$3.93 and \$4.64 per cwt. respectively.

*Zinc.*—Early in the year, it appeared as if 1936 production might considerably exceed consumption, and prices at London moved down irregularly from £14 5s. in January to a low for the year of £13 3½s. on July 8. Negotiations for the re-establishment of a cartel agreement continued from October 1935 to the middle of 1936, but at the outbreak of trouble in Spain, discussions were abandoned. Speculators became active in the market in the latter part of the year and prices advanced, registering a total gain for the year of £6. In the United States, consumption at 500,000 long tons was 80,000 tons more than in 1935 while the United Kingdom showed a gain of only 15,000 long tons. The great increase in demand in the United States was ascribed to the employment of larger tonnages of pure zinc used in manufacturing alloys for die-casting which reached very high levels. World output rose from 1,325,000 long tons in 1935 to 1,445,000 long tons in 1936. Of this amount, Canada contributed 150,000 long tons in 1936 against 135,000 long tons in the preceding year. Domestic zinc prices advanced irregularly from \$4.22 in January to \$4.77 per cwt. in December, with an average for the year of \$4.15 or 26c. per cwt. higher than in the previous year.

### NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Price changes in this group were mostly of a minor character, and left the annual index for 1936 at 85.5 the same as for 1935. There were small advances for most grades of coal, coal oil, lime, plaster and pottery. These were balanced by declines for brick, gasoline, salt, and asbestos. The general movement of prices within the group was quite limited as indicated by the range through which monthly indexes moved. The high was 85.9 for February, March and December, and the low, 85.0 for October and November.

*Clay and Allied Products.*—Reductions in quotations for hollow building blocks were of sufficient proportions to overbalance a rise in stucco prices, and to lower the index for this series from 88.4 in 1935 to 88.0 in 1936. Reflecting an increase in the value of building contracts awarded, production of building brick was greater at 112,957 M as compared with 100,663 M in 1935. Total clay products produced in Canada in 1936 were valued at approximately \$3,430,000 or \$417,000 more than in 1935.

*Coal.*—Due chiefly to firmer quotations for most grades of coal, with the noteworthy exception of imported Welsh anthracite, the index for this group moved up from 91.0 in 1935 to 91.5 in 1936. The stronger price situation in the United States tended to reduce Canadian imports, the deficit being made up by increased consumption of domestic coal. Canadian output mounted from 13,888,000 tons in 1935 to 15,215,000 tons in 1936, and interprovincial shipments registered gains, particularly in the case of Quebec where receipts of domestic grades exceeded the previous year's figure by over 1,000,000 tons.

*Coke.*—Higher quotations for Ontario coke were chiefly responsible for raising the index for this group from 93.1 in 1935 to 94.5 in 1936. The total amount of coke available for consumption was 3,006,803 tons in 1936 as compared with 2,769,881 tons in 1935. Canadian production showed an increase of about 155,000 tons and imports were almost 80,000 tons greater.

*Petroleum and Its Products.*—Canadian production of crude oil increased slightly from 446,620 barrels in 1935 to 1,498,006 barrels in 1936 when several new wells commenced to produce in the Turner Valley. Consumption advanced as indicated by sales of gasoline which

aggregated 460,583,000 gallons in the first ten months of 1936 against 428,834,000 gallons in the same period of 1935. Unlike the price structure in the United States which remained comparatively stable, unusually low levels were recorded for gasoline at some of the larger consuming points in Canada. These were of more importance than increases for crude oil and coal oil, with the result that a price index for petroleum and its products dropped from 74.9 for 1935 to 73.4 for 1936.

*Lime.*—Quotations for both hydrated and quick lime moved up and the index rose from 99.7 in 1935 to 104.5 in 1936. With the widening of the uses for quick lime, production of both types advanced from 405,419 tons to 473,264 tons during this period.

*Cement.*—Minor rises in the price of cement at most distributing points resulted in an advance in the cement index from 105.2 in 1935 to 105.8 in 1936. The 1936 Canadian output was given as 4,509,000 barrels or 861,000 more than in 1935.

*Asbestos and Its Products.*—Higher prices for crude asbestos were offset by reductions in quotations for asbestos products and the index for asbestos products receded from 77.6 in 1935 to 75.8 in 1936. This represented price reductions in 1935, as 1936 price levels were firm, and sales at 301,287 tons reached the second largest total on record, being exceeded only by that of 1929.

### CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

There was an upward tendency in chemical prices during the latter half of 1936 which carried a monthly index up from 77.3 in January to 79.1 in December. However, the annual average of 78.0 was below the corresponding 1935 figure of 79.1. Advances predominated among inorganic chemicals, paint materials, and industrial gases, while declines prevailed in the groups for organic chemicals, tanning and dyeing materials, prepared paints, and fertilizers. The value of Canadian production of chemicals in 1936 at approximately \$127,000,000 showed an increase of 6 p.c. over 1935 and represented the greatest annual volume this group of industries has yet produced. Greater and more diversified demand resulted in increases in most of the thirteen branches of production. Imports of chemicals at \$31,971,000 and exports at \$17,750,000 were both moderately higher.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1933-1936  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS</b>									
Fruits, Fresh, Dried and Canned			59.3		66.6		67.3		72.6
Fruits, Fresh			76.7		81.4		77.1		79.0
Bananas	per pound		78.7		82.7		77.3		80.4
Bananas (1)	7 hands	0.054	74.8	0.053	80.3	0.048	72.7	0.050	73.3
Lemons, 300's	per bunch	1.233	74.0	2.971	85.7	2.892	83.4	2.896	83.5
Oranges, 96's-360's	per box	6.594	153.0	5.377	124.8	5.081	117.9	6.163	144.4
	per case	4.596	72.4	4.929	77.6	4.579	72.1	4.630	74.0
<b>Fruits, Dried</b>									
Currents, Australian, 2 Crown	per pound		85.6		86.6		82.6		81.4
Currents, Australian, 3 Crown	"				89.2		101		80.5
Raisins, Thompson's seedless	"	0.120	107.2	0.117	104.6	0.109	97.4	0.113	101.0
Raisins, Australian 3 Crown	"	0.114	87.3	0.118	90.4	0.125	95.7	0.125	95.7
Prunes, California, 50's-60's(2)	"			0.109		0.099		0.101	
		0.090	76.1	0.108	83.2	0.099	76.3	0.089	68.6
<b>Fruits, Canned</b>									
Peaches, 2's, heavy syrup, standard(3)	per dozen		68.7		68.5		70.0		67.9
Cherries, 2's, heavy syrup, red, pitted(3)	"	1.580	79.0	1.604	80.2	1.604	80.2	1.423	71.2
Raspberries, 2's, heavy syrup, red(3)	"	1.280	64.0	1.288	64.4	1.329	66.5	1.096	54.8
Corn Syrup	case	17.60	59.3	1.833	62.1	1.675	56.8	1.546	52.4
Orange Marmalade	4 lb. tins			3.825		3.950		4.017	
Strawberry Jam	"			4.28		4.23		4.38	
				0.633		0.658		0.639	
<b>Grains</b>									
Barley, No. 3 C.W.	per bushel		44.3		54.9		58.8		66.3
Barley, No. 4 C.W.	"	0.352	56.7	0.464	74.7	0.396	63.7	0.493	79.3
Barley, Ontario, good malting	"	0.327	55.9	0.444	75.9	0.360	61.5	0.467	79.8
Barley, No. 6	"	0.364	58.9	0.486	78.7	0.588	83.2	0.655	96.9
Corn, American yellow, No. 2	"	0.304	55.1	0.410	74.4	0.334	60.6	0.432	78.3
Corn, American yellow, No. 3	"	0.842	100.8	1.035	124.0	1.239	148.4	1.185	141.8
Flax, No. 1 C.W.	"	0.830	101.0	1.028	125.1	1.228	149.5	1.167	142.1
Flax, No. 2 C.W.	"	1.187	59.6	1.498	75.2	1.359	68.2	1.600	80.3
Flax, No. 3 C.W.	"	1.417	58.8	1.458	74.7	1.319	67.6	1.559	79.9
Oats, No. 2 C.W.	"	1.002	55.9	1.353	75.5	1.178	65.7	1.455	81.2
Oats, No. 3 C.W.	"	0.295	53.8	0.386	70.4	0.385	70.2	0.401	73.1
Oats, Ontario	"	0.271	57.1	0.357	75.2	0.341	71.8	0.361	76.0
Oats, No. 1 feed Western	"	0.275	60.9	0.364	80.5	0.324	71.7	0.357	79.0
Oats, No. 2 feed Western	"	0.263	57.8	0.347	76.2	0.322	70.8	0.340	74.7
Peas, No. 2 white, Ontario	"	0.244	57.3	0.322	78.0	0.294	69.1	0.322	75.7
Rye, No. 2 C.W.	"	1.083	88.4	1.175	95.9	1.108	90.4	1.246	101.7
Rye, No. 3 C.W.	"	0.422	47.7	0.538	58.0	0.442	47.7	0.574	61.9
Rye, rejected	"	0.413	47.3	0.501	57.4	0.403	46.2	0.540	61.9
Rye, No. 2 Ontario	"	0.398	46.8	0.478	56.2	0.373	43.9	0.504	59.3
Wheat, No. 2 Ontario	"	0.371	42.6	0.502	57.7	0.459	48.5	0.566	59.8
Wheat, No. 1 Manitoba North-ern	"	0.673	51.5	0.881	67.4	0.779	59.6	0.868	66.4
Wheat, No. 2 Manitoba North-ern	"	0.610	40.8	0.748	50.0	0.844	56.5	0.937	62.7
Wheat, No. 3 Manitoba North-ern	"	0.588	40.8	0.715	49.6	0.814	56.4	0.917	63.6
		0.570	40.9	0.694	49.8	0.769	55.2	0.883	63.4
<b>Flour and Other Milled Products</b>									
Flour, spring, No. 1 patent, Montreal	per 2-98's jute		58.3		68.3		69.8		75.5
Flour, No. 1 patent, at Winnipeg	per bbl.	5.090	57.7	5.500	62.4	5.425	61.5	6.083	68.9
Flour, spring, No. 2 patent, Montreal	per 2-98's jute			4.758		5.192		5.742	
Flour, No. 2 patent, at Winnipeg	per bbl.	4.480	53.8	4.975	59.8	5.017	60.3	5.683	68.3
Flour, Ontario	per 98 lb. sack	2.974	50.9	4.458	67.2	4.867	62.6	5.342	69.2
Oatmeal	per 98 lb. sack	2.980	83.0	3.238	90.1	3.162	88.0	3.288	91.6
Rolled oats	per 98's jute	2.700	82.2	2.942	89.6	2.858	87.1	2.967	90.2
Corn Meal	per bushel			2.679		2.900		2.929	
Malt	per ton	810	74.3	955	87.6	1.045	95.9	1.088	99.8
Gluten Meal	"	19.330	49.5	25.000	64.0	24.250	62.0	24.250	62.0
Bran, Manitoba	"	18.320	61.9	23.879	80.7	23.950	81.0	23.717	80.2
Shorts, Manitoba	"	19.350	61.5	24.918	79.1	25.150	79.8	25.288	80.3

(1) Per 100 pounds in 1934.

(2) Previous to 1934, 60's-70's.

(3) Squats in 1934 and 1935.



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1933-1936—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Bakery Products.....	per pound		81.7		82.8		83.0		84.0
Bread, plain white, Halifax.....	"	.060	81.9	.060	81.9	.060	81.9	.060	81.9
Bread, plain white, Saint John.....	"	.063	78.8	.059	73.8	.060	75.0	.060	75.0
Bread, plain white, Montreal.....	"	.057	77.2	.060	81.9	.060	81.9	.060	81.9
Bread, plain white, Toronto.....	"	.060	90.1	.060	90.1	.060	90.1	.060	90.1
Bread, plain white, Winnipeg.....	"	.050	83.3	.050	83.3	.050	83.3	.050	83.3
Bread, plain white, Regina.....	"	.049	67.6	.048	66.7	.050	69.4	.059	81.5
Bread, plain white, Calgary.....	"	.047	67.2	.043	60.9	.044	62.4	.051	72.3
Bread, plain white, Vancouver.....	"	.051	76.6	.053	79.6	.053	79.6	.055	82.6
Biscuits, soda.....	"	.114	86.4	.115	87.1	.129	97.7	.136	103.0
<b>Vegetable Oils</b>									
Cottonseed oil, refined.....	per pound	.082	56.1	.082	56.3	.099	70.8	.099	74.5
Linseed oil, raw.....	per gallon	.640	65.1	.747	76.0	.696	70.5	.800	70.5
Cocoonut oil, Manila.....	per cwt.	4.260	42.5	3.445	34.4	5.607	70.8	6.096	81.4
Olive oil, Italian (1).....	per 128 fluid ozs.	1.560	69.8	1.610	85.1	1.624	85.8	1.797	94.9
Peanut oil, oriental crude.....	per cwt.	4.950	50.7	4.138	42.4	6.687	68.5	6.863	70.3
Chinawood oil.....	per pound	.074	57.1	.087	67.1	.165	127.2	.159	122.6
Soya Bean oil, crude.....	per cwt.			5.375		5.456		5.942	
Palm oil, crude.....	"			3.292		5.050		4.742	
<b>Rubber and Its Products</b>									
Rubber, raw, plantation, Ceylon, ribbed smoked sheets.....	per pound	.064	53.4	.128	55.7	.124	56.8	.165	58.4
Rubber, raw, plantation, standard latex thick crepe.....	"	.071	13.1	.141	26.2	.126	25.4	.170	33.4
Rubber, raw, upriver, fine, Para.....	"	.086	14.4	.105	28.5	.103	25.5	.185	42.6
Rubbers, men's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	per pair	.687	19.8	.686	24.2	.686	23.7	.693	67.3
Rubbers, women's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	"			.598		.598		.605	
Rubber tires, balloon, 4.75-19(2).....		7.070	48.1	7.250	49.3	9.340	51.9	9.220	51.2
Rubber tires, balloon, 5.50-17(3).....		11.630	44.9	11.921	46.0	11.990	47.7	11.822	47.0
Tubes, B19(2).....				1.255		1.810		1.832	
Tubes, C17(3).....				1.836		2.210		2.237	
<b>Sugar and Its Products and Glucose</b>									
Sugar, granulated, Montreal.....	per cwt.	5.823	97.8	5.557	93.9	4.832	82.7	4.626	79.6
Sugar, granulated, Vancouver.....	"	5.538	97.7	5.392	93.3	4.698	81.1	4.529	77.6
Sugar, yellow, No. 1, Montreal.....	"		99.3	5.272	94.5	4.547		4.341	77.8
Sugar, yellow, No. 3, Vancouver.....	"	4.508		5.023		4.388	81.5	4.301	
Glucose, 44, Beaume.....	per gallon	.390	114.1	4.681	118.5	4.404	111.5	4.378	110.8
Molasses, Barbados, extra fancy.....	per cwt.		83.1	.434	92.5	.431	91.8	.414	88.2
Sugar, raw, preferential, B.W.I.....	"			1.973	40.0	1.899	38.5	1.890	38.3
Sugar, raw, Vancouver.....	"			2.415		2.282		2.259	
<b>Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices</b>									
Cocoa, beans, green, Estates Trinidad.....	per pound	.059	63.6	.076	71.7	.068	70.7	.113	73.2
Cocoa beans, Grenada.....	"		41.2	.066	53.0	.064	47.5	.098	78.9
Cocoa beans, Jamaica.....	"			.059		.060		.079	
Cocoa beans, Accra, good, fermented.....	"	.067	58.4	.072	62.8	.070	61.0	.089	77.6
Chocolate liquor, cheapest grade.....	"	.130	71.7	.110	60.7	.110	60.7	.128	71.2
Chocolate liquor, best grade.....	"	.190	68.9	.170	61.6	.170	61.6	.170	61.6
Cocoa butter, imported.....	"	.120	43.3	.134	48.4	.134	48.4	.182	65.7
Coffee, green, Santos, good quality.....	"	.174	63.9	.161	59.8	.153	56.1	.147	53.2
Coffee, green, Bogota, good quality.....	"	.212	61.0	.208	59.9	.197	56.7	.180	51.8
Coffee, green, Jamaica, good quality.....	"	.165	66.0	.155	62.0	.141	56.4	.128	51.2
Coffee, green, Kenya, best.....	"			.253		.246		.250	
Coffee, green, African, medium.....	"			.201		.157		.143	
Tea, Pekoe, Ceylon and India.....	"	.338	63.5	.437	82.1	.440	82.6	.440	82.6
Tea, Japan, choice to medium.....	"	.450	82.2	.450	82.2	.450	82.2	.450	82.6
Black pepper.....	"	.186	51.1	.204	56.0	.179	49.1	.155	42.2

(1) Previous to 1934—per gallon.

(2) Previous to 1935—4.40-21.

(3) Previous to 1935—5.25-21.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1933-1936—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Vegetables.....			53.7		45.7		46.0		69.7
Potatoes.....			44.4		33.9		33.4		67.5
Potatoes, Canada "A", Charlottetown.....	per 90-lb. bag	.556	33.4	.564	33.9	.418	25.1	.980	58.9
Potatoes, Halifax.....	"	.960	40.4	.933	39.3	.763	32.1	1.450	61.2
Potatoes, Canada "A", Saint John.....	per cwt.	.987	33.2	.919	30.9	.753	25.4	1.308 (c)	55.1
Potatoes, Quebec whites.....	per 80-lb. bag	.790	42.1	.701	37.4	.671	35.8	1.229	65.5
Potatoes, Ontario.....	per 90-lb. bag								
Potatoes, Manitoba.....	per cwt.	1.030	37.9	.631	23.2	.706	26.0	1.592	58.5
Potatoes, Canada "B", Vancouver.....	"	.980	74.2	.612	40.4	.599	45.4	1.157 (d)	97.4
	"	.810	40.3	.775	38.5	.729	36.3	1.504	74.8
Onions.....			73.5		71.7		81.0		71.3
Onions, Ontario.....	per cwt.	1.835	75.5	1.664	68.5	1.758	72.3	1.405	57.8
Onion, British Columbia.....	"	1.397	68.8	1.043	79.5	2.064	101.7	2.100	103.4
Canned Vegetables.....			76.1		73.4		72.2		76.2
Canned corn, 2's, standard, Ontario.....	per dozen	.850	73.9	.804	69.9	.875	76.1	.919	79.9
Canned peas, 2's, standard, No. 4.....	"	1.005	78.3	1.063	82.9	.931	72.6	.852	66.4
Canned tomatoes, 2½'s standard.....	"	.940	76.0	.883	67.3	.779	62.9	.916	71.6
Baked beans, 18 ounce tins.....	"			1.113		1.150		1.188	
<b>Tobacco</b>									
Tobacco, Ontario, burley(1).....	per pound	.108	43.4	.090	41.4		42.6		48.9
Tobacco, light cigarette, high grade.....	"		48.9		50.0	.093	51.7	.126	70.0
Tobacco, light pipe.....	"	.233	40.1	.275	47.4	.292	50.3		
Tobacco, mahogany pipe.....	"	.209	41.8	.214	42.8	.224	44.8		
Tobacco, dark pipe.....	"	.164	35.4	.160	35.6	.169	37.6		
Tobacco, dark type, air cured, high grade.....	"	.083	23.6	.084	24.0	.121	34.6		
Tobacco, dark type, fired, high grade.....	"	.089	31.8	.093	33.0	.085	30.4	.080	30.4
Tobacco, No. 1, Quebec leaf.....	"	.110	36.7	.113	37.5	.105	35.0	.130	33.4
Tobacco, flue cured(2).....	"			.113		.113			
Tobacco, large pipe(2).....	"							.252	50.3
Tobacco, small pipe, including aromatic(2).....	"							.080	37.1
Tobacco, cigar leaf(2).....	"							.150	45.0
	"							.105	60.4
<b>Miscellaneous</b>									
Hay, timothy, No. 2, Quebec.....	per ton	10.000	59.2		71.4		67.0		60.1
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Quebec.....	"	8.320	66.8	12.833	88.8	10.167	70.3	7.583	52.4
Hay, timothy, No. 2—good No. 2, Ontario.....	"			11.000	88.3	8.625	69.2	5.917	47.5
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Ontario.....	"	9.522	57.2	16.078	96.6	13.495	81.1	9.896	59.5
Hay, alfalfa, Ontario.....	"	7.828	52.4	14.271	95.5	11.542	77.3	8.296	56.2
Hay, Saskatoon.....	"	9.800	54.1	16.542	66.7	14.750	59.5	10.792	43.5
Hay, Edmonton.....	"	11.167	54.5	12.479	59.1	12.250	56.0	11.333	51.8
Straw, oat, Montreal.....	"	9.625	54.1	6.167	57.7	9.917	92.9	13.833	77.7
Straw, wheat, baled, Toronto.....	"	5.325	75.5	7.478	106.1	5.542	78.6	4.271	60.6
Straw, oat, baled, Toronto.....	"	6.438	61.6	9.820	94.0	9.375	89.7	5.625	53.9
Straw, wheat, Edmonton.....	"	5.917	58.3	8.606	84.8	8.563	84.4	5.667	55.9
Straw, oat, Edmonton.....	"	2.841	32.2	2.875	32.5	3.250	36.8	6.250	70.8
	"	3.000	28.6	3.167	30.2	4.375	41.7	7.250	69.0
Rosin.....	per barrel	7.260	41.1	8.133	46.1	8.775	49.7	9.101	51.5
Turpentine.....	per gallon	.790	57.9	.829	60.7	.804	58.9	.717	52.5
Starch, laundry.....	per pound	.076	95.0	.080	100.0	.083	103.8	.084	105.0
Vinegar, pure spirit, XXX grade..	per gallon	.259	76.2	.272	80.0	.272	80.0	.230	67.6
Rice, Rangoon "B".....	per cwt.	2.892	66.8	2.862	66.1	2.791	64.5	2.956	68.3
Rice, Japan.....	"	3.919	55.2	3.353	47.2	3.570	50.3	4.615	65.0
Rice, Chinese Peking.....	"	3.269	62.1	3.392	64.5	3.961	75.3	4.068	77.3
Rice, Blue Rose.....	"			5.212		4.720		4.781	
Tapioca, Singapore, medium pearl.....	per pound	.064	97.1	.070	106.2	.070	106.2	.070	106.2
Tapioca, Penang.....	"	.062	101.8	.068	111.7	.068	111.7	.068	111.7

(1) New source in 1934. (2) New item in 1936. (c) Per 80-lb. bag. (d) Per 90-lb. bag.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1933-1936—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS									
Fishery Products			59.4		67.2		70.4		71.8
Dry shore cod fish	per quintal	3.330	62.9	4.489	81.6	4.094	74.4	3.771	68.6
Cod, fresh steak, headless <sup>(1)</sup>	per pound		60.5			.045	.048		
Mackerel, salt, spring <sup>(2)</sup>	per barrel	4.730	35.9	6.583	24.9	7.667	29.0	6.417	24.3
Smoked herring	per 20 lb. box	1.750	87.5	1.685	84.4	1.500	75.0	1.533	76.7
Smoked finnan haddie	per pound	.077	85.9	.094	104.9	.088	98.2	.090	100.4
Sole, fresh <sup>(1)</sup>	"					.055		.063	
Smoked filets, cod	"	.077	58.9	.106	81.0	.093	71.1	.095	72.6
Haddock, fresh	"	.043	72.7	.051	86.2	.045	76.1	.048	81.1
Filets of haddock, fresh <sup>(1)</sup>	"					.108		.113	
Whitefish (fresh and frozen)	"	.109	80.0	.120	88.1	.119	87.3	.132	96.9
Halibut, No. 1	per cwt.	6.475	43.0	7.110	47.2	7.075	47.0	8.133	54.0
Salmon, canned, sockeye	per case	14.410	77.0	15.169	81.0	14.995	80.1	14.670	78.3
Salmon, canned, coho	"	9.080	66.4	8.579	62.8	9.220	67.5	9.738	71.3
Salmon, canned, pinks	"	4.690	62.5	5.198	69.3	5.402	72.0	4.947	65.9
Salmon, canned, chums	"	3.850	62.2	4.509	72.8	4.226	68.2	3.717	60.0
Lobsters, canned	"	16.080	53.6	21.375	71.3	22.583	75.3	24.210	80.7
Furs									
Beaver	per skin	11.793	41.4	10.852	38.1	9.331	32.7	12.979	59.8
Wensel	"	5.583	27.1	.774	36.0	.675	31.6	.853	42.4
Red fox	"	7.375	51.1	8.000	55.4	6.850	47.4	7.205	49.9
Silver fox	"	39.250	51.6	40.828	53.7	39.048	51.3	33.555	44.2
White fox	"	24.300	66.6	24.350	66.7	17.672	48.7	17.750	48.6
Marten	"	12.542	71.7	11.900	68.1	11.672	66.8	15.862	104.4
Mink	"	9.643	55.9	11.638	67.4	9.750	56.5	15.362	91.9
Lynx	"	18.917	81.8	17.938	77.6	25.563	110.5	42.330	183.1
Muskrat, spring	"	.760	35.6	1.158	54.3	1.119	52.5	1.663	78.0
Muskrat, fall and winter	"	.430	27.4	.831	53.0	.885	56.5	1.206	76.9
Hides and Skins									
Beef hides, country cured	per pound		56.4		57.7		69.2		80.4
Packer hides, native steers	"	.041	30.8	.046	34.6	.063	57.4	.075	56.6
Packer hides, native cows <sup>(1)</sup>	"	.095	70.5	.094	69.8	.122	90.6	.129	96.0
Calf skins, city cured	"			.080		.096		.105	
Sheep skins, city cured	per skin	.103	34.8	.085	28.7	.105	35.5	.125	42.1
Sheep skins, country cured	"	.808	69.5	.922	79.3	.817	70.2	1.092	93.3
		.471	90.1	.689	131.7	.696	133.1	.954	181.0
Leather									
Packer Crops, No. I and II <sup>(1)</sup>	per pound		79.3		77.7		79.0		87.7
Packer Crops, No. III <sup>(1)</sup>	"			.305	79.1	.318	82.4	.363	94.0
Packer Bends, No. I and II <sup>(1)</sup>	"			.285		.298		.343	
Packer Bends, No. III <sup>(1)</sup>	"			.336		.360		.413	
Shoulders <sup>(1)</sup>	"			.309		.328		.391	
Bellies <sup>(1)</sup>	"			.234		.233		.248	
Box sides, B.	"			.183		.186		.187	
Box sides, E.	per foot	.209	79.6	.206	78.5	.212	80.8	.240	91.1
Harness leather, No. 1	per foot	.365	82.3	.358	80.8	.360	81.2	.371	83.3
Gun metal calf, M No. 1	per foot	.313	77.4	.321	79.4	.312	77.1	.347	85.5
Boots and Shoes									
Women's shoes	per pair		89.4		87.3		85.3		88.8
Men's shoes	"	2.284	92.3	1.966	85.6	1.795	81.2	1.817	82.2
				3.549	87.5	3.761	87.3	3.948	91.1
Live Stock									
Steers, Toronto, over 1,050 lbs.	per cwt.		55.3		69.4		79.4		72.2
Steers, Winnipeg, over 1,050 lbs.	"	4.630	63.2	5.506	75.1	6.438	87.8	5.539	75.7
Calves, good veal, Toronto	"	3.670	61.3	4.180	69.8	5.362	89.5	4.663	77.7
Calves, good veal, Winnipeg	"	6.200	52.7	6.609	56.2	7.733	65.7	8.538	72.9
Hogs, bacon, Montreal	"	4.840	64.9	4.973	66.7	5.789	77.6	5.937	79.7
Hogs, bacon, Toronto	"	5.850	45.4	8.724	64.4	8.982	66.3	8.969	66.6
Hogs, bacon, Winnipeg	"	5.540	41.6	8.608	64.6	8.973	67.4	8.461	66.6
Lambs, good handyweight, Montreal	"	4.810	39.5	7.728	63.5	8.001	65.7	8.130	70.0
Lambs, good handyweight, Toronto	"	6.170	52.1	6.985	58.9	7.536	63.6	8.318	69.0
Lambs, good handyweight, Winnipeg	"	6.920	53.0	7.622	58.4	7.706	59.0	9.000	69.0
Lambs, good handyweight, Winnipeg	"	5.320	49.0	6.018	56.3	6.355	58.6	7.489	69.0

<sup>(1)</sup> New item. <sup>(2)</sup> New source in 1934.



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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
<b>Meats and Poultry</b> .....			52.5		67.9		70.6		70.0
Meats, Fresh.....			55.6		65.4		73.8		71.1
Beef, carcass, good steer, Montreal.....	per pound	·089	64.5	·099	71.7	·114	82.6	·102	74.1
Beef, carcass, good steer, Toronto.....	"	·094	70.7	·092	80.0	·108	93.9	·096	83.5
Beef, carcass, good steer, Winnipeg.....	"	·079	63.6	·076	61.2	·084	67.6	·088	70.9
Beef, carcass, good steer, Vancouver.....	"	·089	69.6	·096	75.1	·113	88.4	·108	84.7
Beef, carcass, good cow, Montreal.....	"	·067	59.1	·074	65.3	·081	71.5	·076	66.9
Beef, carcass, good cow, Toronto.....	"	·066	61.9	·063	72.4	·076	87.4	·072	82.8
Beef, carcass, good cow, Winnipeg.....	"	·048	49.5	·047	48.5	·058	59.8	·056	57.8
Beef, carcass, good cow, Vancouver.....	"	·063	62.5	·071	70.4	·075	74.4	·069	68.2
Veal, good carcass, Montreal.....	"	·094	55.3	·098	57.6	·107	62.9	·114	66.9
Veal, good carcass, Toronto.....	"	·093	47.7	·099	50.8	·121	62.1	·134	68.7
Veal, good carcass, Winnipeg.....	"	·086	54.6	·089	56.5	·104	66.0	·107	68.2
Lamb, good, Montreal.....	"	·142	65.3	·145	66.7	·145	66.7	·178	81.6
Lamb, good, Toronto.....	"	·139	54.9	·149	58.8	·152	60.0	·175	69.1
Lamb, good, Winnipeg.....	"	·133	53.2	·138	55.2	·141	56.4	·154	61.6
Lamb, good, Vancouver.....	"	·148	50.7	·154	52.8	·154	52.8	·176	60.3
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Montreal.....	"	·089	40.9	·127	58.2	·131	60.0	·127	58.2
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Toronto.....	"	·090	43.6	·124	60.1	·133	64.5	·129	62.3
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Winnipeg.....	"	·079	38.3	·120	58.5	·127	62.0	·123	60.0
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Vancouver.....	"	·097	45.7	·134	63.2	·140	66.0	·143	67.5
Pork carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Toronto.....	"	·093	43.7	·132	62.0	·139	65.3	·134	62.7
Pork carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Winnipeg.....	"	·084	41.0	·126	61.5	·130	63.4	·126	61.3
Fowl, dressed.....	"	·111	48.4	·118	51.5	·121	52.8	·147	64.1
<b>Meats, Prepared</b> .....			49.8		73.7		70.4		69.8
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.....	per pound	·132	38.9	·234	69.0	·227	66.9	·213	62.6
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.....	"	·158	47.9	·267	80.9	·238	71.2	·239	72.3
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.....	"	·173	48.4	·270	75.5	·243	68.0	·240	67.1
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.....	"	·181	44.3	·275	67.4	·243	59.5	·249	61.0
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.....	"	·148	45.8	·211	65.3	·223	69.0	·215	66.6
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.....	"	·161	50.4	·224	70.2	·245	76.8	·244	76.5
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.....	"	·160	49.6	·222	68.8	·247	74.1	·242	74.9
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.....	"	·163	46.6	·218	62.3	·229	65.4	·242	69.1
Mess pork, barrelled, Montreal.....	per barrel	16.580	41.7	21.333	53.7	23.583	59.3	23.833	59.9
Mess pork, barrelled, Toronto.....	"	21.130	59.3	25.958	72.9	25.083	70.4	23.625	66.3
Mess pork, barrelled, Winnipeg.....	"	25.500	64.6	28.458	72.0	26.750	67.7	27.750	70.3
Mess pork, barrelled, Vancouver.....	"	19.040	40.1	22.417	47.2	24.167	50.9	27.000	56.8
<b>Milk and Its Products</b> .....			60.2		64.7		68.2		71.0
Milk, Charlottetown.....	per gallon	·128	64.0	·127	63.5	·158	79.0	·160	80.0
Milk, Halifax.....	"	·234	96.1	·220	90.4	·215	88.3	·215	88.3
Milk, Saint John.....	"	·165	62.3	·200	75.5	·187	70.6	·200	75.5
Milk, Montreal.....	per cwt.	1.420	60.3	1.575	66.9	1.697	72.1	1.743	74.0
Milk, Quebec.....	per gallon	·142	58.0	·150	61.2	·162	66.1	·171	69.8
Milk, Ottawa.....	per cwt.	1.400	57.1	1.537	62.7	1.813	74.0	2.050	83.7
Milk, Toronto.....	per 8 gallon can	1.318	65.5	1.551	77.1	1.730	86.0	1.730	86.0

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Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
<b>Milk and Its Products—Con.</b>									
Milk, Hamilton.....	per gallon	160	60.4	188	70.9	210	79.2	210	79.2
Milk, Winnipeg.....	per cwt.	1 530	70.8	1 570	72.6	1 668	77.1	1 695	78.4
Milk, Saskatoon.....	per pound	463	74.1	467	74.7	480	76.8	488	78.1
	butter fat								
Milk, Regina.....	per gallon	176	76.5	175	76.1	185	80.4	185	80.4
Milk, Calgary.....	per cwt.	1 688	70.6	1 883	78.7	1 950	81.5	2 083	87.0
Milk, Edmonton.....	"	1 608	68.9	1 788	76.6	1 850	79.3	1 913	82.0
Milk, Vancouver.....	per pound	453	61.1	430	58.0	522	70.5	530	71.5
	butter fat								
Milk, Victoria.....	per gallon	207	88.8	193	82.8	199	85.4	200	86.0
Condensed milk.....	per case	8 100	100.0	8 100	100.0	8 100	100.0	8 100	100.0
Evaporated milk.....	"	3 810	74.7	3 600	70.6	3 600	70.6	3 600	70.6
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Montreal.....	per pound	233	59.7	243	62.3	249	63.8	253	64.9
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Toronto.....	"	235	56.6	247	59.5	251	60.5	257	61.9
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Winnipeg.....	"	218	55.1	232	58.6	235	59.4	247	62.4
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Regina.....	"	226	58.2	235	61.3	253	65.2	254	65.5
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Calgary.....	"	225	59.5	234	61.9	238	62.9	248	65.6
Butter, No. 1 prints, Vancouver (1).....	"			245		253		269	
Cheese, new, large, at Montreal.....	"	104	82.8	104	52.8	115	58.3	131	66.5
Cheese, old, large, at Montreal.....	"	158	69.5	154	67.8	150	66.0	161	70.8
Cheese, large, coloured, new, at Toronto.....	"	108	51.2	128	50.4	136	53.5	153	60.2
<b>Oils and Fats.....</b>									
			54.4		57.8		77.1		69.9
Lard, Montreal.....	per pound	084	48.6	089	51.4	126	72.8	115	66.2
Lard, Toronto.....	"	101	57.0	106	60.0	142	80.4	130	73.6
Lard, Winnipeg.....	"	098	52.3	106	56.4	139	73.9	124	66.0
Lard, Vancouver.....	"	106	53.7	120	60.8	140	70.9	132	66.8
Tallow.....	"	045	51.1	047	53.4	064	72.7	055	62.5
<b>Eggs (2).....</b>									
			53.2		60.2		60.5		67.3
Fresh, Grade A large, Halifax.....	per dozen	272	57.6	324	68.6	321	68.0	340	72.0
Fresh, Grade A large, Saint John.....	"	267	57.2	309	66.2	311	66.6	330	70.7
Fresh, Grade A large, Montreal.....	"	280	60.2	315	67.7	312	67.1	340	73.1
Fresh, Grade A large, Toronto.....	"	261	56.5	297	64.3	293	63.4	317	68.6
Fresh, Grade A large, Winnipeg.....	"	203	48.2	249	59.1	256	60.8	295	70.1
Fresh, Grade A large, Saskatoon.....	"	182	44.8	212	52.2	220	54.2	250	61.6
Fresh, Grade A large, Calgary.....	"	203	49.2	232	56.2	274	66.3	274	66.3
Fresh, Grade A large, Vancouver.....	"	245	62.2	262	66.5	252	64.0	292	74.1
Fresh, Grade B, Halifax.....	per dozen	228	53.1	245	57.1	240	55.9	255	59.4
Fresh, Grade B, Saint John.....	"	171	40.5	225	53.3	233	55.2	252	59.7
Fresh, Grade B, Montreal.....	"	221	53.6	227	55.1	238	57.8	265	64.3
Fresh, Grade B, Toronto.....	"	209	51.4	229	56.3	228	56.0	253	62.2
Fresh, Grade B, Winnipeg.....	"	170	44.9	207	54.6	211	55.7	235	62.0
Fresh, Grade B, Saskatoon.....	"	165	41.9	185	50.0	179	48.4	207	55.9
Fresh, Grade B, Calgary.....	"	165	44.1	188	50.3	213	57.0	218	58.3
Fresh, Grade B, Vancouver.....	"	216	59.7	236	65.2	217	59.9	286	79.0
Fresh, Grade C, Halifax.....	per dozen	185	55.6	213	64.0	202	60.7	215	64.6
Fresh, Grade C, Saint John.....	"	162	47.3	192	56.1	203	59.4	227	66.4
Fresh, Grade C, Montreal.....	"	173	51.2	204	60.4	212	62.7	228	70.4
Fresh, Grade C, Toronto.....	"	164	51.1	214	66.7	207	64.5	230	71.7
Fresh, Grade C, Winnipeg.....	"	120	39.9	176	58.5	179	59.5	203	67.4
Fresh, Grade C, Saskatoon.....	"	125	41.5	162	53.8	155	51.5	179	59.5
Fresh, Grade C, Calgary.....	"	116	38.8	151	50.5	177	59.2	189	63.2
Fresh, Grade C, Vancouver.....	"	247	76.9			155	48.3	192	59.8
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.....</b>									
			69.7		72.9		70.2		69.6
Raw Cotton.....					70.4		69.6		71.1
Raw cotton, upland middling.....	per pound	094	53.7	122	69.8	119	68.0	121	69.4
Raw cotton, middling, 1 <sup>1</sup> to 1-1/16".....	"	106	54.6	138	71.1	138	71.1	141	72.6
Yarn and Thread.....			82.3		85.5		82.2		82.7
Cotton thread, 6 cord.....	per gross	10 440	89.7	10 480	90.0	10 080	86.6	10 150	87.2
Cotton yarn, 10's, white, single hosiery cop.....	per pound	251	68.2	303	82.3	296	80.4	295	80.2
Cotton yarn, 24's, hosiery cones (1).....	"			349		338		339	
Cotton yarn, 20's, white cop. (1).....	"			333		323		329	
Cotton yarns, 30's, white cop. (1).....	"			373		345		350	

(1) New item. No index comparison possible.

(2) Previous to November, 1933: Eggs fresh extras, firsts, seconds.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1933-1936—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>Cotton Fabrics.</b>									
Cottonades, 8 oz. cloth, 2-00 yds. to lb.			77.6		78.7		76.4		72.6
Denim, black, 2-40 yds. to lb.	per pound	.399	68.5	.432	74.2	.430	73.8	.411	70.6
Denim, blue, 2-40 yds. to lb.	"	.377	70.2	.418	77.8	.400	74.5	.404	75.2
Ticking, 2-00 yds. to lb.	"	.395	69.3	.403	70.7	.386	67.7	.389	68.1
Shirting, 4-00 yds. to lb.	"	.423	69.9	.453	74.9	.434	71.7	.428	70.7
Flannelette, about 5-00 yds. to lb.	"	.532	77.1	.572	82.9	.580	84.1	.588	85.2
Dress gingham, 6-50-7.75 yds. to lb.	"	.500	65.3	.516	67.4	.511	66.7	.504	65.8
Apron gingham, 4-20 yds. to lb.	"	.975	89.8	.959	88.3	.905	83.3	.816	75.1
Cotton blankets, 12/4 (3½ lbs. per pr.)	"	.658	82.5	.695	87.1	.704	88.2	.704	88.2
Pillow cotton, 42" wide (1)	per yard	.471	87.2	.502	92.9	.495	91.6	.482	89.2
Wide cotton duck, 60", No. 1 (1)	"			.227		.225		.222	
Bleached flannelette, about 4-50 yds. to lb.				1.001		.996		.964	
Bleached flannelette, about 5-75 yds. to lb.	per pound	.475	66.2	.481	67.1	.477	66.5	.471	65.7
Napped sheeting, 72", unbleached.	"	.497	67.5	.507	68.9	.495	67.3	.485	65.9
Grey cotton	per yard	.402	68.8	.425	72.8	.425	72.8	.374	64.0
Bleached cotton	"	.089	69.4	.098	76.4	.097	75.6	.097	75.6
Cotton sheeting, 8/4	"	.087	82.0	.094	88.6	.094	88.6	.095	89.5
Print	"	.215	74.8	.229	79.7	.227	79.0	.224	78.0
Gingham, Canadian, 6-37 yds. to lb.	"	.128	90.7	.136	96.4	.135	95.7	.126	89.3
		.174	103.5	.175	104.1	.168	99.9	.152	90.4
<b>Knit Cotton Goods</b>			77.8		82.0		82.6		82.3
Men's cotton underwear, Balbriggan	per dozen pr.	3.500	77.8	3.688	82.0	3.675	81.7	3.600	80.0
Men's cotton combinations (1)	"			9.250		9.667		9.750	
Men's cotton combinations, 34-44 (1)	"			7.296		7.350		7.350	
<b>Miscellaneous Cotton Products.</b>									
Sash cord, Hercules, No. 8*	per pound	.540	105.2	.434	109.1	.406	102.1	.372	93.5
<b>Miscellaneous Fibres and Their Products.</b>									
Linen thread, 3 cord, best quality.	per dozen	.888	48.4	.960	51.5	1.023	50.9	1.015	46.3
Raw jute, first marks	per cwt.	4.720	48.4	4.271	54.7	4.333	103.4	1.015	102.6
Hessian, 10½ oz. 40" wide	per 100 yds.	5.730	50.7	6.146	54.3	5.604	55.5	4.625	59.2
Manila hemp, "I", 12½ p.c. fair current	per pound	.044	29.7	.038	25.7	.059	39.9	.086	57.9
Mexican sisal	"	.035	39.0	.036	40.1	.047	45.7	.063	69.6
Binder twine, sisal, 500 feet.	"	.059	44.8	.075	56.9	.064	48.6	.072	54.2
Rope, Manila	"	.138	50.6	.144	52.9	.152	55.9	.185	68.0
Linen huck towelling, 18" (1)	per yard			.395		.393		.420	
Jute Bags, No. 98 (1)	per 1000 bags			104.354		104.625		91.958	
Burlap bags, No. 100 (1)	"			101.771		100.750		85.292	
<b>Raw Silk.</b>			28.2		21.0		27.0		28.8
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c. 13/15 denier (1)	per pound			1.536		1.904		1.897	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 13/15 denier (1)	"			1.418		1.812		1.851	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 13/15 denier (1)	"			1.362		1.746		1.821	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 13/15 denier (1)	"			1.325		1.700		1.789	
Silk, raw, XX, 73 p.c., 13/15 denier (1)	"			1.297		1.677		1.759	
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c., 20/22 denier (1)	"			1.313		1.701		1.825	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 20/22 denier (1)	"			1.286		1.671		1.786	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 20/22 denier (1)	"			1.264		1.649		1.758	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 20/22 denier (1)	"			1.245		1.631		1.743	

(1) New item. No index comparison possible. \*New basis of quoting in 1934.



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1933-1936—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Silk Thread and Yarn.....			62.8		63.9		63.9		62.3
Silk spool, 50 yds., letter "A".....	per dozen	.600	66.7	.600	66.7	.600	66.7	.605	67.2
Silk machine twist, 16 oz.....	per pound	9.330	62.6	9.500	63.7	9.500	63.7	9.250	62.0
Silk hosiery.....			66.5		65.9		65.8		65.8
Hosiery, men's, pure silk.....	per dozen	5.860	75.6	5.888	76.0	5.758	74.3	5.883	75.9
Hosiery, women's, pure silk.....	"	9.540	62.3	9.921	61.3	6.025	62.4	5.913	61.2
Silk Fabrics.....			51.5		49.4		46.3		45.5
Crepe de Chine (1).....	per yard			.456	64.4	.440	62.1	.458	64.7
Flat crepe (1).....	"			.729	42.9	.700	41.2	.521	30.6
Georgette, 3 thread (1).....	"			.679	51.5	.658	49.9	.635	48.2
Faille (1).....	"			1.017	49.6	.888	43.3	.900	43.9
Artificial Silk and Its Products.....			60.9		56.1		50.5		46.2
Rayon yarn, 150 deniers.....	per pound	.813	53.3	.763	50.0	.713	46.8		
Rayon yarn, 100 deniers (1).....	"			.888		.813			
Rayon yarn, 150 deniers, weaving (1).....	"			.671		.600		.580	
Rayon yard, 100 deniers, bright weaving (1).....	"			.808		.725		.708	
Hosiery, women's, artificial silk (2).....	per dozen	4.790	79.8	4.220	70.3	2.500	62.5	2.350	58.8
Raw Wool.....			47.0		61.3		50.4		68.1
Raw wool, eastern bright, $\frac{1}{2}$ blood.....	per pound	.137	44.8	.181	59.2	.153	50.0	.208	68.0
Raw wool, western domestic, semi-bright, $\frac{1}{2}$ blood.....	"	.145	48.9	.190	64.1	.151	50.9	.204	68.8
Raw wool, western domestic, semi-bright, $\frac{1}{2}$ blood.....	"	.157	49.7	.199	63.0	.160	50.7	.214	67.8
Yarns, Wool.....			69.3		88.5		82.2		85.1
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36, 56's.....	per pound	.720	65.2	1.002	90.7	.968	87.6	1.011	91.5
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36, 58's.....	"	.770	63.9	1.099	91.2	1.067	88.5	1.113	92.4
Worsted cloth yarn, 2/24, 58's (1).....	"			1.006		.915		.960	
Worsted cloth yarn, 2/24, 60's (1).....	"			1.069		.956		.993	
Worsted cloth yarn, fine, 2/45, 64's.....	"	.990	64.4	1.217	79.2	1.121	72.9	1.161	75.6
Worsted cloth yarn, 4 ply, 8's, 46's.....	"	.700	85.3	.833	101.5	.750	91.4	.746	90.9
Hosiery and Knit Goods.....			81.5		91.3		87.1		86.8
Hosiery, men's woollen.....	per dozen	2.680	81.0	3.229	97.6	3.017	91.2	2.988	90.4
Men's cashmere half hose (1).....	dozen pair			4.750		4.150		4.150	
Knitted woollen underwear, men's.....	per dozen	14.630	83.8	15.454	88.6	14.917	85.5	14.954	85.7
Men's woollen combinations (1).....	"			32.000		31.167		31.000	
Men's woollen shirts and drawers (1).....	"			20.000		20.000		20.000	
Wool Blankets.....	per pound	.663	67.7	.816	83.3	.750	76.5	.797	81.3
Cloth.....			73.9		79.6		72.9		78.5
Woollen cloth, fine grade (2).....	per yard	1.870	70.6	2.063	77.8	1.529	70.7	1.696	78.4
Woollen cloth, coarse grade, 46's top (2).....	"	1.290	86.5	1.383	92.7	1.013	88.2	1.088	90.0
Serge, botany, 64's top, 16-17 oz.....	"	1.770	69.6	1.915	75.3	1.702	67.0	1.850	72.3
Serge, botany, 64's top, 13-14 oz.....	"	1.510	75.1	1.642	81.7	1.531	76.2	1.671	83.3
Flannel, white, 32" per yard (1).....	"			.621		.650		.650	
Suiting, fancy, worsted, 13 oz. (1).....	"			1.983		1.721		1.846	
Carpets.....			85.4		88.5		92.5		90.0
Carpets, Wilton, 9' x 12' (2).....		35.270	85.4	38.513	88.8	40.300	92.9	38.933	89.0
Carpets, Axminster, 9' x 12'.....		23.850	85.5	24.700	88.6	25.760	92.4	25.760	92.0
WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....			62.8		65.4		64.6		68.8
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....			55.3		53.9		54.0		55.5
Newsprint paper rolls.....	cwt.	1.710	52.6	1.660	51.1	1.660	51.1	1.711	52.2
Paper, Manila, No. 1.....		5.320	81.7	5.363	82.3	5.400	82.9	5.400	82.2

(1) New item. No index comparison possible.

(2) New price series in 1934.

(2) New grade.

TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1933-1936—Continued

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Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—</b>									
<i>Continued</i>									
Lumber and Timber.....			70.8		78.6		77.8		86.3
Canadian white pine.....			81.4		87.2		88.5		91.3
"C" selects and better, 1" thick.....	per M feet board measure	75.000	65.2	79.583	69.2	80.000	69.6	80.000	69.6
No. 1 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 10'/16'.....	"			89.583		92.500		95.833	
No. 2 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 10'/16'.....	"			66.583		69.500		75.333	
No. 1 and 2 common, 1 x 8-8'/16'.....	"			44.750		45.000		45.000	
No. 3 common, 1 x 8-6'/16'.....	"			31.917		30.500		32.167	
No. 4 common, 1 x 4/9-6'/16'.....	"			26.583		27.000		27.167	
No. 5 common, 1 x 4/9-6'/16'.....	"			22.667		23.000		23.833	
No. 6 common, 1 x 4 and up, 6'/16'.....	"			14.750		16.833		19.083	
Lath, No. 1.....	per M	4.750	47.3	4.750	47.3	5.354	53.3	6.958	69.3
<b>Spruce.....</b>									
Quebec spruce deals, 2" x 4', 8'/16'.....	per M feet board measure		60.4		74.2		70.6		79.7
Quebec spruce lumber, 3" x 8", 8'/16'.....	"	19.420	62.8	25.545	82.6	26.583	86.0	25.792	90.1
Lath, spruce, Quebec, 1 1/2" x 4'.....	per M	25.000	69.5	30.727	85.5	31.583	87.8	31.958	90.3
Lath, Maritime, No. 1, 1 1/2" x 4'.....	"	3.380	50.7	3.750	56.2	3.750	56.2	4.146	62.2
Merchantable sawn spruce deals, 3" x 3" and up.....	per M feet board measure	2.310	45.5	2.250	44.3	2.250	44.3	2.958	58.3
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 3" to 2" x 6".....	"	13.920	63.6	18.208	83.2	15.083	69.0	18.792	85.9
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 7".....	"	11.790	53.6	13.833	62.9	12.042	54.7	14.250	64.8
	"	14.290	63.5	16.354	72.7	14.542	60.6	16.750	69.8
<b>Hardwoods.....</b>									
Maple, hard, 4/4" f.a.s.....	per M feet board measure		67.2		71.2		75.3		77.3
Maple, soft, C. and B.....	"	45.000	61.7	54.000	64.1	60.000	71.2	61.250	72.7
Oak, red, plain, f.a.s.....	"	40.000	80.0	40.000	80.0	40.000	80.0	41.250	82.5
Birch, C. and B.....	"	75.000	67.9	75.000	67.9	75.000	67.9	75.750	68.6
	"	42.000	68.7	47.333	77.4	51.083	83.5	53.000	86.7
<b>Hemlock.....</b>									
Hemlock, 2" mill run.....	per M feet board measure		68.3		72.4		74.9		75.8
Hemlock, 2" culls.....	"	17.250	69.0	18.292	73.2	18.958	75.8	19.000	76.0
	"	11.330	60.2	12.000	63.7	12.083	64.2	13.917	73.9
<b>Fir.....</b>									
No. 1 common fir timber, 3" x 4" to 4" x 12", 12'-40'.....	per M feet board measure		69.4		85.2		78.4		92.4
No. 1 common fir timber, 6" x 6" to 12" x 12", 12'-40'.....	"	13.750	79.7	17.250	100.0	15.292	88.6	17.167	99.5
Clear fir, No. 1 and 2, D4S, 1 x 6.....	"	14.500	80.7	17.333	96.5	15.292	85.2	17.167	95.6
Drop siding, 1" x 6", No. 2 and better.....	"			49.292		43.854		49.354	
Flooring, fir, 1" x 4", No. 1 and 2 f.g.....	"	19.670	67.8	25.000	86.2	24.667	85.1	28.167	97.1
Clear fir casing, No. 1 and 2, 1 x 5.....	"	14.250	54.8	14.500	55.8	15.125	58.2	22.208	85.4
No. 1 common fir dimension, 2" x 4' 12'-14'.....	"			53.729		50.021		59.646	
	"	9.290	62.5	13.000	87.4	12.042	81.0	14.958	100.6
<b>B.C. Cedar.....</b>									
No. 1 common cedar boards, 1" x 8"-10".....	per M feet board measure		81.7		69.0		77.3		91.6
No. 1 common cedar shiplap, 1 x 8. Bevel siding, 3/4" x 6".....	"	14.250	80.9	15.083	85.6	14.833	84.2	16.833	95.6
Clear cedar bungalow siding, 3/4" x 10-8" x 18'.....	"	25.170	76.9	28.833	88.0	25.125	81.7	29.146	91.1
Shingles, XXX, 3 x 6/2, clear.....	per M	2.640	83.1	53.792	63.4	52.896	76.5	57.625	93.2
	"			2.013		2.429		2.960	

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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—</b>									
<i>Concluded</i>									
Pulp.....			67.3		70.9		66.9		68.3
Sulphite pulp, unbleached, news-grade*	per ton	35.290	66.0	38.863	72.6	37.597	70.3	36.361	70.3
Sulphite pulp, bleached.....	"	52.500	65.6	55.000	68.8	53.500	66.9	53.000	66.3
Groundwood pulp, No. 1.....	"	20.428	68.9	20.896	70.4	19.154	64.6	20.098	67.7
Furniture (composite).....			63.9		65.7		66.8		69.5
Matches, silent 3's, non-poisonous <sup>(1)</sup> .....	per case	10.540	76.2	10.540	76.2	8.680	76.2	8.810	77.4
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....</b>									
Pig Iron and Steel Billets.....			85.4		87.0		87.2		88.0
Pig iron, No. 1, foundry.....			83.0		82.8		83.0		83.3
Pig iron, malleable.....	per gross ton	20.510	80.6	20.458	80.4	20.500	80.6	20.583	80.9
Steel billets, mild, 4 x 4 and larger	"	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2	19.083	83.6
Steel billets, mild, 4 x 4 and larger	"	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5	34.167	89.9
Rolling Mill Products.....			90.9		90.9		85.2		93.0
Steel bars, structural grade.....	per cwt.	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5	2.163	92.0
Merchant bars, mild steel.....	"	2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8	2.263	92.4
Steel rails, open hearth.....	per gross ton	45.670	95.6	43.333	90.7	43.000	90.0	43.167	90.3
Steel tank plates.....	per cwt.	1.765	92.9	1.758	92.5	1.810	95.3	1.858	97.8
Light cold rolled sheets, No. 20, U.S.G. <sup>(2)</sup> .....	"	2.703	62.9	2.888	67.2	2.966	69.0	3.019	70.3
Structural shapes, open hearth.....	"	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0	2.013	93.6
Steel sheets, galvanized, No. 24, U.S.G.....	"	3.540	72.1	3.808	77.5	4.008	81.6	4.158	84.6
Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 24, U.S.G.....	"	3.470	91.0	3.383	87.4	3.388	87.5	3.542	91.5
Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 10, U.S.G.....	"	2.710	85.8	3.150	84.9	3.233	87.1	3.275	88.3
Iron boiler plate, $\frac{3}{8}$ " <sup>(2)</sup> .....	per pound net			.036		.034		.033	
Galvanized corrugated iron sheets, No. 28 gauge.....	per 100 square ft.			4.758		4.850		5.063	
Steel sheets, black, No. 10 gauge.....	per cwt.			3.375		3.400		3.463	
Open hearth steel tank plates, quality, $\frac{1}{2}$ " to 1" thick.....	"			3.150		3.150		3.158	
Tin plate, standard coke <sup>(4)</sup> .....	per box	5.650	102.3	5.825	105.6	6.079	110.2	6.100	110.6
Pipe.....			89.0		89.0		85.2		85.1
Pipe, cast iron 4".....	per ton	48.000	87.3	48.000	87.3	48.000	87.3	49.750	90.5
Steel pipe, butt-weld, black, 1".....	per foot	.073	89.6	.073	89.6	.069	84.6	.068	83.3
Hardware.....			86.7		87.3		87.5		86.3
Tools and hand implements.....			82.7		85.4		86.6		86.6
Hammers, plain face.....	per dozen	10.720	79.4	10.720	79.4	10.720	79.4	10.720	79.4
Axes, chopping.....	"	10.700	71.3	12.093	80.6	12.010	80.1	12.010	80.1
Shovels and spades, plain back.....	"	11.000	84.3	11.292	86.5	11.500	88.1	11.500	88.1
Other Hardware.....			88.1		88.2		88.1		86.7
Wash tubs, No. 1.....	per dozen	10.650	83.4	10.820	84.7	10.820	84.7	10.990	86.1
Pails, No. 12.....	"	3.460	76.2	3.520	77.5	3.520	77.5	3.574	78.6
Boilers, range, 30 gallon.....	each	7.170	75.6	7.433	78.3	7.650	80.6	7.638	80.6
Chain, $\frac{3}{4}$ " bright coil.....	per cwt.	8.550	96.6	8.550	96.6	8.550	96.6	8.550	96.6
Machine bolts, $\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter, 6" long <sup>(3)</sup> .....	"			4.200		4.200		4.200	
Square nuts, hot pressed and forged <sup>(2)</sup> .....	"			10.400		10.400		10.400	
Wire cloth, painted screen.....	per 100 square ft.								
Wire nails, base.....	per keg	1.900	93.3	1.900	93.3	1.850	90.8	1.850	90.8
Screws, wood, No. 6.....	per gross	2.800	86.0	2.800	86.0	2.800	86.0	2.713	83.4
Steel thumb latches, No. 2.....	per dozen	.173	92.5	.173	92.5	.171	91.4	.160	85.6
Bright steel safety hasps.....	"	1.208	76.5	1.245	78.8	1.267	80.2	1.192	75.4
Flat barn door track.....	per 100 ft.	.700	84.3	.663	79.9	.636	76.6	.644	77.6
Screen door hinges, No. 20.....	per gross	7.738	92.7	7.924	94.9	8.056	96.5	8.157	97.7
Wire.....			81.8		86.7		86.8		87.2
Wire, barbed, galvanized.....	per cwt.	3.500	81.4	3.733	86.8	3.750	87.2	3.754	87.3
Wire, galvanized, No. 9.....	"	3.330	80.2	3.450	83.1	3.450	83.1	3.479	83.8
Wire, annealed, No. 9.....	"	3.250	83.3	3.500	89.7	3.500	89.7	3.513	90.1

(1) Previous to 1935—4's. (2) Previous to 1934—Automobile Body Plates No. 20. (3) New item in 1934.

(4) Previous to 1934—per box (100 pounds). \*New basis of quoting in 1936.



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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded</b>									
Scrap, Iron and Steel.....			40.7		55.6		56.5		62.2
Steel scrap, heavy melting, charging box size.....	per gross ton	6.875	47.3	9.208	63.4	9.583	66.0	10.938	75.3
Steel scrap, heavy melting, over charging box size.....	"	5.250	40.4	7.458	57.5	7.500	57.8	8.354	64.4
Scrap, turnings and borings.....	"	4.000	32.4	6.375	51.7	6.417	52.0	6.500	52.7
Scrap, No. 1, machinery cast iron.....	per net ton	7.580	39.5	9.833	51.3	9.917	51.7	10.375	54.1
Scrap, No. 2, machinery cast iron.....	"	5.580	32.8	7.125	41.9	6.958	40.9	7.375	43.4
<b>Miscellaneous</b>									
Car axles.....	per ton	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0
<b>NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>									
Aluminum and Its Products.....			64.3		64.3		69.1		70.0
Aluminum sheet.....	per pound			270	80.4	270	78.5		81.6
Aluminum, virgin, 98-99 p.c.....	"	.250	92.4	.214	79.1	.207	76.5	.280	79.5
Antimony, Chinese, 99 p.c.....	per cwt.	6.958	41.1	8.625	51.0	14.521	85.8	13.563	80.1
<b>Copper, Brass, and Their Products</b>									
Copper, electrolytic, domestic.....	per cwt.	8.684	55.1	8.220	52.1	8.488	53.8	10.070	63.3
Copper sheets.....	per pound	.175	86.0	.164	80.8	.177	87.2	.196	96.6
Electrolytic copper wire bars.....	per cwt.	7.892	56.4	8.578	61.3	8.904	63.6	9.714	69.4
Copper wire, solid bare.....	per pound	.127	65.4	.130	67.2	.135	69.8	.153	79.1
Brass sheets, yellow.....		.152	73.0	.157	75.4	.168	80.7	.184	88.4
Brass valves.....	each			1.428		1.475		1.461	
<b>Lead and Its Products</b>									
Lead, domestic.....	per cwt.	3.705	45.4	3.409	41.8	3.925	48.1	4.642	56.9
Lead pipe.....	per pound	.105	69.7	.113	75.0	.111	73.6	.116	76.7
Silver.....	per ounce	.376	60.7	.474	76.5	.643	103.7	.450	72.6
Tin Ingots, 99.25 p.c.....	per pound			.555		.537		.498	
Tin Ingots, Straits.....	"	.457	68.3	.569	85.0	.555	82.9	.525	78.5
<b>Zinc and Its Products</b>									
Zinc, domestic.....	per cwt.	4.488	50.9	4.059	46.0	3.992	45.2	4.153	47.1
Zinc sheets (1).....	per pound	.052	62.1	.055	65.5	.053	63.1	.052	62.1
Solder, 50-50.....	"	.258	66.4	.318	81.9	.308	79.3	.306	78.8
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>									
Clay and Allied Material Products.....			84.4		86.0		85.5		85.5
Brick, soft mud process, common.....	per M	19.000	100.2	19.000	95.7	19.000	88.4	19.000	88.0
Brick, stiff mud process, wire cut.....	"	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5
Brick, stiff mud process, No. 1.....	"	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8
Brick, common, plastic.....	"	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1
Brick, dry press, No. 1, Quebec.....	"	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6
Brick, dry press face, Toronto.....	"	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2
Brick, sand-lime.....	"	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7
Hollow blocks, building tile.....	"	95.830	86.3	92.500	83.3	90.000	81.1	82.500	74.3
Stucco, mixing plant.....	per ton			11.950		11.950		12.833	
Sewer pipe, vitrified, 6".....	per foot			.224		.150		.150	
<b>Pottery</b>									
Cups and saucers, No. 1.....	per dozen	1.070	79.3	1.100	81.5	1.100	88.2	1.150	90.9
Dinner sets, printed.....	per set	13.330	96.8	14.250	103.5	14.500	105.3	14.500	105.3
<b>Coal</b>									
Coal, U.S. anthracite, egg.....	gross ton	12.389	87.5	12.117	90.0	11.753	91.0	10.542	91.5
Coal, U.S. bituminous, run of mine.....	per ton	5.354	86.4	5.733	92.6	5.858	94.6	5.917	95.5
Coal, U.S. bituminous, slack.....	"	4.854	82.5	5.125	87.1	5.250	89.3	5.217	88.7
Coal, bituminous, run of mine, N.S. Coal, Welsh anthracite, No. 1 buck-wheat.....	per gross ton	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3
Coal, Welsh cobbles.....	"			8.883		9.075		8.367	
Coal, western domestic double screened, lump, Drumheller.....	"			12.750		12.125		10.792	
Coal, western domestic, screened, lump, Lethbridge.....	"	3.775	89.9	3.513	72.3	3.625	74.6	3.729	76.8
	"	4.670	85.9	4.250	78.2	4.150	76.3	4.117	75.7

(1) New price series in 1933.

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Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Coal—Con.									
Coal, western domestic, screened, lump, Edmonton	per ton	2-770	77-3	2-783	77-7	2-900	80-9	3-054	85-2
Coal, domestic, run of mine, B.C.	"	3-760	88-1	3-500	82-0	3-792	88-8	3-708	86-8
Coal, domestic, slack, B.C.	"	3-300	89-4	3-000	81-3	2-771	75-1	2-727	73-9
Coal, house lump, B.C.	per gross ton			7-155	85-2	7-228	86-0	7-250	86-3
Coal, washed slack, B.C.	"			3-401	82-9	3-990	97-2	4-50	109-6
Coal tar, crude	per barrel	10-230	107-7	10-230	107-7	10-273	108-1	10-615	111-7
Coke			94-2		93-4		93-1		94-5
Coke, by-product, N.S.	per ton	5-500	81-5	5-708	84-6	6-000	88-9	6-000	88-9
Coke, metallurgical, Ont.	"	7-000	96-6	7-000	96-6	7-000	96-6	7-125	98-3
Coke, by-product, Ont.	"	7-000	93-3	7-000	93-3	7-000	93-3	7-125	95-0
Coke, metallurgical, B.C.	"	7-133	96-4	6-000	81-1	5-729	77-4	5-500	74-3
Coke, for domestic use, B.C.	"	7-933	95-6	7-542	90-9	7-250	87-3	7-250	87-3
Manufactured gas	per 10,000 feet			12-154	98-0	12-154	98-0	12-154	98-0
Glass and Its Products			78-1		83-2		80-1		77-1
Window Glass			91-8		107-8		94-7		92-0
Window glass, 16 oz. 40 U.I.	per box	4-256	91-8	4-464	96-3	3-921	84-6	3-810	82-2
Window glass, 21 oz. 60 U.I.	"	7-883	91-8	9-792	114-0	8-601	100-2	8-357	97-3
Plate Glass			66-0		66-0		66-0		62-2
Plate glass, 3'-4', super.	per square foot	5-525	59-1	5-525	59-1	5-525	59-1	5-546	61-4
Plate glass, 10'-12', super.	"	8-800	61-8	8-800	61-8	8-800	61-8	7-747	57-7
Plate glass, 25'-50', super.	"	1-006	71-0	1-006	71-0	1-006	71-0	9-929	65-5
Tumblers	per gross	4-180	91-9	4-408	96-9	4-450	97-8	4-383	96-3
Petroleum and Its Products			74-8		76-3		74-9		73-4
Crude Oil			67-5		72-2		72-3		73-4
Crude oil, mid-continent	per barrel	2-525	65-4	2-725	70-6	2-715	70-4	2-804	72-7
Crude oil, Salt Creek	"	2-780	69-5	2-946	73-7	2-968	74-2	2-963	74-1
Gasoline			70-7		70-8		68-5		65-2
Halifax	per gallon	1-184	65-1	1-186	65-8	1-180	63-7	1-168	59-5
Montreal	"	1-168	66-5	1-180	71-3	1-161	63-8	1-131	51-9
Toronto	"	1-173	68-5	1-163	64-6	1-158	62-6	1-149	59-0
Winnipeg	"	1-198	69-7	1-217	76-4	1-217	76-4	1-217	76-4
Regina	"	1-238	74-4	1-230	71-9	1-230	71-9	1-230	71-9
Calgary	"	1-209	71-4	1-225	76-9	1-225	76-9	1-222	75-8
Vancouver	"	1-202	91-8	1-208	94-5	1-195	88-6	1-178	90-2
Coal oil			75-6		78-6		77-8		78-6
Halifax	per gallon	1-210	81-4	1-209	81-0	1-195	75-6	1-193	74-8
Montréal	"	1-157	68-9	1-170	74-6	1-170	74-6	1-175	76-8
Toronto	"	1-163	71-5	1-175	76-8	1-173	75-9	1-170	74-3
Winnipeg	"	1-182	72-1	1-202	80-0	1-202	80-0	1-207	81-8
Regina	"	1-222	79-3	1-215	76-8	1-215	76-8	1-220	78-4
Calgary	"	1-197	74-9	1-210	79-8	1-210	79-8	1-215	81-7
Vancouver(1)	"	1-232	100-9	1-240	104-3	1-240	104-3	1-235	102-2
Fuel oil, Toronto	"	0-075	79-6	0-080	84-9	0-080	84-9	0-081	86-0
Lubricating oil, Toronto	"	0-293	93-0	0-293	93-0	0-296	94-0	0-303	96-2
Asphalt					88-6		91-4		91-4
Asphalt, Montreal	per ton			14-800	95-3	14-800	98-7	14-800	98-7
Asphalt, Toronto	"			17-600	83-8	18-100	86-2	18-100	86-2
Salt			114-4		110-8		92-6		80-6
Salt, vacuum, fine	per barrel	1-870	133-6	1-750	125-0	1-550	110-7	1-357	96-9
Salt, vacuum, coarse	"	2-270	113-0	2-270	113-0	1-897	94-5	1-597	79-5
Salt, dairy	"	3-120	104-0	3-120	104-0	2-780	92-7	2-437	81-2
Salt, table	per barrel of 80 bags	4-410	118-2	4-160	111-5	3-240	86-9	2-840	76-1
Sulphur	per gross ton	23-701	100-9	21-729	92-5	22-220	94-6	22-086	94-0
Plaster			98-1		104-1		107-1		111-3
Hard wall plaster, neat, N.B.	per ton	9-350	98-4	9-592	101-0	10-350	108-9	10-558	111-1
Hard wall plaster, neat, Ontario	"	10-660	94-8	11-950	106-2	11-950	106-2	12-833	114-1
Plaster of Paris	per barrel	5-000	105-3	5-000	105-3	5-000	105-3	5-000	105-3

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		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Lime			94.8		102.1		99.7		104.5
Quick lime, high calcium	per ton	6.000	78.4	6.000	78.4	6.000	78.4	6.000	78.4
Quick lime, grey	"	8.150	101.9	8.500	106.3	7.500	93.8	8.833	106.3
Hydrated lime, in paper bags	"	8.000	92.7	8.000	92.7	8.000	92.7	8.000	92.7
Hydrated lime, finishing	"	11.920	95.4	13.250	106.0	13.250	106.0	13.583	108.7
Cement			105.5		105.2		105.2		105.8
Portland cement, Montreal	per barrel	1.700	114.0	1.700	114.0	1.700	114.0	1.700	114.0
Portland cement, Toronto	"	2.100	107.5	2.100	107.5	2.100	107.5	2.120	108.6
Portland cement, Winnipeg	"	2.680	87.9	2.680	87.9	2.680	87.9	2.707	88.8
Portland cement, Regina	"	3.350	90.5	3.350	90.5	3.350	90.5	3.377	91.3
Portland cement, Vancouver	"	2.597	88.3	2.491	84.7	2.491	84.7	2.522	85.8
Sand and Gravel			87.3		91.2		88.0		91.4
Sand, concrete, Montreal	per ton	1.250	111.1	1.250	111.1	1.150	102.2	1.150	102.2
Sand, concrete, Toronto	"	1.000	74.1	1.000	74.1	1.000	74.1	1.000	74.1
Sand, concrete, Winnipeg	per cubic yard	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0
Sand, concrete, Vancouver	"	.875	79.5	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9
Gravel, pit run, Montreal	per ton	1.040	83.2	1.000	80.0	1.000	80.0	1.000	80.0
Gravel, pit run, Toronto	"	1.430	81.7	1.632	93.3	1.563	89.3	1.850	105.7
Gravel, pit run, Winnipeg	per cubic yard	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0	1.150	100.0
Gravel, pit run, Vancouver	"	.875	79.5	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9
Crushed Stone			75.2		81.8		73.4		83.6
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Montreal	per ton	.600	49.3	.600	42.9	.613	43.8	.646	46.1
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Toronto	"	1.600	86.5	1.829	98.9	1.588	85.8	1.850	100.0
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Vancouver	per cubic yard	1.030	82.4	1.130	90.4	1.130	90.4	1.130	90.4
Building Stone			64.4		64.7		64.3		64.3
Stanstead granite, base stock blocks	per cubic foot	.780	78.0	.750	75.0	.750	75.0	.750	75.0
Stanstead granite, die stock blocks	"	1.030	68.7	1.250	83.3	1.021	68.1	1.000	66.7
Dolomite, silver grey, rough blocks	"	.800	64.0	.800	64.0	.800	64.0	.800	64.0
Asbestos and Its Products <sup>(1)</sup>			72.7		77.6		77.6		75.8
Asbestos, crude, No. 1	per ton	450.000	89.3	450.000	89.3	500.000	99.2	545.833	108.3
Asbestos, crude, No. 2	"	200.000	69.1	200.000	69.1	200.000	69.1	200.000	69.1
Spinning stocks	"	110.000	59.5	120.000	64.9	120.000	64.9	120.000	64.9
Shingle stock	"	60.000	92.3	60.000	92.3	60.000	92.3	60.000	92.3
Mill board and paper stocks	"	30.000	66.7	32.500	72.2	32.500	72.2	32.500	72.2
Fillers, floats and other short fibre	"	11.330	75.5	12.000	80.0	12.000	80.0	12.000	80.0
Asbestos, pipe covering, 3 ply <sup>(2)</sup>	per foot		.551	91.4	.558	92.5	.543	90.0	
Asbestos, mill board <sup>(2)</sup>	per cwt.			9.000	116.1	8.667	111.8	8.500	109.7
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS</b>									
Inorganic Chemicals			81.3		81.2		79.1		78.0
Ammonia, anhydrous	per pound	.165	90.2	.165	89.5	.165	87.9	.165	88.6
Arsenious oxide (white arsenic)	"	.041	101.5	.035	101.5	.033	101.5	.033	101.5
Nitric acid, 36°	per cwt.	7.750	96.9	7.750	96.9	7.750	96.9	7.750	96.9
Hydrochloric acid (muriatic), 18°	per ton	25.000	104.2	25.000	104.2	25.000	104.2	23.167	96.5
Sodium sulphate (Glauber's salt)	per cwt.	1.000	100.0	.817	81.7	.800	80.0	.800	80.0
Sodium bicarbonate, 99.8 p.c. pure	"	3.000	122.4	3.000	122.4	3.000	122.4	3.000	122.4
Bleaching powder, 35 p.c. available chlorine	"	1.750	102.2	1.750	102.2	1.750	102.2	1.750	102.2
Soda ash, 58 p.c. light	"	1.680	89.7	1.680	89.7	1.630	87.0	1.605	85.7
Caustic soda, 76-77 p.c.	"	3.475	97.0	3.350	93.5	3.238	90.4	3.150	87.9
Calcium carbide	per ton	87.000	100.2	87.000	100.2	87.000	100.2	83.500	96.2
Grey acetate of lime	per cwt.	2.500	76.9	3.333	102.6	3.333	102.6	3.375	103.8
Alum, lump	"	1.920	88.1	2.116	97.1	2.040	93.6	2.062	94.6
Borax, commercial	"	3.560	70.3	3.500	69.1	3.600	71.1	3.700	73.1
Copper sulphate (blue vitriol) crystals	"	3.630	73.6	3.693	74.9	3.631	73.6	3.972	80.5
Magnesium sulphate (Epsom salts)	per ton	25.000	100.0	25.000	100.0	25.000	100.0	34.583	138.3
Sulphuric acid, 66° Baumé	"	16.000	114.3	16.000	114.3	16.000	114.3	16.000	114.3
Chlorine, liquid	per pound	.093	100.0	.093	100.0	.093	100.0	.093	100.0
Sodium cyanide, 98-99 p.c.	"	.153	75.7	.153	75.7	.147	72.8	.155	76.7
Sodium bichromate	"	.077	92.3	.087	104.3	.087	104.3	.088	105.5
Sal ammoniac (ammonium chloride) grey	"	.048	75.3	.043	67.6	.039	61.2	.043	67.6
Calcium chloride, flake	per ton	32.000	88.9	29.375	81.6	25.850	71.8	25.850	71.8
Aluminium sulphate	per cwt.	1.500	85.7	1.535	87.7	1.550	88.6	1.550	88.6

<sup>(1)</sup> Previous to 1934, Asbestos Crude.<sup>(2)</sup> New item in 1934.



TABLE V—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1933-1936—Concluded

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1933		1934		1935		1936	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Organic Chemicals.....			72.7		74.3		75.9		75.5
Acetic acid, 99 p.c. glacial, crystal.	per pound	.120	100.0	.120	100.0	.120	100.0	.100	83.3
Alcohol, methyl, 97 p.c.....	per gallon	.700	80.5	.654	75.2	.750	86.2	.739	84.9
Alcohol, denatured.....	"	.396	72.0	.400	72.7	.400	72.7	.450	81.8
Cream of tartar, 98 p.c.....	per pound	.237	124.7	.255	134.2	.255	134.2	.202	123.2
Formaldehyde.....	"	.083	72.9	.070	61.5	.068	59.8	.061	53.6
Glycerine, refined.....	"	.114	41.1	.138	49.7	.148	53.3	.173	62.3
Coal Tar Products.....			92.2		90.4		86.4		88.5
Creosote oil, crude.....	per imperial gallon	.141	91.0	.140	90.0	.149	96.1	.153	98.7
Benzol, pure.....	"	.330	94.1	.319	90.9	.253	72.1	.258	73.5
Tanning and Dyeing Materials.....			103.5		107.2		105.7		104.5
Dyeing Materials.....			101.5		103.3		103.1		101.0
Direct black (oxydiamine black)	per pound	.289	98.8	.300	102.6	.300	102.6	.277	94.7
Sulphur black (katigen, deep black).....	"	.205	93.2	.205	93.2	.205	93.2	.219	99.5
Nigrosine, water soluble.....	"	.400	102.6	.400	102.6	.400	102.6	.363	93.1
Methylene blue.....	per cwt.	.863	82.2	.950	90.5	.950	90.5	.850	90.5
Indigo, synthetic, 20 p.c. paste..	per pound	.135	128.6	.135	128.6	.135	128.6	.135	128.6
Auramine O, yellow.....	"	.780	82.8	.778	82.6	.770	81.8	.733	77.8
Alkali blue.....	"	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3
Tanning Materials.....			105.9		112.0		108.9		108.8
Quebracho extract, liquid.....	per cwt.	3.820	109.1	4.200	120.0	4.225	120.7	4.379	125.1
Hemlock extract, liquid.....	"	5.030	103.5	5.134	105.6	4.861	100.0	4.708	96.9
Logwood extract, liquid.....	"	10.420	107.2	11.917	122.6	11.417	117.5	10.854	111.7
Explosives.....					83.4		77.9		77.5
Gunpowder.....	per 25 pound keg			8.459	100.7	8.459	100.7	8.595	102.0
Dynamite, 40 p.c. gelatine.....	per cwt.			12.604	82.8	11.750	77.2	11.667	76.6
Paint Materials.....			68.6		70.0		67.0		68.8
Shellac.....	per pound	.137	37.1	.243	65.9	.161	43.6	.146	39.6
White lead, basic carbonate.....	per cwt.	8.410	75.1	7.800	69.6	7.998	71.4	8.778	78.3
Zinc oxide.....	"	6.304	91.2	6.249	90.4	5.654	81.3	5.150	74.5
Red lead, 85 p.c.....	"	6.500	63.5	6.750	65.9	6.813	66.6	7.138	70.2
Lithopone.....	"	4.933	91.0	4.456	84.9	4.524	86.2	4.462	85.0
Litharge.....	per pound	.057	45.6	.058	46.4	.105	43.2	.067	53.6
Lamp black, pure dry.....	"	.103	73.6	.105	75.0	.105	75.0	.105	75.0
Carbon black.....	"	.071	60.4	.080	68.1	.083	70.6	.083	70.6
Putty, pure linseed oil.....	per cwt.	3.200	69.8	3.075	64.1	3.050	63.6	3.050	63.6
Paint, Prepared(1).....					78.6		74.4		65.5
Paint, pure white.....	per gallon			3.550	77.8	3.333	73.0	2.875	63.0
Paint, coloured.....	"			3.350	79.5	3.200	76.0	2.875	68.2
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals			72.9		74.9		73.7		74.7
Acid, citric.....	per pound	.185	69.7	.200	75.4	.230	86.7	.243	91.6
Acid, tartaric, crystals.....	"	.210	84.0	.263	105.2	.247	98.8	.230	92.0
Chloroform, U.S.P.....	"	.330	77.6	.376	88.5	.385	90.6	.385	90.6
Ether, commercial (2).....	"	.208	96.7	.180	93.0	.180	93.0	.182	94.1
Potassium iodide.....	"	3.025	69.9	1.948	45.0	1.600	37.0	1.508	34.9
Hydrogen peroxide, 10 vol.....	"	.050	81.6	.050	81.6	.050	81.6	.040	65.3
Camphor, refined, slabs.....	"	.545	53.2	.653	63.7	.675	65.9	.675	65.9
Quinine.....	per ounce	.480	91.4	.547	104.2	.535	101.9	.568	108.2
Castor oil.....	per pound	.090	58.1	.090	58.1	.091	58.7	.100	64.5
Iodine, crude.....	"	3.600	80.2	1.850	45.0	1.525	37.1	1.500	36.5
Fertilizers.....			73.8		75.9		75.8		74.5
Muriate of potash (3).....	per ton	48.880	127.1	48.000	127.4	48.000	127.4	38.833	103.1
Dried blood.....	"	48.880	61.1	57.483	71.9	54.000	67.5	54.000	67.5
Superphosphate.....	"	14.350	77.6	18.333	85.3	19.000	88.5	19.000	88.5
Basic slag.....	"	17.190	94.5	20.667	113.6	20.500	112.6	18.750	103.0
Sulphate of potash.....	"	55.440	107.6	54.000	104.8	50.000	97.0	50.333	97.7
Tankage.....	"	32.050	80.1	41.454	103.6	42.000	105.0	42.000	105.0
Bone meal.....	"	40.440	106.4	37.611	99.0	35.000	92.1	35.000	92.1
Cyanamid.....	"	35.880	71.8	35.500	71.0	35.000	70.0	35.000	70.0
Sulphate of ammonia.....	"	34.650	46.2	40.510	54.0	40.000	53.3	40.000	53.3
Nitrate of soda.....	"	47.710	70.4	44.250	65.3	46.000	67.9	45.833	67.7
Industrial Gases.....			88.7		88.7		88.7		92.4
Acetylene.....	per 100 cubic feet	2.750	91.7	2.750	91.7	2.750	91.7	2.558	95.7
Oxygen(3).....	"	1.575	78.8	1.575	78.8	1.575	78.8	.999	81.2
Soap.....			92.6		87.1		85.1		85.4
Soap, common laundry.....	per case	5.000	92.6	4.800	88.9	5.000	92.6	5.000	92.6
Soap, toilet.....	"			5.650		4.808		4.850	

(1) New item in 1934. (2) Previous to 1934 ether, anaesthetic. (3) New basis of quoting in 1936.

TABLE VI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
IN CANADA, 1936(GROUPS OF THE CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.....</b>	<b>67.7</b>	<b>66.4</b>	<b>66.7</b>	<b>66.5</b>	<b>65.7</b>	<b>66.9</b>	<b>73.1</b>	<b>77.5</b>	<b>77.4</b>	<b>79.6</b>	<b>79.1</b>	<b>84.0</b>
Fruits—												
Fresh, Dried and Canned.....	75.5	70.1	73.1	70.5	75.8	82.1	86.0	81.8	82.8	89.7	84.3	75.7
Fruits, Fresh.....	75.5	68.9	72.9	69.5	76.5	85.1	90.4	84.5	85.1	94.2	87.0	74.9
Fruits, Dried.....	81.2	81.3	81.4	81.0	81.4	79.9	79.9	80.5	82.1	82.3	82.3	84.5
Fruits, Canned.....	69.6	66.4	66.3	66.0	66.1	66.0	65.9	67.0	69.9	69.9	70.0	71.9
Grains.....	53.3	56.8	56.9	56.0	53.6	55.2	66.3	74.5	75.3	78.8	77.6	86.0
Flour and other Milled Products.....	69.6	67.1	68.3	67.0	65.2	64.3	75.0	81.6	80.8	87.5	85.7	94.0
Bakery Products.....	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	85.2	85.2	84.6	84.6
Vegetable Oils.....	74.5	73.3	73.2	73.3	72.3	69.9	72.9	73.2	76.8	76.6	76.2	81.0
Rubber and Its Products.....	56.8	57.3	57.5	57.6	57.7	57.8	58.1	58.1	58.2	58.2	61.0	62.0
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose.....	80.9	80.9	79.3	79.4	79.7	78.8	79.1	79.3	79.4	79.3	79.3	79.4
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.....	70.6	70.8	71.0	71.0	71.4	72.6	72.5	72.6	73.2	74.5	76.0	81.6
Vegetables.....	60.6	59.3	61.0	61.0	70.7	78.8	77.8	82.1	73.7	65.4	68.4	71.9
Onions.....	79.1	79.1	82.7	72.9	69.3	65.7	65.7	79.5	71.1	58.1	59.9	72.1
Potatoes.....	53.9	51.3	55.4	64.1	69.7	81.7	79.7	83.2	74.6	63.2	67.3	68.7
Vegetables, Canned.....	74.3	75.8	76.5	74.4	74.8	74.9	77.1	79.4	71.9	76.0	76.0	82.4
Tobacco.....	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	55.4
Miscellaneous.....	60.0	58.7	58.2	58.6	58.2	58.1	58.9	60.9	62.0	61.4	61.7	64.7
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....</b>	<b>72.9</b>	<b>72.1</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>67.9</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>69.7</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>72.3</b>	<b>75.4</b>	<b>73.4</b>	<b>74.3</b>	<b>73.9</b>
Fishery Products.....	69.8	71.2	72.4	70.8	67.6	70.8	70.8	73.8	75.2	76.4	74.5	72.9
Furs.....	58.5	58.5	58.7	58.7	63.0	63.0	58.4	58.4	58.8	58.8	58.8	62.6
Hides and Skins.....	87.9	84.7	83.6	83.0	75.5	64.7	63.1	69.0	77.5	82.2	80.3	102.1
Leather, unmanufactured.....	80.6	87.0	87.0	88.0	85.9	85.9	85.9	85.2	86.4	87.1	88.2	91.0
Boots and Shoes.....	87.0	87.0	87.3	87.9	87.9	88.4	88.4	88.7	88.7	89.0	90.3	90.0
Live Stock.....	78.0	77.3	72.3	72.8	69.7	72.0	75.9	73.2	72.1	68.0	67.4	71.7
Meats and Poultry.....	71.1	70.7	68.5	70.9	71.6	71.6	71.1	72.1	70.7	69.0	66.0	66.9
Meats, Fresh.....	76.1	74.7	69.8	71.8	73.1	73.5	72.9	71.7	70.0	67.9	65.5	67.5
Meats, Canned, Cured, etc.....	66.5	66.3	66.8	70.1	70.3	70.2	70.2	73.9	73.4	72.7	68.8	68.2
Milk and Its Products.....	72.7	70.0	69.3	68.5	66.3	67.1	69.0	71.1	74.2	72.8	75.1	76.1
Oils and Fats.....	74.6	71.1	64.7	70.6	66.8	62.0	66.0	69.7	72.6	72.0	71.7	74.8
Eggs.....	68.1	71.7	67.3	49.7	52.5	57.1	60.4	65.9	66.9	80.0	83.6	75.6
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS</b>	<b>69.9</b>	<b>69.4</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>69.8</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>69.5</b>	<b>69.6</b>	<b>70.9</b>
Cotton, Raw.....	69.1	67.7	66.9	69.4	68.5	70.4	77.5	72.1	72.1	71.8	71.0	74.5
Cotton Yarn and Thread.....	82.1	82.1	82.1	82.1	82.1	83.1	83.1	83.2	83.2	83.2	83.2	83.4
Cotton Fabrics.....	72.1	72.1	72.1	72.1	71.4	71.3	71.2	73.6	73.6	73.6	73.6	74.4
Cotton Knit Goods.....	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3
Sash Cord.....	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5
Flax, Hemp and Jute Products.....	51.9	48.2	48.2	45.1	45.2	46.3	46.3	44.5	44.4	44.4	44.4	44.5
Silk, Raw.....	32.4	29.3	29.0	27.6	26.0	25.7	27.6	28.3	27.2	28.7	31.1	32.0
Silk Thread and Yarn.....	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3
Silk Hosiery.....	68.4	65.6	65.6	65.6	66.1	66.1	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3
Silk Fabrics.....	46.9	46.9	46.9	46.9	46.5	44.6	44.6	44.6	44.6	44.6	44.6	44.6
Artificial Silk Products.....	47.0	47.0	47.0	47.0	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8
Wool, Raw.....	62.9	66.2	67.0	67.0	63.7	66.2	68.6	68.6	69.4	68.6	71.1	78.4
Wool Yarns.....	84.5	84.8	84.6	84.6	84.6	85.5	85.5	85.4	85.2	82.7	84.5	89.1
Wool Hosiery and Knit Goods.....	86.1	86.7	86.7	86.7	86.7	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0
Wool Blankets.....	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.6	79.6	100.0	
Wool Cloth.....	77.6	77.6	77.6	79.0	79.0	79.0	78.0	78.0	77.5	77.5	78.0	81.1
Carpets.....	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	90.4	90.4	90.4	90.4	90.4	86.5	86.5	92.1
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....</b>	<b>67.4</b>	<b>67.8</b>	<b>67.8</b>	<b>68.0</b>	<b>68.2</b>	<b>68.1</b>	<b>68.2</b>	<b>68.6</b>	<b>68.3</b>	<b>69.3</b>	<b>69.4</b>	<b>69.6</b>
News Print and Wrapping Paper.....	55.3	55.4	55.4	55.5	55.5	55.4	55.3	55.3	55.3	55.3	55.3	55.4
Lumber and Timber.....	83.1	84.6	84.5	85.2	86.0	85.5	86.3	86.9	87.0	88.7	88.8	89.1
Canadian White Pine.....	89.6	89.8	91.0	91.0	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3
Spruce.....	72.5	72.1	72.1	74.0	76.6	78.0	80.6	81.7	82.8	87.6	89.2	88.4
Hardwoods.....	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	81.2	81.2	81.2
Hemlock.....	75.5	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9	75.9
Fir.....	89.5	95.4	94.2	94.6	94.6	91.1	91.1	92.4	91.4	91.0	90.6	92.4
B.C. Cedar.....	91.3	92.5	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.3	92.6	87.3	88.2
Pulp.....	68.5	67.8	67.7	67.3	67.2	67.8	67.8	68.2	69.2	69.4	69.4	69.9
Furniture (composite).....	70.3	70.3	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.3	69.3	69.3	69.3
Matches.....	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....</b>	<b>87.2</b>	<b>87.3</b>	<b>87.3</b>	<b>87.4</b>	<b>87.8</b>	<b>87.7</b>	<b>87.8</b>	<b>87.9</b>	<b>88.2</b>	<b>88.2</b>	<b>88.3</b>	<b>91.4</b>
Pig Iron and Steel Billets.....	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	87.2
Rolling Mill Products.....	92.3	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.6	92.6	92.7	92.9	92.9	92.9	93.1	96.8
Pipe.....	84.3	84.3	84.3	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	86.5
Total Hardware.....	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.2	86.2	87.9
Tools and Hand Implements.....	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6
Other Hardware.....	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.3	86.3	86.3	86.3	86.5	86.5	88.7
Wire.....	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	91.7
Scrap Iron and Steel.....	57.6	57.6	57.6	57.6	62.9	61.8	61.8	61.8	66.7	66.7	66.7	67.5
Miscellaneous.....	95.0	95.0	85.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
<b>NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....</b>	<b>68.3</b>	<b>68.4</b>	<b>69.2</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>68.3</b>	<b>67.7</b>	<b>68.1</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>70.2</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>74.0</b>	<b>77.8</b>
Aluminium.....	76.6	76.6	76.6	82.2	82.2	82.2	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8	83.8
Antimony.....	88.6	88.6	88.6	85.7	81.2	78.3	75.3	73.9	75.3	75.3	75.3	78.3
Copper, Brass and Products.....	64.4	64.6	65.5	66.0	66.9	66.4	66.9	68.5	69.4	70.0	73.8	77.1
Lead and Its Products.....	54.0	55.9	57.0	54.1	51.3	50.8	52.3	54.7	58.2	58.0	66.7	77.2
Silver.....	76.3	72.1	72.3	72.8	72.8	72.4	72.3	72.3	72.1	72.1	70.0	73.1
Tin Ingots.....	75.5	75.7	77.0	75.1	72.8	68.3	67.7	66.1	68.7	69.2	82.5	82.2
Zinc and Its Products.....	47.9	49.0	51.6	48.0	45.2	44.1	43.1	43.2	44.1	44.2	49.8	54.1
Solder.....	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	78.5	71.6	77.2	77.2	84.9	84.9



TABLE VI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
IN CANADA, 1936—Concluded  
(GROUPS OF THE CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.	85.3	85.9	85.9	85.5	85.4	85.7	85.1	85.2	85.4	85.0	85.0	85.9
Clay and Allied Material Products.	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.5	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4
Pottery.	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5
Coal.	92.6	92.6	92.6	91.5	90.9	91.1	90.5	90.7	91.1	91.3	91.1	91.3
Coke.	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	93.0	110.9
Manufactured Gas.	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0
Coal Tar.	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	107.5	107.5	107.5
Glass and Its Products.	79.5	79.5	78.2	78.2	78.2	78.2	71.2	72.6	75.8	75.8	75.8	110.8
Window Glass.	92.2	92.2	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	87.3	92.2	92.2	92.2	95.8	80.6
Plate Glass.	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	52.8	54.5	60.6	60.6	60.6	60.6
Glassware.	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3
Petroleum Products.	71.9	74.0	74.0	74.0	74.0	74.5	73.6	73.6	73.6	72.4	72.4	73.4
Crude Oil.	72.2	73.4	73.4	73.4	73.7	73.7	73.4	73.4	73.4	73.4	73.4	73.4
Gasoline.	63.4	66.6	66.6	66.6	66.6	66.6	65.2	65.2	65.2	63.2	63.2	63.2
Kerosene.	77.1	78.8	78.8	78.8	78.8	78.8	78.7	78.7	78.7	78.3	78.3	78.3
Asphalt.	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4
Salt.	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7
Sulphur.	94.1	93.9	94.0	94.6	94.3	94.0	94.0	93.8	93.8	93.8	93.7	93.7
Plaster.	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	113.1	113.1	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2
Lime.	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7	105.7
Cement.	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2
Sand and Gravel.	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4
Crushed Stone.	80.5	80.5	80.5	80.5	80.5	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8
Building Stone.	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3
Asbestos and Its Products.	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.	77.3	77.2	77.2	77.4	77.2	77.2	78.3	78.4	78.5	78.7	78.8	79.1
Inorganic Chemicals.	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.8	88.7	88.7	88.7	88.5	88.5	88.5
Organic Chemicals.	72.6	72.4	72.4	73.1	72.8	72.7	74.1	74.0	76.7	79.9	82.6	82.6
Coal Tar Products.	83.8	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9
Dyeing and Tanning Materials.	105.2	103.9	103.9	103.9	103.9	102.6	104.0	105.3	103.9	105.3	106.1	106.1
Dyeing Materials.	103.1	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8
Tanning Materials.	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	104.8	107.8	110.7	107.7	110.7	112.5	112.5
Explosives.	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4
Paint Materials.	68.1	68.1	68.1	70.3	68.2	68.2	68.2	68.2	68.6	69.0	68.7	72.1
Paints, Prepared.	63.8	63.8	63.8	63.8	63.8	63.8	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2	67.2
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals.	74.2	73.9	73.9	73.7	73.7	74.2	75.3	75.3	75.3	75.3	75.3	75.3
Fertilizers.	75.8	75.6	74.3	74.3	74.3	74.3	74.3	74.3	74.3	74.3	74.2	74.2
Industrial Gases.	88.7	88.3	91.0	92.3	91.1	92.8	93.7	94.5	94.9	93.6	93.1	92.2
Soap.	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4	85.4

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH USED

Both the Producers' and Consumers' groups contain a representation of primary as well as manufactured products and their movements are broadly similar. The large representation of primary products among producers' materials, however, causes the fluctuations of the Producers' Goods index to be slightly wider than those for the Consumers' Goods group.

From 1890 to 1913 there is little in the behaviour of price group relationships to attract special attention. The gradual decline in the first six years of this period, and the subsequent rise still in progress when the Great War began, failed to produce any serious problems related to price disequilibrium. Interest in prices during these years was concentrated for the most part upon broader problems such as the effect of gold discoveries upon general price levels, and the interaction of cyclical movements in prices and business conditions.

During the war years, however, the relationships of prices were complicated by the unequal reactions of price groups to inflationary stimuli and to the deflationary forces which followed later. The index for Producers' Goods which had trailed along below the Consumers' Goods index from 1890 to 1913, reversed its position in 1914, and reached a post-war peak in 1920, appreciably higher than that for Consumers' Goods. When readjustment followed, the decline for Producers' Goods was of greater magnitude than that for Consumers' Goods, and from 1921 to the present the Producers' Goods index has reverted to its former position. In 1931 and 1932, it declined so rapidly that the gap between these two series assumed abnormal proportions judged upon the basis of their historical relationships. It was in these years that the failure of Producers' prices to resist decline as did Consumers' prices, created so serious a shortage of purchasing power in the hands of farmers and other primary producers. The correctional movement commencing in 1933 was at first very gradual, but by the end of 1935, the producers' and consumers' Indexes were approaching a position of equilibrium. In the rapid rise of commodity prices during the latter half of 1936, Producers' Goods moved above Consumers' Goods for the first time since early post-war years. December indexes for 1936 were 80.4 for Producers' Goods and 76.9 for Consumers' Goods.



# CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE, 1890-1936 1913=100

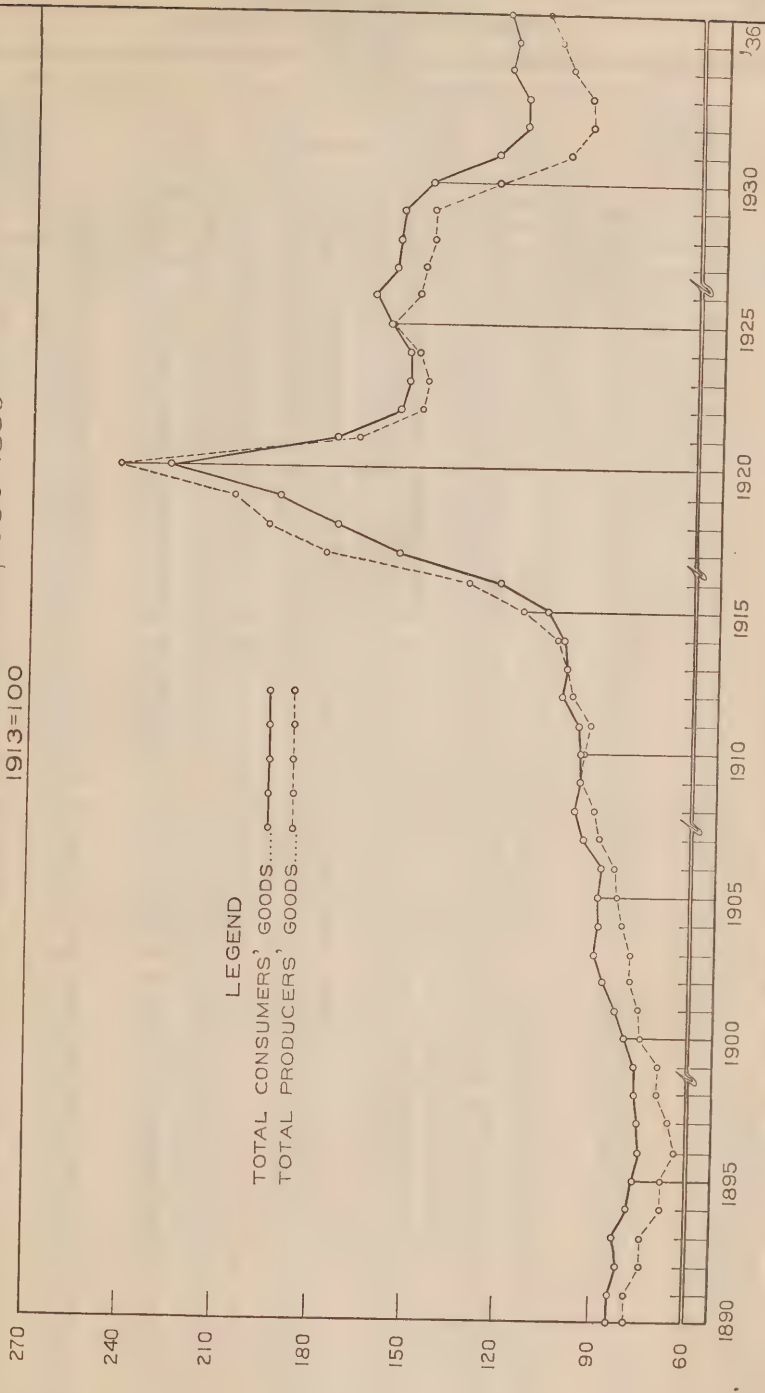


TABLE VII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1936

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)  
(1926=100)

Groups		I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
		All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
							All	Building and Con- struction	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	(1890-1912)	76	45	31	112	8	104	34	70
	1913-1925	98	74	24	146	15	131	32	99
	1926-1933	204	116	88	351	22	329	97	232
	1934-1936	236	126	110	402	24	378	111	267
1890		52.0	51.4	52.4	54.3	47.2	55.1	49.1	56.1
1891		52.4	52.2	52.5	54.6	47.1	55.4	46.9	56.8
1892		50.9	48.3	52.6	50.9	47.8	51.2	47.5	51.8
1893		51.4	49.4	52.8	50.3	48.0	50.5	46.9	51.1
1894		49.5	47.0	51.1	45.5	46.1	45.4	46.8	45.2
1895		48.2	45.3	50.2	46.2	45.6	46.3	44.8	46.6
1896		46.9	41.6	50.4	43.0	45.5	42.7	44.6	42.4
1897		47.5	43.7	50.0	45.5	45.1	45.5	41.5	46.2
1898		47.9	46.3	49.0	48.3	44.2	48.7	42.3	49.8
1899		47.9	46.5	48.9	47.2	44.1	47.5	44.8	48.0
1900		50.0	46.8	52.1	50.9	46.8	51.3	50.2	51.5
1901		52.2	47.2	55.5	51.6	51.1	51.7	48.6	52.2
1902		54.2	49.9	57.1	53.8	53.0	53.9	50.2	54.5
1903		56.1	52.3	58.6	53.3	54.9	53.1	54.1	52.9
1904		55.8	52.4	58.0	55.3	53.6	55.5	55.7	55.5
1905		55.5	54.0	56.5	56.4	50.9	57.0	55.2	57.3
1906		55.0	53.5	56.0	56.1	50.1	56.8	58.0	56.6
1907		58.1	57.6	58.5	59.8	52.1	60.6	60.1	60.7
1908		59.9	59.4	60.2	61.1	54.1	61.9	65.0	61.4
1909		58.7	58.9	58.6	63.9	53.2	65.1	63.5	65.4
1910		58.8	59.0	58.7	63.9	52.2	65.2	62.0	65.7
1911		59.5	60.8	58.7	61.9	52.1	63.0	65.1	62.7
1912		62.4	65.8	60.1	66.7	53.9	68.1	64.9	68.7
1913		62.0	61.8	62.2	67.7	55.1	69.1	67.0	69.5
1914		62.1	65.0	60.1	70.1	52.4	72.1	62.8	74.2
1915		62.8	68.7	58.8	77.1	51.2	80.0	60.5	84.6
1916		72.2	81.2	66.2	89.7	55.7	93.5	69.5	99.1
1917		90.5	109.1	78.1	120.6	65.3	126.7	87.4	136.0
1918		102.7	119.0	91.9	133.3	81.9	139.0	100.7	148.1
1919		115.2	127.9	106.7	139.8	90.7	145.2	117.8	151.6
1920		136.1	150.8	126.3	164.8	108.6	171.0	144.0	177.3
1921		108.9	105.1	111.5	113.3	113.8	113.3	122.7	110.8
1922		96.9	90.2	101.4	98.8	104.1	98.2	108.7	95.8
1923		94.7	91.2	97.0	97.6	102.5	97.1	111.9	93.7
1924		94.2	90.4	96.8	99.4	102.7	99.0	106.6	97.5
1925		97.0	97.7	96.5	104.9	99.2	105.5	102.9	106.2
1926		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927		95.7	99.4	93.3	98.5	101.1	98.2	96.1	98.6
1928		95.6	99.6	92.9	96.7	93.7	97.0	97.4	96.9
1929		94.7	100.0	91.1	96.1	94.6	96.3	99.0	95.9
1930		89.3	93.1	86.8	82.5	92.9	81.3	90.8	79.7
1931		76.2	70.4	80.0	67.1	90.0	64.6	81.9	61.7
1932		71.3	61.5	77.8	62.4	88.7	59.5	77.2	56.5
1933		71.1	63.8	76.0	63.1	86.0	60.5	78.3	57.5
1934		74.1	69.7	77.0	67.8	88.9	65.5	82.5	62.6
1935		73.6	70.4	75.7	69.5	89.8	67.2	81.2	64.8
1936		74.7	73.4	75.5	72.4	90.0	70.4	85.3	67.9
1935—January		73.4	68.6	76.6	68.4	89.7	66.0	81.6	63.3
February		73.9	70.0	76.5	68.6	89.7	66.2	81.6	63.6
March		73.6	70.1	75.9	69.1	89.7	66.8	81.1	64.4
April		73.4	70.2	75.6	70.6	89.9	68.5	80.9	66.4
May		73.0	69.5	75.4	70.6	89.9	68.4	81.0	66.3
June		72.7	68.6	75.5	69.3	89.9	67.0	81.0	64.6
July		72.7	69.2	75.1	68.6	89.7	66.2	81.2	63.7
August		73.2	69.7	75.0	69.0	89.8	66.7	81.0	64.3
September		73.4	71.0	75.0	70.1	89.8	67.9	81.2	65.6
October		74.1	72.4	75.3	70.5	89.7	68.4	81.0	66.3
November		74.2	72.3	75.4	69.4	89.7	67.1	81.1	64.7
December		74.4	72.5	75.6	69.4	90.1	67.1	82.1	64.5
1936—January		74.2	72.4	75.4	69.8	90.0	67.5	83.6	64.8
February		73.9	71.3	75.7	69.3	90.2	67.0	84.2	64.1
March		73.8	70.8	75.8	69.3	90.2	67.0	84.2	64.1
April		73.3	70.3	75.4	69.1	90.2	66.7	84.6	63.7
May		73.2	70.1	75.3	67.9	89.9	65.5	85.0	62.2
June		73.7	71.2	75.4	68.5	90.0	66.1	84.8	62.9
July		74.3	73.3	75.0	72.1	89.7	70.1	85.2	67.5
August		75.5	75.6	75.4	74.6	89.7	72.9	85.6	70.8
September		75.5	75.6	75.5	75.0	89.6	73.4	85.8	71.3
October		75.8	76.4	75.4	76.3	89.5	74.8	86.4	72.8
November		76.0	76.2	75.8	76.3	89.5	74.8	86.6	72.8
December		76.9	77.5	76.5	80.4	91.8	79.1	87.8	77.6

TABLE VIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1936

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)  
(1913=100)

Groups		I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
		All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
							All	Building Construc- tion	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	1890-1912	76	45	31	112	8	104	34	70
	1913-1925	98	74	24	146	15	131	32	99
	1926-1933	204	116	88	351	22	329	97	232
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1890		83.7	83.1	84.3	79.1	85.6	78.6	73.3	80.7
1891		84.4	84.5	84.4	78.8	85.5	78.3	70.0	81.7
1892		81.6	78.1	84.6	74.4	86.7	73.5	70.9	74.5
1893		82.6	80.0	84.9	73.5	87.1	72.5	70.0	73.5
1894		79.3	76.0	82.2	67.7	83.6	66.4	69.9	65.0
1895		77.3	73.3	80.7	68.1	82.8	67.0	66.9	67.0
1896		74.7	67.3	81.1	64.0	82.6	62.6	66.5	61.0
1897		75.9	70.7	80.4	66.4	81.8	65.2	62.0	66.5
1898		77.0	74.9	78.8	69.9	80.2	69.1	63.2	71.6
1899		77.1	75.3	78.6	69.2	80.1	68.4	66.8	69.1
1900		80.0	75.8	83.7	75.1	85.0	74.3	74.9	74.1
1901		83.3	76.4	89.2	75.7	92.8	74.3	72.5	75.1
1902		86.6	80.7	91.8	78.7	96.1	77.4	74.9	78.4
1903		89.8	84.7	94.2	79.1	99.6	77.5	80.7	76.1
1904		89.3	84.8	93.2	82.0	97.2	80.8	83.2	79.9
1905		89.2	87.4	90.8	83.2	92.3	82.5	82.4	82.5
1906		88.4	86.6	90.0	83.5	91.0	82.9	86.5	81.4
1907		93.7	93.2	94.0	88.6	94.6	88.1	89.7	87.4
1908		96.5	96.1	96.8	91.4	98.1	90.9	97.0	88.3
1909		94.7	95.3	94.2	94.5	96.5	94.3	94.8	94.1
1910		94.9	95.5	94.4	94.1	94.8	94.0	92.5	94.6
1911		96.2	98.4	94.3	92.4	94.5	92.2	97.1	90.2
1912		101.2	106.5	96.7	98.3	97.8	98.3	96.8	98.9
1913		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914		101.4	105.1	96.7	103.4	95.1	104.3	93.8	106.8
1915		103.9	111.2	94.5	113.5	92.9	115.8	90.3	121.7
1916		120.4	131.4	106.5	131.9	101.0	135.5	103.7	142.6
1917		154.1	176.5	125.6	177.0	118.6	183.4	130.5	195.7
1918		172.9	192.5	147.8	196.1	148.7	201.2	150.3	213.1
1919		191.7	207.0	171.6	205.8	164.6	210.1	175.8	218.1
1920		226.3	244.0	203.1	242.7	197.1	247.5	214.9	255.1
1921		174.0	170.0	179.2	167.9	206.5	163.9	183.2	159.4
1922		153.6	146.0	163.1	146.8	189.0	142.2	162.2	137.7
1923		151.3	147.6	155.9	145.0	186.1	140.6	167.0	134.7
1924		150.5	146.3	155.7	147.6	186.4	143.4	159.1	140.2
1925		156.9	158.2	155.2	155.5	180.1	152.8	153.5	152.7
1926		161.2	161.9	160.8	148.5	181.5	144.8	149.2	143.8
1927		154.4	160.9	150.0	146.3	183.5	142.2	143.4	141.8
1928		154.2	161.3	149.4	143.5	170.1	140.5	145.3	139.3
1929		152.7	161.9	146.5	142.6	171.7	139.4	147.7	137.9
1930		144.0	150.7	139.6	122.8	168.6	117.7	135.5	114.6
1931		122.8	114.0	128.6	100.5	163.4	93.5	122.2	88.7
1932		114.9	99.6	125.1	93.7	161.0	86.2	115.2	81.2
1933		114.6	103.3	122.2	94.5	156.1	87.6	116.8	82.7
1934		119.4	112.8	123.8	101.5	161.4	94.8	123.1	90.0
1935		118.6	114.0	121.7	103.9	163.0	97.3	121.2	93.2
1936		120.4	118.8	121.4	108.1	163.4	101.9	127.3	97.6
1935-January		118.4	111.1	123.2	102.2	162.8	95.5	121.7	91.0
February		119.1	113.3	123.0	102.6	162.8	95.9	121.7	91.5
March		118.6	113.5	122.0	103.3	162.8	96.7	121.0	92.6
April		118.4	113.7	121.6	105.6	163.2	99.2	120.7	95.5
May		117.7	112.5	121.2	105.4	163.2	99.0	120.9	95.3
June		117.3	111.1	121.4	103.6	163.2	97.0	120.9	92.9
July		117.3	112.0	120.8	102.6	162.8	95.9	121.2	91.6
August		118.0	112.8	121.4	103.2	163.0	96.6	120.9	92.5
September		118.3	114.9	120.6	104.7	163.0	98.2	121.2	94.3
October		119.5	117.2	121.1	105.4	162.8	99.0	120.9	95.3
November		119.6	117.1	121.2	103.7	162.8	97.1	121.0	93.0
December		119.9	117.4	121.6	103.7	163.5	97.1	122.5	92.8
1936-January		119.6	117.2	121.2	104.4	163.4	97.8	124.7	93.2
February		119.2	115.4	121.7	103.7	163.7	97.0	125.6	92.2
March		119.0	114.6	121.9	103.7	165.7	97.0	125.6	92.2
April		118.2	113.8	121.2	103.3	163.7	96.6	126.2	91.6
May		118.1	113.5	121.1	100.6	163.2	93.6	126.8	89.4
June		118.8	115.8	121.2	104.5	163.4	95.7	126.5	90.5
July		119.8	118.7	120.6	107.6	162.8	101.5	127.1	97.1
August		121.7	122.4	121.2	111.3	162.8	105.6	127.7	101.8
September		121.8	122.4	121.4	111.8	162.6	106.2	128.0	102.5
October		122.2	123.7	121.2	113.6	162.4	108.2	128.9	104.7
November		122.5	123.4	121.9	113.7	162.4	108.3	129.2	104.7
December		124.0	125.5	123.0	119.6	166.6	114.4	131.0	111.6



TABLE IX—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1933-1936

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of commodities		1933	1934	1935	1936
	1933	1934-36				
TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.....	502	567	67.1	71.6	72.1	74.6
CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B).....	204	236	71.1	74.1	73.6	74.7
A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco.....	116	126	63.8	69.7	70.4	73.4
Beverages.....	8	9	66.6	75.2	74.2	73.8
Flour and other milled products.....	5	12	58.3	68.3	69.8	75.5
Bakery products.....	2	2	81.7	82.8	83.0	84.0
Fish.....	16	16	62.9	70.9	71.5	72.1
Fruits, apples.....	3	3	74.4	74.4	74.4	74.4
Fruits, fresh.....	4	4	78.7	82.7	77.3	80.4
Fruits, dried.....	5	5	85.6	86.6	82.6	81.4
Fruits, canned.....	3	6	68.7	68.5	70.0	67.9
Meats, fresh.....	6	6	55.6	65.4	73.8	71.1
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	3	3	49.8	73.7	70.4	69.8
Poultry.....	1	1	48.4	51.5	52.8	64.1
Milk and its products.....	12	12	60.2	64.7	68.2	71.0
Sugar and its products.....	3	8	97.8	93.9	82.7	79.6
Vegetables.....	(15)	(13)				
Potatoes.....	7	7	44.4	33.9	33.4	67.5
Onions.....	2	2	73.5	72.3	81.0	71.3
Roots.....	3	3	71.8			
Vegetables, canned.....	3	4	76.1	73.4	72.2	76.3
Eggs.....	5	3	53.2	60.2	60.5	67.3
Tobacco.....	8	8	43.4	41.4	42.7	48.9
Miscellaneous.....	17	18	60.4	61.3	74.8	71.8
B. Other Consumers' Goods.....	88	110	76.0	77.0	75.7	75.5
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and under- wear).....	41	52	76.2	77.4	74.6	74.6
Household equipment and supplies.....	47	58	75.9	76.7	76.5	76.2
Coal.....			89.5	89.6	89.1	89.1
Coke.....			93.4	93.0	92.7	94.2
Coal oil, gas, fuel oil and lubricating oil.....			74.8	76.3	74.9	73.4
Drugs and pharmaceuticals.....			72.9	74.9	73.7	74.7
*Rubber tires and tubes.....			47.3	48.6	50.8	50.3
PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D).....	351	402	63.1	67.8	69.5	72.4
C. Producers' Equipment.....	22	24	86.0	88.9	89.8	90.0
Tools.....	3	3	82.7	85.4	86.6	86.6
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies.....	17	17	86.1	89.3	90.4	90.6
Explosives.....		2		83.4	77.9	77.5
Miscellaneous.....	2	2	83.4	84.0	84.5	84.5
D. Producers' Materials.....	329	378	60.5	65.5	67.2	70.4
Building and construction materials.....	97	111	78.3	82.5	81.2	85.3
Lumber.....	27	33	70.8	78.6	77.8	86.3
Paint materials.....	11	13	66.2	75.0	71.1	68.2
Miscellaneous.....	59	65	88.4	88.2	87.0	88.6
Manufacturers' Materials.....	232	267	57.5	62.6	64.8	67.9
For textile and clothing industries.....	47	64	69.2	71.3	67.9	67.4
For the fur and leather industries.....	19	24	68.0	67.7	68.2	76.7
For the metal working industries.....	35	41	68.1	68.5	72.5	73.5
For chemical using industries.....	44	43	90.0	89.6	88.8	89.2
For meat packing industries.....	4	4	55.3	69.4	79.4	72.5
For milling and other industries.....	23	23	44.3	54.9	58.8	66.3
Miscellaneous Producers' Materials.....	60	68	57.3	59.7	59.8	62.0
For farm materials.....			61.8	74.9	72.1	69.4
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.....			58.2	57.9	57.1	58.5
For rubber working industries.....			14.3	27.1	25.3	34.9
Other producers' materials.....			56.9	58.2	60.7	65.8

\*Previous to 1934: Rubber tires only.

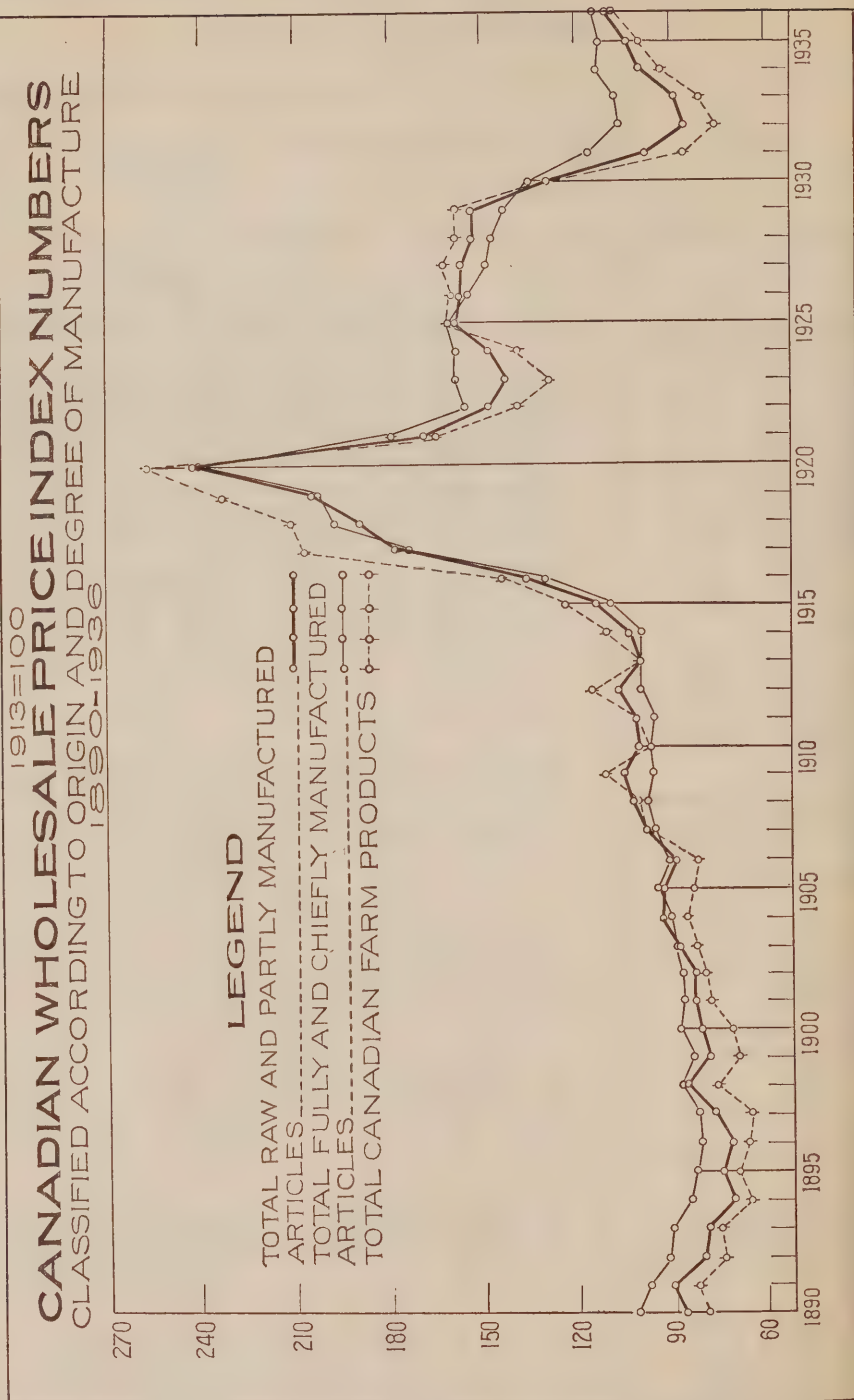
TABLE X—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1936

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of com- mod- ities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES</b>	567	72.9	72.5	72.4	72.2	71.9	72.3	74.3	76.1	76.4	77.1	77.2	79.6
<b>CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B)</b>	236	74.2	73.9	73.8	73.3	73.2	73.7	74.3	75.5	75.5	75.8	76.0	76.9
<b>A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco</b>	126	72.4	71.3	70.8	70.3	70.1	71.2	73.3	75.6	75.6	76.4	76.2	77.5
Beverages	9	73.5	73.5	73.7	73.7	73.7	73.5	73.1	73.2	73.0	73.7	74.8	76.0
Flour and other milled products	12	69.6	67.1	68.3	67.0	65.2	64.3	75.0	81.6	80.8	87.5	85.7	94.0
Bakery products	2	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	83.4	84.3	85.2	85.2	86.3	87.2
Fish	16	69.8	71.2	72.4	70.8	67.6	70.8	70.8	73.8	75.2	76.4	74.4	72.2
Fruits, fresh	4	75.5	68.9	72.9	69.5	76.5	85.1	90.4	84.5	85.1	94.2	87.0	74.9
Fruits, dried	5	81.2	81.3	81.4	81.0	81.4	79.9	79.5	80.5	82.1	82.3	82.3	84.5
Fruits, canned	6	69.6	66.4	66.3	66.0	66.1	66.0	65.9	67.0	69.9	69.9	70.0	71.9
Meats, fresh	6	76.1	74.7	69.8	71.8	73.1	73.5	72.9	71.7	70.0	67.9	65.5	67.5
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared	3	66.5	66.3	66.8	70.1	70.3	70.2	70.2	73.9	73.4	72.7	68.8	68.2
Poultry	1	65.4	69.8	69.8	69.8	69.8	68.1	65.4	65.4	61.1	55.4	54.1	56.7
Milk and its products	12	72.7	70.0	69.3	68.5	66.3	67.1	69.0	71.1	74.2	72.8	75.1	76.1
Sugar and its products	8	80.9	80.9	79.3	79.4	79.3	79.4	79.1	79.3	79.4	79.3	79.3	79.4
Vegetables	(13)												
Potatoes	7	53.9	51.3	53.4	64.1	69.7	81.7	79.7	83.2	74.6	63.2	67.3	68.7
Onions	2	79.1	79.1	82.7	72.9	69.3	65.7	65.7	79.5	71.1	58.1	59.9	72.1
Vegetables, canned	4	74.3	76.8	76.5	74.4	74.8	74.9	77.1	79.4	71.9	76.0	76.0	82.4
Eggs	3	68.1	71.7	67.3	49.7	52.5	57.1	60.4	65.9	66.9	80.0	83.6	75.6
Tobacco	8	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	55.4
Miscellaneous	18	73.4	74.7	69.0	72.7	71.1	67.7	69.6	70.4	73.3	72.8	73.2	75.8
<b>B. Other Consumers' Goods</b>	110	75.4	75.7	75.8	75.4	75.3	75.4	75.0	75.4	75.5	75.4	75.8	76.5
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and underwear)	52	74.3	74.2	74.5	74.6	74.4	74.3	74.1	74.9	74.8	74.9	75.2	75.9
Household equipment and supplies	58	76.3	76.8	76.8	76.0	75.9	76.2	75.7	75.8	76.1	75.8	76.3	77.0
Coal		90.9	90.9	90.9	88.5	88.1	88.6	87.4	87.8	88.6	89.1	88.8	89.1
Coke		92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	110.5
Coal oil, gas, fuel oil and lubricating oil		71.9	74.0	74.0	74.0	74.0	74.5	73.6	73.6	73.6	72.4	72.4	72.4
Drugs and pharmaceuticals		74.2	73.9	73.9	73.7	73.7	74.2	75.3	75.3	75.3	75.3	75.3	75.3
Rubber tires and tubes		49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	49.7	53.3	53.3
<b>PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D)</b>	402	69.8	69.3	69.3	69.1	67.9	68.5	72.1	74.6	75.0	76.3	76.3	80.4
<b>C. Producers' Equipment</b>	24	90.0	90.2	90.2	90.2	89.9	90.0	89.7	89.7	89.6	89.5	89.5	91.8
Tools	3	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6	86.6
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies	17	90.6	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.5	90.6	90.3	90.3	90.2	90.1	90.1	92.5
Explosives	2	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	78.0	78.0	78.0	78.0	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4
Miscellaneous	2	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5
<b>D. Producers' Materials</b>	378	67.5	67.0	67.0	66.7	65.5	66.1	70.1	72.9	73.4	74.8	74.8	79.1
Building and construction materials	111	83.6	84.2	84.2	84.6	85.0	84.8	85.2	85.6	85.8	86.4	86.6	87.8
Lumber	33	83.1	84.6	84.5	85.2	86.0	85.5	86.3	86.9	87.0	87.8	88.8	89.1
Painters' materials	13	67.9	67.7	67.5	67.6	67.0	66.3	68.3	68.7	69.1	69.0	69.0	70.1
Miscellaneous	65	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.2	88.5	88.7	88.3	88.5	88.8	88.5	88.8	91.0
<b>Manufacturers' Materials</b>	267	64.8	64.1	64.1	63.7	62.2	62.9	67.5	70.8	71.3	72.8	72.8	77.6
For textile and clothing industries	64	67.3	67.3	67.6	67.4	66.9	66.7	66.7	67.7	67.5	67.4	67.6	68.9
For the fur and leather industries	24	77.1	76.9	76.8	77.2	76.6	75.1	73.3	73.7	75.6	76.7	78.3	82.7
For metal working industries	41	71.9	72.0	72.7	72.6	72.1	71.6	72.0	72.8	73.8	73.9	76.8	80.5
For chemical using industries	43	83.1	88.0	88.1	88.3	88.2	88.1	89.1	89.2	89.5	89.9	90.4	90.3
For meat packing industries	4	78.0	77.3	72.3	72.8	69.7	72.0	75.9	73.2	72.1	68.0	67.4	71.7
For milling and other industries	23	58.3	56.8	56.9	56.0	53.6	55.2	66.3	74.5	75.3	78.8	77.6	86.0
<b>Miscellaneous Producers' Materials</b>	68	60.1	59.4	59.6	59.4	57.8	58.6	61.6	63.4	63.7	65.6	65.2	68.4
For farm materials		65.0	63.4	64.0	65.1	64.9	64.3	69.5	73.5	72.6	74.0	77.2	79.3
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.		58.4	58.4	58.3	58.3	58.3	58.4	58.4	58.6	58.6	58.7	58.7	58.9
For rubber working industries		29.5	32.1	33.3	33.7	32.9	33.4	34.7	35.0	35.4	35.7	38.9	44.1
Other producers' materials		62.6	60.9	61.3	60.3	58.6	58.2	64.7	68.3	69.2	74.1	71.4	79.4

Chart 3





## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORD- ING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE

The broad movements of raw and partly manufactured, fully and chiefly manufactured, and Canadian farm products during the past forty-five years may be observed from Chart III. The violent shifts in price levels since the beginning of the Great War stand out in clear contrast to the minor fluctuations of the preceding twenty-four years. Throughout the whole period, the relatively sensitive behaviour of farm product prices is plainly evident. The index for this group fluctuates more widely than that of raw and partly manufactured materials chiefly because of the presence of ferrous metals and non-metallic minerals among the latter. Price movements for such commodities are characteristically more rigid than those for most other commodity groups.

Despite moderate recovery in prices between 1933 and 1936, it may be seen that indexes are still close to levels occupied early in the first decade of the century. Recovery has been pronounced in primary products, and this has corrected the disparity between primary products and manufactured goods more completely than the annual averages plotted on this chart would indicate. In December 1936, the index for Raw and Partly Manufactured Goods was 79·3 as compared with 77·3 for Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Goods. The amount of change during the year may be judged from the corresponding 1935 indexes which were 67·2 and 72·9 respectively. During 1936, an index for Canadian Farm Product wholesale prices mounted from 65·5 to 82·4.

Details of index numbers of wholesale commodity prices classified according to origin and degree of manufacture may be found in Tables XI and XVI following.

TABLE XI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1890-1936  
(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1926=100)

Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)										Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin				
	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					Animal					Field	Minimal	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total		
	Total Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured													Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total
*Number of Commodities...	245	322	95	91	186	46	59	105	52	18	70	5	11	16	37	20	57	62	141	203				
1890.....	56.1	66.0	54.0	67.0	61.0	45.3	44.3	44.7	47.9	48.7	48.2	47.7	39.7	41.9	40.6	35.6	37.9	62.0	82.0	73.1				
1895.....	47.8	53.8	44.9	49.1	47.2	43.0	42.5	42.7	41.2	45.6	42.8	49.3	38.6	41.5	39.5	36.8	38.1	52.4	70.5	62.4				
1900.....	52.3	57.5	47.2	51.7	49.6	49.5	49.4	49.5	41.3	52.2	45.4	54.9	40.6	44.5	43.3	42.4	42.8	60.9	73.6	67.9				
1905.....	58.9	60.9	57.1	60.6	59.0	53.9	51.9	52.8	49.7	55.7	51.9	56.5	43.9	47.3	51.5	48.4	49.8	59.2	69.1	64.7				
1910.....	64.2	63.1	63.0	61.8	62.4	64.9	64.3	64.6	55.8	68.7	60.6	73.4	51.3	57.3	60.5	49.7	54.7	59.0	65.3	62.5				
1913.....	63.8	64.8	58.4	59.9	59.2	73.0	67.8	70.7	56.4	77.0	64.1	78.7	61.2	65.9	67.0	54.0	60.1	64.1	70.9	67.9				
1914.....	66.2	65.6	65.9	64.6	65.2	73.6	70.7	70.7	65.4	78.3	70.2	72.5	60.7	63.9	61.8	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9				
1915.....	72.5	71.1	77.8	73.7	75.6	75.0	72.9	73.7	73.7	79.5	77.9	73.7	61.8	65.0	57.4	54.9	56.1	68.4	69.3	68.9				
1916.....	86.4	84.6	90.2	85.4	86.1	86.4	86.1	86.1	88.8	91.4	89.8	81.0	65.7	69.8	68.0	56.4	61.8	83.1	87.4	85.5				
1917.....	113.6	113.5	131.2	118.8	124.5	113.3	111.8	119.5	134.5	118.4	128.5	100.4	82.3	87.2	82.1	72.4	76.9	98.7	115.0	107.7				
1918.....	120.8	127.7	132.7	136.5	134.7	133.2	129.0	129.0	132.0	133.6	132.6	120.8	108.6	111.7	90.8	88.7	89.7	104.9	123.6	115.2				
1919.....	130.3	132.1	144.8	140.5	142.5	146.8	139.4	142.6	142.6	150.8	146.7	133.7	106.9	114.1	156.9	146.4	151.3	124.9	142.5	134.6				
1920.....	154.1	156.5	176.9	175.9	176.4	176.5	173.4	166.5	166.5	150.8	160.6	133.7	106.9	114.1	123.4	148.7	136.9	111.1	123.2	117.8				
1921.....	107.2	116.1	101.8	110.7	106.0	104.7	111.6	108.2	109.3	109.5	103.7	90.2	91.6	91.7	106.0	107.5	106.8	103.5	108.8	106.4				
1922.....	94.7	100.4	86.3	95.3	91.2	86.3	86.3	93.9	81.4	99.0	88.0	90.3	92.2	85.4	104.7	110.2	107.6	101.9	101.7	101.7				
1923.....	91.1	103.1	83.6	101.2	96.6	91.5	90.5	97.2	73.3	95.1	81.5	99.6	80.1	85.4	113.1	112.6	112.8	105.6	106.6	104.6				
1924.....	94.8	101.9	89.4	102.7	96.6	100.4	99.5	98.2	97.2	88.1	88.1	95.9	91.8	92.9	104.7	110.2	107.6	101.9	101.7	101.7				
1925.....	100.8	103.8	100.6	106.9	104.0	106.6	105.8	100.0	100.0	105.6	101.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0				
1926.....	99.9	98.5	99.0	96.9	97.9	100.0	99.8	100.0	99.9	103.7	102.1	96.7	101.5	104.0	100.2	97.0	99.5	98.3	94.6	94.6				
1927.....	97.4	95.0	90.2	93.9	92.1	91.7	97.7	105.1	92.6	114.3	100.8	96.8	108.5	105.3	105.3	97.9	93.7	92.2	91.8	91.5				
1928.....	97.5	93.0	89.5	90.7	90.5	103.7	89.4	95.6	102.9	82.3	86.9	98.4	105.3	105.3	105.3	97.9	93.7	92.2	91.8	91.5				
1929.....	82.2	87.3	67.4	84.0	76.7	103.7	79.4	70.0	77.6	56.3	70.3	77.6	75.6	79.4	78.7	78.7	78.0	86.1	90.3	88.4				
1930.....	61.9	74.8	44.0	69.5	51.1	59.9	61.1	60.6	41.1	60.7	48.4	56.2	66.6	63.9	68.9	69.2	77.0	84.9	80.6	81.4				
1931.....	55.0	69.8	41.0	57.1	54.3	59.0	62.5	61.0	45.8	59.7	51.0	56.2	65.4	62.9	69.7	57.2	75.6	86.0	82.3	82.8				
1932.....	66.5	70.2	45.3	71.2	64.8	66.0	69.8	68.2	53.8	67.7	69.3	75.1	71.1	76.3	56.1	64.7	79.6	85.3	82.8	82.8				
1933.....	56.6	73.4	54.2	73.8	65.1	71.6	69.9	70.6	57.3	74.0	61.8	72.0	69.2	69.2	74.5	56.1	64.7	79.6	85.3	82.8				
1934.....	66.0	72.8	56.2	72.8	63.8	68.0	69.8	68.2	53.8	67.7	69.3	75.1	71.1	76.3	56.1	64.7	79.6	85.3	82.8	82.8				
1935.....	70.8	73.6	63.8	73.8	68.2	73.6	71.4	65.8	75.3	69.4	67.1	70.1	69.3	80.8	57.5	68.4	79.9	85.2	82.8	82.8				

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.

TABLE XII.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1890-1936  
(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1913=100)

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Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)			Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin		
	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)			Animal			Raw and Partly Manufactured			Raw and Partly Manufactured			Raw and Partly Manufactured		
	Total Fully and Partly Manufactured	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured
*Number of Commodities...	245	95	91	186	46	59	105	52	18	70	5	11	16	37	20
1890.....	88.0	92.5	111.8	98.1	62.0	65.3	63.7	84.9	63.3	79.5	60.6	64.8	63.9	60.6	66.0
1895.....	74.9	83.1	76.9	78.4	58.9	62.7	60.8	73.0	59.2	69.6	62.7	63.1	63.0	58.9	68.1
1900.....	81.9	86.7	86.3	82.5	67.8	72.9	70.3	73.2	67.8	71.9	69.7	66.4	67.1	64.6	78.6
1905.....	92.3	94.0	101.2	98.7	73.9	76.5	75.2	88.1	72.4	84.2	71.8	71.8	71.8	76.9	89.6
1910.....	100.7	107.9	103.2	106.5	88.9	94.8	91.9	98.9	89.2	96.5	93.3	83.8	85.7	90.3	92.0
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	103.8	112.8	107.9	109.6	103.6	98.7	101.9	116.0	101.7	110.8	92.1	99.2	97.6	92.3	102.8
1915.....	103.6	133.3	123.0	125.4	102.8	107.3	105.0	136.4	103.2	124.3	93.7	100.9	99.3	85.7	101.6
1916.....	132.5	194.3	142.5	146.0	118.4	126.5	121.3	157.5	118.7	143.3	102.9	107.3	106.3	101.5	104.5
1917.....	178.0	224.9	198.4	209.4	155.2	164.9	158.6	238.4	153.8	207.5	127.6	134.5	123.0	122.6	134.1
1918.....	189.3	227.9	225.0	225.0	182.4	185.4	184.5	234.0	173.5	211.9	152.5	177.5	172.0	135.5	164.2
1919.....	204.2	247.9	245.9	239.2	200.5	206.1	201.5	252.8	199.3	233.1	162.4	181.8	177.5	167.3	193.1
1920.....	241.2	302.3	283.6	291.2	201.1	214.4	208.5	295.3	195.8	253.8	169.9	174.6	173.5	177.5	234.2
1921.....	168.0	170.2	184.8	177.6	143.4	163.7	156.2	177.8	142.2	164.8	114.6	149.7	141.9	184.2	271.2
1922.....	148.5	147.7	159.1	152.9	130.6	142.1	135.6	144.3	128.6	138.5	114.7	150.7	142.7	158.3	275.4
1923.....	149.8	159.1	143.2	168.9	153.4	124.4	130.7	130.0	123.5	137.6	126.5	130.9	129.9	168.8	208.6
1924.....	148.6	153.1	153.1	161.3	125.3	133.3	130.7	146.6	126.2	139.1	121.8	150.0	143.7	156.3	204.0
1925.....	158.0	160.2	178.5	175.7	137.6	148.3	142.9	174.1	137.2	160.5	120.0	162.0	152.7	149.7	196.2
1926.....	156.7	154.3	167.2	171.7	136.9	147.4	142.0	177.4	129.8	159.6	127.1	163.4	155.3	149.3	185.3
1927.....	159.5	161.8	165.9	145.9	141.2	141.2	143.2	177.4	137.2	162.2	122.9	165.9	154.3	148.4	184.4
1928.....	152.6	146.6	156.8	157.0	141.4	149.6	164.3	148.4	138.4	158.4	116.3	169.9	155.4	148.4	181.4
1929.....	152.8	143.5	152.3	152.3	157.0	145.2	150.3	166.4	146.0	158.8	123.0	177.3	162.6	150.0	162.7
1930.....	128.8	115.4	140.3	128.8	142.0	131.8	136.2	124.2	133.6	127.7	110.4	160.8	146.3	135.7	160.1
1931.....	97.0	115.4	75.3	105.1	105.5	105.3	77.3	100.7	86.1	86.1	89.4	126.8	116.7	118.5	145.8
1932.....	86.2	107.7	70.2	97.3	82.0	90.1	86.6	72.9	78.8	75.1	71.4	108.8	98.7	103.9	127.7
1933.....	88.7	108.3	77.6	118.0	89.8	80.8	87.2	81.2	77.5	79.8	71.4	106.9	110.5	118.0	119.7
1934.....	99.5	113.3	92.8	109.8	90.4	102.9	97.5	95.4	87.9	92.6	76.6	122.7	105.1	118.0	119.3
1935.....	103.4	112.3	96.2	121.6	109.3	103.0	100.8	101.7	96.1	99.6	78.5	117.6	108.6	121.0	121.3
1936.....	110.9	113.6	109.2	116.8	100.8	106.2	103.3	116.7	97.7	109.6	85.3	114.5	106.6	124.3	123.3

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.



TABLE XIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1934-1936

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	61.1	62.8	62.3	61.5	62.3	64.6	64.7	65.3	64.8	64.5	64.3	64.3
1935.....	64.7	64.9	65.2	66.4	66.3	65.0	64.9	65.0	67.3	67.9	67.2	67.2
1936.....	68.0	67.5	67.3	66.8	66.2	66.6	69.7	73.0	73.9	75.2	75.8	79.3
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	73.1	74.6	75.1	74.0	73.0	73.0	73.1	73.4	73.5	72.8	72.4	72.5
1935.....	72.6	73.4	73.3	73.3	72.3	71.5	71.8	72.3	72.4	73.3	72.9	72.9
1936.....	72.7	72.2	72.1	72.3	71.7	71.9	73.3	74.8	74.9	75.2	75.4	77.3
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	49.0	50.6	51.0	50.2	52.1	56.4	58.1	60.2	58.4	55.2	55.1	55.2
1935.....	55.4	55.4	55.7	58.4	57.0	54.9	55.2	54.9	57.3	57.9	56.4	56.2
1936.....	57.2	55.9	56.3	56.2	55.0	57.1	63.8	70.3	70.4	72.1	71.8	78.0
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	74.5	75.4	75.5	74.1	73.6	73.0	73.6	74.3	73.8	73.1	73.0	73.3
1935.....	73.4	73.7	73.7	74.5	73.7	72.5	72.0	72.1	71.7	72.6	71.8	71.8
1936.....	72.0	71.3	71.4	71.1	70.5	70.3	73.2	75.6	75.5	77.5	77.6	80.7
<b>Total—</b>												
1934.....	62.7	64.0	64.2	63.1	63.7	65.3	66.4	67.8	66.7	64.8	64.7	64.9
1935.....	65.1	65.3	65.4	67.1	66.0	64.4	64.2	64.2	65.1	65.8	64.7	64.6
1936.....	65.2	64.2	64.4	64.2	63.3	64.2	68.9	73.1	73.1	75.0	74.9	79.5
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	66.1	69.6	67.1	65.8	65.1	65.8	63.3	61.7	63.4	67.9	67.9	67.8
1935.....	68.9	69.6	70.4	70.0	71.8	70.6	69.7	70.1	73.3	74.4	74.3	74.6
1936.....	75.8	75.8	73.9	72.4	72.6	70.3	70.1	70.5	72.9	74.3	76.8	78.0
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	67.6	72.0	73.9	71.7	68.8	69.6	69.3	69.5	70.7	68.9	67.7	67.6
1935.....	67.6	70.1	69.7	69.1	67.9	66.9	67.7	69.7	71.1	73.4	72.7	72.4
1936.....	71.5	70.0	69.5	70.3	68.9	69.9	71.1	73.1	73.9	72.3	72.6	73.5
<b>Total—</b>												
1934.....	66.9	71.0	71.0	69.1	67.2	68.0	66.7	66.1	67.5	68.5	67.8	67.7
1935.....	68.2	69.9	70.0	69.5	69.6	68.5	68.6	69.9	72.1	73.8	73.4	73.4
1936.....	73.4	72.5	71.4	71.2	70.5	70.1	70.7	72.0	73.5	73.2	74.4	75.5
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
<b>Field (grains, etc.)—</b>												
1934.....	48.0	49.4	49.8	48.8	51.1	55.7	57.7	60.7	59.0	55.3	55.7	58.1
1935.....	55.8	55.8	56.4	59.8	58.0	55.1	55.2	56.0	59.1	59.4	58.0	58.1
1936.....	59.0	58.9	59.2	59.8	59.9	60.8	63.2	74.1	74.2	76.4	75.6	83.3
<b>Animal—</b>												
1934.....	68.4	72.2	68.8	67.4	66.8	66.0	63.7	62.9	65.0	70.3	70.4	70.8
1935.....	71.0	72.5	73.3	72.9	74.4	72.0	71.1	72.4	75.5	76.7	77.1	77.9
1936.....	77.5	77.8	76.0	73.8	73.0	70.4	71.6	71.9	74.7	76.2	79.5	80.8
<b>Total—</b>												
1934.....	55.6	57.9	56.9	55.8	57.0	59.6	59.9	61.5	61.2	60.9	61.2	61.6
1935.....	61.5	62.0	62.7	64.7	64.1	61.4	61.1	62.1	65.2	65.9	65.1	65.5
1936.....	65.9	66.0	65.5	65.0	64.8	64.4	66.3	73.3	74.4	76.3	77.1	82.4
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	59.8	60.4	58.7	56.6	56.6	58.3	53.4	60.6	69.0	74.6	65.9	53.8
1935.....	63.2	61.9	61.7	58.7	54.1	61.4	54.6	61.1	68.6	69.4	64.4	61.9
1936.....	61.0	63.7	68.5	64.0	56.0	62.9	61.6	68.9	73.6	79.6	75.2	69.5
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	71.9	72.6	72.2	72.7	72.7	73.2	74.2	74.5	77.7	78.1	77.7	76.7
1935.....	75.5	75.4	75.5	73.6	71.4	72.0	72.5	69.9	68.8	68.6	70.7	70.3
1936.....	69.4	70.0	69.6	69.3	68.7	69.7	70.6	72.0	71.2	70.5	69.9	69.0
<b>Total—</b>												
1934.....	68.6	69.3	68.5	68.3	68.3	69.2	68.6	70.7	75.3	77.1	74.5	70.5
1935.....	72.2	71.7	71.8	69.6	66.7	69.1	67.7	67.5	68.7	68.8	69.0	68.0
1936.....	67.1	68.3	69.3	67.9	65.3	67.9	68.2	71.2	71.8	73.0	71.3	69.0

TABLE XIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1934-1936—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1934.....	75.7	76.0	76.2	76.4	76.8	77.9	77.2	76.5	76.3	76.1	75.2	74.5
1935.....	74.7	74.9	74.2	73.2	73.2	73.1	74.0	73.8	75.5	74.8	75.4	76.8
1936.....	78.7	79.5	79.4	79.8	80.3	80.1	80.7	81.2	81.6	82.8	82.9	83.3
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1934.....	56.2	56.2	56.2	56.3	56.4	56.4	56.0	56.0	55.9	55.9	55.9	55.9
1935.....	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.1	56.5	56.5	56.5
1936.....	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.4	57.4	57.4	57.3	57.4	57.4	57.5
Total—												
1934.....	65.3	65.4	65.5	65.7	65.9	66.4	65.9	65.6	65.4	65.3	64.9	64.6
1935.....	64.7	64.8	64.5	64.0	64.0	64.0	64.4	64.3	65.1	65.0	65.3	66.0
1936.....	67.4	67.8	67.7	67.9	68.1	68.0	68.3	68.5	68.6	69.2	69.3	69.5
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1934.....	77.9	78.0	77.9	77.1	77.3	77.3	77.5	77.5	77.1	77.3	77.6	77.8
1935.....	78.0	78.0	78.1	79.2	79.0	79.2	79.2	79.8	80.5	81.5	81.4	80.8
1936.....	79.6	79.9	80.1	79.6	79.0	78.9	78.8	79.2	79.9	80.0	81.1	82.7
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1934.....	86.4	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.0	86.0	85.9	85.7	85.6	85.6	85.5	85.6
1935.....	85.8	85.9	86.0	85.6	83.7	83.5	84.9	85.1	84.7	84.5	84.5	84.7
1936.....	84.3	84.8	84.8	85.0	85.0	85.2	85.1	85.2	85.3	84.9	85.1	87.2
Total—												
1934.....	82.6	82.7	82.7	82.3	82.1	82.1	82.1	82.0	81.8	81.9	82.0	82.1
1935.....	82.3	82.4	82.5	82.7	81.9	81.6	82.4	82.7	82.8	83.2	83.1	83.0
1936.....	82.2	82.6	82.7	82.5	82.3	82.4	82.3	82.5	82.9	82.7	83.3	85.1

TABLE XIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY  
GROUPS IN CANADA, 1934-1936

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	95.7	98.4	97.6	96.4	97.6	101.2	101.4	102.3	101.5	101.1	100.8	100.8
1935.....	101.4	101.7	102.2	104.0	103.9	101.9	101.7	101.9	105.5	106.4	105.3	105.3
1936.....	106.6	105.8	105.5	104.7	103.7	104.4	109.2	114.4	115.8	117.8	118.8	124.3
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1934.....	112.8	115.1	115.9	114.2	112.6	112.6	112.8	113.3	113.4	112.3	111.7	111.9
1935.....	112.0	113.3	113.1	113.1	111.6	110.3	110.8	111.6	111.7	113.1	112.5	112.5
1936.....	112.2	111.4	111.3	111.6	110.6	110.9	113.1	115.4	115.6	116.0	116.3	119.3
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1934.....	83.9	86.6	87.3	85.9	89.2	96.6	99.5	103.1	100.0	94.5	94.3	94.5
1935.....	94.8	94.8	95.4	100.0	97.6	94.0	94.5	94.0	98.1	99.1	96.6	96.2
1936.....	97.9	95.7	96.4	96.2	94.2	97.8	109.2	120.4	120.5	123.4	122.9	133.5
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1934.....	124.4	125.9	126.1	123.7	122.9	121.9	122.9	124.1	123.2	122.1	121.9	122.4
1935.....	122.6	123.1	123.1	124.4	123.1	121.1	120.2	120.4	119.7	121.2	119.9	119.9
1936.....	120.2	119.1	119.2	118.7	117.7	117.4	122.2	126.3	126.1	129.4	129.6	134.8
<b>Total—</b>												
1934.....	105.7	107.8	108.2	106.3	107.4	110.2	112.1	114.4	112.5	109.4	109.2	109.5
1935.....	109.8	110.0	110.3	113.1	111.3	108.6	108.3	108.2	109.7	111.0	109.1	109.0
1936.....	109.9	108.3	108.7	108.3	106.9	108.3	116.2	123.5	123.5	126.7	126.5	134.2

# TABLE XIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1934-1936—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1934.....	90.5	95.3	91.9	90.1	89.1	90.1	86.7	84.5	86.8	93.0	93.0	92.8
1935.....	94.3	95.3	96.4	95.8	98.3	96.7	95.4	96.0	100.3	101.9	101.7	102.1
1936.....	103.8	103.8	101.2	99.1	99.4	96.2	96.0	96.5	99.8	101.7	105.1	106.8
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1934.....	99.6	106.1	108.9	105.7	101.4	102.6	102.1	102.4	104.2	101.6	99.8	99.6
1935.....	99.6	103.3	102.7	101.9	100.1	98.6	99.8	102.7	104.8	108.2	107.2	106.7
1936.....	105.4	103.2	102.4	103.6	101.6	103.0	104.8	107.7	108.9	106.6	107.0	108.2
Total—												
1934.....	95.7	101.4	101.5	98.9	96.1	97.2	95.4	94.6	96.7	97.9	96.9	96.7
1935.....	97.3	99.8	100.0	99.3	99.3	97.8	97.9	99.8	102.8	105.5	104.8	104.7
1936.....	104.7	103.4	101.9	101.7	100.6	100.1	101.0	102.9	105.0	104.5	106.2	107.7
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
Field (grains, etc.)—												
1934.....	85.2	87.6	88.3	86.6	90.7	98.8	102.4	107.7	104.7	98.1	98.8	99.5
1935.....	99.0	99.0	100.1	106.1	102.9	97.7	97.9	99.3	104.8	105.4	102.9	103.1
1936.....	104.7	104.5	105.0	106.1	106.3	107.9	112.1	131.5	131.6	135.5	134.1	148.0
Animal—												
1934.....	88.8	93.7	89.3	87.5	86.7	85.7	82.7	81.6	84.4	91.2	91.4	91.9
1935.....	92.2	94.1	95.1	94.6	96.6	93.5	92.3	94.0	98.0	99.6	100.1	101.1
1936.....	100.6	101.0	98.6	95.8	94.8	91.4	92.9	93.3	97.0	98.9	103.2	104.9
Total—												
1934.....	86.6	89.9	88.7	86.9	89.2	93.9	95.0	97.9	97.1	95.5	96.0	96.7
1935.....	96.5	97.2	98.2	101.8	100.5	96.1	95.8	97.3	102.3	103.2	101.9	102.4
1936.....	103.2	103.2	102.6	102.2	102.0	101.7	104.9	117.2	118.7	121.8	122.5	131.9
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1934.....	76.0	76.8	74.6	71.9	71.9	74.1	67.9	77.0	87.7	94.8	83.8	68.4
1935.....	80.3	78.7	78.4	74.6	68.8	78.0	69.4	77.7	87.2	88.2	81.9	78.7
1936.....	77.5	81.0	87.1	81.3	71.2	79.9	78.3	87.6	93.5	101.2	95.6	88.3
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1934.....	117.5	118.6	118.0	118.8	118.8	119.6	121.2	121.7	127.0	127.6	127.0	125.3
1935.....	123.4	123.2	123.4	120.3	116.7	117.6	118.5	114.2	112.4	112.1	115.5	114.9
1936.....	113.4	114.4	113.7	113.2	112.3	113.9	115.4	117.6	116.3	115.2	114.2	113.7
Total—												
1934.....	106.3	107.3	106.3	106.1	106.1	107.3	106.8	109.6	116.4	118.7	115.3	109.9
1935.....	111.7	111.2	111.2	107.9	103.7	106.9	105.2	104.3	105.6	105.6	106.4	105.1
1936.....	103.7	105.3	106.5	104.6	101.1	104.7	105.3	109.5	110.2	111.4	109.2	106.9
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1934.....	113.0	113.5	113.8	114.1	114.7	116.3	115.3	114.2	113.9	113.6	112.3	111.2
1935.....	111.5	111.8	110.8	109.3	109.3	109.1	110.5	110.2	112.7	111.7	112.6	114.7
1936.....	117.5	118.7	118.5	119.1	119.9	119.6	120.5	121.2	121.8	123.6	123.8	124.4
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1934.....	104.1	104.1	104.1	104.3	104.5	104.5	103.8	103.8	103.6	103.6	103.6	103.6
1935.....	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	104.0	104.7	104.7	104.7
1936.....	106.5	106.7	106.5	106.7	106.5	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.2	106.4	106.4	106.5
Total—												
1934.....	108.3	108.5	108.6	108.9	109.3	110.0	109.2	108.7	108.4	108.3	107.7	107.1
1935.....	107.4	107.5	107.1	106.4	106.4	106.3	106.9	106.8	108.1	108.0	108.4	109.4
1936.....	111.7	112.3	112.1	112.5	112.8	112.5	112.9	113.3	113.5	114.4	114.5	114.9
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1934.....	121.6	121.8	121.6	120.4	120.7	120.7	121.0	121.0	120.4	120.7	121.1	121.4
1935.....	121.8	121.8	121.9	123.6	124.3	123.6	123.6	124.6	125.7	127.2	127.1	126.1
1936.....	124.3	124.7	125.0	124.3	123.3	123.2	123.0	123.6	124.7	124.9	126.6	129.1
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1934.....	121.8	122.0	122.0	122.0	121.3	121.3	121.1	120.8	120.7	120.7	120.6	120.7
1935.....	121.0	121.1	121.3	120.7	118.0	117.7	119.7	120.0	119.4	119.1	119.1	119.4
1936.....	118.9	119.6	119.6	119.9	119.9	120.1	120.0	120.1	120.3	119.7	120.0	123.0
Total—												
1934.....	121.7	121.9	121.8	121.3	121.0	121.0	121.1	120.9	120.6	120.7	120.8	121.0
1935.....	121.4	121.4	121.6	122.0	120.8	120.3	121.4	122.1	122.2	122.7	122.7	122.4
1936.....	121.3	121.9	122.0	121.8	121.4	121.5	121.3	121.7	122.3	122.0	122.9	125.7



TABLE XV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1932-1936

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)					
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials					
Fruits, fresh, domestic	41.0	45.3	54.2	56.2	63.8
Fruits, fresh	95.9	74.4			
Fruits, dried	88.3	78.7	82.7	77.3	80.4
Grains	95.3	86.0	86.6	82.6	81.4
Rubber, raw	39.3	44.3	54.9	58.8	66.3
Sugar, raw	9.5	14.3	27.1	25.3	34.9
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices	42.2	51.4	41.1	39.3	39.1
Tobacco	66.8	63.6	71.7	70.7	73.2
Vegetables	44.6	43.4	41.4	42.7	48.9
Potatoes					
Onions	26.0	44.4	33.9	33.4	67.5
Roots	91.1	73.5	73.2	81.0	71.3
Miscellaneous vegetable products	82.1	71.8			
Cotton, raw	62.2	57.4	77.1	71.7	64.2
Miscellaneous fibres	41.7	53.7	70.4	69.6	71.1
Pharmaceuticals	44.9	46.0	30.7	42.0	61.3
	78.5	66.7	70.0	69.9	75.8
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles					
Evaporated apples	67.1	71.2	73.9	72.8	73.8
Canned fruits	76.6	68.1			
Flour and milled products	74.3	68.7	68.5	70.0	67.9
Bakery products	56.0	58.3	68.3	69.8	75.5
Vegetable oils	81.8	81.7	82.8	83.0	84.0
Rubbers	56.1	56.1	56.3	70.8	74.5
Tires and tubes	65.4	66.7	67.1	67.1	67.8
Sugar products and glucose	45.5	47.3	48.6	50.8	50.3
Chocolate and cocoa butter	73.9	97.8	93.8	82.1	78.8
Canned vegetables	78.3	62.3	57.6	57.6	65.5
Miscellaneous vegetable products	68.2	76.1	73.4	72.2	76.2
Miscellaneous fibre products	72.1	72.3	76.0	76.0	68.6
Cotton yarn and thread	50.5	48.7	55.6	50.3	50.2
Sash cord	79.0	82.3	85.5	82.2	82.7
Cotton fabrics	96.0	105.2	109.1	102.1	93.5
Cotton knit goods	76.5	77.6	78.7	76.4	72.6
Chemicals	80.0	77.8	81.1	82.6	82.3
Soap	87.4	77.3	80.9	80.8	87.0
	92.6	92.6	87.1	85.1	85.4
(c) Total	55.1	59.3	64.8	65.1	69.2
(B) ANIMAL					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials					
Live Stock	59.9	59.0	66.0	71.6	73.6
Furs	61.2	55.3	69.4	79.4	72.5
Hides and skins	51.3	55.7	56.9	51.7	59.8
Meats	37.0	56.4	57.7	69.2	80.4
Poultry	60.7	55.6	65.4	73.8	71.1
Milk	58.0	48.4	51.5	52.8	64.1
Eggs	63.9	64.8	71.2	77.3	79.1
Silk, raw	60.6	53.2	60.2	60.5	67.3
Wool, raw	29.8	28.2	21.0	27.0	28.8
Shellac	31.7	47.0	61.3	50.4	68.1
Fertilizers	34.4	37.1	65.9	43.6	39.6
	84.8	87.8	100.8	99.3	99.3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles					
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared	61.1	62.5	69.8	69.9	71.4
Oils, fats, etc.	44.2	49.8	73.7	70.4	69.8
Leather	49.8	54.4	57.8	77.1	69.9
Boots and shoes	73.1	79.3	77.7	79.0	87.1
Milk, condensed and evaporated	90.6	89.4	87.3	85.3	88.4
Butter	94.0	88.5	87.2	87.2	87.2
Cheese	54.2	56.0	59.2	60.6	62.2
Silk and its products	51.7	52.5	58.9	62.7	70.5
Spool and machine twist	61.6	55.5	53.9	51.7	51.0
Silk fabrics	69.9	62.8	63.9	63.9	62.3
Silk hosiery	57.0	51.5	49.4	46.3	45.5
Wool products	74.3	66.5	65.9	65.8	65.8
Wool yarns	74.2	76.0	82.8	77.5	81.1
Wool cloth	67.7	69.3	85.5	82.2	85.1
Wool blankets	70.0	73.9	79.6	72.9	78.3
	77.8	67.7	83.3	76.5	81.3

\* Previous to 1934: Tires.

# TABLE XV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1932-1936—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
<b>I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)—Concluded</b>					
<b>(B) ANIMAL—Concluded</b>					
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles—Con.					
Wool products—Con.					
Wool carpets.....	93.0	85.4	88.5	92.5	90.6
Wool hosiery and knit goods.....	81.5	81.5	91.3	87.1	86.8
Glycerine.....	40.4	41.1	49.7	53.3	62.3
(c) Total.....	60.6	61.0	68.2	70.6	72.4
<b>(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS</b>					
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	41.1	45.8	53.8	57.3	65.8
(b) Animal.....	60.7	59.7	67.7	74.0	75.3
(c) Total.....	48.4	51.0	59.0	63.5	69.4
<b>II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN</b>					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	56.2	56.2	60.3	61.8	67.1
Fish, salt.....	52.1	39.7	28.4	31.8	26.6
Fish, fresh.....	56.9	59.1	65.9	67.1	74.2
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	66.6	65.4	75.1	72.0	70.1
Dried or Prepared fish.....	67.1	64.9	78.7	67.7	64.8
Canned fish.....	66.4	65.6	73.2	74.2	72.8
(c) Total.....	63.8	62.9	71.1	69.2	69.3
<b>III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN</b>					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	69.6	69.7	76.3	74.5	80.8
Lumber and Timber.....	68.8	70.8	78.6	77.8	86.3
Camphor.....	57.1	53.2	63.7	65.9	65.9
Woodpulp.....	71.3	67.3	70.9	66.9	68.3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	68.9	57.2	56.1	56.1	57.5
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	68.2	55.3	53.9	54.0	55.4
Furniture.....	71.8	63.9	65.7	66.8	69.5
Matches.....	75.8	76.2	76.2	76.2	77.4
Artificial silk products.....	64.4	60.9	56.1	50.5	46.2
Alcohol, methyl.....	97.7	80.5	75.2	86.2	84.9
Formaldehyde.....	72.0	72.9	61.5	59.8	53.9
Tanning extracts.....	99.9	105.9	112.0	108.9	108.8
(c) Total.....	69.2	63.0	65.5	64.7	68.4
<b>IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN</b>					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	77.0	75.6	77.5	79.6	79.9
Pig Iron.....	86.9	83.0	82.8	83.0	83.3
Scrap.....	43.9	40.7	55.6	56.5	62.2
Non-ferrous metals.....	60.9	65.5	64.9	70.0	69.9
Non-metallic minerals.....	87.4	82.8	85.7	86.2	86.6
Chemicals.....	80.2	77.6	76.6	77.9	76.1
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	84.9	84.6	86.0	85.3	85.2
Pipe.....	89.9	89.0	89.0	85.2	85.1
Rolling mill products.....	90.9	90.9	90.9	92.0	93.0
Wire and wire goods.....	82.8	81.8	86.7	86.8	87.2
Hardware.....	88.3	86.7	87.3	87.5	86.3
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
Non-ferrous metal products.....	57.5	64.2	67.6	70.5	76.7
Non-metallic mineral products.....	82.8	82.3	84.9	83.6	83.5
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	86.3	86.1	84.5	82.4	79.7
(c) Total.....	81.4	80.6	82.2	82.8	82.8

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)												
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials	57-2	55-9	56-3	56-2	55-0	57-1	63-8	70-3	70-4	72-1	71-8	78-1
Fruits, fresh	75-5	68-9	72-9	69-5	76-5	85-1	90-4	84-5	85-1	94-2	87-0	74-5
Fruits, dried	81-2	81-3	81-4	81-0	81-4	79-9	79-5	80-5	82-1	82-3	82-3	84-5
Grains	58-3	56-8	56-9	56-0	53-6	55-2	66-3	74-5	75-3	78-8	77-6	86-0
Rubber, raw	29-5	32-1	33-3	33-7	32-9	33-4	34-7	35-0	35-4	35-7	38-9	44-1
Sugar, raw	40-4	40-3	39-4	40-2	39-5	39-4	38-3	38-3	38-3	37-8	38-0	38-8
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices	70-6	70-8	71-0	71-0	71-4	72-6	72-5	72-6	73-2	74-5	76-0	81-6
Tobacco	48-3	48-3	48-3	48-3	48-3	48-3	48-3	48-3	48-3	48-3	48-3	55-4
Vegetables												
Potatoes	53-9	51-3	53-4	64-1	69-7	81-7	79-7	83-2	74-6	63-2	67-3	68-7
Onions	79-1	79-1	82-7	72-9	69-3	65-7	65-7	79-5	71-1	58-1	59-9	72-1
Miscellaneous vegetable products	63-8	62-2	61-9	62-4	62-0	61-9	62-9	65-1	66-5	65-8	66-2	69-7
Cotton, raw	69-1	67-7	66-9	69-4	68-5	70-4	77-5	72-1	72-1	71-8	71-0	74-5
Miscellaneous fibres	62-8	63-3	62-3	61-2	60-6	60-2	60-7	61-2	60-9	59-9	59-9	62-3
Pharmaceuticals	74-2	74-2	74-2	74-2	74-2	74-2	77-4	77-4	77-4	77-4	77-4	77-4
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles												
Canned fruits	72-0	71-3	71-4	71-1	70-5	70-3	73-2	75-6	77-5	77-6	77-6	80-7
Flour and milled products	69-6	66-4	66-3	66-0	66-1	66-0	65-9	67-0	69-9	69-9	70-0	71-9
Bakery products	69-6	67-1	68-3	67-0	65-2	64-3	75-0	81-6	80-8	87-5	85-7	94-0
Vegetable oils	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	83-4	84-3	85-2	85-2	86-3	87-2
Rubbers	74-5	73-1	73-2	73-3	72-3	69-9	72-9	73-2	76-6	76-6	76-2	81-7
Tires and tubes	67-1	67-1	67-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1
Sugar products and glucose	49-7	49-7	49-7	49-7	49-7	49-7	49-7	49-7	49-7	49-7	53-3	53-3
Chocolate and cocoa butter	80-0	80-0	78-4	78-4	78-4	78-5	78-4	78-6	78-7	78-7	78-6	78-6
Canned vegetables	58-7	59-2	60-0	59-7	59-7	63-9	60-8	60-8	63-4	69-1	76-4	94-0
Miscellaneous vegetable products	74-3	76-8	76-5	74-4	74-8	74-9	77-1	79-4	71-9	76-0	76-0	82-4
Miscellaneous fibre products	70-8	70-5	68-6	67-9	67-3	67-2	67-4	68-8	68-8	68-5	68-6	69-9
Cotton yarn and thread	50-9	50-9	50-9	51-7	51-7	51-7	51-7	51-7	50-8	50-8	50-8	50-8
Sash cord	82-1	82-1	82-1	82-1	82-1	82-1	83-1	83-2	83-2	83-2	83-2	83-4
Cotton fabrics	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5
Cotton knit goods	72-1	72-1	72-1	72-1	71-4	71-3	71-2	73-6	73-6	73-6	73-6	74-4
Chemicals	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3	82-3
Soap	85-3	86-8	86-9	86-9	87-0	87-0	87-0	87-0	87-0	87-0	87-0	87-0
	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4	85-4
(c) Total	65-2	64-2	64-4	64-2	63-3	64-2	68-9	73-1	73-1	75-0	74-9	79-5
(B) ANIMAL												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials	75-8	75-8	73-9	72-4	72-6	70-3	70-1	70-5	72-9	74-3	76-8	78-0
Live stock	78-0	77-3	72-3	72-8	69-7	72-0	75-9	73-2	72-1	68-0	67-4	71-7
Furs	58-5	58-5	58-7	58-7	63-0	63-0	58-4	58-4	58-8	58-8	58-8	62-6
Hides and skins	87-9	84-7	83-6	83-0	75-5	64-7	63-1	69-0	77-5	82-2	90-3	102-1
Meats, fresh	76-1	74-7	69-8	71-8	73-1	73-5	72-9	71-7	70-0	67-9	65-5	67-5
Poultry	65-4	69-8	69-8	69-8	69-8	68-1	65-4	65-4	61-1	55-4	54-1	56-7
Milk, fresh	79-8	79-7	79-7	79-7	79-7	74-4	73-8	73-6	78-8	80-2	85-1	86-1
Eggs	68-1	71-7	67-3	49-7	52-5	57-1	60-4	65-9	66-9	81-0	83-6	75-6
Silk, raw	32-4	29-3	29-0	27-6	26-0	25-7	27-6	28-3	27-2	28-7	31-9	32-0
Wool, raw	62-9	66-2	67-0	67-0	63-7	66-2	68-6	68-6	69-4	68-6	71-1	78-4
Shellac	43-6	40-4	40-1	40-1	40-1	40-1	40-7	40-1	39-3	37-1	37-1	37-1
Fertilizers	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles												
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared	71-5	70-0	69-5	70-3	68-9	69-9	71-1	73-1	73-9	72-3	72-6	73-5
Oils, fats, etc.	66-5	66-3	66-8	70-1	70-3	70-2	70-2	73-9	73-4	72-7	68-8	68-2
Leather	74-6	71-1	64-7	70-6	66-8	62-0	66-0	69-7	72-6	72-0	71-7	74-8
Boots and shoes	86-6	87-0	87-0	88-0	85-9	85-9	85-9	85-2	86-4	87-1	88-2	91-0
Milk, condensed and evaporated	87-0	87-0	87-3	87-9	87-9	88-4	88-4	88-7	88-7	89-0	90-3	90-0
Butter	87-9	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2
Cheese	66-2	62-6	60-7	59-8	54-6	57-7	60-1	64-7	65-0	62-6	64-2	66-1
Silk and its products	64-6	63-9	61-7	60-9	69-1	74-0	75-3	81-4	76-7	76-6	75-8	75-8
Spool and machine twist	62-3	62-0	62-0	62-0	62-3	62-3	62-3	62-3	62-3	62-3	62-3	62-3
Silk fabrics	46-9	46-9	46-9	46-9	46-5	44-6	44-6	44-6	44-6	44-6	44-6	44-6
Silk hosiery	68-4	65-6	65-6	65-6	66-1	66-1	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3
Wool yarns	80-6	80-7	81-7	81-7	81-5	81-6	80-9	80-9	80-6	80-2	80-6	83-8
Wool cloths	84-5	84-8	84-6	84-6	84-6	85-5	85-5	85-2	82-7	84-5	89-1	89-1
Wool blankets	77-6	77-6	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	78-0	78-0	77-5	78-0	81-1	81-1
	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	100-0



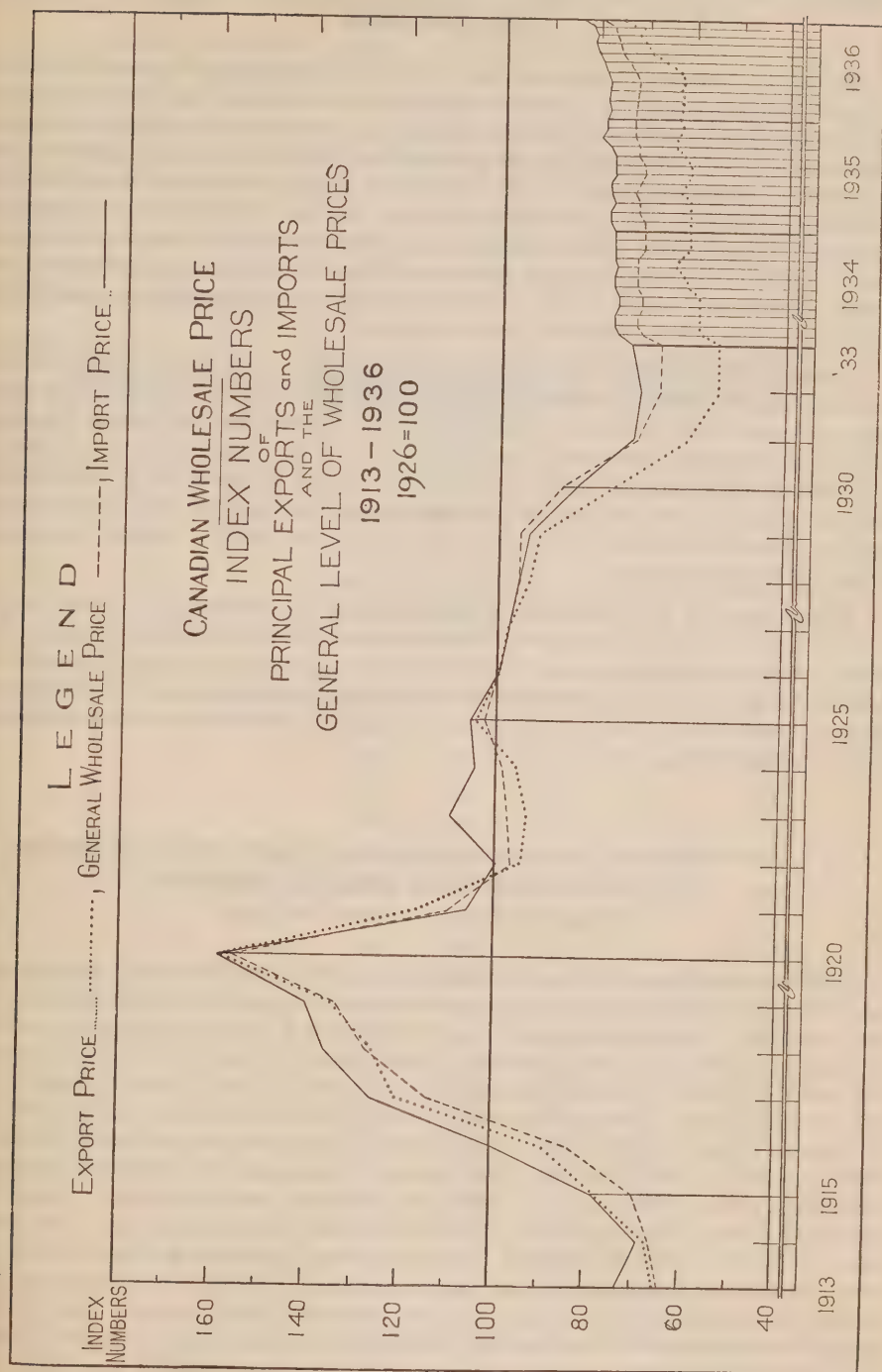
## TABLE XVI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1936—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)—Concluded												
(B) ANIMAL—Con.												
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles—Con.												
Wool products—Con.												
Wool carpets.....	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	90.4	90.4	90.4	90.4	90.4	86.5	86.5	92.1
Wool hosiery and knit goods....	86.1	86.7	86.7	86.7	86.7	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0
Glycerine.....	53.3	53.3	53.3	55.1	55.1	55.1	58.7	58.7	65.9	74.2	81.4	81.4
(c) Total.....	73.4	72.5	71.4	71.2	70.5	70.1	70.7	72.0	73.5	73.2	74.4	75.5
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS												
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	59.0	58.9	59.2	59.8	59.9	60.8	63.2	74.1	74.2	76.4	75.6	83.4
(b) Animal.....	77.5	77.8	76.0	73.8	73.0	70.4	71.6	71.9	74.7	76.2	79.5	80.8
(c) Total.....	65.9	66.0	65.5	65.0	64.8	64.4	66.3	73.3	74.4	76.3	77.1	82.4
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	61.0	63.7	68.5	64.0	56.0	62.9	61.6	68.9	73.6	79.6	75.2	69.5
Fish, salt.....	24.9	24.9	24.9	31.1	24.9	35.3	22.8	20.8	35.3	24.9	24.9	24.9
Fish, fresh.....	67.4	70.5	76.2	69.8	61.5	67.8	68.5	77.4	80.4	89.2	84.1	77.4
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	69.4	70.0	69.6	69.3	68.7	69.7	70.6	72.0	71.2	70.5	69.9	69.6
Dried or prepared fish.....	62.5	63.2	63.2	63.2	61.9	63.3	63.2	67.3	67.3	67.3	67.3	67.3
Canned fish.....	73.0	73.6	72.9	72.5	72.3	73.1	74.4	74.4	73.3	72.2	71.3	70.8
(c) Total.....	67.1	68.3	69.3	67.9	65.3	67.9	68.2	71.2	71.8	73.0	71.3	69.6
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	78.7	79.5	79.4	79.8	80.3	80.1	80.7	81.2	81.6	82.8	82.9	83.3
Lumber and timber.....	83.1	84.6	84.5	85.2	86.0	85.5	86.3	86.9	87.0	88.7	88.8	89.1
Camphor.....	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9
Woodpulp.....	68.5	67.8	67.7	67.3	67.2	67.8	67.8	68.2	69.2	69.4	69.4	69.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.4	57.4	57.4	57.3	57.4	57.4	57.5
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	55.3	55.4	55.4	55.5	55.5	55.4	55.4	55.3	55.3	55.3	55.3	55.4
Furniture.....	70.3	70.3	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.4	69.3	69.3	69.3	69.3
Matches.....	76.2	76.2	76.2	76.2	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
Artificial silk products.....	47.0	47.0	47.0	47.0	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8
Alcohol, methyl.....	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	88.5	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8
Formaldehyde.....	61.5	64.1	64.1	64.1	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3
Tanning extracts.....	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	107.7	104.8	107.8	110.7	107.7	110.7	112.5	112.5
(c) Total.....	67.4	67.8	67.7	67.9	68.1	68.0	68.3	68.5	68.6	69.2	69.3	69.5
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	79.6	79.9	80.1	79.6	79.0	78.9	78.8	79.2	79.9	80.0	81.1	82.7
Pig iron.....	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	83.0	87.2
Scrap.....	57.6	57.6	57.6	57.6	62.9	61.8	61.8	61.8	66.7	66.7	66.7	67.5
Non-ferrous metals.....	68.4	68.7	69.5	69.0	67.8	67.4	67.9	68.7	69.9	70.0	73.6	77.6
Non-metallic minerals.....	87.2	87.4	87.4	86.8	86.3	86.4	85.9	86.1	86.3	86.5	86.3	86.5
Chemicals.....	78.2	78.1	75.7	75.8	75.5	75.7	75.7	75.8	76.0	75.8	74.9	74.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	84.3	84.8	84.8	85.0	85.0	85.2	85.1	85.2	85.3	84.9	85.1	87.2
Pipe.....	84.3	84.3	84.3	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	86.5
Rolling mill products.....	92.3	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.6	92.6	92.7	92.9	92.9	92.9	93.1	96.8
Wire and wire goods.....	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8
Hardware.....	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.0	86.2	86.2	87.9
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0
Non-ferrous metal products.....	73.3	73.3	73.8	75.1	75.0	74.9	75.0	76.2	77.5	77.5	82.8	86.3
Non-metallic mineral products.....	82.5	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.6	84.1	83.5	83.5	83.6	82.8	82.8	84.5
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	78.8	78.5	78.8	79.2	78.8	79.0	80.2	80.2	80.2	80.0	80.0	80.3
(c) Total.....	82.2	82.6	82.7	82.5	82.3	82.4	82.3	82.5	82.9	82.7	83.3	85.1

Chart 4



## WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

The index numbers of wholesale prices of principal exports and imports presented herewith have been designed primarily to indicate the influence of commodities entering into international trade upon internal price levels. For that reason, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics general wholesale price index number has been used as a pattern for construction. The base year, 1926, is the same for both series, and the weighted arithmetic aggregative method of compilation was employed in both cases. The prices used in the export and import series have been taken from the general wholesale index. Only in weighting did it appear advisable to use slightly different procedure. Instead of referring to the base year, weights were computed from averages of the volume of imports and exports for the years 1926-1931 inclusive. The rapidly changing volume of trade for certain commodities made this seem advisable.

Although wholesale prices have been utilized, it is believed that annual averages of these index numbers will be useful for measuring the terms of trade. It is true that export and import prices, or declared unit values, might be employed more logically for this purpose. However, comparisons of wholesale price and declared unit value index numbers covering the past twenty-three years reveal a surprising degree of similarity.\* It may be inferred from this experience that wholesale prices and actual import and export prices would produce general indexes which would be in very close agreement, and that either may be used safely to measure approximate changes in the terms of trade.

Differences which do exist between average valuation and wholesale price indexes referred to above, can be largely accounted for by differences in weighting and in the lists of items. Such factors as the growing importance of bauxite to replace imports of alumina and the greater use of buckwheat anthracite coal to replace larger and more expensive sizes, may be cited among the influences tending to make these indexes diverge. Their close correspondence in spite of structural differences is significant.

### A COMPARISON OF GENERAL WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS WITH WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1936

During the greater part of the past twenty-three years, general commodity wholesale price index numbers and those for principal imports and exports have moved along courses which were almost parallel. This relationship was disturbed temporarily in 1914 when grain prices advanced carrying the general and export series upward while imports declined. Had it not been for the influence of grain prices, all three indexes would have fallen in 1914. However, from 1916 to 1918, advancing import prices outstripped exports and commodities generally, because quotations for imported chemicals and non-ferrous metals were affected by war time market conditions and depreciation in the Canadian dollar. The next major divergence occurred in 1923, when large crops caused a sharp fall in grain prices, while other commodity markets were firm. At this time the decline of export prices practically offset the increase in import prices leaving the general index only slightly higher than in 1922. The most serious dislocation in the three series commenced in 1928 and still remains of considerable proportions. During this period, export prices which relate predominantly to primary products have fallen relatively much lower than the average of all commodities or of imports. The general index and that for imports is heavily weighted by manufactured products, prices for which are characteristically more stable than those for primary products.

\* Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934, pages 155-159.



Commodity prices generally advanced between 1933 and 1936, with the rise being sufficiently well distributed to maintain substantial differentials between these three series.

For the majority of component groups, general wholesale indexes have in recent years followed the lead of the composite indexes and fluctuated somewhere midway between a lower limit set by exports and an upper limit marked by imports. Noteworthy exceptions to this general rule are provided, however, by a few groups in which domestic manufactures are considerable, while imports and exports are composed predominantly of raw materials. This situation exists in the case of Vegetable Products, in which the domestic manufacture of refined sugar, flour and bread, rubber products, etc., is an important part of the complete group. It also occurs for the Textiles group in which domestic manufactures are important, and a large portion of imports and exports are raw materials. In both instances general group indexes have been more rigid than those for imports or exports.

TABLE XVII—CANADIAN INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND AVERAGE VALUATIONS—ALL COMMODITIES, EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1936\*

(1926=100)

	All Commodities		Exports		Imports	
	Prices	Average Valuations	Prices	Average Valuations	Prices	Average Valuations
1913.....	64.0	71.5	64.7	68.0	73.0	76.2
1914.....	65.5	70.5	66.5	70.3	69.3	70.7
1915.....	70.4	73.6	78.1	75.6	77.5	77.0
1916.....	84.3	82.6	88.7	85.3	100.0	87.4
1917.....	114.3	116.1	120.5	121.2	125.6	109.2
1918.....	127.4	130.5	126.2	133.3	135.5	126.8
1919.....	134.0	138.5	134.8	139.5	139.6	137.1
1920.....	155.9	161.1	158.1	156.3	158.8	167.8
1921.....	110.0	116.4	116.5	112.1	105.8	122.4
1922.....	97.3	97.7	94.7	93.7	100.4	103.1
1923.....	98.0	101.3	93.5	93.1	110.0	112.5
1924.....	99.4	100.4	95.7	95.0	105.0	108.0
1925.....	102.6	104.4	104.5	103.2	105.6	106.1
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	97.7	97.3	97.8	98.0	97.7	96.3
1928.....	96.4	95.0	94.2	93.6	96.1	96.7
1929.....	95.6	93.4	92.2	93.1	94.2	93.8
1930.....	86.6	83.2	77.4	79.5	83.7	88.4
1931.....	72.1	68.3	60.5	64.8	72.4	73.1
1932.....	66.7	62.5	54.9	57.9	70.5	68.9
1933.....	67.1	62.5	55.2	58.6	73.0	67.8
1934.....	71.6	68.6	60.6	65.4	76.5	73.1
1935.....	72.1	†	62.2	†	77.9	†
1936.....	74.6		66.8		79.4	

\*See Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1933, page 194, for component group indexes for 1913-1933.

† Discontinued.

TABLE XVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1936

(1926=100)

## EXPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Exports
1913.....	60.6	61.3	63.2	58.3	73.9	89.0	98.7	75.3	64.7
1914.....	67.8	60.2	59.6	58.4	71.6	82.6	80.1	75.1	65.5
1915.....	84.7	63.3	66.4	57.3	82.7	113.7	106.6	75.1	78.1
1916.....	91.9	74.3	82.7	63.4	111.9	143.7	106.6	74.2	88.7
1917.....	142.4	94.9	166.3	78.6	160.6	141.8	122.0	85.6	120.5
1918.....	145.5	107.5	196.1	88.9	177.9	126.1	128.7	105.6	126.2
1919.....	151.1	142.8	181.7	106.4	148.3	119.3	128.3	108.2	134.8
1920.....	168.2	136.9	139.7	156.2	196.1	129.9	152.4	128.9	158.1
1921.....	109.9	96.5	95.5	141.6	137.9	90.3	138.6	120.6	116.5
1922.....	84.4	96.5	82.5	105.9	110.3	90.2	129.1	106.9	94.7
1923.....	77.1	92.6	94.9	114.2	124.0	92.9	101.7	100.4	93.5
1924.....	88.2	82.6	104.4	108.9	118.8	96.2	99.7	98.1	95.7
1925.....	107.7	94.7	114.3	103.9	107.1	106.1	93.4	98.1	104.3
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	97.0	105.3	88.1	99.1	97.4	90.7	89.2	100.7	97.8
1928.....	88.8	111.3	95.3	98.7	91.9	87.5	83.8	98.2	94.5
1929.....	89.3	107.9	85.8	91.9	91.3	88.0	83.7	95.6	92.3
1930.....	65.3	94.2	69.5	87.3	87.4	75.4	81.5	92.9	77.7
1931.....	41.7	70.7	56.7	78.3	82.7	66.2	67.8	87.9	60.5
1932.....	40.4	55.7	39.6	68.1	81.3	65.2	66.1	68.3	54.4
1933.....	44.9	58.0	46.1	60.0	75.8	68.6	65.7	69.9	55.5
1934.....	53.4	64.5	59.1	62.5	78.0	67.6	71.2	72.2	60.0
1935.....	56.7	65.7	49.5	60.8	78.0	73.8	70.5	71.7	62.2
1936.....	63.9	69.5	61.4	65.0	80.1	71.1	71.3	71.8	66.5

## IMPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Imports
1913.....	78.0	92.3	63.3	.....	75.7	93.6	61.9	51.9	73.5
1914.....	80.2	95.6	60.5	.....	68.6	79.1	55.2	55.4	69.7
1915.....	92.1	104.9	57.0	.....	77.7	98.2	64.7	61.4	77.7
1916.....	105.7	129.0	79.8	.....	112.2	146.9	67.6	88.5	100.5
1917.....	122.1	148.0	117.4	.....	154.6	160.4	75.8	102.7	125.5
1918.....	132.2	147.0	150.2	.....	152.3	162.9	86.4	116.9	135.5
1919.....	145.6	212.9	167.6	.....	137.5	115.6	96.4	99.5	139.5
1920.....	200.6	178.8	172.7	.....	152.1	116.4	118.5	114.1	183.5
1921.....	102.8	101.4	98.4	.....	116.8	76.8	114.0	105.9	105.5
1922.....	98.4	102.4	105.7	.....	101.2	79.2	104.4	99.2	100.0
1923.....	113.7	101.6	127.7	.....	114.2	88.5	94.0	97.1	110.5
1924.....	105.7	97.1	113.5	.....	113.2	88.2	93.8	95.7	105.5
1925.....	111.9	108.2	112.9	.....	104.7	96.0	95.7	95.5	105.5
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	102.0	111.7	92.4	.....	98.1	94.7	93.2	98.0	97.7
1928.....	94.0	132.0	94.7	.....	94.8	99.7	88.4	92.3	94.6
1929.....	85.6	113.3	93.4	.....	95.0	116.9	89.4	92.0	93.5
1930.....	75.0	94.5	75.5	.....	91.1	84.7	87.3	87.5	83.5
1931.....	60.1	72.5	59.9	.....	88.7	57.5	80.3	83.3	72.5
1932.....	57.6	59.1	52.6	.....	91.1	46.5	84.8	86.3	70.0
1933.....	61.4	67.7	57.3	.....	92.2	59.1	79.4	86.9	73.7
1934.....	65.0	69.7	64.2	.....	92.7	66.7	83.6	88.0	77.7
1935.....	68.5	74.6	63.6	.....	94.4	68.0	82.5	89.7	77.7
1936.....	68.4	78.7	67.7	.....	96.3	71.5	82.0	86.9	79.5

TABLE XIX—MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF  
PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1935 AND 1936

(1926=100)

Commodity Groups	—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
EXPORTS														
Total Exports.....	1935 1936	60.8 63.1	60.7 62.6	61.3 62.5	62.9 62.5	62.4 61.9	61.1 62.5	61.0 66.9	61.8 69.6	63.8 70.4	64.4 72.2	63.2 71.9	62.6 75.7	62.2 66.8
Vegetable Products.....	1935 1936	54.9 57.9	55.0 56.3	56.1 56.3	59.3 55.7	57.3 53.7	54.3 54.9	54.0 64.3	55.7 70.0	59.5 70.7	60.0 74.8	57.5 73.6	57.0 81.5	56.7 63.9
Animals and Their Pro- ducts.....	1935 1936	64.4 68.4	63.5 67.2	63.6 65.9	63.9 65.7	64.4 66.9	65.1 68.7	66.0 70.2	65.6 71.5	66.7 72.9	69.2 72.4	67.7 72.4	66.5 71.3	65.7 69.5
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products.....	1935 1936	45.9 56.0	45.9 57.7	45.0 58.1	45.0 61.3	46.7 60.0	48.4 61.3	52.6 63.0	52.2 63.0	51.8 63.0	51.8 62.1	54.3 63.8	54.3 67.6	49.5 61.4
Wood, Wood Products and Paper.....	1935 1936	61.0 62.6	61.1 63.5	60.9 63.5	60.4 64.1	60.3 64.9	60.3 64.6	60.6 65.0	60.5 65.5	61.4 66.1	60.7 66.9	60.8 66.7	61.2 66.2	60.8 65.0
Iron and Its Products.....	1935 1936	77.4 78.0	77.4 78.0	77.7 78.0	78.4 79.7	78.4 80.3	78.0 80.3	78.0 80.3	78.0 80.3	78.0 80.3	78.0 80.3	78.0 80.3	78.0 85.0	78.0 80.1
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....	1935 1936	68.6 70.0	68.8 70.0	70.4 70.6	72.7 70.7	75.7 69.5	74.8 69.2	74.2 69.4	74.9 70.0	75.6 71.0	77.6 71.0	77.3 73.8	74.5 77.7	73.8 71.1
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products.....	1935 1936	71.2 68.8	71.2 69.5	71.2 69.5	71.2 69.5	71.2 69.5	71.2 69.5	69.1 69.5	69.9 69.5	69.9 69.5	69.9 69.1	69.9 69.1	69.9 69.1	70.5 69.4
Chemicals and Allied Pro- ducts.....	1935 1936	71.6 71.7	71.7 71.7	71.7 71.7	71.7 71.7	71.7 71.7	71.7 71.7	71.7 71.9	71.7 71.9	71.7 71.9	71.7 71.9	71.7 71.9	71.7 71.9	71.7 71.8
IMPORTS														
Total Imports.....	1935 1936	77.5 78.4	78.0 78.1	77.2 78.2	77.5 78.1	77.5 77.9	77.3 78.3	77.1 79.4	76.9 80.3	77.4 81.1	79.3 80.9	79.1 81.5	78.7 83.4	77.8 79.4
Vegetable Products.....	1935 1936	68.9 64.3	69.5 63.1	69.1 64.9	70.2 64.8	69.5 65.7	68.4 67.4	68.5 71.0	67.1 72.6	65.2 74.6	68.6 74.3	66.7 73.1	65.3 75.1	68.1 68.4
Animals and Their Pro- ducts.....	1935 1936	70.8 84.7	71.0 79.4	68.7 77.3	70.3 77.4	71.0 73.4	70.8 72.5	70.4 72.1	71.3 76.7	77.0 79.9	84.1 80.8	84.4 82.9	84.5 87.2	74.6 78.7
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products.....	1935 1936	62.4 67.0	62.6 66.5	61.2 66.3	61.7 66.9	62.5 66.4	62.2 66.7	63.3 68.3	63.3 68.3	64.4 67.9	66.0 67.9	67.5 68.6	66.6 70.9	63.6 67.7
Iron and Its Products.....	1935 1936	93.1 94.6	94.2 95.4	94.5 95.4	94.3 95.4	94.1 95.6	94.1 95.5	94.4 95.9	94.5 96.7	94.5 96.8	94.7 96.8	94.6 97.2	94.5 99.5	94.4 96.3
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....	1935 1936	68.4 69.0	68.3 69.2	68.1 69.4	69.1 70.6	69.1 70.4	69.1 69.0	63.6 69.5	62.5 70.4	65.6 71.3	71.0 70.8	71.1 78.0	70.4 80.4	68.0 71.5
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products.....	1935 1936	84.4 83.0	84.3 84.0	81.9 83.9	81.3 82.0	81.5 81.8	81.9 82.1	81.1 81.6	82.1 81.6	82.7 82.5	82.7 81.4	82.7 81.5	83.4 81.7	82.5 82.0
Chemicals and Allied Pro- ducts.....	1935 1936	89.6 90.3	89.6 90.3	89.6 86.1	89.6 86.2	89.6 86.2	89.6 86.2	89.6 86.4	89.6 86.4	89.6 86.7	89.7 86.2	89.6 86.0	90.4 86.0	89.7 86.9





# WHOLESALE PRICES

## TABLE OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1936

### I. VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—

Fruits  
Grains  
Flour and milled products  
Bakery products  
Vegetable oils  
Rubber and its products  
Sugar and its products and glucose  
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices  
Vegetables  
Tobacco  
Miscellaneous

### II. ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Fishery products  
Furs  
Hides and skins  
Leather, unmanufactured  
Boots and shoes  
Live stock  
Meats and poultry  
Milk and its products  
Oils and fats, etc.  
Eggs

### III. FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—

Cotton, raw  
Cotton yarn and thread  
Cotton fabrics  
Knit goods (cotton)  
Lash cord  
Miscellaneous fibres and their products  
Silk and its products  
Artificial silk and its products  
Wool and yarns  
Woollen hosiery, underwear and cloth  
Carpets

### IV. WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—

Newsprint paper rolls  
Lumber  
Pulp  
Furniture  
Matches

### V. IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—

Pig iron and steel billets  
Rolling mill products  
Pipe  
Hardware  
Wire  
Metal scrap  
Car axles

### VI. NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Aluminium  
Antimony  
Copper, brass and products  
Lead and its products  
Silver  
Tin ingots  
Zinc and its products  
Solder

### VII. NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Clay and Allied Material Products  
Pottery  
Coal and its products  
Glass and its products  
Petroleum products  
Asphalt  
Salt  
Sulphur  
Building materials  
Asbestos

### VIII. CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—

Inorganic chemicals  
Organic chemicals  
Coal tar products  
Dyeing and tanning materials  
Explosives  
Paint materials  
Prepared paints  
Drugs and pharmaceutical chemicals  
Fertilizers  
Industrial gases  
Soap

## TABLE OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1936

NOTE.—Price quotations shown are those prevailing at the middle of the month, except where otherwise specified. A quotations are given in Canadian funds.

(1926=100 for all indexes shown in this table. Commodities without indexes have been added since 19335.)

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

FRUITS				FRUITS—Continued				FRUITS—Concluded			
BANANAS				RAISINS, THOMPSON SEEDLESS (25-lb. box)				CORN SYRUP			
Price per 100 pounds in bunches of 7 hands, f.o.b. track, Montreal				Price per pound at Toronto				Price per case (24-2 lb. tins) to retail, f.o.b. factory			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-250	93-7	J. \$2-500	72-1	J. \$.125	95-7	J. \$.125	95-7	J. \$3-950	—	J. \$3-950	—
F. 2-900	83-6	A. 2-800	80-8	F. .125	95-7	A. .125	95-7	F. 3-950	—	A. 4-050	—
M. 3-400	95-1	S. 2-200	63-5	M. .125	95-7	S. .125	95-7	M. 3-950	—	S. 4-150	—
A. 3-200	92-3	O. 2-800	80-8	A. .125	95-7	O. .125	95-7	A. 3-950	—	O. 4-150	—
M. 3-000	86-5	N. 2-500	72-1	M. .125	95-7	N. .125	95-7	M. 3-950	—	N. 4-150	—
J. 3-200	92-3	D. 3-000	86-5	J. .125	95-7	D. .125	95-7	J. 3-950	—	D. 4-050	—
Av. 1936: Price \$2-896; Index 83-5				Av. 1936: Price \$0-125; Index 95-7				Av. 1936: Price 4-017			
BANANAS				RAISINS, UNCLEANED, AUSTRALIAN, 3 CROWN SULTANAS, 56's				ORANGE MARMALADE			
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per pound at Toronto				Price per 4 pound tin, f.o.b. factory			
J. .053	80-3	J. .048	72-7	J. .103	—	J. .098	—	J. .440	—	J. .390	—
F. .048	72-7	A. .048	72-7	F. .103	—	A. .098	—	F. .385	—	A. .425	—
M. .048	72-7	S. .048	72-7	M. .103	—	S. .100	—	M. .385	—	S. .520	—
A. .048	72-7	O. .048	72-7	A. .103	—	O. .100	—	A. .385	—	O. .520	—
M. .048	72-7	N. .055	*72-7	M. .103	—	N. .100	—	M. .385	—	N. .520	—
J. .048	72-7	D. .055	72-7	J. .098	—	D. .103	—	J. .385	—	D. .520	—
Av. 1936: Price \$050; Index 73-3				Av. 1936: Price \$0-101				Av. 1936: Price \$0-438			
*New source				PRUNES, 50's-60's (25-Lb Box) CALIFORNIA'S				STRAWBERRY JAM			
LEMONS, CALIFORNIA				Price per pound at Toronto				Price per 4 pound tin, f.o.b. factory			
Price per box at Toronto				J. .085	—	J. .083	—	J. .670	—	J. .630	—
J. 5-820	135-0	J. 9-970	231-3	F. .085	—	A. .095	—	F. .635	—	A. .630	—
F. 5-320	123-4	A. 6-290	145-9	M. .085	—	S. .095	—	M. .635	—	S. .630	—
M. 5-350	124-1	S. 6-400	145-5	A. .083	—	O. .095	—	A. .635	—	O. .630	—
A. 5-000	116-0	O. 6-930	160-8	M. .085	—	N. .095	—	M. .635	—	N. .630	—
M. 7-340	170-3	N. 4-625	*116-0	J. .085	—	D. .100	—	J. .635	—	D. .670	—
J. 6-530	151-5	D. 4-375	109-7	Av. 1936: Price \$0-089				Av. 1936: Price \$0-639			
Av. 1936: Price \$6-163; Index 144-4				CANNED PEACHES, STANDARD 2'S SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP				GRAINS			
*New source.				Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory				BARLEY, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN			
ORANGES, CALIFORNIA				J. 1-375	—	J. 1-400	—	Price per bushel, Fort William & Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price per case at Toronto				F. 1-375	—	A. 1-400	—	J. .352	56-7	J. .511	8
J. 3-950	62-2	J. 5-325	83-9	M. 1-375	—	S. 1-525	—	F. .361	58-1	A. .599	9
F. 3-650	57-5	A. 5-175	81-5	A. 1-350	—	O. 1-525	—	M. .378	60-8	S. .588	9
M. 3-806	60-0	S. 5-531	87-1	M. 1-325	—	N. 1-525	—	A. .379	61-0	O. .610	9
A. 3-611	56-9	O. 6-094	96-0	M. 1-375	—	D. 1-525	—	M. .372	59-9	N. .619	9
M. 4-050	63-8	N. 5-375	91-6	J. 1-375	—	Av. 1936: Price \$1-423		J. .380	61-2	D. .764	12
J. 5-000	78-8	D. 4-000	68-2	Av. 1936: Price \$1-423				Av. 1936: Price \$0-493; Index 79			
Av. 1936: Price \$4-630; Index 74-0				CANNED CHERRIES STANDARD 2'S SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP				BARLEY, No. 4, CANADA WESTERN			
CURRANTS, AUSTRALIAN, 2 CROWN, 56's				Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory				Price per bushel, Fort William & Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price per pound at Toronto				J. 1-225	—	J. .950	—	J. .298	55-5	J. .475	8
J. .100	—	J. .095	—	F. 1-125	—	A. 1-000	—	F. .342	58-5	A. .572	8
F. .105	—	A. .095	—	M. 1-125	—	S. 1-150	—	M. .360	61-5	S. .579	9
M. .105	—	S. .095	—	A. 1-050	—	O. 1-175	—	A. .370	63-2	O. .576	9
A. .105	—	N. .098	—	M. 1-000	—	N. 1-200	—	M. .350	59-8	N. .584	9
M.* .105	—	D. .103	—	J. .950	—	D. 1-200	—	J. .355	60-7	D. .714	12
J.* .105	—	Av. 1936: Price \$0-101.		Av. 1936: Price \$1-096				Av. 1936: Price \$0-467; Index 79			
*Nominal.				CANNED RASPBERRIES, STANDARD 2'S SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP				BARLEY, No. 6, CANADA WESTERN			
CURRANTS, AUSTRALIAN, 3 CROWN, 56's				Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory				Price per bushel, Fort William & Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price per pound at Toronto				J. 1-550	—	J. 1-550	—	J. .298	54-0	J. .432	7
J.* .110	98-3	A.* .113	101-0	F. 1-550	—	A. 1-550	—	F. .307	55-7	A. .547	7
F.* .110	98-3	S.* .113	101-0	M. 1-550	—	S. 1-550	—	M. .327	59-3	S. .553	10
M. .113	101-0	O.† .115	102-8	A. 1-525	—	O. 1-550	—	A. .328	59-5	O. .547	7
A. .113	101-0	N.* .115	102-8	M. 1-525	—	N. 1-550	—	M. .315	57-1	N. .559	10
M.* .113	101-0	D.† .120	107-2	J. 1-550	—	D. 1-550	—	J. .328	59-5	D. .648	11
J.* .113	101-0	Av. 1936: Prices \$0-113; Index 101-0		Av. 1936: Price \$1-546				Av. 1936: Price \$0-432; Index 78			
*Nominal. †Estimated.				Av. 1936: Price \$1-546				Av. 1936: Price \$0-432; Index 78			



GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued  
Prices in Dollars

GRAINS—Continued

BARLEY, ONTARIO, GOOD MALTING

Price per bushel at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index
\$-475 —	J.	\$-570 —	
-440 —	A.	1-000 —	
-470 —	S.	1-010 —	
-490 —	O.	1-040 —	
-450 —	N.	-860 —	
-450 —	D.	-960 —	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-685

CORN, AMERICAN YELLOW, No. 2

Price per bushel at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index
-996 119-3	J.	1-274 152-6	
-1000 119-8	A.	1-542 184-7	
-1004 120-2	S.	1-548 185-4	
-1017 121-8	O.	1-252 149-9*	
-1030 123-4	N.	1-270 152-1	
-1021 122-3	D.	1-260 150-9	

Av. 1936: Price \$1-185; Index 141-9  
\*25c. duty removed Oct.-Dec.

CORN, AMERICAN YELLOW, No. 3

Price per bushel at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index
-986 120-0	J.	1-265 154-0	
-990 120-5	A.	1-537 187-1	
-994 121-0	S.	1-542 187-7	
-1007 122-6	O.	1-246 151-7*	
-1014 123-4	N.	1-201 146-2	
-1011 123-1	D.	1-215 147-9	

Av. 1936: Price \$1-167; Index 142-1  
\*25c. duty removed Oct.-Dec.

FLAX, No. 1, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
1-596 80-1	J.	1-653 83-0	
1-591 79-9	A.	1-774 89-1	
1-573 79-0	S.	1-677 84-2	
1-500 75-3	O.	1-636 82-2	
1-454 73-0	N.	1-592 79-9	
1-463 73-5	D.	1-676 84-2	

Av. 1936: Price \$1-600; Index 80-3

FLAX, No. 2, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
1-555 79-7	J.	1-613 82-7	
1-546 79-2	A.	1-734 88-9	
1-529 78-4	S.	1-637 83-9	
1-460 74-8	O.	1-596 81-8	
1-414 72-5	N.	1-550 79-5	
1-423 72-9	D.	1-636 83-9	

Av. 1936: Price \$1-559; Index 79-9

FLAX, No. 3, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
1-438 80-2	J.	1-503 83-9	
1-439 80-3	A.	1-628 90-8	
1-425 79-5	S.	1-529 85-3	
1-356 75-7	O.	1-491 81-2	
1-304 72-8	N.	1-466 81-8	
1-314 73-3	D.	1-556 86-8	

Av. 1936: Price \$1-455; Index 81-2

OATS, No. 2, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
-337 61-5	J.	-414 75-5	
-355 64-7	A.	-494 90-1	
-358 65-3	S.	-449 81-9	
-337 61-5	O.	-443 80-8	
-331 60-4	N.	-454 82-8	
-333 60-7	D.	-500 91-2	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-401; Index 73-1

GRAINS—Continued

OATS, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -298 60-7	J.	\$-376 79-2	
F. -297 62-6	A.	-448 94-4	
M. -301 63-4	S.	-418 88-0	
A. -299 63-0	O.	-413 87-0	
M. -292 61-5	N.	-430 90-6	
J. -292 61-5	D.	-472 99-4	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-361; Index 76-0

OATS, No. 1, FEED, WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -263 57-8	J.	-356 78-2	
F. -272 59-8	A.	-430 94-5	
M. -270 59-3	S.	-399 87-7	
A. -262 57-6	O.	-400 87-0	
M. -264 58-0	N.	-421 92-5	
J. -281 61-7	D.	-459 100-9	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-340; Index 74-7

OATS, No. 2, FEED, WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -252 59-2	J.	-338 79-4	
F. -254 59-7	A.	-416 97-8	
M. -246 57-8	S.	-391 81-9	
A. -243 57-1	O.	-389 81-4	
M. -244 57-3	N.	-399 83-8	
J. -256 60-2	D.	-435 102-2	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-322; Index 75-7

OATS, ONTARIO, GOOD SOUND HEAVY

Price per bushel in carlots, f.o.b. outside points			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -280 62-0	J.	0-370 81-9	
F. -270 59-7	A.	-460 101-8	
M. -305 67-5	S.	-430 95-2	
A. -295 65-3	O.	-425 94-0	
M. -265 58-6	N.	-415 91-8	
J. -275 60-9	D.	-490 108-4	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-357; Index 79-0

PEAS, No. 2, WHITE, ONTARIO

Price per bushel, f.o.b. shipping point			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-150 93-9	J.	1-200 98-0	
F. 1-150 93-9	A.	1-250 102-0	
M. 1-150 93-9	S.	1-250 102-0	
A. 1-150 93-9	O.	1-350 110-2	
M. 1-150 93-9	N.	1-500 122-4	
J. 1-150 93-9	D.	1-500 122-4	

Av. 1936: Price \$1-246; Index 101-7

RYE, No. 2, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -425 45-8	J.	-576 62-1	
F. -428 46-2	A.	-670 72-2	
M. -434 46-8	S.	-680 73-3	
A. -414 44-6	O.	-697 75-2	
M. -411 44-3	N.	-754 81-3	
J. -440 47-4	D.	-966 104-2	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-574; Index 61-9

RYE, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -382 43-8	J.	-552 63-3	
F. -383 43-9	A.	-649 74-4	
M. -386 44-3	S.	-650 74-5	
A. -376 43-1	O.	-657 75-3	
M. -386 44-3	N.	-723 82-9	
J. -417 47-8	D.	-925 106-0	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-540; Index 61-9

GRAINS—Concluded

RYE, CANADA WESTERN, REJECTED

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -357 42-0	J.	\$-510 60-0	
F. -358 42-1	A.	-596 70-1	
M. -361 42-5	S.	-603 70-9	
A. -351 41-3	O.	-627 73-8	
M. -348 40-9	N.	-679 79-9	
J. -373 43-9	D.	-888 104-5	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-504; Index 59-3

RYE, No. 2, ONTARIO

Price per bushel at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -440 —	J.	-520 —	
F. -400 —	A.	-660 —	
M. -430 —	S.	-720 —	
A. -415 —	O.	-725 —	
M. -425 —	N.	-710 —	
J. -398 —	D.	-950 —	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-566

WHEAT, No. 1, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -848 56-7	J.	-934 62-5	
F. -821 54-9	A.	-1-022 68-4	
M. -821 54-9	S.	-1-039 69-5	
A. -805 53-8	O.	-1-109 74-2	
M. -768 51-4	N.	-1-084 72-5	
J. -795 53-2	D.	-1-202 80-4	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-937; Index 62-7

WHEAT, No. 2, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -825 57-2	J.	-920 63-8	
F. -797 55-2	A.	-1-003 69-5	
M. -797 55-2	S.	-1-022 70-8	
A. -783 54-3	O.	-1-096 76-0	
M. -745 51-6	N.	-1-072 74-3	
J. -770 53-4	D.	-1-177 81-6	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-917; Index 63-6

WHEAT, No. 3, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -787 56-5	J.	-880 63-2	
F. -757 54-3	A.	-974 69-9	
M. -755 54-2	S.	-997 71-6	
A. -745 53-5	O.	-1-065 76-4	
M. -709 50-9	N.	-1-043 74-9	
J. -734 52-7	D.	-1-152 82-7	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-883; Index 63-4

WHEAT

Weighted average price of Manitoba Northern Wheat

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -818 56-7	J.	-909 63-1	
F. -789 54-8	A.	-998 69-2	
M. -789 54-8	S.	-1-018 70-6	
A. -776 53-8	O.	-1-038 75-5	
M. -739 51-3	N.	-1-065 73-9	
J. -764 53-0	D.	-1-176 81-6	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-910; Index 63-2

WHEAT, ONTARIO, GOOD MILLING

Price per bushel, f.o.b. shipping point			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -765 58-5	J.	-785 60-1	
F. -750 57-4	A.	-1-020 78-0	
M. -750 57-4	S.	-1-010 77-3	
A. -720 55-1	O.	-1-045 80-0	
M. -695 53-2	N.	-1-025 78-4	
J. -690 52-8	D.	-1-160 88-8	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-868; Index 66-4

**GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued**  
 Prices in Dollars

**FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS**
**FLOUR, MANITOBA, FIRST PATENT**

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute, carlots delivered Montreal rate points

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$5-800	65-8	J. \$6-000	68-0
F. 5-600	63-5	A. 6-400	72-6
M. 5-700	64-6	S. 6-400	72-6
A. 5-500	62-4	O. 7-000	79-4
M. 5-300	60-1	N. 6-600	74-8
J. 5-200	59-0	D. 7-500	85-0

Av. 1936: Price \$6-083; Index 69-0

**FLOUR, MANITOBA, FIRST PATENT**

Price per barrel, carlots, delivered to dealers at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 5-400	—	J. 5-800	—
F. 5-200	—	A. 6-000	—
M. 5-300	—	S. 6-100	—
A. 5-300	—	O. 6-600	—
M. 5-100	—	N. 6-200	—
J. 5-100	—	D. 6-800	—

Av. 1936: Price \$5-742

**FLOUR, MANITOBA, SECOND PATENT**

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute, carlots delivered Montreal rate points

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 5-400	64-9	J. 5-600	67-3
F. 5-200	62-5	A. 6-000	72-1
M. 5-300	63-7	S. 6-000	72-1
A. 5-100	61-3	O. 6-600	79-3
M. 4-900	58-9	N. 6-200	74-5
J. 4-800	57-7	D. 7-100	85-3

Av. 1936: Price \$5-683; Index 68-3

**FLOUR, MANITOBA, SECOND PATENT**

Price per barrel, carlots, delivered to dealers at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 5-000	—	J. 5-400	—
F. 4-800	—	A. 5-600	—
M. 4-900	—	S. 5-700	—
A. 4-900	—	O. 6-200	—
M. 4-700	—	N. 5-800	—
J. 4-700	—	D. 6-400	—

Av. 1936: Price \$5-342

**FLOUR, ONTARIO, 90 PER CENT PATENT**

Price per barrel, sea board, in bulk—average of weekly prices

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-920	67-0	J. 3-770	64-5
F. 3-788	64-8	A. 4-625	77-4
M. 3-643	62-3	S. 4-569	78-1
A. 3-418	58-5	O. 4-680	80-0
M. 3-325	56-9	N. 4-625	77-4
J. 3-231	55-3	D. 5-035	86-1

Av. 1936: Price \$4-046; Index 69-2

**OATMEAL**

Price per 28 pound sack, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-140	87-4	J. 3-800	91-9
F. 2-970	82-7	A. 3-500	107-2
M. 2-970	82-7	S. 3-410	94-9
A. 2-860	79-6	O. 3-630	101-0
M. 3-030	84-3	N. 3-520	98-0
J. 3-030	84-3	D. 3-750	104-4

Av. 1936: Price \$3-288; Index 91-5

**ROLLED OATS**

Price per 90 pound sack at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2-800	85-3	J. 2-950	89-9
F. 2-650	80-7	A. 3-500	106-6
M. 2-650	80-7	S. 3-150	95-9
A. 2-650	80-7	O. 3-250	99-0
M. 2-700	82-2	N. 3-150	95-9
J. 2-700	82-2	D. 3-450	105-1

Av. 1936: Price \$2-967; Index 90-4

**FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS—Continued**
**CORN MEAL**

Price per 58 pound sack at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$2-800	—	J. \$2-700	—
F. 2-800	—	A. 2-900	—
M. 2-800	—	S. 3-150	—
A. 2-700	—	O. 3-250	—
M. 2-700	—	N. 3-250	—
J. 2-700	—	D. 3-400	—

Av. 1936: Price \$2-929.

**MALT**

Price per bushel of 36 pounds, carlots to manufacturers, f.o.b. Ontario points

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .870	79-8	J. 1-060	97-2
F. .880	80-7	A. 1-170	1-073
M. .900	82-6	S. 1-180	108-3
A. .910	83-5	O. 1-400	128-4
M. .890	81-7	N. 1-400	128-4
J. .885	81-2	D. 1-505	138-1

Av. 1936: Price \$1-088; Index 99-8

**GLUTEN MEAL**

Price per ton, f.o.b. Cardinal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 22-000	56-3	J. 22-000	56-3
F. 20-000	51-2	A. 2-000	71-6
M. 21-000	53-7	S. 32-000	81-9
A. 21-000	53-7	O. 30-000	76-8
M. 18-000	46-1	N. 29-000	74-2
J. 18-000	46-1	D. 30-000	76-8

Av. 1936: Price \$24-250; Index 62-0

**BRAN, MANITOBA**

Price per ton, including bags, ex track Montreal—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 20-130	68-1	J. 23-830	80-6
F. 19-250	65-1	A. 27-135	91-7
M. 20-102	68-0	S. 25-480	86-1
A. 19-970	67-4	O. 27-435	92-8
M. 19-930	67-4	N. 30-677	103-7
J. 19-170	64-8	D. 31-530	106-6

Av. 1936: Price \$23-717; Index 80-2

**SHORTS, MANITOBA**

Price per ton including bags, ex track Montreal—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 21-130	67-1	J. 25-830	82-0
F. 20-250	64-3	A. 29-250	92-8
M. 21-102	67-0	S. 27-710	87-9
A. 20-930	66-4	O. 29-435	93-4
M. 20-930	66-4	N. 32-760	104-0
J. 20-600	65-4	D. 33-530	106-4

Av. 1936: Price \$25-288; Index 80-3

**BAKERY PRODUCTS**
**BREAD, PLAIN WHITE**

Price per pound at Halifax

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .060	81-9	J. .060	81-9
F. .060	81-9	A. .060	81-9
M. .060	81-9	S. .050	81-9
A. .060	81-9	O. .060	81-9
M. .060	81-9	N. .060	81-9
J. .060	81-9	D. .060	81-9

Av. 1936: Price \$0-060; Index 81-9

**BREAD, PLAIN WHITE**

Price per pound at Saint John

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .060	75-0	J. .060	75-0
F. .060	75-0	A. .060	75-0
M. .060	75-0	S. .060	75-0
A. .060	75-0	O. .060	75-0
M. .060	75-0	N. .060	75-0
J. .060	75-0	D. .060	75-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-060; Index 75-0

**BAKERY PRODUCTS—Continued**
**BREAD, PLAIN WHITE**

Price per pound at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .060	81-9	J. .060	81-9
F. .060	81-9	A. .060	81-9
M. .060	81-9	S. .060	81-9
A. .060	81-9	O. .060	81-9
M. .060	81-9	N. .060	81-9
J. .060	81-9	D. .060	81-9

Av. 1936: Price \$0-060; Index 81-9

**BREAD, PLAIN WHITE**

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .060	90-1	J. .060	90-1
F. .060	90-1	A. .060	90-1
M. .060	90-1	S. .060	90-1
A. .060	90-1	O. .060	90-1
M. .060	90-1	N. .060	90-1
J. .060	90-1	D. .060	90-1

Av. 1936: Price \$0-060; Index 90-1

**BREAD, PLAIN WHITE**

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .050	83-3	J. .050	83-3
F. .050	83-3	A. .055	91-1
M. .050	83-3	S. .055	91-1
A. .050	83-3	O. .055	91-1
M. .050	83-3	N. .045	75-5
J. .050	83-3	D. .045	75-5

Av. 1936: Price \$0-050; Index 83-3

**BREAD, PLAIN WHITE**

Price per pound at Regina

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .056	77-8	J. .056	77-8
F. .056	77-8	A. .056	77-8
M. .056	77-8	S. .064	83-8
A. .056	77-8	O. .064	83-8
M. .056	77-8	N. .064	83-8
J. .056	77-8	D. .064	83-8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-059; Index 81-5

**BREAD, PLAIN WHITE**

Price per pound at Calgary

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .048	68-0	J. .048	68-0
F. .048	68-0	A. .048	68-0
M. .048	68-0	S. .056	79-9
A. .048	68-0	O. .056	79-9
M. .048	68-0	N. .056	79-9
J. .048	68-0	D. .056	79-9

Av. 1936: Price \$0-051; Index 72-3

**BREAD, PLAIN WHITE**

Price per pound at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .053	79-6	J. .053	79-6
F. .053	79-6	A. .053	79-6
M. .053	79-6	S. .055	82-6
A. .053	79-6	O. .055	82-6
M. .053	79-6	N. .065	97-6
J. .053	79-6	D. .065	97-6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-055; Index 82-6

**BISCUITS, SODA**

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .133	100-8	J. .138	104-1
F. .133	100-8	A. .138	104-1
M. .133	100-8	S. .138	104-1
A. .133	100-8	O. .138	104-1
M. .138	104-5	N. .138	104-1
J. .138	104-5	D. .138	104-1

Av. 1936: Price \$0-136; Index 103-0

GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued  
Prices in Dollars

VEGETABLE OILS

COTTON SEED OIL, REFINED

Price per pound at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$105	74.8	J. \$-085	67.7
F. 100	71.2	A. 100	71.2
M. 100	71.2	S. 100	71.2
A. 100	71.2	O. 100	71.2
M. 100	71.2	N. 095	67.7
D. 095	67.7	D. 100	71.2

Av. 1936: Price \$0.099, Index 70.5

LINSEED OIL, RAW

Price per gallon, 6 to 10 barrels, at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 830	84.4	J. 770	78.3
F. 830	81.4	A. 790	80.4
M. 830	81.4	S. 810	82.4
A. 800	81.4	O. 800	81.4
M. 800	81.4	N. 800	81.4
D. 760	77.3	D. 800	81.4

Av. 1936: Price \$0.800, Index 81.4

COCONUT OIL, MANILA CRUDE

Price per 100 pounds at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 560	57.5	J. 550	54.9
F. 540	53.9	A. 540	54.3
M. 520	52.4	S. 700	69.9
A. 510	51.4	O. 750	74.9
M. 460	45.9	N. 750	77.4
D. 480	47.9	D. 800	89.8

Av. 1936: Price \$6.096, Index 60.9

OLIVE OIL

Price per 128 fluid ounces, in 768 fluid ounce tins, at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1850	97.7	J. 1500	79.2
F. 1850	97.7	A. 1600	84.5
M. 1850	97.7	S. 1900	100.4
A. 1850	97.7	O. 1900	100.4
M. 1850	97.7	N. 1900	100.4
D. 1600	84.5	D. 1900	100.4

v. 1936: Price \$1.797, Index 94.9

PEANUT OIL, ORIENTAL, CRUDE

Price per 100 pounds in bulk at Toronto.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 690	67.6	J. 7400	75.8
F. 690	65.6	A. 7000	71.7
M. 690	66.6	S. 7900	71.7
A. 670	69.1	O. 6750	69.1
M. 680	70.2	N. 6800	69.7
D. 670	68.6	D. 7600	77.8

v. 1936: Price \$6.863, Index 70.3

CHINAWOOD OIL

Price per pound in tank cars, delivered at Canadian centres.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 138	106.4	J. 192	148.0
F. 147	113.3	A. 163	125.7
M. 162	124.9	S. 135	104.1
A. 196	151.1	O. 134	103.3
M. 189	145.7	N. 122	94.1
D. 189	145.7	D. 139	107.2

v. 1936: Price, \$0.159, Index 122.6

SOYA BEAN OIL, CRUDE

Price per 100 pounds in bulk, f.o.b. mill.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 5600	—	J. 6350	—
F. 6000	—	A. 6000	—
M. 5700	—	S. 6000	—
A. 5550	—	O. 5650	—
M. 5600	—	N. 6850	—
D. 5600	—	D. 6400	—

Av. 1936: Price \$5.942.

VEGETABLE OILS—Concluded

PALM OIL, CRUDE

Price per 100 pounds in bulk at Toronto.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4.600	—	J. \$4.300	—
F. 4.800	—	A. 4.750	—
M. 4.600	—	S. 5.250	—
A. 4.250	—	O. 5.200	—
M. 4.000	—	N. 5.250	—
J. 4.100	—	D. 5.800	—

Av. 1936: Price \$4.742

RUBBER AND ITS PRODUCTS

RAW RUBBER, CEYLON

PLANTATION RIBBED SMOKED SHEETS

Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 144	29.5	J. 165	33.8
F. 155	31.8	A. 163	33.4
M. 160	32.8	S. 165	33.8
A. 161	33.0	O. 166	34.0
M. 157	32.2	N. 181	37.1
J. 160	32.8	D. 201	41.2

Av. 1936: Price \$0.165; Index 33.8

RAW RUBBER, PLANTATION STANDARD

THICK LATEX CREPE

Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 147	29.8	J. 170	34.4
F. 158	32.0	A. 170	34.4
M. 162	32.8	S. 171	34.6
A. 163	33.0	O. 172	34.8
M. 159	32.2	N. 188	38.0
J. 162	32.8	D. 221	44.7

Av. 1936: Price \$0.170; Index 34.4

RAW RUBBER, UPRIVER, FINE PARA

Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 123	28.3	J. 178	41.0
F. 150	34.6	A. 198	45.6
M. 166	38.2	S. 203	47.2
A. 177	40.8	O. 211	48.6
M. 176	40.6	N. 226	52.1
J. 174	40.1	D. 241	55.5

Av. 1936: Prices \$0.185; Index 42.6

RUBBERS, MEN'S REGULAR NO. 1,

STANDARD GRADE

Price per pair at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 686	66.0	J. 696	67.6
F. 686	65.0	A. 698	67.6
M. 686	66.6	S. 696	67.6
A. 686	66.6	O. 696	67.6
M. 696	67.6	N. 696	67.6
J. 696	67.6	D. 696	67.6

Av. 1936: Price \$0.693; Index 67.3

RUBBERS, WOMEN'S REGULAR NO. 1,

STANDARD GRADE

Price per pair at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 598	—	J. 608	—
F. 598	—	A. 608	—
M. 598	—	S. 608	—
A. 598	—	O. 608	—
M. 608	—	N. 608	—
J. 608	—	D. 608	—

Av. 1936: Price \$0.605

RUBBER TIRES, BALLOON, 4.75-19

(4 PLY, FIRST LINE)

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada (sales and excise tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 9.110	50.6	J. 9.110	50.6
F. 9.110	50.6	A. 9.110	50.6
M. 9.110	50.6	S. 9.110	50.6
A. 9.110	50.6	O. 9.110	50.6
M. 9.110	50.6	N. 9.770	54.3
J. 9.110	50.6	D. 9.770	54.3

Av. 1936: Price \$9.220; Index 51.2

RUBBER AND ITS PRODUCTS

—Concluded

RUBBER TIRES, BALLOON, 5.50-17

(4 PLY, FIRST LINE)

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada (sales and excise tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$11.680	46.5	J. \$11.680	46.5
F. 11.680	46.5	A. 11.680	46.5
M. 11.680	46.5	S. 11.680	46.5
A. 11.680	46.5	O. 11.680	46.5
M. 11.680	46.5	N. 12.530	49.9
J. 11.680	46.5	D. 12.530	49.9

Av. 1936: Price \$11.822; Index 47.0

RUBBER TUBES, B19

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada (sales and excise tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.810	—	J. 1.810	—
F. 1.810	—	A. 1.810	—
M. 1.810	—	S. 1.810	—
A. 1.810	—	O. 1.810	—
M. 1.810	—	N. 1.940	—
J. 1.810	—	D. 1.940	—

Av. 1936: Price \$1.832

RUBBER TUBES, C17

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada (sales and excise tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2.210	—	J. 2.210	—
F. 2.210	—	A. 2.210	—
M. 2.210	—	S. 2.210	—
A. 2.210	—	O. 2.210	—
M. 2.210	—	N. 2.370	—
J. 2.210	—	D. 2.370	—

Av. 1936: Price \$2.237

SUGAR AND ITS PRODUCTS

AND GLUCOSE

RAW SUGAR, B.W.I. PREFERENTIAL

Price per cwt., c.i.f. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.950	39.5	J. 1.850	37.5
F. 1.950	38.5	A. 1.850	37.5
M. 1.915	38.8	S. 1.850	37.5
A. 1.950	39.5	O. 1.825	37.0
M. 1.910	38.7	N. 1.850	37.5
J. 1.900	38.5	D. 1.875	38.0

Av. 1936: Price \$1.890; Index 38.3

RAW SUGAR

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2.330	—	J. 2.320	—
F. 2.330	—	A. 2.220	—
M. 2.260	—	S. 2.230	—
A. 2.310	—	O. 2.190	—
M. 2.285	—	N. 2.160	—
J. 2.300	—	D. 2.250	—

Av. 1936: Price \$2.259

GRANULATED SUGAR, STANDARD

Price per cwt. at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.705	79.0	J. 4.610	77.4
F. 4.705	79.0	A. 4.610	77.4
M. 4.610	77.4	S. 4.610	77.4
A. 4.610	77.4	O. 4.610	77.4
M. 4.610	77.4	N. 4.610	77.4
J. 4.610	77.4	D. 4.610	77.4

Av. 1936: Price \$4.626; Index 77.6

GRANULATED SUGAR

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.600	—	J. 4.510	—
F. 4.600	—	A. 4.500	—
M. 4.540	—	S. 4.500	—
A. 4.530	—	O. 4.500	—
M. 4.530	—	N. 4.500	—
J. 4.530	—	D. 4.510	—

Av. 1936: Price \$4.529



## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

SUGAR AND ITS PRODUCTS  
AND GLUCOSE—Concluded

## SUGAR, No. 1 YELLOW (LIGHT)

Price per cwt. at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4.420	79.3	J. \$4.325	77.6
F. 4.420	79.3	A. 4.325	77.6
M. 4.325	77.6	S. 4.325	77.6
A. 4.325	77.6	O. 4.325	77.6
A. 4.325	77.6	N. 4.325	77.6
J. 4.325	77.6	D. 4.325	77.6

Av. 1936; Price \$4.341; Index 77.8

## SUGAR, No. 3 YELLOW

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.290	—	J. 4.180	—
F. 4.290	—	A. 4.170	—
M. 4.210	—	S. 4.170	—
A. 4.200	—	O. 4.170	—
M. 4.200	—	N. 4.170	—
J. 4.200	—	D. 4.180	—

Av. 1936; Price \$4.203

## GLUCOSE, 44° BAUMÉ

Price per 100 pounds in carload lots,  
delivered Toronto and Western  
Ontario points

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.263	107.9	J. 4.226	107.0
F. 4.263	107.9	A. 4.496	113.8
M. 4.157	105.2	S. 4.766	120.7
A. 4.157	105.2	O. 4.766	120.7
M. 4.226	107.0	N. 4.496	113.8
J. 4.226	107.0	D. 4.496	113.8

Av. 1936; Price \$4.378; Index 110.8

## MOLASSES, BARBADOS, EXTRA FANCY

Price per gallon, f.o.b. cars, Saint John

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .425	90.5	J. .415	88.4
F. .425	90.5	A. .415	88.4
M. .405	86.3	S. .415	88.4
A. .405	86.3	O. .415	88.4
M. .405	86.3	N. .415	88.4
J. .415	88.4	D. .415	88.4

Av. 1936; Price \$0.414; Index 88.2

TEA, COFFEE, COCOA  
AND SPICESGREEN COCOA BEANS, ESTATES  
TRINIDAD

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .075	52.3	J. .120	83.7
F. .078	54.4	A. .123	85.8
M. .084	58.6	S. .138	96.3
A. .086	60.0	O. .138	96.3
M. .098	68.4	N. .145	101.2
J. .109	76.1	D. .165	115.1

Av. 1936; Price \$0.113; Index 78.9

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, GRENADA

Price per pound, c.i.f.

Canadian Atlantic seaboard

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .068	—	J. .105	—
F. .073	—	A. .105	—
M. .075	—	S. .110	—
A. .076	—	O. .125	—
M. .090	—	N. .113	—
J. .103	—	D. .138	—

Av. 1936; Price \$0.098

## GREEN COCOA BEANS, JAMAICA

Price per pound, c.i.f.

Canadian Atlantic seaboard

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .067	—	J. .076	—
F. .068	—	A. .076	—
M. .070	—	S. .079	—
A. .068	—	O. .090	—
M. .073	—	N. .091	—
J. .073	—	D. .116	—

Av. 1936; Price \$0.079

TEA, COFFEE, COCOA  
AND SPICES—ContinuedGREEN COCOA BEANS,  
GOOD FERMENTED ACCRA

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$.075	65.4	J. \$.083	72.1
F. .075	65.4	A. .085	74.4
M. .075	65.4	S. .090	78.4
A. .073	63.6	O. .098	85.4
M. .075	65.4	N. .110	95.9
J. .079	68.9	D. .150	130.8

Av. 1936; Price \$0.089; Index 77.6

UNSWEETENED CHOCOLATE LIQUOR,  
GUARANTEED PURE, CHEAPEST  
GRADE

Price per pound net, in 10 pound cakes

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .110	60.7	J. .120	66.2
F. .110	60.7	A. .120	66.2
M. .120	66.2	S. .125	69.0
A. .120	66.2	O. .140	77.2
M. .120	66.2	N. .160	83.3
J. .120	66.2	D. .180	99.3

Av. 1936; Price \$0.129; Index 71.2

UNSWEETENED CHOCOLATE LIQUOR  
GUARANTEED PURE, BEST GRADE

Price per pound net, in 10 pound cakes

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .170	61.6	J. .150	54.4
F. .170	61.6	A. .150	54.4
M. .170	61.6	S. .155	56.2
A. .170	61.6	O. .170	61.6
M. .170	61.6	N. .190	68.9
J. .170	61.6	D. .210	76.1

Av. 1936; Price \$0.170; Index 61.6

## COCOA BUTTER, IMPORTED

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .145	52.3	J. .180	65.0
F. .150	54.1	A. .180	65.0
M. .143	51.6	S. .190	68.6
A. .140	50.5	O. .200	72.2
M. .140	50.5	N. .210	75.8
J. .180	65.0	D. .320	115.5

Av. 1936; Price \$0.182; Index 65.7

## GREEN COFFEE, SANTOS, GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .150	55.0	J. .150	55.0
F. .150	55.0	A. .150	55.0
M. .150	55.0	S. .140	51.4
A. .150	55.0	O. .140	51.4
M. .150	55.0	N. .140	51.4
J. .150	55.0	D. .140	51.4

Av. 1936; Price \$0.147; Index 53.9

GREEN COFFEE, JAMAICA,  
GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .130	52.0	J. .130	52.0
F. .130	52.0	A. .130	52.0
M. .130	52.0	S. .125	50.0
A. .130	52.0	O. .125	50.0
M. .130	52.0	N. .125	50.0
J. .130	52.0	D. .125	50.0

Av. 1936; Price \$0.128; Index 51.2

GREEN COFFEE BOGOTA,  
GOOD QUALITY

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .180	51.8	J. .180	51.8
F. .180	51.8	A. .180	51.8
M. .180	51.8	S. .180	51.8
A. .180	51.8	O. .180	51.8
M. .180	51.8	N. .180	51.8
J. .180	51.8	D. .180	51.8

Av. 1936; Price \$0.180; Index 51.8

TEA, COFFEE, COCOA  
AND SPICES—Concluded

## GREEN COFFEE, KENYA, BEST

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$.250	—	J. \$.250	—
F. .250	—	A. .250	—
M. .250	—	S. .250	—
A. .250	—	O. .250	—
M. .250	—	N. .250	—
J. .250	—	D. .250	—

Av. 1936; Price \$0.250

## GREEN COFFEE, AFRICAN, MEDIUM

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .150	—	J. .130	—
F. .150	—	A. .150	—
M. .150	—	S. .150	—
A. .150	—	O. .150	—
M. .150	—	N. .150	—
J. .120	—	D. .180	—

Av. 1936; Price \$0.148

## TEA, JAPAN, CHOICE TO MEDIUM

Price per pound, delivered at  
warehouse, duty paid

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .450	82.2	J. .450	82.2
F. .450	82.2	A. .450	82.2
M. .450	82.2	S. .450	82.2
A. .450	82.2	O. .450	82.2
M. .450	82.2	N. .450	82.2
J. .450	82.2	D. .450	82.2

Av. 1936; Price 08.450; Index 82.2

## TEA, PEKOE, CEYLON AND INDIA

Price per pound, delivered at  
warehouse, duty paid

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .440	82.6	J. .440	82.6
F. .440	82.6	A. .440	82.6
M. .440	82.6	S. .440	82.6
A. .440	82.6	O. .440	82.6
M. .440	82.6	N. .440	82.6
J. .440	82.6	D. .440	82.6

Av. 1936; Price \$0.440; Index 82.6

## BLACK PEPPER

Price per pound, bulk, in barrels  
at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .165	45.3	J. .165	45.3
F. .165	45.3	A. .165	45.3
M. .165	45.3	S. .165	45.3
A. .165	45.3	O. .165	45.3
M. .165	45.3	N. .165	45.3
J. .165	45.3	D. .165	45.3

Av. 1936; Price \$0.155; Index 42.6

## VEGETABLES

## ONIONS, ONTARIO, STANDARD GRADE

Price per cwt. at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.875	77.2	J. 1.125	46.3
F. 1.875	77.2	A. 1.700	70.0
M. 1.825	75.1	S. 1.450	59.0
A. 1.375	56.6	O. 1.000	41.0
M. 1.250	51.4	N. .950	39.0
J. 1.125	46.3	D. 1.310	53.0

Av. 1936; Price \$1.405; Index 57.8

## ONIONS, B.C., STANDARD GRADE

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.700	83.7	J.* 2.275	112.0
F. 1.700	83.7	A.† 2.075	102.0
M. 2.050	101.0	S. 2.000	98.0
A. 2.275	112.1	O.* 2.000	98.0
M. 2.275	112.1	N. 2.230	109.0
J. 2.275	112.1	D. 2.345	119.0

Av. 1936; Price \$2.100; Index 103.0  
\*Nominal. †Estimated.

## GROUP I—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## VEGETABLES—Continued

## POTATOES, CANADA GRADE "A"

Price per 90 pound bag at  
Charlottetown

Price Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-770	46.3	J.	\$-883	53.1
F. -797	47.9	A.	1-216	73.1
M. -717	43.1	S.	-850	51.1
A. 1-083	65.1	O.	-850	51.1
M. 1-273	76.5	N.	-883	53.1
J. 1-370	82.3	D.	1-067	64.1

Av. 1936: Price \$0-980; Index 58.9

† Estimated.

POTATOES, WHITES, CANADA  
GRADE "A"

Price per 90 pound bag at Halifax

J. 1-250	52.6	J.	1-750	73.6
F. 1-250	52.6	A.	1-500	63.1
M. 1-250	52.6	S.	1-250	52.6
A. 1-350	56.8	O.	1-250	52.6
M. 1-500	63.1	N.	1-250	52.6
J. 2-500	105.2	D.	1-350	56.8

Av. 1936: Price \$1-454; Index 61.2

## POTATOES, CANADA No. 1

Price per 80 lb. bag at Saint John

J. 1-225	51.5	J.	1-750	73.7
F. 1-200	50.5	A.	1-300	54.7
M. 1-050	44.2	S.	1-150	48.4
A. 1-500	63.1	O.	-950	40.0
M. 1-630	68.6	N.	1-050	44.2
J. 1-800	75.8	D.	1-090	45.9

Av. 1936: Price \$1-308; Index 55.1

## POTATOES, QUEBEC WHITES

Price per 80 pound bag at Montreal

J. 1-100	58.7	J.	1-525	81.3
F. -950	50.7	A.	1-263	67.4
M. 1-025	54.7	S.	1-100	58.7
A. 1-325	70.7	O.	1-125	60.0
M. 1-450	77.3	N.	1-150	61.3
J. 1-550	82.7	D.	1-185	63.2

Av. 1936: Price \$1-229; Index 65.5

## POTATOES, ONTARIO, No. 1 WHITE

Price per 90 pound bag at Toronto

J. 1-275	46.9	J.	2-350	86.4
F. 1-300	47.8	A.	2-263	81.8
M. 1-225	45.0	S.	1-575	57.9
A. 1-550	57.0	O.	1-125	41.4
M. 1-700	62.5	N.	1-250	46.0
J. 2-200	80.9	D.	1-325	48.7

Av. 1936: Price \$1-592; Index 58.5

## POTATOES, MANITOBA, No. 1

Price per 90 lb. bag at Winnipeg

J. -675	56.8	J.	-600	50.5
F. -750	63.1	A.	1-725	145.2
M. -875	73.7	S.*	1-875	157.8
A. -825	69.4	O.*	1-500	126.3
M. -875	73.7	N.	1-680	141.4
J. -925	77.9	D.	1-580	133.0

Av. 1936: Price \$1-157; Index 97.4

\*No. 2's.

## POTATOES, WHITE, No. 2, LOCAL

Price per cwt. at Vancouver

J. 1-125	55.9	J.	2-025	100.7
F. 1-000	49.7	A.	1-750	87.0
M. 1-075	53.5	S.	2-200	109.4
A. 1-125	55.9	O.	1-625	80.8
M. 1-175	58.4	N.	1-630	81.1
J. 1-550	77.1	D.	1-765	87.8

Av. 1936: Price \$1-504; Index 74.8

## VEGETABLES—Concluded

## CANNED CORN, STANDARD 2's

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

Price Index	Price	Index	Price Index	Price	Index
J. \$-950	82.6	J.	\$-950	82.9	
F. -950	82.6	A.	1-000	87.0	
M. -950	82.6	S.	-800	69.6	
A. -925	80.4	O.	-875	76.1	
M. -900	78.3	N.	-875	76.1	
J. -900	78.3	D.	-950	82.6	

Av. 1936: Price \$0-919; Index 79.9

## CANNED PEAS, No. 4, STANDARD 2's

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

J. -875	68.2	J.	-900	70.1
F. -875	68.2	A.	-925	72.1
M. -850	66.3	S.	-788	61.4
A. -813	63.4	O.	-838	65.3
M. -813	63.4	N.	-838	65.3
J. -800	62.4	D.	-913	71.2

Av. 1936: Price \$0-852; Index 66.4

## CANNED TOMATOES, STANDARD 2½'s

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario)

J. -850	68.7	J.	-950	76.8
F. -950	76.8	A.	1-000	80.8
M. -950	76.8	S.	-775	62.6
A. -900	72.7	O.	-875	70.7
M. -925	74.7	N.	-875	70.7
J. -938	75.8	D.	1-000	80.8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-916; Index 74.0

## BAKED BEANS, 18 OUNCE TINS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory  
(Ontario and Quebec)

J. 1-150	—	J.	1-150	—
F. 1-150	—	A.	1-150	—
M. 1-150	—	S.	1-250	—
A. 1-150	—	O.	1-250	—
M. 1-150	—	N.	1-250	—
J. 1-150	—	D.	1-300	—

Av. 1936: Price \$1-188

## TOBACCO

## RAW LEAF, BARN RUN

## TOBACCO, FLUE CURED

Farm Price per pound

Av. 1936: Price \$0-252; Index 50.3

## TOBACCO, BURLEY

Farm price per pound

Av. 1936: Price \$0-126; Index 70.0

## TOBACCO, DARK AIR CURED

Farm price per pound

Av. 1936: Price \$0-080; Index 30.4

## TOBACCO, DARK FIRE CURED

Farm price per pound

Av. 1936: Price \$0-130; Index 33.4

## TOBACCO, LARGE PIPE

Farm price per pound

Av. 1936: Price \$0-080; Index 37.1

TOBACCO, SMALL PIPE  
(INCLUDING AROMATIC)

Farm Price per pound

Av. 1936: Price \$0-150; Index 45.0

## TOBACCO, CIGAR LEAF

Farm price per pound

Av. 1936: Price \$0-105; Index 60.4

## MISCELLANEOUS

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 2

Price per ton, carlots, ex track,  
Montreal

Price Index	Price	Index	Price Index	Price	Index
J. \$8-500	58.8	J.	\$7-000	48.4	
F. 8-000	55.3	A.	7-500	51.9	
M. 8-000	55.3	S.	8-000	55.3	
A. 7-500	51.9	O.	7-500	51.9	
M. 7-000	48.4	N.	7-500	51.9	
J. 7-000	48.4	D.	7-500	51.9	

Av. 1936: Price \$7-583; Index 52.4

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 3

Price per ton, carlots, ex track,  
Montreal

J. 7-000	56.2	J.	5-500	44.1
F. 6-500	52.2	A.	5-500	44.1
M. 6-500	52.2	S.	6-000	48.2
A. 6-000	48.2	O.	5-500	44.1
M. 6-000	48.2	N.	5-500	44.1
J. 5-500	44.1	D.	5-500	44.1

Av. 1936: Price \$5-917; Index 47.5

HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, RANGE No. 2  
—Good No. 2

Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

J. 10-125	60.8	J.	9-250	55.6
F. 9-625	57.8	A.	9-750	58.6
M. 9-750	58.6	S.	9-750	58.6
A. 9-750	58.6	O.	10-250	61.6
M. 9-750	58.6	N.	10-000	60.1
J. 9-750	58.6	D.	11-000	63.1

Av. 1936: Price \$9-896; Index 59.5

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 3

Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

J. \$8-500	56.9	J.	7-500	50.2
F. 8-000	53.6	A.	8-500	56.9
M. 7-750	51.9	S.	8-500	56.9
A. 8-500	56.9	O.	8-500	56.9
M. 8-500	56.9	N.	8-500	56.9
J. 8-500	56.9	D.	9-500	63.6

Av. 1936: Price \$8-396; Index 56.2

## HAY, ALFALFA, BALED

Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

J. \$ 9-000	—	J.	\$10-000	—
F. 10-000	—	A.	10-000	—
M. 10-000	—	S.	12-000	—
A. 10-000	—	O.	11-000	—
M. 10-000	—	N.	12-000	—
J. 10-000	—	D.	15-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$10-792

## PRAIRIE HAY

Price per ton, carlots, ex track,  
Saskatoon

J. 11-000	—	J.	11-500	—
F. 11-000	—	A.	11-500	—
M. 11-000	—	S.	11-500	—
A. 11-500	—	O.	11-500	—
M. 11-500	—	N.	11-500	—
J. 11-000	—	D.	11-500	—

Av. 1936: Price \$11-333

## PRAIRIE HAY

Price per ton, carlots, ex track,  
Edmonton

J. 12-000	—	J.	15-000	—
F. 12-000	—	A.	15-000	—
M. 12-000	—	S.	15-000	—
A. 13-000	—	O.	15-000	—
M. 13-000	—	N.	15-000	—
J. 14-000	—	D.	15-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$13-833

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

MISCELLANEOUS—Continued				MISCELLANEOUS—Continued				MISCELLANEOUS—Concluded			
STRAW, OAT, BALED				ROSIN, WATER WHITE				RICE, JAPAN, MONARCH			
Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal				Price per barrel of 280 pounds, Montreal and Toronto				Price per cwt., ton lots to jobbers, f.o.b. mill			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4.500	63.8	J. \$4.250	60.3	J. \$8.750	49.5	J. \$8.500	48.1	J. \$4.558	64.2	J. \$4.644	65.4
F. 4.500	63.8	A. 4.250	60.3	F. 8.500	48.1	A. 10.200	57.8	F. 4.558	64.2	A. 4.644	65.4
M. 4.250	60.3	S. 4.250	60.3	M. 8.400	47.6	S. 10.000	56.6	M. 4.558	64.2	S. 4.644	65.4
A. 4.250	60.3	O. 4.500	63.8	A. 7.700	43.6	O. 9.680	54.8	A. 4.558	64.2	O. 4.644	65.4
M. 4.250	60.3	N. 4.000	56.7	M. 7.550	42.8	N. 10.480	59.3	M. 4.644	65.4	N. 4.644	65.4
J. 4.250	60.3	D. 4.000	56.7	J. 7.650	43.3	D. 11.800	66.8	J. 4.644	65.4	D. 4.644	65.4
Av. 1936: Price \$4.271; Index 60.6				Av. 1936: Price \$9.101; Index 51.5				Av. 1936: Price \$4.615; Index 65.0			
STRAW, WHEAT, BALED				TURPENTINE				RICE CHINA, PAKLING			
Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Toronto				Price per imperial gallon, 10 barrel lots, ex dock, New York, with charges added to give approximate price ex store, Montreal.				Price per cwt, ton lots to jobbers, f.o.b. mill			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 5.500	52.6	J. *5.500	52.6	J. .799	58.5	J. .683	50.0	J. \$4.017	76.3	J. \$4.093	77.8
F. 5.500	52.6	A. *5.500	52.6	F. .789	57.8	A. .714	52.3	F. 4.017	76.3	A. 4.093	77.8
M. 5.500	52.6	S. 5.500	52.6	M. .725	53.1	S. .692	50.7	M. 4.017	76.3	S. 4.093	77.8
A. 5.500	52.6	O. 5.500	52.6	A. .700	51.3	O. .680	49.8	A. 4.017	76.3	O. 4.093	77.8
M. 5.500	52.6	N. 5.500	52.6	M. .681	49.9	N. .708	51.9	M. 4.093	77.8	N. 4.093	77.8
J. *5.500	52.6	D. 7.000	67.0	J. .677	49.6	D. .753	55.2	J. 4.093	77.8	D. 4.093	77.8
Av. 1936: Price \$5.625; Index 53.8				Av. 1936: Price \$0.717; Index 52.5				Av. 1936: Price \$4.068; Index 77.3			
* Nominal.				STARCH, LAUNDRY				RICE, BLUE ROSE (CLEANED OR POLISHED)			
STRAW, OAT, BALED				Price per pound, freight paid, in 5 case lots				Price per cwt., duty paid, Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 6.500	54.2	J. *5.500	54.2	J. .093	103.8	J. .083	103.8	J. 4.744	—	J. 4.725	—
F. 5.500	54.2	A. 5.500	54.2	F. .083	103.8	A. .085	106.3	F. 4.744	—	A. 4.725	—
M. 5.500	54.2	S. 5.500	54.2	M. .083	103.8	S. .088	110.0	M. 4.638	—	S. 4.725	—
A. 5.500	54.2	O. 5.500	54.2	A. .083	103.8	O. .088	110.0	A. 4.638	—	O. 4.995	—
M. 5.500	54.2	N. 5.500	54.2	M. .083	103.8	N. .085	106.3	M. 4.725	—	N. 4.995	—
J. *5.500	54.2	D. 6.500	64.1	J. .083	103.8	D. .085	106.3	J. 4.725	—	D. 4.995	—
Av. 1936: Price \$5.667; Index 55.9				Av. 1936: Price \$0.084; Index 105.0				Av. 1936: Price \$4.781			
* Nominal.				VINEGAR, PURE SPIRIT, XXX GRADE				TAPIOCA, SINGAPORE, MEDIUM PEARL			
STRAW, WHEAT, BALED				Price per gallon, ex factory				Price per pound, 10 bags or upwards, spot, ex warehouse, Saint John			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 5.000	56.6	J. 7.000	79.2	J. .230	67.6	J. .230	67.6	J. .070	106.2	J. .070	106.2
F. 5.000	56.6	A. 7.000	79.2	F. .230	67.6	A. .230	67.6	F. .070	106.2	A. .070	106.2
M. 5.000	56.6	S. 7.000	79.2	M. .230	67.6	S. .230	67.6	M. .070	106.2	S. .070	106.2
A. 6.000	67.9	O. 7.000	79.2	A. .230	67.6	O. .230	67.6	A. .070	106.2	O. .070	106.2
M. 6.000	67.9	N. 7.000	79.2	M. .230	67.6	N. .230	67.6	M. .070	106.2	N. .070	106.2
J. 6.000	67.9	D. 7.000	79.2	J. .230	67.6	D. .230	67.6	J. .070	106.2	D. .070	106.2
Av. 1936: Price \$6.250; Index 70.8				Av. 1936: Price \$0.230; Index 67.6				Av. 1936: Price \$0.070; Index 106.2			
STRAW, OAT, BALED				RICE, RANGOON B (CLEANED OR POLISHED)				TAPIOCA, PENANG, MEDIUM PEARL			
Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton				Price per cwt., duty paid, Montreal				Price per pound, 10 bags or upwards, spot, ex warehouse, Saint John			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 6.000	57.1	J. 8.000	76.2	J. 2.968	68.6	J. 2.808	64.9	J. .068	111.7	J. .068	111.7
F. 6.000	57.1	A. 8.000	76.2	F. 3.074	71.0	A. 2.808	64.9	F. .068	111.7	A. .068	111.7
M. 6.000	57.1	S. 8.000	76.2	M. 2.968	68.6	S. 2.808	64.9	M. .068	111.7	S. .068	111.7
A. 7.000	66.7	O. 8.000	76.2	A. 2.968	68.6	O. 3.078	71.1	A. .068	111.7	O. .068	111.7
M. 7.000	66.7	N. 8.000	76.2	M. 2.808	64.9	N. 3.078	71.1	M. .068	111.7	N. .068	111.7
J. 7.000	66.7	D. 8.000	76.2	J. 2.808	64.9	D. 3.294	76.1	J. .068	111.7	D. .068	111.7
Av. 1936: Price \$7.250; Index 69.0				Av. 1936: Price \$2.956; Index 68.3				Av. 1936: Price \$0.068; Index 111.7			

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

FISH				FISH—Continued			
DRY SHORE COD FISH				FILLETS OF COD, SMOKED			
Price paid to fishermen per quintal at Halifax				Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3.625	65.9	J. \$3.625	65.9	J. .050	—	J. .050	72.6
F. *3.625	65.9	A. 4.000	72.7	F. .060	—	A. .060	72.6
M. *3.625	65.9	S. 4.000	72.7	M. .060	—	S. .060	72.6
A. *3.625	65.9	O. 4.000	72.7	A. .065	—	O. .065	72.6
M. 3.500	63.6	N. 4.000	72.7	M. .065	—	N. .065	72.6
J. 3.625	65.9	D. 4.000	72.7	J. .045	—	D. .065	72.6
Av. 1936: Price \$3.771; Index 68.6				Av. 1936: Price \$0.048			
* Nominal.				COD, FRESH STEAK, HEADLESS			
FISH—Continued				Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .050	—	J. .040	—	J. .050	—	J. .050	—
F. .060	—	A. .045	—	F. .060	—	A. .045	—
M. .060	—	S. .045	—	M. .060	—	S. .045	—
A. .065	—	O. .045	—	A. .065	—	O. .045	—
M. .045	—	N. .040	—	M. .045	—	N. .040	—
J. .045	—	D. .050	—	J. .045	—	D. .050	—
Av. 1936: Price \$0.048				Av. 1936: Price \$0.095; Index 72.6			



## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## FISH—Continued

## FRESH HADDOCK (HEADS ON)

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$-.050 84.5	J. \$-.045 76.1
F. -.055 93.0	A. -.050 84.5
M. -.055 93.0	S. -.050 84.5
A. -.050 84.5	O. -.050 84.5
M. -.040 67.6	N. -.040 67.6
J. -.040 67.6	D. -.050 84.5

Av. 1936: Price \$0.048; Index 81.1

## FILLETS OF HADDOCK, FRESH

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

J. .120 —	J. .100 —
F. .130 —	A. .110 —
M. .130 —	S. .110 —
A. .120 —	O. .120 —
M. .100 —	N. .100 —
J. .100 —	D. .120 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0.113

## FINNAN HADDIE, STANDARD

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

J. .090 100.4	J. .090 100.4
F. .090 100.4	A. .090 100.4
M. .090 100.4	S. .090 100.4
A. .090 100.4	O. .090 100.4
M. .090 100.4	N. .090 100.4
J. .090 100.4	D. .090 100.4

Av. 1936: Price \$0.090; Index 100.4

## SOLE, FRESH

Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points

J. .055 —	J. .060 —
F. .070 —	A. .060 —
M. .070 —	S. .060 —
A. .070 —	O. .060 —
M. .065 —	N. .060 —
J. .060 —	D. .060 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0.063

## KIPPERED HERRING

Price per 20 pound box, f.o.b. Maritime points

J. 1.500 75.0	J. 1.500 75.0
F. 1.399 75.0	A. 1.500 75.0
M. 1.399 75.0	S. 1.500 75.0
A. 1.500 75.0	O. 1.500 75.0
M. 1.500 75.0	N. 1.500 75.0
J. 1.500 87.5	D. 1.650 82.5

Av. 1936: Price \$1.533; Index 76.7

## SALT SPRING MACKEREL

Predominant wholesale selling price per barrel, f.o.b. Maritime points

J. 6.000 22.7	J. 5.500 20.8
F. 6.000 22.7	A. 5.000 18.9
M. 6.000 22.7	S. 8.500 32.2
A. 7.500 28.4	O. 6.000 22.7
M. 6.000 22.7	N. 6.000 22.7
J. 8.500 32.2	D. 6.000 22.7

Av. 1936: Price \$6.417; Index 24.3

## HALIBUT, B.C., MEDIUM

Cannery's price per cwt. to fishing vessels, Prince Rupert

J. \$7.900 52.4	J. 6.500 43.1
F. \$7.900 52.4	A. 8.000 53.1
M. 8.000 59.7	S. 8.300 55.1
A. 9.300 55.1	O. 9.700 64.4
M. 6.200 41.8	N. 9.700 64.4
J. 6.300 41.8	D. 9.700 64.4

Av. 1936: Price \$8.133; Index 54.0

\*Nominal.

## FISH—Concluded

## WHITEFISH

Price per pound at Toronto

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$1.100 73.4	J. \$1.140 102.8
F. .100 73.4	A. .150 110.1
M. .110 80.7	S. .160 117.4
A. .100 73.4	O. .180 132.1
M. .110 80.7	N. .170 124.8
J. .140 102.8	D. .120 88.1

Av. 1936: Price \$0.132; Index 96.9

## SALMON, "SOCKEYE"

Price per case at Montreal

J. 14.620 78.1	J. 14.620 78.1
F. 14.900 79.6	A. 14.700 78.5
M. 14.900 79.6	S. 14.570 77.8
A. 14.780 78.9	O. 14.750 78.8
M. 14.620 78.1	N. 14.530 77.6
J. 14.620 78.1	D. 14.430 77.1

Av. 1936: Price \$14.670; Index 78.3

## SALMON, "COHOE"

Price per case at Montreal

J. 9.730 71.2	J. 9.700 71.0
F. 9.730 71.2	A. 9.780 71.6
M. 9.730 71.2	S. 9.770 71.5
A. 9.780 71.6	O. 9.700 71.0
M. 9.780 71.6	N. 9.700 71.0
J. 9.700 71.0	D. 9.800 71.7

Av. 1936: Price \$9.738; Index 71.3

## SALMON, "PINKS"

Price per case at Montreal

J. 5.100 68.0	J. 5.030 67.0
F. 5.050 67.3	A. 5.060 67.4
M. 5.050 67.3	S. 4.950 66.0
A. 5.100 68.0	O. 4.640 61.8
M. 5.100 68.0	N. 4.520 60.2
J. 5.150 68.6	D. 4.640 61.8

Av. 1936: Price \$4.947; Index 65.9

## SALMON, "CHUMS"

Price per case at Montreal

J. 3.880 62.7	J. 3.810 61.5
F. 4.000 64.6	A. 3.680 59.4
M. 4.000 64.6	S. 3.580 57.8
A. 3.840 62.0	O. 3.520 56.8
M. 3.690 59.6	N. 3.450 55.7
J. 3.700 59.8	D. 3.450 55.7

Av. 1936: Price \$3.717; Index 60.0

## LOBSTERS, CANNED

Price per case (96— $\frac{1}{2}$ 's), delivered at Halifax, based on choice grades of Atlantic Coast and Magdalen Islands packs.

J. 23.500 78.3	J. 26.000 86.7
F. 23.500 78.3	A. 26.000 86.7
M. 22.500 75.0	S. 25.500 85.0
A. 22.500 75.0	O. 25.000 83.3
M. 23.000 76.7	N. 25.000 83.3
J. 24.000 80.0	D. 24.000 80.0

Av. 1936: Price \$24.210; Index 80.7

## FURS

BEAVER, I AND II, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin (Ontario, Quebec, Western Canada, Alaska and Yukon, British Columbia), at Montreal.

J. 9.846 34.5	J. 12.863 45.1
F. — —	A. — —
M. 11.638 40.8	S. 12.650 44.4
A. — —	O. — —
M. 13.425 47.1	N. — —
J. — —	D. — —

Av. 1936: Price \$12.079; Index 42.4

## FURS—Continued

## ERMINE (WEASEL)

Average price per skin (Western Canada, Eastern Canada), at Montreal.

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$750 34.9	J. \$875 40.7
F. — —	A. — —
M. .855 39.8	S. .925 43.0
A. — —	O. — —
M. .860 40.0	N. — —
J. — —	D. — —

Av. 1936: Price \$0.853; Index 39.7

## RED FOX, I AND II

Average price per skin (Ontario and Quebec) at Montreal

J. 6.625 45.9	J. 7.250 50.2
F. — —	A. — —
M. 6.525 45.2	S. 8.125 56.3
A. — —	O. — —
M. 7.500 51.9	N. — —
J. — —	D. — —

Av. 1936: Price \$7.205; Index 94.9

SILVER FOX,  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  SILVER

Average price per skin at Montreal

J. 35.350 46.5	J. 34.150 44.9
F. — —	A. — —
M. 35.660 46.9	S. 31.520 41.4
A. — —	O. — —
M. 32.670 42.9	N. — —
J. — —	D. 31.980 42.0

Av. 1936: Price \$33.555; Index 44.1

## WHITE FOX, I AND II

Average price per skin at Montreal

J. 17.000 46.6	J. 17.375 47.6
F. — —	A. — —
M. 16.250 44.5	S. 17.875 49.0
A. — —	O. — —
M. 20.250 55.5	N. — —
J. — —	D. — —

Av. 1936: Price \$17.750; Index 48.6

MARTEN, PALE, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin (Ontario and Quebec), at Montreal

J. 19.250 110.1	J. 16.625 95.1
F. — —	A. — —
M. 19.000 108.7	S. *19.119 109.4
A. — —	O. — —
M. 17.250 98.7	N. — —
J. — —	D. — —

Av. 1936: Price \$18.249; Index 104.4

\* Estimated.

## MINK, I PART II, DARK

Average price per skin (Quebec, Northern Ontario, Southern Ontario, British Columbia) at Montreal.

J. 15.438 89.4	J. 13.156 76.2
F. — —	A. — —
M. 14.422 83.6	S. 13.438 77.9
A. — —	O. — —
M. 15.563 90.2	N. — —
J. — —	D. 23.157 134.2

Av. 1936: Price \$15.864; Index 91.9

LYNX, I AND II, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin at Montreal

J. 42.000 181.6	J. 40.000 173.0
F. — —	A. — —
M. 42.000 181.6	S. 41.000 177.3
A. — —	O. — —
M. 48.000 207.6	N. — —
J. — —	D. — —

Av. 1936: Price \$42.333; Index 183.1

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

FURS—Concluded				HIDES AND SKINS—Concluded				LEATHER—Concluded			
MUSKRAT, SPRING				SHEEP SKINS, COUNTRY CURED				Box Sides "B"			
Average price per skin (Eastern Canada) at Montreal				Price per skin at Toronto				Price per foot at Oshawa			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$1-620	75-9	J. \$1-745	81-8	J. \$1-000	191-2	J. \$-500	95-6	J. \$-240	91-4	J. \$-240	91-4
F. — — —	—	A. — — —	—	F. 1-250	239-0	A. -550	105-2	F. -240	91-4	A. -240	91-4
M. 1-540	72-2	S. 1-653	77-5	M. 1-250	239-0	S. -650	124-3	M. -240	91-4	S. -240	91-4
A. — — —	—	O. — — —	—	A. 1-250	239-0	O. -900	172-1	A. -240	91-4	O. -240	91-4
M. 1-766	82-8	N. — — —	—	M. 1-000	191-2	N. 1-100	210-3	M. -240	91-4	N. -240	91-4
J. — — —	—	D. — — —	—	J. -350	66-9	D. 1-650	315-5	J. -240	91-4	D. -240	91-4
Av. 1936: Price \$1-663; Index 78-0				Av. 1936: Price \$0-954; Index 182-4				Av. 1936: Price \$0-240; Index 91-4			
MUSKRAT, WINTER AND FALL				LEATHER				HARNESS LEATHER No. 1			
Average price per skin (Eastern Canada) at Montreal				PACKER CROPS, No. I AND II				Price per pound at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto	Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener			Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-100	70-2	J. 1-395	89-0	J. -370	95-9	J. -350	90-7	J. -370	83-5	J. -370	83-5
F. — — —	—	A. — — —	—	F. -370	95-9	A. -340	88-1	F. -370	83-5	A. -370	83-5
M. -935	59-7	S. 1-387	88-5	M. -370	95-9	S. -350	90-7	M. -370	83-5	O. -370	83-5
A. — — —	—	O. — — —	—	A. -370	95-9	O. -360	93-3	A. -370	83-5	N. -370	83-5
M. 1-029	65-7	N. — — —	—	M. -350	90-7	N. -380	98-5	J. -370	83-5	D. -380	85-7
J. — — —	—	D. — — —	—	J. -350	90-7	D. -390	101-1	Av. 1936: Price \$0-371; Index 83-7			
Av. 1936: Price \$1-206; Index 77-0				Av. 1936: Price \$0-363; Index 94-1				GUN METAL CALF, M. No. 1			
HIDES AND SKINS				PACKER CROPS, No. III				Price per foot at factory			
BEEF HIDES, COUNTRY CURED				Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto				J. -320	79-1	J. -350	86-5
FLAT No. 1 AND 2				Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener.				F. -330	81-6	A. -350	86-5
Price per pound at Toronto				J. -350	—	J. -330	—	M. -330	81-6	S. -350	86-5
J. -080	60-2	J. -070	52-6	F. -350 <th>—</th> <th>A. -320</th> <th>—</th> <th>A. -350</th> <th>86-5</th> <th>O. -350</th> <th>86-5</th>	—	A. -320	—	A. -350	86-5	O. -350	86-5
F. -075	56-4	A. -070	52-6	M. -350 <th>—</th> <th>S. -330</th> <th>—</th> <th>M. -350</th> <th>86-5</th> <th>N. -350</th> <th>86-5</th>	—	S. -330	—	M. -350	86-5	N. -350	86-5
M. -075	56-4	S. -075	56-4	A. -350 <th>—</th> <th>O. -340</th> <th>—</th> <th>J. -350</th> <th>86-5</th> <th>D. -380</th> <th>93-9</th>	—	O. -340	—	J. -350	86-5	D. -380	93-9
A. -075	56-4	O. -075	56-4	M. -330 <th>—</th> <th>N. -360</th> <th>—</th> <td colspan="4">Av. 1936: Price \$0-347; Index 85-8</td>	—	N. -360	—	Av. 1936: Price \$0-347; Index 85-8			
M. -070	52-6	N. -085	63-9	J. -330 <th>—</th> <th>D. -370</th> <th>—</th> <th colspan="4">BOOTS AND SHOES</th>	—	D. -370	—	BOOTS AND SHOES			
J. -075	56-4	D. -078	58-6	Av. 1936: Price \$0-343				Men's Shoes			
Av. 1936: Price \$0-075; Index 56-4				PACKER BENDS, No. I AND II				Composite price per pair at factory			
PACKER HIDES, NATIVE STEERS				Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto				Av. 1936: Price \$3-948; Index 91-6			
Price per pound, basis Toronto freight				Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener.				WOMEN'S SHOES			
J. -153	113-6	J. -105	78-0	J. -420 <th>—</th> <th>J. -400</th> <th>—</th> <th colspan="4">Composite price per pair at factory</th>	—	J. -400	—	Composite price per pair at factory			
F. -130	96-5	A. -120	89-1	F. -420 <th>—</th> <th>A. -390</th> <th>—</th> <th colspan="4">Av. 1936: Price \$1-817; Index 82-2</th>	—	A. -390	—	Av. 1936: Price \$1-817; Index 82-2			
M. -120	89-1	S. -138	102-4	M. -420 <th>—</th> <th>S. -400</th> <th>—</th> <th colspan="4">LIVESTOCK</th>	—	S. -400	—	LIVESTOCK			
A. -120	89-1	O. -143	106-2	A. -420 <th>—</th> <th>O. -410</th> <th>—</th> <th colspan="4">STEERS, GOOD (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)</th>	—	O. -410	—	STEERS, GOOD (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)			
M. -110	81-7	N. -145	107-6	M. -400 <th>—</th> <th>N. -430</th> <th>—</th> <th colspan="4">Price per cwt. at Toronto</th>	—	N. -430	—	Price per cwt. at Toronto			
J. -113	83-9	D. -155	115-1	J. -400 <th>—</th> <th>D. -440</th> <th>—</th> <td>J. 6-290</td> <td>85-8</td> <td>J. 5-630</td> <td>76-8</td>	—	D. -440	—	J. 6-290	85-8	J. 5-630	76-8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-129; Index 95-8				Av. 1936: Price \$0-413				F. 6-290	85-8	A. 5-340	72-9
PACKER HIDES, NATIVE COWS				PACKER BENDS, No. III				M. 5-490	74-9	S. 5-550	75-7
Price per pound, basis Toronto freight				Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto				A. 5-610	75-2	O. 5-270	71-9
J. -108 <th>—</th> <th>J. -090</th> <th>—</th> <th colspan="4">Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener.</th> <td>M. 5-170</td> <td>70-5</td> <td>N. 5-140</td> <td>70-1</td>	—	J. -090	—	Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener.				M. 5-170	70-5	N. 5-140	70-1
F. -100 <th>—</th> <th>A. -100</th> <th>—</th> <td>J. -390<th>—</th><th>J. -380</th><th>—</th></td> <td>J. 5-330</td> <td>72-7</td> <td>D. 5-460</td> <td>74-5</td>	—	A. -100	—	J. -390 <th>—</th> <th>J. -380</th> <th>—</th>	—	J. -380	—	J. 5-330	72-7	D. 5-460	74-5
M. -100 <th>—</th> <th>S. -115</th> <th>—</th> <td>F. -390<th>—</th><th>A. -370</th><th>—</th></td> <td colspan="4">Av. 1936: Price \$5-539; Index 75-6</td>	—	S. -115	—	F. -390 <th>—</th> <th>A. -370</th> <th>—</th>	—	A. -370	—	Av. 1936: Price \$5-539; Index 75-6			
A. -095 <th>—</th> <th>O. -110</th> <th>—</th> <td>M. -390<th>—</th><th>S. -390</th><th>—</th></td> <th colspan="4">STEERS, GOOD (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)</th>	—	O. -110	—	M. -390 <th>—</th> <th>S. -390</th> <th>—</th>	—	S. -390	—	STEERS, GOOD (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)			
M. -095 <th>—</th> <th>N. -115</th> <th>—</th> <td>A. -390<th>—</th><th>O. -400</th><th>—</th></td> <th colspan="4">Price per cwt. at Winnipeg</th>	—	N. -115	—	A. -390 <th>—</th> <th>O. -400</th> <th>—</th>	—	O. -400	—	Price per cwt. at Winnipeg			
J. -100 <th>—</th> <th>D. -128</th> <th>—</th> <td>M. -380<th>—</th><th>N. -410</th><th>—</th></td> <td>J. 4-810</td> <td>80-3</td> <td>J. 5-280</td> <td>88-1</td>	—	D. -128	—	M. -380 <th>—</th> <th>N. -410</th> <th>—</th>	—	N. -410	—	J. 4-810	80-3	J. 5-280	88-1
Av. 1936: Price \$0-105				J. -380 <th>—</th> <th>D. -420</th> <th>—</th>	—	D. -420	—	F. 4-340	72-5	A. 4-920	82-1
CALF SKINS, CITY CURED No. I AND II				SHOULDERS				M. 4-590	76-6	S. 4-730	79-0
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto				A. 4-620	77-1	O. 4-350	72-6
J. -130	43-9	J. -120	40-5	Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener.				M. 4-430	74-0	N. 4-630	77-3
F. -120	40-5	A. -130	43-9	J. -250 <th>—</th> <th>J. -240</th> <th>—</th>	—	J. -240	—	J. 4-440	74-1	D. 4-620	80-5
M. -120	40-5	S. -120	40-5	F. -250 <th>—</th> <th>A. -240</th> <th>—</th>	—	A. -240	—	Av. 1936: Price \$4-663; Index 77-8			
A. -130	43-9	O. -120	40-5	M. -250 <th>—</th> <th>S. -250</th> <th>—</th>	—	S. -250	—	CALVES, GOOD VEAL			
M. -120	40-5	N. -140	47-3	A. -250 <th>—</th> <th>O. -250</th> <th>—</th>	—	O. -250	—	Price per cwt. at Toronto			
J. -120	40-5	D. -125	42-2	M. -240 <th>—</th> <th>N. -250</th> <th>—</th>	—	N. -250	—	J. 10-300	87-5	J. 7-160	60-8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-125; Index 42-2				J. -240 <th>—</th> <th>D. -260</th> <th>—</th>	—	D. -260	—	F. 10-490	89-1	A. 7-220	61-3
SHEEP SKINS, CITY CURED				BELLIES				M. 8-590	73-0	S. 8-130	69-1
Price per skin at Toronto				Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto				A. 8-680	73-7	O. 8-250	70-1
J. 1-250	107-5	J. -550	47-3	Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener.				M. 8-200	69-7	N. 8-370	71-1
F. 1-350	116-2	A. -650	55-9	J. -200 <th>—</th> <th>J. -180</th> <th>—</th>	—	J. -180	—	J. 7-580	74-4	D. 9-480	80-5
M. 1-450	124-7	S. -750	64-5	F. -200 <th>—</th> <th>A. -180</th> <th>—</th>	—	A. -180	—	Av. 1936: Price \$5-380; Index 72-5			
A. 1-450	124-7	O. 1-000	86-0	M. -200 <th>—</th> <th>S. -180</th> <th>—</th>	—	S. -180	—	LIVESTOCK			
M. 1-250	107-5	N. 1-250	107-5	A. -200 <th>—</th> <th>O. -180</th> <th>—</th>	—	O. -180	—	STEERS, GOOD (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)			
J. -400	34-4	D. 1-750	150-5	M. -180 <th>—</th> <th>N. -180</th> <th>—</th>	—	N. -180	—	Price per cwt. at Toronto			
Av. 1936: Price \$1-092; Index 93-8				J. -180 <th>—</th> <th>D. -180</th> <th>—</th>	—	D. -180	—	J. 10-300	87-5	J. 7-160	60-8

GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

LIVESTOCK—Concluded

CALVES, GOOD VEAL

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$7-520	100-8	J. \$4-840	64-9
F. 7-810	104-7	A. 4-740	63-5
M. 6-290	84-3	S. 5-170	69-3
A. 6-020	80-7	O. 5-210	69-8
M. 5-480	73-5	N. 5-810	77-9
J. 5-190	69-6	D. 7-160	96-0

Av. 1936: Price \$5-937; Index 79-6

HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Montreal

J. 8-870	65-5	J. 9-660	71-3
F. 9-140	67-5	A. 9-880	73-0
M. 9-020	66-6	S. 8-920	65-9
A. 9-050	66-8	O. 8-350	61-7
M. 9-110	67-3	N. 7-920	58-5
J. 9-380	69-3	D. 8-330	61-5

Av. 1936: Price \$8-969; Index 66-2

HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Toronto

J. 8-450	63-4	J. 9-060	68-0
F. 8-590	64-5	A. 9-240	69-4
M. 8-500	63-8	S. 8-480	63-7
A. 8-370	62-8	O. 8-010	60-1
M. 8-160	61-3	N. 7-590	57-0
J. 8-870	66-6	D. 8-210	61-6

Av. 1936: Price \$8-461; Index 63-5

HOGS, BACON

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg

J. 8-040	66-1	J. 8-900	73-1
F. 8-380	68-9	A. 9-070	74-5
M. 8-230	67-6	S. 8-110	66-6
A. 8-300	68-2	O. 7-330	60-2
M. 8-130	66-8	N. 7-010	57-6
J. 8-680	71-3	D. 7-380	60-6

Av. 1936: Price \$8-130; Index 66-8

LAMBS, GOOD, HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Montreal

J. 8-030	67-8	J. 8-360	70-5
F. 8-720	73-6	A. 7-260	61-3
M. 8-720	73-6	S. 7-080	59-7
A. 8-720	73-6	O. 7-730	65-2
M. 8-720	73-6	N. 7-960	67-2
J. 10-270	86-7	D. 8-250	69-6

Av. 1936: Price \$8-318; Index 70-2

\*Nominal.

LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Toronto

J. 8-890	68-1	J. 9-330	71-5
F. 8-750	67-0	A. 8-310	63-7
M. 8-920	68-4	S. 7-940	60-8
A. 10-430	79-9	O. 7-960	61-0
M. 10-240	78-5	N. 7-960	61-0
J. 10-770	82-5	D. 8-560	65-1

Av. 1936: Price \$9-000; Index 69-0

LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT

Price per cwt. at Winnipeg

J. 7-370	67-9	J. 7-320	67-5
F. 7-400	68-2	A. 6-350	58-5
M. 7-690	70-9	S. 6-280	57-9
A. 8-400	77-4	O. 6-560	60-5
M. 9-300	85-7	N. 6-880	63-4
J. 8-680	80-0	D. 7-640	70-4

Av. 1936: Price \$7-489; Index 69-0

FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER

Price per pound at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-110	79-7	J. \$-100	72-5
F. -110	79-7	A. -103	74-6
M. -063	67-4	S. -105	76-1
A. -105	76-1	O. -100	72-5
M. -103	74-6	N. -093	67-4
J. -103	74-6	D. -103	74-6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-102; Index 73-9

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD BUTCHER

Price per pound at Toronto

J. -111	96-6	J. -093	80-9
F. -099	86-1	A. -097	84-4
M. -094	81-8	S. -100	87-0
A. -091	79-2	O. -099	86-1
M. -092	80-0	N. -095	82-6
J. -091	79-2	D. -094	81-8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-096; Index 83-5

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD BUTCHER

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J. -085	68-4	J. -083	66-8
F. -082	66-0	A. -091	73-3
M. -074	59-6	S. -101	81-3
A. -078	62-8	O. -102	82-1
M. -080	64-4	N. -104	83-7
J. -080	64-4	D. -097	78-1

Av. 1936: Price \$0-088; Index 70-9

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER

Price per pound at Vancouver

J. -110	86-0	J. -110	86-0
F. -110	86-0	A. -110	86-0
M. -110	86-0	S. -110	86-0
A. -110	86-0	O. -110	86-0
M. -110	86-0	N. -110	86-0
J. -110	86-0	D. -090	70-4

Av. 1936: Price \$0-108; Index 84-4

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW

Price per pound at Montreal

J. -090	79-4	J. -050	70-6
F. -083	73-3	A. -070	61-8
M. -078	68-8	S. -065	57-4
A. -085	75-0	O. -060	53-0
M. -083	73-3	N. -060	53-0
J. -085	75-0	D. -070	61-8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-076; Index 67-1

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW

Price per pound at Toronto

J. -076	87-3	J. -075	86-2
F. -079	90-8	A. -072	82-7
M. -072	82-7	S. -067	77-0
A. -075	86-2	O. -065	74-7
M. -079	90-8	N. -062	71-2
J. -078	89-6	D. -065	74-7

Av. 1936: Price \$0-072; Index 82-7

BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J. -060	61-9	J. -057	58-8
F. -059	60-8	A. -047	48-5
M. -056	57-7	S. -047	48-5
A. -058	59-8	O. -051	52-6
M. -065	67-0	N. -053	54-6
J. -065	67-0	D. -056	57-7

Av. 1936: Price \$0-056; Index 57-7

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BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW

Price per pound at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-070	69-4	J. \$-070	69-4
F. -070	69-4	A. -070	69-4
M. -070	69-4	S. -070	69-4
A. -070	69-4	O. -070	69-4
M. -070	69-4	N. -070	69-4
J. -070	69-4	D. -055	54-6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-069; Index 68-5

VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Montreal

J. -150	88-2	J. -098	57-6
F. -140	82-4	A. -110	64-7
M. -120	70-6	S. -110	64-7
A. -090	52-9	O. -115	67-6
M. -088	51-8	N. -103	60-6
J. -100	58-8	D. -140	82-4

Av. 1936: Price \$0-114; Index 67-1

VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Toronto

J. -163	83-6	J. -120	61-5
F. -165	84-6	A. -125	64-1
M. -124	63-6	S. -123	63-1
A. -136	69-7	O. -127	65-1
M. -125	64-1	N. -130	66-7
J. -125	64-1	D. -144	73-8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-134; Index 68-7

VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J. -130	82-5	J. -090	57-1
F. -141	89-5	A. -089	56-5
M. -119	75-6	S. -098	62-2
A. -104	66-0	O. -096	60-9
M. -102	64-8	N. -101	64-1
J. -096	61-0	D. -123	78-1

Av. 1936: Price \$0-107; Index 67-9

LAMB CARCASS—CHOICE, FRESH

Price per pound at Montreal

J. -160	73-6	J. -185	85-1
F. -170	78-2	A. -155	71-3
M. -175	80-5	S. -140	64-4
A. -195	89-7	O. -150	69-0
M. -245	112-6	N. -155	71-3
J. -230	105-7	D. -170	78-2

Av. 1936: Price \$0-178; Index 81-8

LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Toronto

J. -168	66-3	J. -194	76-6
F. -163	64-4	A. -168	66-3
M. -163	64-4	S. -149	58-8
A. -195	77-0	O. -144	56-8
M. -221	87-2	N. -142	56-1
J. -236	93-2	D. -156	61-6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-175; Index 69-1

LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J. -150	60-0	J. -156	62-4
F. -150	60-0	A. -143	57-2
M. -150	60-0	S. -130	52-0
A. -176	70-4	O. -126	50-4
M. -197	78-8	N. -131	52-4
J. -195	78-0	D. -143	57-2

Av. 1936: Price \$0-154; Index 61-6



## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

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## LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-160	54.9	J. \$-220	75.4
F. -160	54.9	A. -160	54.9
M. -170	58.3	S. -160	54.9
A. -180	61.7	O. -160	54.9
M. -210	72.0	N. -160	54.9
J. -200	68.6	D. -170	58.3

Av. 1936: Price \$0-176; Index 60.3

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -130	59.6	J. -145	66.4
F. -130	59.6	A. -145	66.4
M. -120	55.0	S. -125	57.3
A. -130	59.6	O. -120	55.0
M. -128	58.6	N. -110	50.4
J. -130	59.6	D. -115	52.7

Av. 1936: Price \$0-127; Index 58.2

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -133	64.5	J. -135	65.5
F. -135	65.5	A. -135	65.5
M. -130	63.0	S. -133	64.5
A. -130	63.0	O. -123	59.6
M. -127	61.6	N. -115	55.8
J. -130	63.0	D. -116	56.2

Av. 1936: Price \$0-129; Index 62.5

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -115	56.1	J. -143	69.8
F. -125	61.0	A. -134	65.4
M. -125	61.0	S. -128	62.4
A. -130	63.4	O. -107	52.2
M. -123	60.0	N. -107	52.2
J. -126	61.5	D. -114	55.6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-123; Index 60.0

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -140	66.0	J. -150	70.7
F. -140	66.0	A. -160	75.4
M. -140	66.0	S. -160	75.4
A. -150	70.7	O. -140	66.0
M. -140	66.0	N. -120	56.6
J. -150	70.7	D. -130	61.3

Av. 1936: Price \$0-143; Index 67.4

## PORK CARCASS—ABATTOIR HOGS

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -138	64.8	J. -140	65.7
F. -140	65.7	A. -140	65.7
M. -135	63.4	S. -138	64.8
A. -135	63.4	O. -129	60.6
M. -132	62.0	N. -120	56.3
J. -135	63.4	D. -121	56.8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-134; Index 62.9

## PORK CARCASS—ABATTOIR HOGS

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -115	56.1	J. -143	69.8
F. -125	61.0	A. -136	66.3
M. -125	61.0	S. -132	64.4
A. -130	63.4	O. -118	57.6
M. -123	60.0	N. -112	54.6
J. -131	63.9	D. -119	58.0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-126; Index 61.5

FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY  
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## FOWL, DRESSED, 4-5 POUNDS

Price per pound to shippers, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-150	65.4	J. \$-150	65.4
F. -160	69.8	A. -150	65.4
M. -160	69.8	S. -140	61.1
A. -160	69.8	O. -127	55.4
M. -160	69.8	N. -124	54.1
J. -156	68.1	D. -130	56.7

Av. 1936: Price \$0-147; Index 64.1

MEATS, CANNED, CURED, OR  
OTHERWISE PREPARED

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -200	59.0	J. -220	64.9
F. -200	59.0	A. -230	67.8
M. -200	59.0	S. -230	67.8
A. -200	59.0	O. -230	67.8
M. -210	61.9	N. -210	61.9
J. -220	64.9	D. -200	59.0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-213; Index 62.8

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -210	63.6	J. -240	72.7
F. -210	63.6	A. -260	78.8
M. -220	66.7	S. -260	78.8
A. -245	74.2	O. -260	78.8
M. -240	72.7	N. -240	72.7
J. -240	72.7	D. -240	72.7

Av. 1936: Price \$0-239; Index 72.4

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -240	67.1	J. -260	72.7
F. -230	64.3	A. -260	69.9
M. -230	64.3	S. -260	72.7
A. -230	64.3	O. -240	67.1
M. -250	69.9	N. -220	61.5
J. -250	69.9	D. -220	61.5

Av. 1936: Price \$0-240; Index 67.1

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -240	58.8	J. -260	63.7
F. -240	58.8	A. -270	66.1
M. -240	58.8	S. -260	63.7
A. -250	61.2	O. -260	63.7
M. -240	58.8	N. -250	61.2
J. -240	58.8	D. -240	58.8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-249; Index 61.0

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -200	61.9	J. -240	74.3
F. -210	65.0	A. -250	77.4
M. -200	61.9	S. -220	68.1
A. -220	68.1	O. -220	68.1
M. -220	68.1	N. -190	58.8
J. -220	68.1	D. -190	58.8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-215; Index 66.6

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -235	73.6	J. -250	78.3
F. -235	73.6	A. -260	81.5
M. -230	72.1	S. -255	79.9
A. -240	75.2	O. -250	78.3
M. -245	76.8	N. -245	76.8
J. -250	78.3	D. -235	73.6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-244; Index 76.4

MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR  
OTHERWISE PREPARED—  
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## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-240	74.4	J. \$-260	80.6
F. -230	71.3	A. -270	83.7
M. -230	71.3	S. -260	80.6
A. -220	68.2	O. -240	74.4
M. -250	77.5	N. -220	68.2
J. -260	80.6	D. -220	68.2

Av. 1936: Price \$0-242; Index 75.0

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -230	65.7	J. -260	74.3
F. -230	65.7	A. -260	74.3
M. -230	65.7	S. -260	74.3
A. -240	68.6	O. -260	74.3
M. -240	68.6	N. -240	68.6
J. -230	65.7	D. -220	62.9

Av. 1936: Price \$0-242; Index 69.1

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per Barrel at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 28-000	70.4	J. 22-000	55.8
F. 26-000	65.4	A. 23-000	57.9
M. 26-000	65.4	S. 23-000	57.9
A. 24-000	60.4	O. 23-000	57.9
M. 24-000	60.4	N. 23-000	57.9
J. 23-000	57.9	D. 21-000	52.8

Av. 1936: Price \$23-833; Index 60.0

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 25-000	70.2	J. 22-000	61.8
F. 25-000	70.2	A. 23-000	64.6
M. 24-000	67.4	S. 23-500	66.0
A. 24-000	67.4	O. 23-000	64.6
M. 24-000	67.4	N. 23-000	64.6
J. 23-000	64.6	D. 24-000	67.4

Av. 1936: Price \$23-625; Index 66.3

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 29-000	73.4	J. 27-000	68.4
F. 29-000	73.4	A. 27-000	68.4
M. 29-000	73.4	S. 27-000	68.4
A. 28-000	70.9	O. 27-000	68.4
M. 28-000	70.9	N. 27-000	68.4
J. 28-000	70.9	D. 27-000	68.4

Av. 1936: Price \$27-750; Index 70.3

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 27-000	56.8	J. 27-000	56.8
F. 27-000	56.8	A. 27-000	56.8
M. 27-000	56.8	S. 27-000	56.8
A. 27-000	56.8	O. 27-000	56.8
M. 27-000	56.8	N. 27-000	56.8
J. 27-000	56.8	D. 27-000	56.8

Av. 1936: Price \$27-000; Index 56.8

## MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Charlottetown

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -160	80.0	J. -160	80.0
F. -160	80.0	A. -160	80.0
M. -160	80.0	S. -160	80.0
A. -160	80.0	O. -160	80.0
M. -160	80.0	N. -160	80.0
J. -160	80.0	D. -160	80.0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-160; Index 80.0

GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

—Continued

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Halifax

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-215	88.3	J. -215	88.3
F. -215	88.3	A. -215	88.3
M. -215	88.3	S. -215	88.3
A. -215	88.3	O. -215	88.3
M. -215	88.3	N. -215	88.3
J. -215	88.3	D. -215	88.3

Av. 1936: Price \$0-215; Index 88.3

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Saint John

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -200	75.5	J. -200	75.5
F. -200	75.5	A. -200	75.5
M. -200	75.5	S. -200	75.5
A. -200	75.5	O. -200	75.5
M. -200	75.5	N. -200	75.5
J. -200	75.5	D. -200	75.5

Av. 1936: Price \$0-200; Index 75.5

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -170	69.4	J. -140	57.1
F. -170	69.4	A. -140	57.1
M. -170	69.4	S. -183	74.7
A. -170	69.4	O. -183	74.7
M. -170	69.4	N. -207	84.5
J. -140	57.1	D. -207	84.5

Av. 1936: Price \$0-171; Index 69.8

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at railway station, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -1.770	75.2	J. -1.445	61.4
F. -1.770	75.2	A. -1.445	61.4
M. -1.770	75.2	S. -1.770	75.2
A. -1.770	75.2	O. -1.770	75.2
M. -1.770	75.2	N. -2.095	89.0
J. -1.445	61.4	D. -2.095	89.0

Av. 1936: Price \$1-743; Index 74.0

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy, Ottawa

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2-050	83.7	J. 2-050	83.7
F. 2-050	83.7	A. 2-050	83.7
M. 2-050	83.7	S. 2-050	83.7
A. 2-050	83.7	O. 2-050	83.7
M. 2-050	83.7	N. 2-050	83.7
J. 2-050	83.7	D. 2-050	83.7

Av. 1936: Price \$2-050; Index 83.7

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 8 gallon can, delivered at dairy, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-730	86.0	J. 1-730	86.0
F. 1-730	86.0	A. 1-730	86.0
M. 1-730	86.0	S. 1-730	86.0
A. 1-730	86.0	O. 1-730	86.0
M. 1-730	86.0	N. 1-730	86.0
J. 1-730	86.0	D. 1-730	86.0

Av. 1936: Price \$1-730; Index 86.0

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Hamilton

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -210	79.2	J. -210	79.2
F. -210	79.2	A. -210	79.2
M. -210	79.2	S. -210	79.2
A. -210	79.2	O. -210	79.2
M. -210	79.2	N. -210	79.2
J. -210	79.2	D. -210	79.2

Av. 1936: Price \$0-210; Index 79.2

MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

—Continued

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$1-820	84.2	J. \$1-470	68.0
F. 1-820	84.2	A. 1-420	65.7
M. 1-820	84.2	S. 1-420	65.7
A. 1-820	84.2	O. 1-770	81.8
M. 1-820	84.2	N. 1-770	81.8
J. 1-470	68.0	D. 1-920	88.8

Av. 1936: Price \$1-695; Index 78.4

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per pound butterfat delivered at dairy, Saskatoon

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -480	76.8	J. -480	76.8
F. -480	76.8	A. -480	76.8
M. -480	76.8	S. -480	76.8
A. -480	76.8	O. -480	76.8
M. -480	76.8	N. -480	76.8
J. -480	76.8	D. -580	92.8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-488; Index 78.1

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Regina

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -185	80.4	J. -185	80.4
F. -185	80.4	A. -185	80.4
M. -185	80.4	S. -176	76.5
A. -185	80.4	O. -178	77.4
M. -185	80.4	N. -176	76.5
J. -185	80.4	D. -206	89.6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-185; Index 80.4

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy, Calgary

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-950	81.5	J. 1-950	81.5
F. 1-950	81.5	A. 1-950	81.5
M. 1-950	81.5	S. 2-350	98.2
A. 1-950	81.5	O. 2-350	98.2
M. 1-950	81.5	N. 2-350	98.2
J. 1-950	81.5	D. 2-350	98.2

Av. 1936: Price \$2-083; Index 87.1

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy, Edmonton

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-850	79.3	J. 1-850	79.3
F. 1-850	79.3	A. 1-850	79.3
M. 1-850	79.3	S. 1-850	79.3
A. 1-850	79.3	O. 1-850	79.3
M. 1-850	79.3	N. 2-230	95.6
J. 1-850	79.3	D. 2-230	95.6

Av. 1936: Price \$1-913; Index 82.0

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Victoria

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -205	88.0	J. -200	85.8
F. -200	85.8	A. -200	85.8
M. -200	85.8	S. -200	85.8
A. -200	85.8	O. -200	85.8
M. -200	85.8	N. -200	85.8
J. -200	85.8	D. -200	85.8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-200; Index 85.8

MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per pound butterfat delivered at dairy, Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -530	71.5	J. -530	71.5
F. -530	71.5	A. -530	71.5
M. -530	71.5	S. -530	71.5
A. -530	71.5	O. -530	71.5
M. -530	71.5	N. -530	71.5
J. -530	71.5	D. -530	71.5

Av. 1936: Price \$0-530; Index 71.5

MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

—Continued

MILK, CONDENSED

Manufacturer's price per case of 48 15-ounce tins, carlots

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$8-100	100.0	J. \$8-100	100.0
F. 8-100	100.0	A. 8-100	100.0
M. 8-100	100.0	S. 8-100	100.0
A. 8-100	100.0	O. 8-100	100.0
M. 8-100	100.0	N. 8-100	100.0
J. 8-100	100.0	D. 8-100	100.0

Av. 1936: Price \$8-100; Index 100.0

MILK, EVAPORATED

Manufacturer's price per case of 48 1-pound tins

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-600	70.6	J. 3-600	70.6
F. 3-600	70.6	A. 3-600	70.6
M. 3-600	70.6	S. 3-600	70.6
A. 3-600	70.6	O. 3-600	70.6
M. 3-600	70.6	N. 3-600	70.6
J. 3-600	70.6	D. 3-600	70.6

Av. 1936: Price \$3-600; Index 70.6

BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS

Jobbing price per pound at Montreal —monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -277	71.0	J. -246	63.1
F. -251	64.4	A. -267	68.5
M. -244	62.6	S. -266	68.2
A. -238	61.0	O. -257	65.9
M. -214	54.9	N. -265	67.9
J. -234	60.0	D. -273	70.0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-253; Index 64.9

BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS

Jobbing price per pound at Toronto —monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -275	66.3	J. -255	61.4
F. -253	61.0	A. -271	65.3
M. -248	59.8	S. -269	64.8
A. -247	59.5	O. -258	62.2
M. -224	54.0	N. -269	64.8
J. -239	57.6	D. -275	66.3

Av. 1936: Price \$0-257; Index 61.9

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. plant, Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -270	68.2	J. -235	59.4
F. -240	60.6	A. -255	64.4
M. -235	59.4	S. -265	67.0
A. -245	61.9	O. -250	63.2
M. -225	56.8	N. -250	63.2
J. -225	56.8	D. -265	67.0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-247; Index 62.4

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound at Regina

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -280	72.2	J. -240	61.9
F. -260	67.0	A. -260	67.0
M. -250	64.4	S. -250	64.4
A. -250	64.4	O. -260	67.0
M. -230	59.3	N. -260	67.0
J. -240	61.9	D. -270	69.6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-254; Index 75.5

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound at Calgary

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -280	74.0	J. -230	60.8
F. -260	68.7	A. -250	66.1
M. -260	68.7	S. -260	68.7
A. -240	63.4	O. -240	63.4
M. -230	60.8	N. -250	66.1
J. -230	60.8	D. -250	66.1

Av. 1936: Price \$0-248; Index 65.6

## GROUP I.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS —Concluded				OILS AND FATS—Concluded				EGGS—Continued			
BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS				LARD, PURE				EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE			
Price per pound, f.o.b. Vancouver				Price per pound, in tierces, f.o.b. Vancouver				Price per dozen at Saskatoon—average of weekly prices			
Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index	
J. \$-290	—	J. \$-290	—	J. \$-140	70-9	J. \$-130	65-8	J. \$-283	69-7	J. \$-210	51-7
F. -275	—	A. -270	—	F. -158	65-8	A. -135	68-4	F. -325	80-0	A. -215	53-0
M. -260	—	S. -290	—	M. -130	65-8	S. -135	68-4	M. -197	48-5	S. -240	59-1
A. -270	—	O. -280	—	A. -130	65-8	O. -135	68-4	A. -178	43-8	O. -310	76-4
M. -240	—	N. -260	—	M. -135	68-4	N. -125	63-3	M. -193	47-5	N. -300	73-9
J. -250	—	D. -280	—	J. -125	63-3	D. -130	65-8	J. -215	53-0	D. -320	78-8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-269				Av. 1936: Price \$0-132; Index 66-8				Av. 1936: Price \$0-250; Index 61-6			
CHEESE, NEW, LARGE				TALLOW, PRIME PACKERS'				EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE			
Price per pound at Montreal				Price per pound at Toronto				Price per dozen at Calgary—average of weekly prices			
J. -120	60-9	J. -140	71-0	J. -064	72-7	J. -058	65-9	J. -266	64-4	J. -233	56-4
F. -120	60-9	A. -150	76-1	F. -058	65-9	A. -064	72-7	F. -348	84-3	A. -255	61-7
M. -115	58-3	S. -150	76-1	M. -050	56-8	S. -058	65-9	M. -280	67-8	S. -272	65-9
A. -110	55-8	O. -130	66-0	A. -043	48-9	N. -053	60-2	A. -178	43-1	O. -334	80-9
M. -115	58-3	N. -150	76-1	M. -043	48-9	D. -060	68-2	M. -200	48-4	N. -373	90-3
J. -130	66-0	D. -140	71-0	Av. 1936: Price \$0-055; Index 62-5				J. -213	51-6	D. -358	86-7
Av. 1936: Price \$0-131; Index 66-5				EGGS				Egg Grade "A", LARGE			
CHEESE, OLD, LARGE				EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE				Price per dozen at Vancouver—average of weekly prices			
Price per pound at Montreal				Price per dozen at Halifax—average of weekly prices				J. -220	55-8	J. -278	70-6
J. -150	66-0	J. -180	79-2	J. -328	69-5	J. -292	61-9	F. -247	70-6	A. -325	82-5
F. -150	66-0	A. -160	70-4	F. -334	70-8	A. -350	74-2	M. -247	62-7	S. -341	82-6
M. -150	66-0	S. -180	79-2	M. -313	66-3	S. -345	73-1	A. -205	52-0	O. -385	97-7
A. -150	66-0	O. -170	74-8	A. -228	48-3	O. -426	90-3	M. -225	57-1	N. -385	97-7
M. -150	66-0	N. -170	74-8	M. -244	51-7	N. -485	102-8	J. -254	64-5	D. -289	73-4
J. -150	66-0	D. -170	74-8	J. -262	55-5	D. -423	89-6	Av. 1936: Price \$0-292; Index 74-1			
Av. 1936: Price \$0-161; Index 70-8				EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE				EGGS, GRADE "B"			
CHEESE, LARGE, COLOURED, NEW				Price per dozen at Saint John—average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Halifax—average of weekly prices			
Price per pound at Toronto, delivered nearest railway station, 40 pounds or more				J. -335	71-7	J. -263	56-3	J. -266	62-0	J. -240	55-9
J. -145	57-1	J. -158	62-2	F. -315	67-5	A. -306	65-5	F. -246	57-3	A. -279	65-0
F. -140	55-1	A. -160	63-0	M. -313	67-0	S. -321	68-7	M. -250	58-3	S. -265	61-8
M. -140	55-1	S. -178	70-1	A. -216	46-3	O. -410	87-8	A. -182	42-4	O. -288	67-1
A. -135	53-1	O. -173	68-1	M. -233	49-9	N. -496	106-2	M. -204	47-6	N. -301	70-2
M. -130	51-2	N. -163	64-2	J. -249	53-3	D. -431	92-3	J. -213	50-8	D. -279	65-0
J. -150	59-1	D. -165	65-0	Av. 1936: Price \$0-330; Index 70-7				Av. 1936: Price \$0-255; Index 59-4			
Av. 1936: Price \$0-153; Index 60-2				EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE				EGGS, GRADE "B"			
OILS AND FATS				Price per dozen at Montreal—average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Saint John—average of weekly prices			
LARD, PURE				J. -319	68-6	J. -289	62-2	J. -270	64-0	J. -228	54-0
J. -120	69-4	J. -105	60-7	F. -324	69-7	A. -328	70-5	F. -265	62-8	A. -251	59-5
F. -115	66-5	A. -115	66-5	M. -315	67-7	S. -341	73-3	M. -265	62-8	S. -257	60-9
M. -100	57-8	S. -123	71-1	A. -229	49-2	O. -464	99-3	A. -183	43-4	O. -273	64-7
A. -115	66-5	O. -123	71-1	M. -236	50-8	N. -491	105-6	M. -205	48-6	N. -284	67-3
M. -105	60-7	N. -123	71-1	J. -261	56-1	D. -404	86-9	J. -225	53-3	D. -289	68-5
J. -100	57-8	D. -130	75-1	Av. 1936: Price \$0-340; Index 73-1				Av. 1936: Price \$0-252; Index 59-7			
Av. 1936: Price \$0-115; Index 66-5				EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE				EGGS, GRADE "B"			
LARD, PURE				Price per dozen at Toronto—average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Montreal—average of weekly prices			
J. -138	78-1	J. -120	68-0	J. -295	63-9	J. -265	57-4	J. -270	65-5	J. -244	59-2
F. -133	75-3	A. -123	69-6	F. -314	68-0	A. -304	65-8	F. -286	69-4	A. -258	62-6
M. -123	69-6	S. -133	75-3	M. -276	59-7	S. -320	69-3	M. -279	67-7	S. -260	63-1
A. -133	75-3	O. -133	75-3	A. -215	46-5	O. -445	96-3	A. -206	50-0	O. -304	73-8
M. -128	72-5	N. -135	76-4	M. -223	48-3	N. -469	101-5	M. -213	51-7	N. -310	75-2
J. -118	66-8	D. -138	78-1	J. -238	51-5	D. -366	79-2	J. -234	56-8	D. -283	68-7
Av. 1936: Price \$0-130; Index 73-6				Av. 1936: Price \$0-317; Index 68-6				Av. 1936: Price \$0-265; Index 64-3			
LARD, PURE				EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE				EGGS, GRADE "B"			
Price per pound, in tierces, at Winnipeg				Price per dozen at Winnipeg—average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Toronto—average of weekly prices			
J. -125	66-5	J. -115	61-2	J. -304	72-2	J. -242	57-5	J. -261	64-1	J. -233	57-2
F. -120	63-8	A. -130	69-1	F. -336	79-8	A. -273	64-8	F. -274	67-3	A. -261	64-1
M. -105	55-9	S. -135	71-8	M. -304	72-2	S. -284	67-5	M. -245	60-2	S. -265	65-1
A. -135	71-8	O. -125	66-5	A. -200	47-5	O. -385	91-4	A. -191	46-9	O. -285	70-0
M. -125	66-5	N. -130	69-1	M. -213	50-6	N. —	—	M. -203	49-9	N. -280	71-3
J. -110	58-5	D. -135	71-8	J. -233	55-3	D. -393	93-3	J. -216	53-1	D. -284	69-8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-124; Index 66-0				Av. 1936: Price \$0-295; Index 70-1				Av. 1936: Price \$0-253; Index 62-2			



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## GROUP II—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

EGGS—Continued				EGGS—Continued				EGGS—Concluded			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Winnipeg —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Halifax —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Winnipeg —average of weekly prices			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$259	68.3	J. \$201	53.0	J. \$235	70.6	J. \$200	60.1	J. \$225	74.8	J. \$187	62.1
F. 245	64.6	A. 218	57.5	F. 215	64.6	A. 224	67.3	F. 225	74.8	A. 192	63.8
M. 253	66.8	S. 229	60.4	M. 226	67.9	S. 210	63.1	M. 233	77.4	S. 187	62.1
A. 175	46.2	O. 284	69.7	A. 155	46.5	O. 233	70.0	A. 165	54.8	O. 214	71.1
M. 190	50.1	N. 275	72.6	M. 180	54.0	N. 254	76.3	M. 180	59.8	N. 221	73.4
J. 210	55.4	D. 267	70.4	J. 189	56.7	D. 246	73.9	J. 194	64.5	D. 214	71.1
Av. 1936: Price \$0-235; Index 62.0				Av. 1936: Price \$0-215; Index 64.6				Av. 1936: Price \$0-203; Index 67.4			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Saskatoon —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Saint John —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Saskatoon —average of weekly prices			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 224	60.5	J. 180	48.6	J. 248	72.5	J. 209	61.1	J. 188	62.5	J. 160	53.2
F. 250	67.6	A. 185	50.0	F. 250	73.1	A. 224	65.5	F. 223	74.1	A. 165	54.8
M. 157	42.4	S. 210	56.8	M. 251	73.4	S. 226	66.1	M. 137	45.5	S. 190	63.1
A. 152	41.1	O. 240	64.9	A. 165	48.2	O. 239	69.9	A. 135	44.9	O. 210	69.8
M. 163	44.1	N. 258	69.7	M. 185	54.0	N. 250	73.1	M. 148	49.2	N. 220	73.1
J. 185	50.0	D. 245	66.2	J. 206	60.2	D. 247	72.2	J. 170	56.5	D. 210	69.8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-207; Index 55.9				Av. 1936: Price \$0-227; Index 66.4				Av. 1936: Price \$0-179; Index 59.5			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Calgary —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Montreal —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Calgary —average of weekly prices			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 223	59.6	J. 202	54.0	J. 253	74.9	J. 229	67.8	J. 199	66.6	J. 178	59.5
F. —	—	A. 210	56.1	F. 273	80.8	A. 226	66.9	F. —	—	A. 189	63.2
M. 249	66.6	S. 220	58.8	M. 267	79.0	S. 225	66.6	M. 226	75.6	S. 192	64.2
A. 156	41.7	O. 251	67.1	A. 196	58.0	O. 254	75.1	A. 128	42.8	O. 208	69.6
M. 178	47.6	N. 253	69.0	M. 201	59.5	N. 254	75.1	M. 155	51.8	N. 223	74.6
J. 185	49.5	D. 253	67.6	J. 222	65.7	D. 246	72.8	J. 161	53.8	D. 219	73.2
Av. 1936: Price \$0-218; Index 58.3				Av. 1936: Price \$0-238; Index 70.4				Av. 1936: Price \$0-189; Index 63.2			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Vancouver —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Toronto —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Vancouver —average of weekly prices			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. —	—	J. —	—	J. 249	77.6	J. 220	68.5	J. —	—	J. —	—
F. —	—	A. —	—	F. 260	81.0	A. 235	73.2	F. —	—	A. —	—
M. —	—	S. 267	73.8	M. 232	72.3	S. 228	71.0	M. —	—	S. 180	56.1
A. —	—	O. 288	79.6	A. 181	56.4	O. 249	77.6	A. —	—	O. 199	62.0
M. —	—	N. 310	85.6	M. 193	60.1	N. 250	77.9	M. —	—	N. 200	62.3
J. —	—	D. —	—	J. 206	64.2	D. 249	77.6	J. —	—	D. —	—
Av. 1936: Price \$0-286; Index 79.0				Av. 1936: Price \$0-230; Index 71.7				Av. 1936: Price \$0-192; Index 59.8			

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

RAW COTTON				YARNS AND THREAD				YARNS AND THREAD—Continued			
COTTON, RAW, UPLAND MIDDLING				COTTON THREAD, 6 CORD, 200 YARD SPOOL				COTTON YARN, 10's, WHITE SINGLE, HOSIERY COPS			
Price per pound at New York —monthly average				Price per gross at Montreal				Price per pound, freight paid			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$119	68.0	J. \$131	74.9	J. \$10-080	86.6	J. \$10-200	87.6	J. \$290	78.8	J. \$290	78.8
F. 115	65.8	A. 123	70.3	F. 10-080	86.6	A. 10-200	87.6	F. 290	78.8	A. 300	81.5
M. 114	65.2	S. 123	70.3	M. 10-080	86.6	S. 10-200	87.6	M. 290	78.8	S. 300	81.5
A. 118	67.5	O. 123	70.3	A. 10-080	86.6	O. 10-200	87.6	A. 290	78.8	O. 300	81.5
M. 117	66.9	N. 122	69.8	M. 10-080	86.6	N. 10-200	87.6	M. 290	78.8	N. 300	81.5
J. 120	68.6	D. 128	73.2	J. 10-200	87.6	D. 10-200	87.6	J. 290	78.8	D. 310	84.2
Av. 1936: Price \$0-121; Index 69.2				Av. 1936: Price \$10-150; Index 87.2				Av. 1936: Price \$0-295; Index 80.2			
COTTON, RAW, MIDDLING, 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub> "				COTTON YARN, 24's, HOSIERY, CONES, RING SPUN				COTTON YARN, 20's, WHITE COP			
Price per pound, delivered at Hamilton				Price per pound, f.o.b. mill				Price per pound, f.o.b. works			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 136	70.0	J. 155	79.8	J. 328	—	J. 338	—	J. 323	—	J. 323	—
F. 135	69.5	A. 143	73.6	F. 328	—	A. 348	—	F. 323	—	A. 333	—
M. 133	68.5	S. 143	73.6	M. 328	—	S. 348	—	M. 323	—	S. 333	—
A. 138	71.1	O. 142	73.1	A. 328	—	O. 348	—	A. 323	—	O. 333	—
M. 136	70.0	N. 140	72.1	M. 328	—	N. 348	—	M. 323	—	N. 333	—
J. 140	72.1	D. 147	75.7	J. 328	—	D. 368	—	J. 323	—	D. 353	—
Av. 1936: Price \$0-141; Index 72.6				Av. 1936: Price \$0-339				Av. 1936: Price \$0-329			

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

YARNS AND THREAD —Concluded				COTTON FABRICS—Continued				COTTON FABRICS—Concluded			
COTTON YARN, 30's, WHITE COP				DRESS GINGHAM, 6.50-7.75 YARDS TO THE POUND				FLANNELETTE, BLEACHED 4.50 YARDS TO THE POUND			
Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per pound, f.o.b. mill			
Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index	
J. \$-340 —	J. \$-340 —			J. .797 \$73.4	J. .797 73.4			J. \$.473 66.0	J. \$.461 64.4		
F. .340 —	A. .360 —			F. .797 73.4	A. .843 77.6			F. .473 66.0	A. .475 66.2		
M. .340 —	S. .360 —			M. .797 73.4	S. .843 77.6			M. .473 66.0	S. .475 66.2		
A. .390 —	O. .360 —			A. .797 73.4	O. .843 77.6			A. .473 66.0	O. .475 66.2		
M. .340 —	N. .360 —			M. .797 73.4	N. .843 77.6			M. .461 64.3	N. .475 66.2		
J. .340 —	D. .380 —			J. .797 73.4	D. .843 77.6			J. .461 64.3	D. .475 66.2		
Av. 1936: Price \$0-350				Av. 1936: Price \$0-816; Index 75-1				Av. 1936: Price \$0-471; Index 65-7			
COTTON FABRICS				APRON GINGHAM, 4-20 YARDS TO THE POUND				FLANNELETTE, BLEACHED 5-75 YARDS TO THE POUND			
COTTONADES, 8 OUNCE CLOTH, 2 YARDS TO THE POUND				Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per pound, f.o.b. mill			
Price per pound, f.o.b. works											
J. .415 71.2	J. .398 68.3			J. .704 88.2	J. .704 88.2			J. .489 66.4	J. .474 64.4		
F. .415 71.2	A. .413 70.9			F. .704 88.2	A. .704 88.2			F. .489 66.4	A. .488 66.3		
M. .415 71.2	S. .413 70.9			M. .704 88.2	S. .704 88.2			M. .489 66.4	S. .488 66.3		
A. .415 71.2	O. .413 70.9			A. .704 88.2	O. .704 88.2			A. .489 66.4	O. .488 66.3		
M. .415 71.2	N. .413 70.9			M. .704 88.2	N. .704 88.2			M. .474 64.4	N. .488 66.3		
J. .398 68.3	D. .413 70.9			J. .704 88.2	D. .704 88.2			J. .474 64.4	D. .488 66.3		
Av. 1936: Price \$0-411; Index 70.6				Av. 1936: Price \$0-704; Index 88.2				Av. 1936: Price \$0-485; Index 65.9			
DENIM, BLACK, 2-40 YARDS TO THE POUND				COTTON BLANKETS, 12 x 4 (3½ pounds per pair)				NAPPED SHEETING, 72" UNBLEACHED AND COLOURED			
Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per pound, f.o.b. mill			
Price Index		Price Index									
J. .405 75.4	J. .393 73.2			J. .476 88.1	J. .476 88.1			J. .425 72.8	J. .350 59.9		
F. .405 75.4	A. .408 76.0			F. .476 88.1	A. .490 90.7			F. .425 72.8	A. .369 63.2		
M. .405 75.4	S. .408 76.0			M. .476 88.1	S. .490 90.7			M. .373 64.7	S. .369 63.2		
A. .405 75.4	O. .408 76.0			A. .476 88.1	O. .490 90.7			A. .369 63.2	O. .369 63.2		
M. .405 75.4	N. .408 76.0			M. .476 88.1	N. .490 90.7			M. .350 59.9	N. .369 63.2		
J. .393 73.2	D. .408 76.0			J. .476 88.1	D. .490 90.7			J. .350 59.9	D. .369 63.2		
Av. 1936: Price \$0-404; Index 75.2				Av. 1936: Price \$0-482; Index 89.2				Av. 1936: Price \$0-374; Index 64.0			
DENIM, BLUE, 2-20 YARDS TO THE POUND				PILLOW COTTON, 42" WIDE				GREY COTTON, R.14			
Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per yard, f.o.b. mill				Price per yard, f.o.b. mill			
Price Index		Price Index									
J. .391 68.6	J. .377 66.1			J. .226 —	J. .215 —			J. .095 74.1	J. .093 72.8		
F. .391 68.6	A. .391 68.6			F. .226 —	A. .215 —			F. .095 74.1	A. .099 77.2		
M. .391 68.6	S. .391 68.6			M. .226 —	S. .215 —			M. .095 74.1	S. .099 77.2		
A. .391 68.6	O. .391 68.6			A. .226 —	O. .215 —			A. .095 74.1	O. .099 77.2		
M. .391 68.6	N. .391 68.6			M. .226 —	N. .225 —			M. .095 74.1	N. .099 77.2		
J. .377 66.1	D. .391 68.6			J. .226 —	D. .225 —			J. .095 74.1	D. .099 77.2		
Av. 1936: Price \$0-389; Index 68.2				Av. 1936: Price \$0-222				Av. 1936: Price \$0-097; Index 75.6			
TICKING, 2-00 YARDS TO THE POUND				WIDE COTTON DUCK, 60", No. 1				BLEACHED COTTON, U.32			
Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per yard, in rolls of approximately 100 yards, freight paid				Price per yard, f.o.b. mill			
Price Index		Price Index									
J. .420 69.4	J. .430 71.1			J. .960 —	J. .960 —			J. .095 89.5	J. .093 87.0		
F. .420 69.4	A. .430 71.1			F. .960 —	A. .960 —			F. .095 89.5	A. .094 88.0		
M. .430 71.1	S. .430 71.1			M. .960 —	S. .960 —			M. .095 89.5	S. .094 88.0		
A. .430 71.1	O. .430 71.1			A. .960 —	O. .960 —			A. .095 89.5	O. .094 88.0		
M. .430 71.1	N. .430 71.1			M. .960 —	N. .960 —			M. .095 89.5	N. .094 88.0		
J. .430 71.1	D. .430 71.1			J. .960 —	D. 1.008 —			J. .095 89.5	D. .096 90.0		
Av. 1936: Price \$0-428; Index 70.7				Av. 1936: Price \$0-964				Av. 1936: Price \$0-095; Index 89.5			
SHEETING, 4-00 YARDS TO THE POUND				PRINT				COTTON SHEETING, No. 320			
Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per yard, f.o.b. mill				Price per yard, f.o.b. mill			
Price Index		Price Index									
J. .580 84.1	J. .590 85.5			J. .125 88.6	J. .125 88.6			J. .224 78.0	J. .218 75.0		
F. .580 84.1	A. .590 85.5			F. .125 88.6	A. .125 88.6			F. .224 78.0	A. .223 77.0		
M. .590 85.5	S. .590 85.5			M. .125 88.6	S. .128 90.7			M. .224 78.0	S. .223 77.0		
A. .590 85.5	O. .590 85.5			A. .125 88.6	O. .128 90.7			A. .224 78.0	O. .223 77.0		
M. .590 85.5	N. .590 85.5			M. .125 88.6	N. .128 90.7			M. .224 78.0	N. .223 77.0		
J. .590 85.5	D. .590 85.5			J. .125 88.6	D. .130 92.1			J. .224 78.0	D. .223 77.0		
Av. 1936: Price \$0-588; Index 85.2				Av. 1936: Price \$0-126; Index 89.3				Av. 1936: Price \$0-224; Index 78.0			
FLANNELETTE, 5-00 YARDS TO THE POUND				GINGHAM, CANADIAN, 6-37 YARDS TO THE POUND				KNIT GOODS			
Price per pound, f.o.b. works				Price per yard at Toronto				MEN'S COTTON UNDERWEAR, BALBRIGGAN			
Price Index		Price Index						Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (to wholesale trade)			
J. .506 66.1	J. .488 63.7			J. .145 86.3	J. .150 89.2			J. 3-600 80.0	J. 3-600 80.0		
F. .506 66.1	A. .513 67.0			F. .145 86.3	A. .153 94.0			F. 3-600 80.0	A. 3-600 80.0		
M. .506 66.1	S. .513 67.0			M. .145 86.3	S. .153 94.0			M. 3-600 80.0	S. 3-600 80.0		
A. .506 66.1	O. .513 67.0			A. .145 86.3	O. .153 94.0			A. 3-600 80.0	O. 3-600 80.0		
M. .488 63.7	N. .513 67.0			M. .150 89.2	N. .153 94.0			M. 3-600 80.0	N. 3-600 80.0		
J. .488 63.7	D. .513 67.0			J. .150 89.2	D. .153 94.0			J. 3-600 80.0	D. 3-600 80.0		
Av. 1936: Price \$0-504; Index 65.8				Av. 1936: Price \$0-152; Index 90.4				Av. 1936: Price \$3-600; Index 80.0			

GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued  
Prices in Dollars

**KNIT GOODS—Concluded**

**MEN'S COTTON COMBINATIONS, 2 THREAD**

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Price Index	Price Index
\$9-750 — J. \$9-750 —	
9-750 — A. 9-750 —	
9-750 — S. 9-750 —	
9-750 — O. 9-750 —	
9-750 — N. 9-750 —	
9-750 — D. 9-750 —	

Av. 1936: Price \$9-750

**MEN'S COTTON COMBINATIONS, 34-44**

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill  
(to wholesale trade)

7-350 — J. 7-350 —
7-350 — A. 7-350 —
7-350 — S. 7-350 —
7-350 — O. 7-350 —
7-350 — N. 7-350 —
7-350 — D. 7-350 —

Av. 1936: Price \$7-350

**SASH CORD, No. 8**

Price per pound to wholesale jobbers,  
freight paid in Eastern Canada

372 93-5 J. 372 93-5
372 93-5 A. 372 93-5
372 93-5 S. 372 93-5
372 93-5 O. 372 93-5
372 93-5 N. 372 93-5
372 93-5 D. 372 93-5

Av. 1936: Price \$0-372; Index 93-5

**MISCELLANEOUS FIBRE PRODUCTS**

**NEN THREAD, 3 CORD, BEST QUALITY, 100 YARD SPOOLS, NOS. 25-70**

Price per dozen spools, f.o.b. Montreal

1-000 101-1 J. 1-026 103-7
1-000 101-1 A. 1-026 103-7
1-000 101-1 S. 1-026 103-7
1-000 101-1 O. 1-026 103-7
1-000 101-1 N. 1-026 103-7
1-026 103-7 D. 1-026 103-7

Av. 1936: Price \$1-015; Index 102-6

**RAW JUTE, FIRST MARKS**

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Kitchener

4-750 60-8 J. 4-250 54-4
4-750 60-8 A. 4-250 54-4
4-750 60-8 S. 4-250 59-2
4-750 60-8 O. 4-625 59-2
4-750 60-8 N. 4-625 59-2
4-750 60-8 D. 4-625 59-2

Av. 1936: Price \$4-625; Index 59-2

**SEALIN, 10½ OUNCES, 40 INCHES WIDE**

Price per 100 yards, f.o.b. Montreal

5-500 48-6 J. 5-000 44-2
5-500 48-6 A. 5-000 44-2
5-500 48-6 S. 4-800 42-4
5-000 44-2 O. 4-800 42-4
5-000 44-2 N. 4-800 42-4
5-000 44-2 D. 4-800 42-4

Av. 1936: Price \$5-058; Index 44-7

**MANILA HEMP, 12½ PER CENT, FAIR CURRENT**

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

0-090 60-8 J. 0-084 56-8
0-091 61-5 A. 0-085 57-4
0-089 60-1 S. 0-084 56-8
0-086 58-1 O. 0-082 55-4
0-084 56-8 N. 0-082 55-4
0-083 56-1 D. 0-087 58-8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-086; Index 58-1

**MISCELLANEOUS FIBRE PRODUCTS—Concluded**

**MEXICAN SISAL**

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

J. \$0-061 67-9	J. \$0-064 71-3
F. 0-061 67-9	A. 0-064 71-3
M. 0-061 67-9	S. 0-064 71-3
A. 0-062 69-0	O. 0-064 71-3
M. 0-063 70-2	N.* 0-064 71-3
J. 0-063 70-2	D.* 0-064 71-3

Av. 1936: Price \$0-063; Index 70-2  
\*Nominal.

**BINDER TWINE, SISAL, 500 FEET**

Price per pound—20,000 pounds or more  
f.o.b. delivery points (Ontario)

J. 0-064 48-6	J. 0-074 56-1
F. 0-064 48-6	A. 0-074 56-1
M. 0-064 48-6	S. 0-074 56-1
A. 0-074 56-1	O. 0-074 56-1
M. 0-074 56-1	N. 0-074 56-1
J. 0-074 56-1	D. 0-074 56-1

Av. 1936: Price \$0-072; Index 54-6

**BEST MANILA ROPE, ½ INCH BASIS**

Price per pound, f.o.b. factory

J. 0-185 68-0	J. 0-185 68-0
F. 0-185 68-0	A. 0-185 68-0
M. 0-185 68-0	S. 0-185 68-0
A. 0-185 68-0	O. 0-185 68-0
M. 0-185 68-0	N. 0-185 68-0
J. 0-185 68-0	D. 0-185 68-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-185; Index 68-0

**HUCK TOWELLING (LINEN) 18 INCHES**

Price per yard, f.o.b. Toronto

J. 0-400 —	J. 0-430 —
F. 0-400 —	A. 0-430 —
M. 0-400 —	S. 0-430 —
A. 0-400 —	O. 0-430 —
M. 0-430 —	N. 0-430 —
J. 0-430 —	D. 0-430 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-420

**JUTE BAGS**

Price per thousand, net at factory

J. 106-250 —	J. 91-750 —
F. 97-000 —	A. 91-750 —
M. 97-000 —	S. 87-500 —
A. 89-000 —	O. 87-500 —
M. 89-000 —	N. 87-500 —
J. 91-750 —	D. 87-500 —

Av. 1936: Price \$91-958

**BURLAP BAGS**

Price per thousand, net at factory

J. 102-750 —	J. 86-250 —
F. 94-500 —	A. 86-250 —
M. 94-500 —	S. 77-000 —
A. 82-500 —	O. 77-000 —
M. 82-500 —	N. 77-000 —
J. 86-250 —	D. 77-000 —

Av. 1936: Price \$85-292

**RAW SILK**

**RAW SILK, SPECIAL GRAND, XX, 85 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER**

Price per pound, New York basis

J. 2-130 —	J. 1-797 —
F. 1-899 —	A. 1-882 —
M. 1-878 —	S. 1-809 —
A. 1-825 —	O. 1-905 —
M. 1-713 —	N. 2-127 —
J. 1-677 —	D. 2-148 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-897

**RAW SILK—Continued**

**RAW SILK, GRAND, XX, 83 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER**

Price per pound, New York basis

J. \$2-079 —	J. \$1-764 —
F. 1-871 —	A. 1-825 —
M. 1-858 —	S. 1-757 —
A. 1-807 —	O. 1-847 —
M. 1-693 —	N. 2-037 —
J. 1-642 —	D. 2-056 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-851

**RAW SILK, SPECIAL CRACK, XX, 81 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER**

Price per pound, New York basis

J. 2-034 —	J. 1-735 —
F. 1-829 —	A. 1-812 —
M. 1-818 —	S. 1-747 —
A. 1-761 —	O. 1-834 —
M. 1-633 —	N. 2-032 —
J. 1-604 —	D. 2-028 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-821

**RAW SILK, CRACK, XX, 78 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER**

Price per pound, New York basis

J. 1-989 —	J. 1-717 —
F. 1-791 —	A. 1-732 —
M. 1-778 —	S. 1-717 —
A. 1-727 —	O. 1-802 —
M. 1-613 —	N. 1-998 —
J. 1-583 —	D. 1-998 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-789

**RAW SILK, XX, 73 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER**

Price per pound, New York basis

J. 1-974 —	J. 1-689 —
F. 1-771 —	A. 1-765 —
M. 1-748 —	S. 1-697 —
A. 1-570 —	O. 1-784 —
M. 1-603 —	N. 1-980 —
J. 1-560 —	D. 1-978 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-759

**RAW SILK, SPECIAL GRAND, XX, 85 PER CENT, 20/22 DENIER**

Price per pound, New York basis

J. 2-069 —	J. 1-757 —
F. 1-887 —	A. 1-777 —
M. 1-870 —	S. 1-677 —
A. 1-770 —	O. 1-777 —
M. 1-663 —	N. 2-001 —
J. 1-649 —	D. 2-012 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-825

**RAW SILK, GRAND, XX, 83 PER CENT, 20/22 DENIER**

Price per pound, New York basis

J. 2-027 —	J. 1-729 —
F. 1-852 —	A. 1-724 —
M. 1-829 —	S. 1-658 —
A. 1-722 —	O. 1-757 —
M. 1-603 —	D. 1-966 —
J. 1-618 —	D. 1-967 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-786

**RAW SILK, SPECIAL CRACK, XX, 81 PER CENT, 20/22 DENIER**

Price per pound, New York basis

J. 1-998 —	J. 1-706 —
F. 1-810 —	A. 1-703 —
M. 1-797 —	S. 1-638 —
A. 1-692 —	O. 1-737 —
M. 1-573 —	N. 1-938 —
J. 1-591 —	D. 1-937 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-758



## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## RAW SILK—Concluded

RAW SILK, CRACK XX,  
78 PER CENT, 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York Basis

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$1-983 —	J. \$1-672 —
F. 1-791 —	A. 1-688 —
M. 1-774 —	S. 1-618 —
A. 1-668 —	O. 1-717 —
M. 1-553 —	N. 1-917 —
J. 1-570 —	D. 1-915 —

Av. 1936: Price \$1-743

## SILK THREAD AND YARN

SILK, SPOOL, 50 YARDS, LETTER "A"

Price per dozen spools, f.o.b. Montreal,  
Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver

J. -600	66-7	J. -610	67-8
F. -600	66-7	A. -610	67-8
M. -600	66-7	S. -610	67-8
A. -600	66-7	O. -610	67-8
M. -600	66-7	N. -610	67-8
J. -600	66-7	D. -610	67-8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-605; Index 67-2

SILK, MACHINE TWIST, 16 OUNCE

Price per pound, f.o.b. Montreal,  
Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver

J. 9-250	62-0	J. 9-250	62-0
F. 9-250	62-0	A. 9-250	62-0
M. 9-250	62-0	S. 9-250	62-0
A. 9-250	62-0	O. 9-250	62-0
M. 9-250	62-0	N. 9-250	62-0
J. 9-250	62-0	D. 9-250	62-0

Av. 1936: Price \$9-250; Index 62-0

## SILK HOSIERY

MEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY,  
MERCERIZED TOP, HEEL AND TOEPrice per dozen pairs (to retail dealer),  
f.o.b. mill

J. 5-850	75-5	J. 5-900	76-1
F. 5-850	75-5	A. 5-900	76-1
M. 5-850	75-5	S. 5-900	76-1
A. 5-850	75-5	O. 5-900	76-1
M. 5-900	76-1	N. 5-900	76-1
J. 5-900	76-1	D. 5-900	76-1

Av. 1936: Price \$5-883; Index 75-9

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs (to retail trade),  
f.o.b. mill

J. 6-400 —	J. 5-950 —
F. 5-900 —	A. 5-800 —
M. 5-900 —	S. 5-800 —
A. 5-900 —	O. 5-800 —
M. 5-950 —	N. 5-800 —
J. 5-950 —	D. 5-800 —

Av. 1936: Price \$5-913

## SILK FABRICS

CREPE DE CHINE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

J. -475 —	J. -450 —
F. -475 —	A. -450 —
M. -475 —	S. -450 —
A. -475 —	O. -450 —
M. -450 —	N. -450 —
J. -450 —	D. -450 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-458

## SILK FABRICS—Concluded

FLAT CREPE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$-550 —	J. \$-500 —
F. -550 —	A. -500 —
M. -550 —	S. -500 —
A. -550 —	O. -500 —
M. -550 —	N. -500 —
J. -500 —	D. -500 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-521

GEORGETTE, 3 THREAD

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

J. -650 —	J. -625 —
F. -650 —	A. -625 —
M. -650 —	S. -625 —
A. -650 —	O. -625 —
M. -650 —	N. -625 —
J. -625 —	D. -625 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-635

FAILLE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

J. -900 —	J. -900 —
F. -900 —	A. -900 —
M. -900 —	S. -900 —
A. -900 —	O. -900 —
M. -900 —	N. -900 —
J. -900 —	D. -900 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-900

ARTIFICIAL SILK AND ITS  
PRODUCTSRAYON YARN, 150 DENIER,  
"A" QUALITY, BRIGHT, IN SKEINS,  
36 FILAMENTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

J. -600 —	J. -570 —
F. -600 —	A. -570 —
M. -600 —	S. -570 —
A. -600 —	O. -570 —
M. -570 —	N. -570 —
J. -570 —	D. -570 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-580

RAYON YARN, 100 DENIER, 40 FILA-  
MENTS, BRIGHT

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill

J. -725 —	J. -700 —
F. -725 —	A. -700 —
M. -725 —	S. -700 —
A. -725 —	O. -700 —
M. -700 —	N. -700 —
J. -700 —	D. -700 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-708

WOMEN'S ARTIFICIAL SILK HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs (to retail trade),  
f.o.b. mill

J. 2-350	58-8	J. 2-350	58-8
F. 2-350	58-8	A. 2-350	58-8
M. 2-350	58-8	S. 2-350	58-8
A. 2-350	58-8	O. 2-350	58-8
M. 2-350	58-8	N. 2-350	58-8
J. 2-350	58-8	D. 2-350	58-8

Av. 1936: Price \$2-350; Index 58-8

WOOL AND ITS PRODUCTS—  
RAW WOOLEASTERN WOOL, BRIGHT, LOW, MEDIUM  
OR 1/2 BLOOD, STAPLE OR 50'sPrice per pound (quantities of 20,  
pounds or more), f.o.b. Ontario

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$-190 62-1	J. \$-210 68-
F. -200 65-4	A. -210 68-
M. -205 67-0	S. -210 68-
A. -200 65-4	O. -210 68-
M. -195 63-7	N. -220 71-
J. -200 65-4	D. -245 80-

Av. 1936: Price \$0-208; Index 68-0

WESTERN WOOL, DOMESTIC, SEMI-  
BRIGHT, MEDIUM OR 3/8 BLOOD,  
STAPLE OR 56's.Price per pound (quantities of 20,000lb  
or more), f.o.b. Ontario

J. -190 64-1	J. -200 67-
F. -200 67-4	A. -200 67-
M. -200 67-4	S. -210 70-
A. -210 70-8	O. -210 70-
M. -190 64-1	N. -210 70-
J. -200 67-4	D. -230 77-

Av. 1936: Price \$0-204; Index 68-8

WESTERN WOOL, RANGE, SEMI-BRIGHT,  
FINE MEDIUM OR 1/2 BLOOD, STAPLE OR  
58's-60's.Price per pound (quantities of 20,000lb  
or more), f.o.b. Weston

J. -200 63-3	J. -220 69-
F. -210 66-5	A. -220 69-
M. -210 66-5	S. -220 69-
A. -210 66-5	O. -220 69-
M. -200 63-3	N. -210 66-
J. -210 66-5	D. -240 76-

Av. 1936: Price \$0-214; Index 67-8

## YARNS

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, MEDIUM,  
2/36-56's QUALITY

Price per pound delivered

J. 1-000 90-5	J. 1-014 91-
F. 1-005 91-0	A. 1-012 91-
M. 1-002 90-7	S. 1-020 92-
A. 1-002 90-7	O. -986 89-
M. 1-002 90-7	N. 1-004 90-
J. 1-014 91-8	D. 1-067 90-

Av. 1936: Price \$1-011; Index 91-5

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE,  
2/24-58's

Price per pound, delivered

J. -950 —	J. -962 —
F. -954 —	A. -961 —
M. -951 —	S. -968 —
A. -951 —	O. -935 —
M. -951 —	N. -954 —
J. -963 —	D. 1-017 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-960

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE,  
2/24-60's

Price per pound, delivered

J. -986 —	J. -998 —
F. -990 —	A. -997 —
M. -987 —	S. 1-004 —
A. -986 —	O. -971 —
M. -987 —	N. -974 —
J. -999 —	D. 1-037 —

Av. 1936: Price \$0-993

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## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

### YARNS—Continued

#### WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, MEDIUM, 2/36-58's QUALITY

Price per pound delivered

Price	Index	Price	Index
\$1.104	91.6	J. \$1.117	92.7
1.108	92.0	A. 1.116	92.6
1.104	91.6	S. 1.124	93.3
1.104	91.6	O. 1.086	90.1
1.105	91.7	N. 1.104	91.6
1.118	92.8	D. 1.168	96.9

Av. 1936: Price \$1.113; Index 92.4

#### WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE, 2/45's-64's

Price per pound delivered

1.155	75.2	J. 1.169	76.1
1.159	75.4	A. 1.167	75.9
1.156	75.2	S. 1.175	76.5
1.155	75.2	O. 1.137	74.0
1.156	75.2	N. 1.134	73.8
1.170	76.1	D. 1.198	78.0

Av. 1936: Price \$1.161; Index 75.6

#### WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, 4 PLY 8's, 46's

Price per pound (to jobbers),  
f.o.b. mill

.750	91.4	J. .750	91.4
.750	91.4	A. .750	91.4
.750	91.4	S. .700	85.3
.750	91.4	O. .700	85.3
.750	91.4	N. .775	94.4
.750	91.4	D. .775	94.4

Av. 1936: Price \$0.746; Index 90.9

#### MEN'S WOOLLEN HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs, f.o.b. mill

2.850	86.2	J. 3.000	90.7
3.000	90.7	A. 3.000	90.7
3.000	90.7	S. 3.000	90.7
3.000	90.7	O. 3.000	90.7
3.000	90.7	N. 3.000	90.7
3.000	90.7	D. 3.000	90.7

Av. 1936: Price \$2.988; Index 90.3

#### MEN'S CASHMERE HALF HOSE

Price per dozen pairs,  
f.o.b. mill

4.150	—	J. 4.150	—
4.150	—	A. 4.150	—
4.150	—	S. 4.150	—
4.150	—	O. 4.150	—
4.150	—	N. 4.150	—
4.150	—	D. 4.150	—

Av. 1936: Price \$4.150

#### MEN'S KNITTED WOOLLEN UNDERWEAR

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

1.750	84.5	J. 15.100	86.5
1.750	84.5	A. 15.100	86.5
1.750	84.5	S. 15.100	86.5
1.750	84.5	O. 15.100	86.5
1.750	84.5	N. 15.100	86.5
1.750	84.5	D. 15.100	86.5

1936: Price \$14.954; Index 85.7

### YARNS—Concluded

#### MEN'S WOOLLEN COMBINATIONS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$31.000	—	J. \$31.000	—
F. 31.000	—	A. 31.000	—
M. 31.000	—	S. 31.000	—
A. 31.000	—	O. 31.000	—
M. 31.000	—	N. 31.000	—
J. 31.000	—	D. 31.000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$31.000

#### MEN'S WOOLLEN SHIRTS AND DRAWERS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

J. 20.000	—	J. 20.000	—
F. 20.000	—	A. 20.000	—
M. 20.000	—	S. 20.000	—
A. 20.000	—	O. 20.000	—
M. 20.000	—	N. 20.000	—
J. 20.000	—	D. 20.000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$20.000

### BLANKETS

#### WOOL BLANKETS, WHITE, BLEACHED, SUPER QUALITY

Price per pound, f.o.b. Lachute,  
Quebec

J. .780	79.6	J. .780	79.6
F. .780	79.6	A. .780	79.6
M. .780	79.6	S. .780	79.6
A. .780	79.6	O. .780	79.6
M. .780	79.6	N. .780	79.6
J. .780	79.6	D. .980	100.0

Av. 1936: Price \$0.797; Index 81.3

### WOOLLEN CLOTH

FINE GRADE CLOTH, 66's Top, 15½ oz.,  
57"/58" PER YARD

Price per yard (to jobbers),  
f.o.b. mill

J. 1.750	80.9	J. 1.650	76.3
F. 1.750	80.9	A. 1.650	76.3
M. 1.750	80.9	S. 1.600	74.0
A. 1.750	80.9	O. 1.600	74.0
M. 1.750	80.9	N. 1.650	76.3
J. 1.750	80.9	D. 1.700	78.6

Av. 1936: Price \$1.696; Index 78.4

#### COARSER GRADE CLOTH, 50's Top, 13½ oz., 58" PER YARD

Price per yard (to jobbers),  
f.o.b. mill

J. 1.050	87.4	J. 1.100	91.5
F. 1.050	87.4	A. 1.100	91.5
M. 1.050	87.4	S. 1.100	91.5
A. 1.050	87.4	O. 1.100	91.5
M. 1.100	91.5	N. 1.100	91.5
J. 1.100	91.5	D. 1.150	95.7

Av. 1936: Price \$1.088; Index 90.5

### WOOLLEN CLOTH—Concluded

#### BOTANY SERGE, 16-17 oz., 56" to 57", COLD WATER SHRUNK

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$1.800	70.8	J. \$1.850	72.8
F. 1.800	70.8	A. 1.850	72.8
M. 1.850	72.8	S. 1.850	72.8
A. 1.850	72.8	O. 1.850	72.8
M. 1.850	72.8	N. 1.850	72.8
J. 1.850	72.8	D. 1.950	76.7

Av. 1936: Price \$1.850; Index 72.8

#### BOTANY SERGE, 13-14 oz., 55" to 56", COLD WATER SHRUNK

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill

J. 1.600	79.6	J. 1.675	83.4
F. 1.600	79.6	A. 1.675	83.4
M. 1.675	83.4	S. 1.675	83.4
A. 1.675	83.4	O. 1.675	83.4
M. 1.675	83.4	N. 1.675	83.4
J. 1.675	83.4	D. 1.775	88.4

Av. 1936: Price \$1.671; Index 83.2

### FLANNEL, WHITE, 32"

Price per yard at Toronto

J. .650	—	J. .650	—
F. .650	—	A. .650	—
M. .650	—	S. .650	—
A. .650	—	O. .650	—
M. .650	—	N. .650	—
J. .650	—	D. .650	—

Av. 1936: Price \$0.650

#### SUITING, FANCY WORSTED, 13 oz. PER YARD

Price per yard, f.o.b. factory

J. 1.800	—	J. 1.850	—
F. 1.800	—	A. 1.850	—
M. 1.850	—	S. 1.850	—
A. 1.850	—	O. 1.850	—
M. 1.850	—	N. 1.850	—
J. 1.850	—	D. 1.900	—

Av. 1936: Price \$1.846

### CARPETS

#### CARPET, WILTON, 9' x 12'

Price to jobbers, f.o.b. factory

J. 40.300	—	J. 38.800	—
F. 40.300	—	A. 38.800	—
M. 40.300	—	S. 38.800	—
A. 40.300	—	O. 36.000	—
M. 38.800	—	N. 36.000	—
J. 38.800	—	D. 40.000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$38.933

#### CARPET, AXMINSTER, 9' x 12'

Price to jobbers, f.o.b. factory

J. 25.760	92.4	J. 25.760	92.4
F. 25.760	92.4	A. 25.760	92.4
M. 25.760	92.4	S. 25.760	92.4
A. 25.760	92.4	O. 25.760	92.4
M. 25.760	92.4	N. 25.760	92.4
J. 25.760	92.4	D. 25.760	92.4

Av. 1936: Price \$25.760; Index 92.4

## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER

Prices in Dollars

## NEWSPRINT PAPER

## NEWSPRINT PAPER ROLLS

Price per 100 pounds, carloads, net,  
f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
J.	\$1-708	52-6	J.	\$1-710	52-6
F.	1-712	52-7	A.	1-709	52-6
M.	1-718	52-9	S.	1-709	52-6
A.	1-713	52-7	O.	1-708	52-6
M.	1-714	52-7	N.	1-709	52-6
J.	1-711	52-6	D.	1-711	52-6

Av. 1936: Price \$1-711; Index 52-6

## WRAPPING PAPER, MANILA No. 1

Price per 100 pounds, carloads, net,  
f.o.b. mill

J.	5-400	82-9	J.	5-400	82-9
F.	5-400	82-9	A.	5-400	82-9
M.	5-400	82-9	S.	5-400	82-9
A.	5-400	82-9	O.	5-400	82-9
M.	5-400	82-9	N.	5-400	82-9
J.	5-400	82-9	D.	5-400	82-9

Av. 1936: Price \$5-400; Index 82-9

## LUMBER

CANADIAN WHITE PINE  
(PINUS STROBUS), "C" SELECTS  
AND BETTER, 1" THICKPrice per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

J.	80-000	69-6	J.	80-000	69-6
F.	80-000	69-6	A.	80-000	69-6
M.	80-000	69-6	S.	80-000	69-6
A.	80-000	69-6	O.	80-000	69-6
M.	80-000	69-6	N.	80-000	69-6
J.	80-000	69-6	D.	80-000	69-6

Av. 1936: Price \$80-000; Index 69-6

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 1 CUTS,  
6/4 x 6 AND UP, 10/16Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
delivered to retail trade

J.	95-000	—	J.	95-000	—
F.	95-000	—	A.	95-000	—
M.	95-000	—	S.	95-000	—
A.	95-000	—	O.	95-000	—
M.	95-000	—	N.	100-000	—
J.	95-000	—	D.	100-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$95-833

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 2 CUTS,  
6/4 x 6 AND UP, 10/16Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
delivered to retail trade

J.	72-000	—	J.	75-000	—
F.	72-000	—	A.	75-000	—
M.	75-000	—	S.	75-000	—
A.	75-000	—	O.	75-000	—
M.	75-000	—	N.	80-000	—
J.	75-000	—	D.	80-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$75-333

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 1 AND 2  
COMMON, 1 x 8, 8/16Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
delivered to retail trade

J.	45-000	—	J.	45-000	—
F.	45-000	—	A.	45-000	—
M.	45-000	—	S.	45-000	—
A.	45-000	—	O.	45-000	—
M.	45-000	—	N.	45-000	—
J.	45-000	—	D.	45-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$45-000

## LUMBER—Continued

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 3  
COMMON, 1 x 8, 6/16Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
delivered to retail trade

	Price	Index		Price	Index
J.	\$31-000	—	J.	\$32-000	—
F.	31-000	—	A.	32-000	—
M.	32-000	—	S.	32-000	—
A.	32-000	—	O.	32-000	—
M.	32-000	—	N.	34-000	—
J.	32-000	—	D.	34-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$32-167

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 4 COMMON,  
1 x 4/9, 6/16Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
delivered to retail trade

J.	27-000	—	J.	27-000	—
F.	27-000	—	A.	27-000	—
M.	27-000	—	S.	27-000	—
A.	27-000	—	O.	27-000	—
M.	27-000	—	N.	28-000	—
J.	27-000	—	D.	28-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$27-167

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 5 COMMON,  
1 x 4/9, 6/16Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
delivered to retail trade

J.	23-000	—	J.	24-000	—
F.	23-000	—	A.	24-000	—
M.	24-000	—	S.	24-000	—
A.	24-000	—	O.	24-000	—
M.	24-000	—	N.	24-000	—
J.	24-000	—	D.	24-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$23-833

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 6 COMMON,  
1 x 4 AND UP, 6/16Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
delivered to retail trade

J.	18-000	—	J.	19-000	—
F.	14-000	—	A.	19-000	—
M.	19-000	—	S.	19-000	—
A.	19-000	—	O.	19-000	—
M.	19-000	—	N.	20-000	—
J.	19-000	—	D.	21-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$19-083

## WHITE PINE LATH, No. 1

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill

J.	6-000	59-8	J.	7-250	72-2
F.	6-500	64-7	A.	7-250	72-2
M.	6-500	64-7	S.	7-250	72-2
A.	6-500	64-7	O.	7-250	72-2
M.	7-250	72-2	N.	7-250	72-2
J.	7-250	72-2	D.	7-250	72-2

Av. 1936: Price \$6-958; Index 69-3

## SPRUCE LATH (MARITIME), No. 1, 1½" x 4"

Price per thousand, f.o.b. mill, carlots

J.	2-250	44-3	J.	3-250	64-0
F.	2-250	44-3	A.	3-250	64-0
M.	2-250	44-3	S.	3-250	64-0
A.	2-250	44-3	O.	3-750	73-8
M.	3-000	59-1	N.	3-750	73-8
J.	3-250	64-0	D.	3-000	59-1

Av. 1936: Price \$2-958; Index 58-2

## LUMBER—Continued

## SPRUCE LATH (QUEBEC), No. 1, 1½" x 4"

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill

	Price	Index		Price	Index
J.	\$3-750	56-2	J.	\$4-250	63-7
F.	3-750	56-2	A.	4-250	63-7
M.	3-750	56-2	S.	4-250	63-7
A.	3-750	56-2	O.	4-500	67-1
M.	3-750	56-2	N.	4-750	71-1
J.	4-250	63-7	D.	4-750	71-1

Av. 1936: Price \$4-146; Index 62-1

SPRUCE DEALS (QUEBEC), 2" x 4", 8-16"  
(PIS 25/32 OR P2S 3/4)Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b.  
cars, Montreal

J.	25-500	89-1	J.	25-500	89-1
F.	25-500	89-1	A.	25-500	89-1
M.	25-500	89-1	S.	25-500	89-1
A.	25-500	89-1	O.	26-000	90-1
M.	25-500	89-1	N.	27-000	94-1
J.	25-500	89-1	D.	27-000	94-1

Av. 1936: Price \$25-792; Index 90-1

SPRUCE (QUEBEC), 3" x 8", 8/16"  
(PIS 25/32 OR P2S 3/4)Price per thousand board feet,  
f.o.b. cars, Montreal

J.	31-500	89-0	J.	32-000	90-0
F.	31-500	89-0	A.	32-000	90-0
M.	31-500	89-0	S.	32-000	90-0
A.	31-500	89-0	O.	32-000	90-0
M.	31-500	89-0	N.	33-000	93-0
J.	32-000	90-4	D.	33-000	93-0

Av. 1936: Price \$31-958; Index 90-3

MERCHANTABLE SAWN SPRUCE DEALS  
3" x 6" AND UNDERPrice per thousand board feet, f.o.  
mill

J.	15-000	68-6	J.	19-000	80-0
F.	15-000	68-6	A.	20-000	81-0
M.	15-000	68-6	S.	21-000	80-0
A.	17-000	77-7	O.	22-500	102-0
M.	18-000	82-3	N.	22-500	102-0
J.	18-000	82-3	D.	22-500	102-0

Av. 1936: Price \$18-792; Index 85-9

MERCHANTABLE SPRUCE SCANTLING  
(MARITIME) 2" x 3" TO 2" x 6"Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

J.	13-500	61-4	J.	14-500	65-0
F.	13-000	59-1	A.	14-500	65-0
M.	13-000	59-1	S.	14-500	65-0
A.	12-500	56-8	O.	16-500	75-0
M.	12-500	56-8	N.	16-500	75-0
J.	12-500	56-8	D.	17-500	79-0

Av. 1936: Price \$14-250; Index 64-8

MERCHANTABLE SPRUCE SCANTLING  
(MARITIME) 2" x 7" AND UPPrice per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

J.	16-000	66-7	J.	17-000	70-0
F.	15-500	64-6	A.	17-000	70-0
M.	15-500	64-6	S.	17-000	70-0
A.	15-000	62-5	O.	19-000	73-0
M.	15-000	62-5	N.	19-000	73-0
J.	15-000	62-5	D.	20-000	83-0

Av. 1936: Price \$16-750; Index 69-3



GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Continued

Prices in Dollars

LUMBER—Continued				LUMBER—Continued				LUMBER—Concluded			
MAPLE, HARD, 4/4, FIRSTS AND SECONDS, DRY				No. 1 COMMON FIR TIMBER, 6" x 6" TO 12" x 12", 12' / 40'				BRITISH COLUMBIA CEDAR CEDAR BOARDS, No. 1 COMMON, 1" x 8"-10"			
Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$60-000	—	J. \$60-000	—	J. \$16-000	89-1	J. \$16-500	91-9	J. \$15-000	85-1	J. \$17-000	96-5
F. 60-000	—	A. 60-000	—	F. 18-000	100-2	A. 17-000	94-7	F. 17-000	96-5	A. 17-000	96-5
M. 60-000	—	S. 60-000	—	M. 18-000	100-2	S. 17-000	94-7	M. 17-000	96-5	S. 17-000	96-5
A. 60-000	—	O. 65-000	—	A. 18-000	100-2	O. 17-000	94-7	A. 17-000	96-5	O. 17-000	96-5
M. 60-000	—	N. 65-000	—	M. 18-000	100-2	N. 17-000	94-7	M. 17-000	96-5	N. 17-000	96-5
J. 60-000	—	D. 65-000	—	J. 16-500	91-9	D. 17-000	94-7	J. 17-000	96-5	D. 17-000	96-5
Av. 1936: Price \$61-250				Av. 1936: Price \$17-167; Index 95-6				Av. 1936: Price \$16-833; Index 95-5			
MAPLE, SOFT, No. 1, COMMON AND BETTER				CLEAR FIR, No. 1 AND 2, 1" x 6", D4S				COMMON CEDAR SHIP LAP, No. 1, 1" x 8"			
Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto			
J. 40-000	80-0	J. 40-000	80-0	J. 51-000	—	J. 49-250	—	J. 28-500	—	J. 29-000	—
F. 40-000	80-0	A. 40-000	80-0	F. 51-000	—	A. 49-250	—	F. 28-500	—	A. 29-000	—
M. 40-000	80-0	S. 40-000	80-0	M. 48-250	—	S. 49-250	—	M. 29-000	—	S. 28-500	—
A. 40-000	80-0	O. 45-000	90-0	A. 48-250	—	O. 49-250	—	A. 29-000	—	O. 28-500	—
M. 40-000	80-0	N. 45-000	90-0	M. 48-250	—	N. 49-250	—	M. 29-000	—	N. 28-500	—
J. 40-000	80-0	D. 45-000	90-0	J. 49-250	—	D. 50-000	—	J. 29-000	—	D. 28-250	—
Av. 1936: Price \$41-250; Index 82-5				Av. 1936: Price \$49-354				Av. 1936: Price \$29-146			
OAK, RED, PLAIN, FIRSTS AND SECONDS				FIR DROP SIDING, 1" x 6", No. 2 AND BETTER				CEDAR BEVEL SIDING, 3" x 6"			
Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill			
J. 75-000	67-9	J. 75-000	67-9	J. 28-000	96-6	J. 28-000	96-6	J. 28-000	85-5	J. 30-000	91-6
F. 75-000	67-9	A. 75-000	67-9	F. 30-000	103-4	A. 28-000	96-6	F. 30-000	91-6	A. 30-000	91-6
M. 75-000	67-9	S. 75-000	67-9	M. 30-000	103-4	S. 27-000	93-1	M. 30-000	91-6	S. 30-000	91-6
A. 75-000	67-9	O. 78-000	70-6	A. 30-000	103-4	O. 27-000	93-1	A. 30-000	91-6	O. 30-000	91-6
M. 75-000	67-9	N. 78-000	70-6	M. 30-000	103-4	N. 27-000	93-1	M. 30-000	91-6	N. 30-000	91-6
J. 75-000	67-9	D. 78-000	70-6	J. 28-000	96-6	D. 25-000	86-2	J. 30-000	91-6	D. 30-000	91-6
Av. 1936: Price \$75-750; Index 68-6				Av. 1936: Price \$28-167; Index 97-1				Av. 1936: Price \$29-833; Index 91-1			
BIRCH, COMMON AND BETTER				FIR FLOORING, 1" x 4", No. 1 AND 2, FLAT GRAIN				CLEAR CEDAR BUNGALOW SIDING 3" x 10", 8'-18'			
Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto			
J. 52-000	85-0	J. 52-000	85-0	J. 22-000	84-6	J. 23-000	88-5	J. 58-000	—	J. 56-750	—
F. 52-000	85-0	A. 52-000	85-0	F. 22-000	84-6	A. 23-000	88-5	F. 58-000	—	A. 56-750	—
M. 52-000	85-0	S. 52-000	85-0	M. 22-000	84-6	S. 21-500	82-7	M. 56-750	—	S. 56-750	—
A. 52-000	85-0	O. 56-000	91-6	A. 23-000	88-5	O. 19-500	75-0	A. 56-750	—	O. 58-750	—
M. 52-000	85-0	N. 56-000	91-6	M. 23-000	88-5	N. 19-500	75-0	M. 56-750	—	N. 58-750	—
J. 52-000	85-0	D. 56-000	91-6	J. 23-000	88-5	D. 24-000	92-3	J. 56-750	—	D. 58-750	—
Av. 1936: Price \$53-000; Index 86-7				Av. 1936: Price \$22-208; Index 85-4				Av. 1936: Price \$57-625			
HEMLOCK, 2", MILL RUN				CLEAR FIR CASING, No. 1 AND 2, 1" x 5"				CEDAR SHINGLES, XXX, No. 1			
Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill			
J. 19-000	76-0	J. 19-000	76-0	J. 59-250	—	J. 59-750	—	J. 3-000	94-5	J. 3-000	94-5
F. 19-000	76-0	A. 19-000	76-0	F. 59-250	—	A. 59-750	—	F. 3-000	94-5	A. 3-000	94-5
M. 19-000	76-0	S. 19-000	76-0	M. 58-750	—	S. 59-750	—	M. 3-000	94-5	S. 3-000	94-5
A. 19-000	76-0	O. 19-000	76-0	A. 58-750	—	O. 59-750	—	A. 3-000	94-5	O. 3-000	94-5
M. 19-000	76-0	N. 19-000	76-0	M. 58-750	—	N. 59-750	—	M. 3-000	94-5	N. 2-750	89-6
J. 19-000	76-0	D. 19-000	76-0	J. 59-750	—	D. 62-500	—	J. 3-000	94-5	D. 2-750	89-6
Av. 1936: Price \$19-000; Index 76-0				Av. 1936: Price \$59-646				Av. 1936: Price \$2-960; Index 93-2			
HEMLOCK, 2" CULLS				FIR DIMENSION, S'S/E OR S4S, 2" x 4", 12'-14', No. 1 BASE				WOOD PULP			
Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill				SULPHITE PULP, UNBLEACHED NEWSGRADE			
J. 13-000	69-0	J. 14-000	74-3	J. 13-500	90-8	J. 14-500	97-5	J. 35-560	68-8	J. 35-770	69-2
F. 14-000	74-3	A. 14-000	74-3	F. 15-500	104-2	A. 15-000	100-8	F. 35-520	68-7	A. 36-350	70-3
M. 14-000	74-3	S. 14-000	74-3	M. 15-500	104-2	S. 15-000	100-8	M. 35-550	68-8	S. 37-850	73-2
A. 14-000	74-3	O. 14-000	74-3	A. 15-500	104-2	O. 15-000	100-8	M. 35-850	69-3	O. 37-850	73-2
M. 14-000	74-3	N. 14-000	74-3	M. 15-500	104-2	N. 15-000	100-8	M. 35-795	69-2	N. 37-223	72-0
J. 14-000	74-3	D. 14-000	74-3	J. 14-500	97-5	D. 15-000	100-8	J. 35-780	69-2	D. 37-228	72-0
Av. 1936: Price \$13-917; Index 73-9				Av. 1936: Price \$14-958; Index 100-6				Av. 1936: Price \$36-361; Index 70-3			
No. 1 COMMON FIR TIMBER, 3" x 4" TO 4" x 12", 12' / 40'				GROUNDWOOD PULP No. 1				Price per ton, f.o.b. mill			
Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill				Price per ton, f.o.b. mill				Price per ton, f.o.b. mill			
J. 16-000	92-8	J. 16-500	95-7	J. 20-485	69-0	J. 20-016	67-5	J. 20-485	69-0	J. 20-016	67-5
F. 18-000	104-3	A. 17-000	98-6	F. 20-099	67-7	A. 19-997	67-4	F. 20-099	67-7	A. 19-997	67-4
M. 18-000	104-3	S. 17-000	98-6	M. 20-018	67-5	S. 20-019	67-5	M. 20-018	67-5	S. 20-019	67-5
A. 18-000	104-3	O. 17-000	98-6	A. 19-674	66-3	O. 20-139	67-9	A. 19-674	66-3	O. 20-139	67-9
M. 18-000	104-3	N. 17-000	98-6	M. 19-630	66-2	N. 20-387	68-7	M. 19-630	66-2	N. 20-387	68-7
J. 16-500	95-7	D. 17-000	98-6	J. 20-000	67-4	O. 20-717	69-8	J. 20-000	67-4	O. 20-717	69-8
Av. 1936: Price \$17-167; Index 99-5				Av. 1936: Price \$20-098; Index 67-7							

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## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

WOOD PULP—Concluded				MATCHES				FURNITURE (COMPOSITE)			
SULPHITE PULP, BLEACHED FOR PAPER MAKING				MATCHES, SILENT 3's, NON-POISONOUS				Price Index			
Price per ton, f.o.b. mill				Price per case net, inclusive of sales and excise taxes, freight allowed in Ontario and Quebec.				Price Index			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$53-000	66-3	J. \$53-000	66-3	J. \$8-680	76-2	J. \$8-875	77-9	J.	—	J.	—
F. 53-000	66-3	A. 53-000	66-3	F. 8-680	76-2	A. 8-875	77-9	F.	—	A.	—
M. 53-000	66-3	S. 53-000	66-3	M. 8-680	76-2	S. 8-875	77-9	M.	—	S.	—
A. 53-000	66-3	O. 53-000	66-3	A. 8-680	76-2	O. 8-875	77-9	A.	—	O.	—
M. 53-000	66-3	N. 53-000	66-3	M. 8-875	77-9	N. 8-875	77-9	M.	—	N.	—
J. 53-000	66-3	D. 53-000	66-3	J. 8-875	77-9	D. 8-875	77-9	J.	—	D.	—
Av. 1936: Price \$53-000; Index 66-3				Av. 1936: Price \$8-810; Index 77-4				Av. 1936: Index 69-5			

## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

PIG IRON AND STEEL BILLETS				ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS— Continued				ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS —Continued			
PIG IRON, FOUNDRY No. 1				STEEL RAILS, OPEN HEARTH				IRON BOILER PLATE, ½ INCH			
Price per gross ton, carlots, f.o.b. sellers' works				Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant				Price per pound, net, f.o.b. Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$20-500	80-6	J. \$20-500	80-6	J. \$43-000	90-0	J. \$43-000	90-0	J. \$.033	—	J. \$.033	—
F. 20-500	80-6	A. 20-500	80-6	F. 43-000	90-0	A. 43-000	90-0	F. .033	—	A. .033	—
M. 20-500	80-6	S. 20-500	80-6	M. 43-000	90-0	S. 43-000	90-0	M. .033	—	S. .033	—
A. 20-500	80-6	O. 20-500	80-6	A. 43-000	90-0	O. 43-000	90-0	A. .033	—	O. .033	—
M. 20-500	80-6	N. 20-500	80-6	M. 43-000	90-0	N. 43-000	90-0	M. .033	—	N. .034	—
J. 20-500	80-6	D. 21-500	84-5	J. 43-000	90-0	D. 45-000	94-2	J. .033	—	D. .034	—
Av. 1936: Price \$20-583; Index 80-9				Av. 1936: Price \$43-167; Index 90-3				Av. 1936: Price \$0-033			
PIG IRON, STANDARD, MALLEABLE				STEEL TANK PLATES				GALVANIZED CORRUGATED IRON SHEETS, No. 28			
Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant				Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. mill, Pittsburgh				Price per 100 square feet, f.o.b. destination			
J. 19-000	83-2	J. 19-000	83-2	J. 1-801	94-8	J. 1-902	100-1	J. 4-850	—	J. 5-100	—
F. 19-000	83-2	A. 19-000	83-2	F. 1-797	94-6	A. 1-900	100-0	F. 4-850	—	A. 5-100	—
M. 19-000	83-2	S. 19-000	83-2	M. 1-801	94-8	S. 1-900	100-0	M. 4-850	—	S. 5-100	—
A. 19-000	83-2	O. 19-000	83-2	A. 1-811	95-3	O. 1-900	100-0	A. 5-000	—	O. 5-100	—
M. 19-000	83-2	N. 19-000	83-2	M. 1-805	95-0	N. 1-896	99-8	M. 5-100	—	N. 5-100	—
J. 19-000	83-2	D. 20-000	87-6	J. 1-804	94-9	D. 1-973	103-8	J. 5-100	—	D. 5-500	—
Av. 1936: Price \$19-083; Index 83-6				Av. 1936: Price \$1-858; Index 97-8				Av. 1936: Price \$5-063			
STEEL BILLETS, MILD, 4" x 4" AND LARGER				LIGHT COLD ROLLED SHEETS, No. 20, U.S.G.				HOT ROLLED AND ANNEALED STEEL SHEETS, No. 24 U.S.G.			
Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant				Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. mill, Pittsburgh				Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal (sales tax extra)			
J. 34-000	89-5	J. 34-000	89-5	J. 2-952	68-7	J. 3-054	71-1	J. 3-400	87-8	J. 3-500	90-4
F. 34-000	89-5	A. 34-000	89-5	F. 2-944	68-5	A. 3-050	71-0	F. 3-500	90-4	A. 3-600	93-0
M. 34-000	89-5	S. 34-000	89-5	M. 2-951	68-7	S. 3-050	71-0	M. 3-500	90-4	S. 3-600	93-0
A. 34-000	89-5	O. 34-000	89-5	A. 2-969	69-1	O. 3-050	71-0	A. 3-500	90-4	O. 3-600	93-0
M. 34-000	89-5	N. 34-000	89-5	M. 2-958	68-9	N. 3-044	70-9	M. 3-500	90-4	N. 3-650	94-3
J. 34-000	89-5	D. 36-000	94-7	J. 2-956	68-8	D. 3-246	75-6	J. 3-500	90-4	D. 3-650	94-3
Av. 1936: Price \$34-167; Index 89-9				Av. 1936: Price \$3-019; Index 70-3				Av. 1936: Price \$3-542; Index 91-5			
ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS				STRUCTURAL SHAPES, OPEN HEARTH				HOT ROLLED AND ANNEALED STEEL SHEETS, No. 10 U.S.G.			
STEEL BARS, RE-INFORCING CONCRETE, HARD GRADE				Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. plant				Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal (sales tax extra)			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2-150	91-5	J. 2-150	91-5	J. 2-000	93-0	J. 2-000	93-0	J. 3-250	87-6	J. 3-250	87-6
F. 2-150	91-5	A. 2-150	91-5	F. 2-000	93-0	A. 2-000	93-0	F. 3-250	87-6	A. 3-250	87-6
M. 2-150	91-5	S. 2-150	91-5	M. 2-000	93-0	S. 2-000	93-0	M. 3-250	87-6	S. 3-250	87-6
A. 2-150	91-5	O. 2-150	91-5	A. 2-000	93-0	O. 2-000	93-0	A. 3-250	87-6	O. 3-250	87-6
M. 2-150	91-5	N. 2-150	91-5	M. 2-000	93-0	N. 2-000	93-0	M. 3-250	87-6	N. 3-400	91-0
J. 2-150	91-5	D. 2-300	97-9	J. 2-000	93-0	D. 2-150	100-0	J. 3-250	87-6	D. 3-400	91-0
Av. 1936: Price \$2-163; Index 92-0				Av. 1936: Price \$2-013; Index 93-6				Av. 1936: Price \$3-275; Index 88-3			
MILD STEEL, MERCHANT BARS				STEEL SHEETS, GALVANIZED, No. 24 U.S.G.				TINPLATE, STANDARD COKE			
Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. plant				Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal (sales tax extra)				Price per box of 100 pounds base f.o.b. Montreal, carlots (sales tax extra)			
J. 2-250	91-8	J. 2-250	91-8	J. 4-150	84-5	J. 4-150	84-5	J. 6-100	110-6	J. 6-100	110-6
F. 2-250	91-8	A. 2-250	91-8	F. 4-150	84-5	A. 4-150	84-5	F. 6-100	110-6	A. 6-100	110-6
M. 2-250	91-8	S. 2-250	91-8	M. 4-150	84-5	S. 4-150	84-5	M. 6-100	110-6	S. 6-100	110-6
A. 2-250	91-8	O. 2-250	91-8	A. 4-150	84-5	O. 4-150	84-5	A. 6-100	110-6	O. 6-100	110-6
M. 2-250	91-8	N. 2-250	91-8	M. 4-150	84-5	N. 4-150	84-5	M. 6-100	110-6	N. 6-100	110-6
J. 2-250	91-8	D. 2-400	98-0	J. 4-150	84-5	D. 4-250	86-5	J. 6-100	110-6	D. 6-100	110-6
Av. 1936: Price \$2-263; Index 92-4				Av. 1936: Price \$4-158; Index 84-4				Av. 1936: Price \$6-100; Index 110-6			

GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS —Concluded—				OTHER HARDWARE				OTHER HARDWARE—Concluded			
STEEL SHEETS, BLACK, No. 10 GAUGE				WASH TUBS, EMBOSSED WRINGER REST, DROP HANDLES, No. 1				WIRE CLOTH, PAINTED SCREEN, BLACK 12 MESH, No. 33 GAUGE			
Price per 100 pounds, at Montreal				Price per dozen, Eastern Canada				Price per 100 square feet, f.o.b. Hamilton			
Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index	
J. \$3-400 —	J. \$3-400 —			J. \$10-820 84-7	J. \$11-040 86-5			J. \$1-850 90-8	J. \$1-850 90-8		
F. 3-400 —	A. 3-550 —			F. 10-820 84-7	A. 11-040 86-5			F. 1-850 90-8	A. 1-850 90-8		
M. 3-400 —	S. 3-550 —			M. 10-820 84-7	S. 11-040 86-5			M. 1-850 90-8	S. 1-850 90-8		
A. 3-400 —	O. 3-550 —			A. 10-820 84-7	O. 11-040 86-5			A. 1-850 90-8	O. 1-850 90-8		
M. 3-400 —	N. 3-550 —			M. 11-040 86-5	N. 11-040 86-5			M. 1-850 90-8	N. 1-850 90-8		
J. 3-400 —	D. 3-550 —			J. 11-040 86-5	D. 11-320 88-7			J. 1-850 90-8	D. 1-850 90-8		
Av. 1936: Price \$3-463				Av. 1936: Price \$10-990; Index 86-1				Av. 1936: Price \$1-850; Index 90-8			
OPEN HEARTH STEEL TANK PLATES 1" AND HEAVIER IN THICKNESS				PAIIS, HOT GALVANIZED STANDARD, No. 12				WIRE NAILS, BASE			
Price per 100 pounds at Montreal				Price per dozen, Eastern Canada				Price per keg, carlots, f.o.b. works (sales tax extra)			
J. 3-150 —	J. 3-150 —			J. 3-520 77-5	J. 3-590 79-1			J. 2-700 83-0	J. 2-700 83-0		
F. 3-150 —	A. 3-150 —			F. 3-520 77-5	A. 3-590 79-1			F. 2-700 83-0	A. 2-700 83-0		
M. 3-150 —	S. 3-150 —			M. 3-520 77-5	S. 3-590 79-1			M. 2-700 83-0	S. 2-700 83-0		
A. 3-150 —	O. 3-150 —			A. 3-520 77-5	O. 3-590 79-1			A. 2-700 83-0	O. 2-700 83-0		
M. 3-150 —	N. 3-150 —			M. 3-520 77-5	N. 3-590 79-1			M. 2-700 83-0	N. 2-700 83-0		
J. 3-150 —	D. 3-250 —			J. 3-590 79-1	D. 3-680 81-1			J. 2-700 83-0	D. 2-850 87-6		
Av. 1936: Price \$3-158				Av. 1936: Price \$3-574; Index 78-7				Av. 1936: Price \$2-713; Index 83-4			
PIPE				WOOD SCREWS, 1", No. 6, BRIGHT STEEL, F.H.				Price per gross, Eastern Canada			
CAST IRON PIPE 4"				BOILERS, (RANGE), 30 GALLON STANDARD				J. .163 87-2	J. .155 82-9		
Price per net ton, f.o.b. plant (sales tax extra)				Net price, Eastern Canada				F. .163 87-2	A. .155 82-9		
J. 48-000 87-3	J. 50-000 90-9			J. 7-650 80-6	J. 7-650 80-6			M. .163 87-2	S. .155 82-9		
F. 48-000 87-3	A. 50-000 90-9			F. 7-650 80-6	A. 7-650 80-6			A. .163 87-2	O. .162 86-6		
M. 48-000 87-3	S. 50-000 90-9			M. 7-650 80-6	S. 7-650 80-6			M. .163 87-2	N. .162 86-6		
A. 50-000 90-9	O. 50-000 90-9			A. 7-500 79-0	O. 7-650 80-6			J. .155 82-9	D. .162 86-6		
M. 50-000 90-9	N. 50-000 90-9			M. 7-650 80-6	N. 7-650 80-6			Av. 1936: Price \$0-160; Index 85-6			
J. 50-000 90-9	D. 53-000 96-4			J. 7-650 80-6	D. 7-650 80-6			STEEL THUMB LATCHES, No. 2, JAPANNED, IN CARBONS			
Av. 1936: Price \$49-750; Index 90-5				Av. 1936: Price \$7-638; Index 80-5				Price per dozen, f.o.b. Montreal			
STEEL PIPE, BUTTWELD BLACK 1"				CHAIN 1/2" BRIGHT COIL, FIREWELDED, PROOF				J. 1-251 79-2	J. 1-210 76-6		
Price per foot at factory, Quebec				Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. factory				F. 1-251 79-2	A. 1-210 76-6		
.068 83-3	J. .068 83-3			J. 8-550 96-6	J. 8-550 96-6			M. 1-060 67-1	S. 1-210 76-6		
F. .068 83-3	A. .068 83-3			F. 8-550 96-6	A. 8-550 96-6			A. 1-060 67-1	O. 1-210 76-6		
M. .068 83-3	S. .068 83-3			M. 8-550 96-6	S. 8-550 96-6			M. 1-210 76-6	N. 1-210 76-6		
A. .068 83-3	O. .068 83-3			A. 8-550 96-6	O. 8-550 96-6			J. 1-210 76-6	D. 1-210 76-6		
M. .068 83-3	N. .068 83-3			M. 8-550 96-6	N. 8-550 96-6			Av. 1936: Price \$1-192; Index 75-4			
F. .068 83-3	D. .068 83-3			J. 8-550 96-6	D. 8-550 96-6			BRIGHT STEEL SAFETY HAERPS, SOLID STAPLE, No. 900 x 4 1/2			
Av. 1936: Price \$0-068; Index 83-3				Av. 1936: Price \$8-550; Index 96-6				Price per dozen, f.o.b. Montreal			
HARDWARE				MACHINE BOLTS, 7/16" DIAMETER, 8" LONG				J. .636 78-6	J. .648 78-1		
HAMMERS, PLAIN FACE, 1 POUND				Price per 100 pounds in 200 pound packages, Eastern Canada				F. .636 78-6	A. .648 78-1		
Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (freight allowed to Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal)				J. 4-200 —	J. 4-200 —			M. .636 78-6	S. .648 78-1		
10-720 79-4	J. 10-720 79-4			F. 4-200 —	A. 4-200 —			A. .636 78-6	O. .648 78-1		
A. 10-720 79-4	A. 10-720 79-4			M. 4-200 —	S. 4-200 —			M. .648 78-1	N. .648 78-1		
M. 10-720 79-4	S. 10-720 79-4			A. 4-200 —	O. 4-200 —			J. .648 78-1	D. .648 78-1		
A. 10-720 79-4	O. 10-720 79-4			M. 4-200 —	N. 4-200 —			Av. 1936: Price \$0-644; Index 77-6			
M. 10-720 79-4	N. 10-720 79-4			J. 4-200 —	D. 4-200 —			FLAT BARN DOOR TRACK, STEEL, 1 1/2" x 3/16"			
J. 10-720 79-4	D. 10-720 79-4			Av. 1936: Price \$12-010; Index 80-1				Price per 100 feet, f.o.b. Montreal			
CHOPPING AXES, STANDARD				SQUARE NUTS, TAPPED, HOT PRESSED AND FORGED, 11/32" HOLE DIAMETER, 25/32", COMPLETE WIDTH				J. 8-056 96-5	J. 8-208 98-3		
Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (freight allowed to Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal)				Price per 100 pounds, Eastern Canada				F. 8-056 96-5	A. 8-208 98-3		
12-010 80-1	J. 12-010 80-1			J. 10-400 —	J. 10-400 —			M. 8-056 96-5	S. 8-208 98-3		
12-010 80-1	A. 12-010 70-1			F. 10-400 —	A. 10-400 —			A. 8-056 96-5	O. 8-208 98-3		
M. 12-010 80-1	S. 12-010 80-1			M. 10-400 —	S. 10-400 —			M. 8-208 98-3	N. 8-208 98-3		
A. 12-010 80-1	O. 12-010 80-1			A. 10-400 —	O. 10-400 —			J. 8-208 98-3	D. 8-208 98-3		
M. 12-010 80-1	N. 12-010 80-1			M. 10-400 —	N. 10-400 —			Av. 1936: Price \$11-804; Index 80-3			
J. 12-010 80-1	D. 12-010 80-1			J. 10-400 —	D. 10-400 —			SCREEN DOOR HINGES, No. 20			
Av. 1936: Price \$11-500; Index 88-1				Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				Price per gross, f.o.b. Montreal			
PLAIN BACK SHOVELS AND SPADES				Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				J. 12-720 86-5	J. 11-664 79-3		
Price per dozen, Eastern Canada				Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				F. 12-720 86-5	A. 11-664 79-3		
11-500 88-1	J. 11-500 88-1			Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				M. 11-448 77-9	S. 11-664 79-3		
11-500 88-1	A. 11-500 88-1			Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				A. 11-448 77-9	O. 11-664 79-3		
11-500 88-1	S. 11-500 88-1			Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				M. 11-664 79-3	N. 11-664 79-3		
11-500 88-1	O. 11-500 88-1			Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				J. 11-664 79-3	D. 11-664 79-3		
11-500 88-1	N. 11-500 88-1			Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				Av. 1936: Price \$11-804; Index 80-3			
11-500 88-1	D. 11-500 88-1			Av. 1936: Price \$10-400				Av. 1936: Price \$11-804; Index 80-3			



## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

WIRE				SCRAP				SCRAP—Concluded			
WIRE, GALVANIZED, BARRED				SCRAP—HEAVY MELTING STEEL IN CHARGING BOX SIZE (i.e. NOT MORE THAN 5' LONG, NOT WIDER THAN 16" AND NOT LESS THAN 1" IN THICKNESS)				SCRAP—No. 1 MACHINERY, CAST IRON			
Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal				Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada				Price per net ton, delivered at Canadian foundry			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-750	87-2	J. \$3-750	87-2	J. \$10-000	68-9	J. \$10-750	74-0	J. \$10-000	52-2	J. \$10-500	54-8
F. 3-750	87-2	A. 3-750	87-2	F. 10-000	68-9	A. 10-750	74-0	F. 10-000	52-2	A. 10-500	54-8
M. 3-750	87-2	S. 3-750	87-2	M. 10-000	68-9	S. 12-000	82-6	M. 10-000	52-2	S. 10-500	54-8
A. 3-750	87-2	O. 3-750	87-2	A. 10-000	68-9	O. 12-000	82-6	A. 10-000	52-2	O. 10-500	54-8
M. 3-750	87-2	N. 3-750	87-2	M. 11-000	75-8	N. 12-000	82-6	M. 10-500	54-8	N. 10-500	54-8
J. 3-750	87-2	D. 3-800	88-4	J. 10-750	74-0	D. 12-000	82-6	J. 10-500	54-8	D. 11-000	57-4
Av. 1936: Price \$3-754; Index 87-3				Av. 1936: Price \$10-938; Index 75-3				Av. 1936: Price \$10-375; Index 54-1			
WIRE, GALVANIZED, No. 9				SCRAP—HEAVY MELTING STEEL, OVER CHARGING BOX SIZE, (THIS INCLUDES BOILER PLATES, STRUCTURAL STEEL, TANK PLATES AND SIMILAR MATERIAL)				SCRAP—No. 2 MACHINERY, CAST IRON			
Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal				Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada				Price per net ton, delivered at Canadian foundry			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-450	83-1	J. 3-450	83-1	J. 7-500	57-8	J. 8-250	63-6	J. 7-000	41-2	J. 7-500	44-1
F. 3-450	83-1	A. 3-450	83-1	F. 7-500	57-8	A. 8-250	63-6	F. 7-000	41-2	A. 7-500	44-1
M. 3-450	83-1	S. 3-450	83-1	M. 7-500	57-8	S. 9-250	71-3	M. 7-000	41-2	S. 7-500	44-1
A. 3-450	83-1	O. 3-450	83-1	A. 7-500	57-8	O. 9-250	71-3	A. 7-000	41-2	O. 7-500	44-1
M. 3-450	83-1	N. 3-450	83-1	M. 8-500	65-5	N. 9-250	71-3	M. 7-500	44-1	N. 7-500	44-1
J. 3-450	83-1	D. 3-800	91-6	J. 8-250	63-6	D. 9-250	71-3	J. 7-500	44-1	D. 8-000	47-1
Av. 1936: Price \$3-479; Index 83-8				Av. 1936: Price \$8-354; Index 64-4				Av. 1936: Price \$7-375; Index 43-4			
WIRE, ANNEALED, No. 9				SCRAP—TURNINGS AND BORINGS				MISCELLANEOUS			
Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal				Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada				CAR AXLES			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price per ton, f.o.b. plant			
J. 3-500	89-7	J. 3-500	89-7	J. 6-500	52-7	J. 6-500	52-7	J. 76-000	95-0	J. 76-000	95-0
F. 3-500	89-7	A. 3-500	89-7	F. 6-500	52-7	A. 6-500	52-7	F. 76-000	95-0	A. 76-000	95-0
M. 3-500	89-7	S. 3-500	89-7	M. 6-500	52-7	S. 6-500	52-7	M. 76-000	95-0	S. 76-000	95-0
A. 3-500	89-7	O. 3-500	89-7	A. 6-500	52-7	O. 6-500	52-7	A. 76-000	95-0	O. 76-000	95-0
M. 3-500	89-7	N. 3-500	89-7	M. 6-500	52-7	N. 6-500	52-7	M. 76-000	95-0	N. 76-000	95-0
J. 3-500	89-7	D. 3-650	93-6	J. 6-500	52-7	D. 6-500	52-7	J. 76-000	95-0	D. 76-000	95-0
Av. 1936: Price \$3-513; Index 90-1				Av. 1936: Price \$6-500; Index 52-7				Av. 1936: Price \$76-000; Index 95-0			

## GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

ALUMINIUM				COPPER AND ITS PRODUCTS				COPPER AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded			
ALUMINIUM, VIRGIN, 99 PER CENT PLUS				COPPER, ELECTROLYTIC, DOMESTIC				SOLID BARE COPPER WIRE			
Price per pound at New York, monthly average				Price per 100 pounds, carlots f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average				Base price per pound at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$.195	73-9	J. \$.215	81-4	J. \$9-279	58-9	J. \$9-843	62-4	J. \$.143	73-9	J. \$.150	77-5
F. .195	73-9	A. .215	81-4	F. 9-452	59-9	A. 10-117	64-2	F. .143	73-9	A. .153	79-1
M. .195	73-9	S. .215	81-4	M. 9-616	61-0	S. 10-302	65-3	M. .145	74-9	S. .158	81-6
A. .215	81-4	O. .215	81-4	A. 9-760	61-9	O. 10-448	66-3	A. .148	76-5	O. .156	81-6
M. .215	81-4	N. .215	81-4	M. 9-748	61-8	N. 11-000	69-8	M. .150	77-5	N. .165	85-3
J. .215	81-4	D. .215	81-4	J. 9-721	61-7	D. 11-550	73-3	J. .150	77-5	D. .168	88-8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-210; Index 79-5				Av. 1936: Price \$10-070; Index 63-9				Av. 1936: Price \$0-153; Index 79-1			
ALUMINIUM SHEET				COPPER SHEET				BRASS SHEETS, YELLOW (HIGH)			
Price per pound at Toronto				Base price per pound, carlots and less, f.o.b. Montreal				Base price per pound, quantity lots, at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .270	—	J. .290	—	J. .186	91-6	J. .191	94-1	J. .179	86-0	J. .181	87-0
F. .270	—	A. .290	—	F. .186	91-6	A. .196	96-1	F. .179	86-0	A. .181	87-0
M. .270	—	S. .290	—	M. .191	94-1	S. .201	99-0	M. .181	87-0	S. .186	89-4
A. .270	—	O. .290	—	A. .191	94-1	O. .201	99-0	A. .181	87-0	O. .186	89-4
M. .270	—	N. .290	—	M. .191	94-1	N. .209	103-0	M. .181	87-0	N. .194	63-2
J. .270	—	D. .290	—	J. .191	94-1	D. .219	107-9	J. .181	87-0	D. .196	64-2
Av. 1936: Price \$0-280				Av. 1936: Price \$0-196; Index 96-6				Av. 1936: Price \$0-184; Index 88-4			
ANTIMONY				ELECTROLYTIC COPPER WIRE BARS, IMPORTED				BRASS VALVES			
ANTIMONY, CHINESE, 99 PER CENT				Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. New York				Price per valve at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 15-000	88-6	J. 12-750	75-3	J. 9-253	66-1	J. 9-509	68-0	J. 1-616	—	J. 1-454	—
F. 14-500	85-7	A. 12-500	73-9	F. 9-230	66-0	A. 9-750	69-7	F. 1-427	—	A. 1-454	—
M. 15-000	88-6	S. 12-750	75-3	M. 9-253	66-1	S. 9-744	69-6	M. 1-427	—	S. 1-454	—
A. 14-500	85-7	O. 12-750	75-3	A. 9-560	68-3	O. 9-750	69-7	A. 1-427	—	O. 1-454	—
M. 13-750	81-2	N. 12-750	75-3	M. 9-527	68-1	N. 10-487	75-5	M. 1-454	—	N. 1-454	—
J. 13-250	78-3	D. 13-250	78-3	J. 9-518	68-0	D. 10-990	78-6	J. 1-454	—	D. 1-454	—
Av. 1936: Price \$13-563; Index 80-1				Av. 1936: Price \$9-714; Index 69-4				Av. 1936: Price \$1-461			

**GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded**

Prices in Dollars

**LEAD AND ITS PRODUCTS**

**LEAD, DOMESTIC**

Price per 100 pounds, carlots,  
f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average

Index	Price	Index	Price
J. \$4-362	53-5	J. \$4-213	51-7
F. 4-516	55-4	A. 4-412	54-1
M. 4-614	56-6	S. 4-695	57-6
A. 4-368	63-6	O. 4-676	57-3
M. 4-130	50-6	N. 5-384	66-0
J. 4-093	50-2	D. 6-246	76-6

Av. 1916: Price \$4-642; Index 56-9

**LEAD PIPE**

Price per pound net, at Montreal

J. .108	71-6	J. .110	73-0
F. .108	71-6	A. .110	73-0
M. .108	71-6	S. .120	79-6
A. .108	71-6	O. .120	79-6
M. .108	71-6	N. .135	89-6
J. .108	71-6	D. .145	96-2

Av. 1936: Price \$0-116; Index 76-7

**SILVER**

**FINE SILVER**

Price per ounce at New York,  
monthly average

J. .473	76-3	J. .448	72-3
F. .447	72-1	A. .448	72-3
M. .448	72-3	S. .447	72-1
A. .451	72-8	O. .447	72-1
M. .450	72-6	N. .434	70-0
J. .449	72-4	D. .453	73-1

Av. 1936: Price \$0-450; Index 72-6

**TIN INGOTS**

**TIN INGOTS, STRAITS**

Price per pound, f.o.b. Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-528	78-9	J. \$-500	74-7
F. .535	80-0	A. .488	72-9
M. .540	80-7	S. .515	77-0
A. .523	78-2	O. .500	74-7
M. .523	78-2	N. .590	88-2
J. .483	72-2	D. .580	86-7

Av. 1936: Price \$0-525; Index 78-5

**TIN INGOTS, 99-25 PER CENT**

Price per pound in 500 pound lots,  
at Montreal

J. .515	—	J. .455	—
F. .515	—	A. .445	—
M. .525	—	S. .460	—
A. .513	—	O. .468	—
M. .493	—	N. .560	—
J. .465	—	D. .560	—

Av. 1936: Price \$0-498

**ZINC AND ITS PRODUCTS**

ZINC (SPELTER), DOMESTIC, PRIME,  
WESTERN OR G.O.B. GRADES

Price per 100 pounds, carlots,  
f.o.b. Montreal—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4-221	47-8	J. \$3-796	43-0
F. 4-400	49-9	A. 3-807	43-1
M. 4-543	51-5	S. 3-891	44-1
A. 4-235	48-0	O. 3-914	44-4
M. 3-980	45-1	N. 4-388	49-7
J. 3-886	44-0	D. 4-768	54-0

Av. 1936: Price \$4-153; Index 47-1

**ZINC SHEET**

Basic price per pound, in lots of  
10 casks, f.o.b. Montreal

J. .055	65-5	J. .049	58-3
F. .053	63-1	A. .050	59-5
M. .053	63-1	S. .049	58-3
A. .052	61-9	O. .051	60-7
M. .051	60-7	N. .052	61-9
J. .050	59-5	D. .054	64-3

Av. 1936: Price \$0-052; Index 61-9

**SOLDER**

SOLDER, GUARANTEED, 50-50

Price per pound at Toronto

J. .305	78-5	J. .305	78-5
F. .305	78-5	A. .278	71-6
M. .305	78-5	S. .300	77-2
A. .305	78-5	O. .300	77-2
M. .305	78-5	N. .330	84-9
J. .305	78-5	D. .330	84-9

Av. 1936: Price \$0-306; Index 78-8

**GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS**

Prices in Dollars

**CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS**

**BRICK, COMMON PLASTIC, RED**

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant  
(Quebec)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$17-813	107-1	J. \$17-813	107-1
F. 17-813	107-1	A. 17-813	107-1
M. 17-813	107-1	S. 17-813	107-1
A. 17-813	107-1	O. 17-813	107-1
M. 17-813	107-1	N. 17-813	107-1
J. 17-813	107-1	D. 17-813	107-1

Av. 1936: Price \$17-813; Index 107-1

**BRICK, DRY PRESS, No. 1**

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant  
(Quebec)

J. 27-550	90-6	J. 27-550	90-6
F. 27-550	90-6	A. 27-550	90-6
M. 27-550	90-6	S. 27-550	90-6
A. 27-550	90-6	O. 27-550	90-6
M. 27-550	90-6	N. 27-550	90-6
J. 27-550	90-6	D. 27-550	90-6

Av. 1936: Price \$27-550; Index 90-6

**BRICK, SOFT MUD PROCESS, COMMON**

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant  
(Ontario), carlots

J. 19-000	106-4	J. 19-000	106-4
F. 19-000	106-4	A. 19-000	106-4
M. 19-000	106-4	S. 19-000	106-4
A. 19-000	106-4	O. 19-000	106-4
M. 19-000	106-4	N. 19-000	106-4
J. 19-000	106-4	D. 19-000	106-4

Av. 1936: Price \$19-000; Index 106-4

**CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS—Continued**

**BRICK, STIFF MUD PROCESS  
(WIRE CUT), STOCK**

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant  
(Ontario), carlots

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$25-000	103-5	J. \$25-000	103-5
F. 25-000	103-5	A. 25-000	103-5
M. 25-000	103-5	S. 25-000	103-5
A. 25-000	103-5	O. 25-000	103-5
M. 25-000	103-5	N. 25-000	103-5
J. 25-000	103-5	D. 25-000	103-5

Av. 1936: Price \$25-000; Index 103-5

**BRICK, STIFF MUD PROCESS, STOCK No.1**

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant  
(Ontario)

J. 22-500	97-8	J. 22-500	97-8
F. 22-500	97-8	A. 22-500	97-8
M. 22-500	97-8	S. 22-500	97-8
A. 22-500	97-8	O. 22-500	97-8
M. 22-500	97-8	N. 22-500	97-8
J. 22-500	97-8	D. 22-500	97-8

Av. 1936: Price \$22-500; Index 97-8

**BRICK, DRY PRESS, FACE**

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant  
(Ontario), carlots

J. 25-000	108-2	J. 25-000	108-2
F. 25-000	108-2	A. 25-000	108-2
M. 25-000	108-2	S. 25-000	108-2
A. 25-000	108-2	O. 25-000	108-2
M. 25-000	108-2	N. 25-000	108-2
J. 25-000	108-2	D. 25-000	108-2

Av. 1936: Price \$25-000; Index 108-2

**CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS—Continued**

**BRICK, SAND-LIME**

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant  
(Ontario)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$12-000	86-7	J. \$12-000	86-7
F. 12-000	86-7	A. 12-000	86-7
M. 12-000	86-7	S. 12-000	86-7
A. 12-000	86-7	O. 12-000	86-7
M. 12-000	86-7	N. 12-000	86-7
J. 12-000	86-7	D. 12-000	86-7

Av. 1936: Price \$12-000; Index 86-7

**HOLLOW BUILDING TILE, 12" x 12" x 4"**

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant  
(Quebec), carlots

J. 90-000	81-1	J. 75-000	67-6
F. 90-000	81-1	A. 75-000	67-6
M. 90-000	81-1	S. 75-000	67-6
A. 90-000	81-1	O. 75-000	67-6
M. 90-000	81-1	N. 75-000	67-6
J. 90-000	81-1	D. 75-000	67-6

Av. 1936: Price \$82-500; Index 74-3

**STUCCO**

Price per ton, car loads or less,  
mixing plant, Ontario

J. 12-500	—	J. 13-000	—
F. 12-500	—	A. 13-000	—
M. 12-500	—	S. 13-000	—
A. 12-500	—	O. 13-000	—
M. 13-000	—	N. 13-000	—
J. 13-000	—	D. 13-000	—

Av. 1936: Price \$12-833

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL  
PRODUCTS—Continued

## SEWER PIPE, VITRIFIED, 6"

Price per foot at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .150	—	J. \$ .150	—
F. .150	—	A. .150	—
M. .150	—	S. .150	—
A. .150	—	O. .150	—
M. .150	—	N. .150	—
J. .150	—	D. .150	—

Av. 1936: Price \$0.150

## POTTERY

CUPS AND SAUCERS, No. 1 QUALITY  
ENGLISH EARTHENWARE FROM  
OPEN STOCK

Price per dozen at Toronto

J. 1.100	81.5	J. 1.200	88.9
F. 1.100	81.5	A. 1.200	88.9
M. 1.100	81.5	S. 1.200	88.9
A. 1.100	81.5	O. 1.200	88.9
M. 1.100	81.5	N. 1.200	88.9
J. 1.100	81.5	D. 1.200	88.9

Av. 1936: Price \$1.150; Index 85.2

## DINNER SETS, PRINTED

Price per set of 97 pieces at Toronto

J. 14.500	105.3	J. 14.500	105.3
F. 14.500	105.3	A. 14.500	105.3
M. 14.500	105.3	S. 14.500	105.3
A. 14.500	105.3	O. 14.500	105.3
M. 14.500	105.3	N. 14.500	105.3
J. 14.500	105.3	D. 14.500	105.3

Av. 1936: Price \$14.500; Index 105.3

## COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS

COAL, AMERICAN BITUMINOUS,  
RUN OF MINE

Price per net ton, ex yard, Montreal.

J. 5.950	96.1	J. 5.900	95.3
F. 5.950	96.1	A. 5.900	95.3
M. 5.950	96.1	S. 5.900	95.3
A. 5.950	96.1	O. 5.900	95.3
M. 5.900	95.3	N. 5.900	95.3
J. 5.900	95.3	D. 5.900	95.3

Av. 1936: Price \$5.917; Index 95.5

## COAL, AMERICAN BITUMINOUS, SLACK

Price per net ton, ex yard, Montreal

J. 5.250	89.3	J. 5.200	88.4
F. 5.250	89.3	A. 5.200	88.4
M. 5.250	89.3	S. 5.200	88.4
A. 5.250	89.3	O. 5.200	88.4
M. 5.200	88.4	N. 5.200	88.4
J. 5.200	88.4	D. 5.200	88.4

Av. 1936: Price \$5.217; Index 88.7

## COAL, AMERICAN ANTHRACITE, EGG

Price per net ton, f.o.b. Toronto,  
carlots

J. 11.020	91.0	J. 10.240	84.6
F. 11.020	91.0	A. 10.400	85.9
M. 11.020	91.0	S. 10.550	87.1
A. 9.990	82.5	O. 10.710	88.4
M. 9.990	82.5	N. 10.710	88.4
J. 10.140	83.7	D. 10.710	88.4

Av. 1936: Price \$10.542; Index 87.1

COAL, WELSH ANTHRACITE  
No. 1 BUCKWHEATPrice per net ton to dealers, ex yard  
Montreal

J. 8.500	—	J. 8.150	—
F. 8.500	—	A. 8.150	—
M. 8.500	—	S. 8.150	—
A. 8.500	—	O. 8.150	—
M. 8.750	—	N. 8.150	—
J. 8.750	—	D. 8.150	—

Av. 1936: Price \$8.367

COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS  
—Continued

## COAL, WELSH COBBLES

Price per net ton to dealers, ex yard,  
Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$11.500	—	J. \$10.250	—
F. 11.500	—	A. 10.250	—
M. 11.500	—	S. 10.250	—
A. 11.500	—	O. 10.500	—
M. 10.500	—	N. 10.500	—
J. 10.750	—	D. 10.500	—

Av. 1936: Price \$10.792

## COAL, BITUMINOUS

Price for small lots, per net ton,  
f.o.b. mines, Nova Scotia

J. 5.250	86.3	J. 5.250	86.3
F. 5.250	86.3	A. 5.250	86.3
M. 5.250	86.3	S. 5.250	86.3
A. 5.250	86.3	O. 5.250	86.3
M. 5.250	86.3	N. 5.250	86.3
J. 5.250	86.3	D. 5.250	86.3

Av. 1936: Price \$5.250; Index 86.3

COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC  
DOUBLE SCREENEDPrice per net ton at Drumheller,  
Alberta

J. 3.750	77.2	J. 3.750	77.2
F. 3.750	77.2	A. 3.750	77.2
M. 3.750	77.2	S. 3.750	77.2
A. 3.750	77.2	O. 3.750	77.2
M. 3.750	77.2	N. 3.500	72.1
J. 3.750	77.2	D. 3.750	77.2

Av. 1936: Price \$3.729; Index 76.8

## COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, 3" LUMP

Price per net ton, f.o.b. mine,  
Lethbridge, Alberta

J. 4.250	78.2	J. 3.850	70.8
F. 4.250	78.2	A. 3.850	70.8
M. 4.250	78.2	S. 4.250	78.2
A. 4.250	78.2	O. 4.250	78.2
M. 3.850	70.8	N. 4.250	78.2
J. 3.850	70.8	D. 4.250	78.2

Av. 1936: Price \$4.117; Index 75.7

COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, LUMP,  
OVER 4" SCREENEDPrice per net ton, f.o.b. mine,  
Edmonton, Alberta

J. 3.000	83.7	J. 2.850	79.5
F. 3.000	83.7	A. 3.000	83.7
M. 3.000	83.7	S. 3.200	89.3
A. 3.000	83.7	O. 3.200	89.3
M. 3.000	83.7	N. 3.200	89.3
J. 3.000	83.7	D. 3.200	89.3

Av. 1936: Price \$3.054; Index 85.2

## COAL, DOMESTIC, RUN OF MINE

Price per net ton, f.o.b. mines, B.C.

J. 3.750	87.8	J. 3.750	88.7
F. 3.750	87.8	A. 3.750	87.8
M. 3.750	87.8	S. 3.625	84.9
A. 3.750	87.8	O. 3.625	84.9
M. 3.750	87.8	N. 3.625	84.9
J. 3.750	87.8	D. 3.625	84.9

Av. 1936: Price \$3.708; Index 86.8

## COAL, DOMESTIC, SLACK

Price per net ton, f.o.b. mines, B.C.

J. 2.750	74.5	J. 2.750	74.5
F. 2.750	74.5	A. 2.750	74.5
M. 2.750	74.5	S. 2.700	73.2
A. 2.750	74.5	O. 2.700	73.2
M. 2.750	74.5	N. 2.700	73.2
J. 2.750	74.5	D. 2.625	71.1

Av. 1936: Price \$2.727; Index 73.9

COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS  
—Continued

## COAL, HOUSE, LUMP

Price per gross ton, B.C.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$7.250	86.3	J. \$7.250	86.3
F. 7.250	86.3	A. 7.250	86.3
M. 7.250	86.3	S. 7.250	86.3
A. 7.250	86.3	O. 7.250	86.3
M. 7.250	86.3	N. 7.250	86.3
J. 7.250	86.3	D. 7.250	86.3

Av. 1936: Price \$7.250; Index 86.3

## COAL, WASHED, SLACK

Price per gross ton, B.C.

J. 4.500	109.6	J. 4.500	109.6
F. 4.500	109.6	A. 4.500	109.6
M. 4.500	109.6	S. 4.500	109.6
A. 4.500	109.6	O. 4.500	109.6
M. 4.500	109.6	N. 4.500	109.6
J. 4.500	109.6	D. 4.500	109.6

Av. 1936: Price \$4.500; Index 109.6

## COAL TAR, CRUDE

Price per barrel, f.o.b. factory, in  
straight or mixed carlots

J. 10.750	113.2	J. 10.750	113.2
F. 10.750	113.2	A. 10.750	113.2
M. 10.750	113.2	S. 10.750	113.2
A. 10.750	113.2	O. 10.210	107.5
M. 10.750	113.2	N. 10.210	107.5
J. 10.750	113.2	D. 10.210	107.5

Av. 1936: Price \$10.615; Index 111.7

## COKE, METALLURGICAL

Price per ton to Canadian smelters,  
f.o.b. plant, Ontario

J. 7.000	96.6	J. 7.000	96.6
F. 7.000	96.6	A. 7.000	96.6
M. 7.000	96.6	S. 7.000	96.6
A. 7.000	96.6	O. 7.000	96.6
M. 7.000	96.6	N. 7.000	96.6
J. 7.000	96.6	D. 8.500	117.2

Av. 1936: Price \$7.125; Index 98.3

## COKE, METALLURGICAL

Price per ton to Canadian smelters,  
f.o.b. plant, B.C.

J. 5.500	74.3	J. 5.500	74.3
F. 5.500	74.3	A. 5.500	74.3
M. 5.500	74.3	S. 5.500	74.3
A. 5.500	74.3	O. 5.500	74.3
M. 5.500	74.3	N. 5.500	74.3
J. 5.500	74.3	D. 5.500	74.3

Av. 1936: Price \$5.500; Index 74.3

## COKE, BY-PRODUCT, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, Nova Scotia

J. 6.000	88.9	J. 6.000	88.9
F. 6.000	88.9	A. 6.000	88.9
M. 6.000	88.9	S. 6.000	88.9
A. 6.000	88.9	O. 6.000	88.9
M. 6.000	88.9	N. 6.000	88.9
J. 6.000	88.9	D. 6.000	88.9

Av. 1936: Price \$6.000; Index 88.9

## COKE, BY-PRODUCT, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, Ontario

J. 7.000	93.3	J. 7.000	93.3
F. 7.000	93.3	A. 7.000	93.3
M. 7.000	93.3	S. 7.000	93.3
A. 7.000	93.3	O. 7.000	93.3
M. 7.000	93.3	N. 7.000	93.3
J. 7.000	93.3	D. 8.500	113.3

Av. 1936: Price \$7.125; Index 95.0



**GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued**  
 Prices in Dollars

**COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS**  
*—Concluded*
**COKE, FOR DOMESTIC USE**

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, B.C.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$7-250	87-3	J. \$7-250	87-3
F. 7-250	87-3	A. 7-250	87-3
M. 7-250	87-3	S. 7-250	87-3
A. 7-250	87-3	O. 7-250	87-3
M. 7-250	87-3	N. 7-250	87-3
J. 7-250	87-3	D. 7-250	87-3
Av. 1936: Price \$7-250; Index 87-3			

**MANUFACTURED GAS**

Composite price for first 10,000 cubic feet

J. 12-154	98-0	J. 12-154	98-0
F. 12-154	98-0	A. 12-154	98-0
M. 12-154	98-0	S. 12-154	98-0
A. 12-154	98-0	O. 12-154	98-0
M. 12-154	98-0	N. 12-154	98-0
J. 12-154	98-0	D. 12-154	98-0
Av. 1936: Price \$12-154; Index 98-0			

**GLASS AND ITS PRODUCTS**

WINDOW GLASS, 16 oz., 40 U.I.

Price per 100 ft. box at Toronto

J. 3-817	82-3	J. 3-817	78-0
F. 3-817	82-3	A. 3-817	82-3
M. 3-816	78-0	S. 3-817	82-3
A. 3-816	78-0	O. 3-817	82-3
M. 3-816	78-0	N. 3-816	85-6
J. 3-816	78-0	D. 4-588	99-0
Av. 1936: Price \$3-810; Index 82-2			

WINDOW GLASS, 21 oz., 60 U.I.

Price per 100 ft. box at Toronto

J. 8-372	87-5	J. 7-932	92-4
F. 8-372	87-5	A. 8-372	97-5
M. 7-932	92-4	S. 8-372	97-5
A. 7-932	92-4	O. 8-372	97-5
M. 7-932	92-4	N. 8-704	101-4
J. 7-932	92-4	D. 10-064	117-2
Av. 1936: Price \$8-357; Index 97-3			

PLATE GLASS, 3'-4', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

.525	59-1	J. .420	47-3
.525	59-1	A. .547	61-5
.525	59-1	S. .608	68-4
.525	59-1	O. .608	68-4
.525	59-1	N. .608	68-4
.525	59-1	D. .608	68-4
Av. 1936: Price \$0-546; Index 61-4			

PLATE GLASS, 10'-12' SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

.800	61-8	J. .640	49-5
.800	61-8	A. .648	50-1
.800	61-8	S. .720	55-7
.800	61-8	O. .720	55-7
.800	61-8	N. .720	55-7
.800	61-8	D. .720	55-7
Av. 1936: Price \$0-747; Index 57-7			

PLATE GLASS, 25'-50', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

1-006	71-0	J. .805	56-8
1-006	71-0	A. .790	55-7
1-006	71-0	S. .878	61-9
1-006	71-0	O. .878	61-9
1-006	71-0	N. .878	61-9
1-006	71-0	D. .878	61-9
Av. 1936: Price \$0-929; Index 65-5			

**GLASS AND ITS PRODUCTS**  
*—Concluded*
**TUMBLERS, TANK GLASS, OPEN STOCK**

Price per gross at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4-450	97-8	J. \$4-450	97-8
F. 4-450	97-8	A. 4-290	94-3
M. 4-450	97-8	S. 4-290	94-3
A. 4-450	97-8	O. 4-290	94-3
M. 4-450	97-8	N. 4-290	94-3
J. 4-450	97-8	D. 4-290	94-3
Av. 1936: Price \$4-383; Index 96-3			

**PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS**
**CRUDE OIL, MID-CONTINENT**

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Sarnia

J. 2-710	70-2	J. 2-810	72-8
F. 2-810	72-8	A. 2-810	72-8
M. 2-810	72-8	S. 2-810	72-8
A. 2-820	73-1	O. 2-810	72-8
M. 2-820	73-1	N. 2-810	72-8
J. 2-820	73-1	D. 2-810	72-8
Av. 1936: Price \$2-804; Index 72-7			

**CRUDE OIL, SALT CREEK**

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Regina

J. 2-960	74-0	J. 2-960	74-0
F. 2-960	74-0	A. 2-960	74-0
M. 2-960	74-0	S. 2-960	74-0
A. 2-970	74-3	O. 2-960	74-0
M. 2-970	74-3	N. 2-960	74-0
J. 2-970	74-3	D. 2-960	74-0
Av. 1936: Price \$2-963; Index 74-1			

**MOTOR GASOLINE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Halifax

J. .170	60-2	J. .170	60-2
F. .170	60-2	A. .170	60-2
M. .170	60-2	S. .170	60-2
A. .170	60-2	O. .160	56-6
M. .170	60-2	N. .160	56-6
J. .170	60-2	D. .160	56-6
Av. 1936: Price \$0-168; Index 59-5			

**MOTOR GASOLINE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Montreal

J. .115	45-5	J. .135	53-5
F. .135	53-5	A. .135	53-5
M. .135	53-5	S. .135	53-5
A. .135	53-5	O. .125	49-5
M. .135	53-5	N. .125	49-5
J. .135	53-5	D. .125	49-5
Av. 1936: Price \$0-131; Index 51-9			

**MOTOR GASOLINE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Toronto

J. .140	55-4	J. .150	59-4
F. .150	59-4	A. .150	59-4
M. .150	59-4	S. .150	59-4
A. .150	59-4	O. .150	59-4
M. .150	59-4	N. .150	59-4
J. .150	59-4	D. .150	59-4
Av. 1936: Price \$0-149; Index 59-0			

**MOTOR GASOLINE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Winnipeg

J. .217	76-4	J. .212	74-6
F. .222	78-1	A. .212	74-6
M. .222	78-1	S. .212	74-6
A. .222	78-1	O. .212	74-6
M. .222	78-1	N. .212	74-6
J. .222	78-1	D. .212	74-6
Av. 1936: Price \$0-217; Index 76-4			

**PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued**
**MOTOR GASOLINE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Regina

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-230	71-9	J. \$-225	70-3
F. .235	73-4	A. .225	70-3
M. .235	73-4	S. .225	70-3
A. .235	73-4	O. .225	70-3
M. .235	73-4	N. .225	70-3
J. .235	73-4	D. .225	70-3
Av. 1936: Price \$0-230; Index 71-9			

**MOTOR GASOLINE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Calgary

J. .225	76-9	J. .220	75-2
F. .230	78-6	A. .220	75-2
M. .230	78-6	S. .220	75-2
A. .230	78-6	O. .210	71-7
M. .230	78-6	N. .210	71-7
J. .230	78-6	D. .210	71-7
Av. 1936: Price \$0-222; Index 75-8			

**MOTOR GASOLINE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Vancouver

J. .190	96-6	J. .180	91-5
F. .190	96-6	A. .180	91-5
M. .190	96-6	S. .180	91-5
A. .190	96-6	O. .150	76-3
M. .190	96-6	N. .150	76-3
J. .190	96-6	D. .150	76-3
Av. 1936: Price \$0-118; Index 90-2			

**COAL OIL, WATER WHITE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Halifax

J. .195	75-6	J. .195	75-6
F. .195	75-6	A. .195	75-6
M. .195	75-6	S. .195	75-6
A. .195	75-6	O. .185	71-7
M. .195	75-6	N. .185	71-7
J. .195	75-6	D. .185	71-7
Av. 1936: Price \$0-193; Index 74-8			

**COAL OIL, WATER WHITE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Montreal

J. .170	74-6	J. .175	76-8
F. .175	76-8	A. .175	76-8
M. .175	76-8	S. .175	76-8
A. .175	76-8	O. .175	76-8
M. .175	76-8	N. .175	76-8
J. .175	76-8	D. .175	76-8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-175; Index 76-8			

**COAL OIL, WATER WHITE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Toronto

J. .165	72-4	J. .170	74-6
F. .170	74-6	A. .170	74-6
M. .170	74-6	S. .170	74-6
A. .170	74-6	O. .170	74-6
M. .170	74-6	N. .170	74-6
J. .170	74-6	D. .170	74-6
Av. 1936: Price \$0-170; Index 74-6			

**COAL OIL, WATER WHITE**

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Winnipeg

J. .202	80-0	J. .207	82-0
F. .207	82-0	A. .207	82-0
M. .207	82-0	S. .207	82-0
A. .207	82-0	O. .207	82-0
M. .207	82-0	N. .207	82-0
J. .207	82-0	D. .207	82-0
Av. 1936: Price \$0-207; Index 82-0			

## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

<b>PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded</b> <b>COAL OIL, WATER WHITE</b> Price per gallon (tank wagon), Regina <table> <tr> <th>Price</th><th>Index</th><th>Price</th><th>Index</th></tr> <tr> <td>J. \$215</td><td>78.8</td><td>J. \$220</td><td>78.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 220</td><td>78.6</td><td>A. 220</td><td>78.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 220</td><td>78.6</td><td>S. 220</td><td>78.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 220</td><td>78.6</td><td>O. 220</td><td>78.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 220</td><td>78.6</td><td>N. 220</td><td>78.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 220</td><td>78.6</td><td>D. 220</td><td>78.6</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$0.220; Index 78.6				Price	Index	Price	Index	J. \$215	78.8	J. \$220	78.6	F. 220	78.6	A. 220	78.6	M. 220	78.6	S. 220	78.6	A. 220	78.6	O. 220	78.6	M. 220	78.6	N. 220	78.6	J. 220	78.6	D. 220	78.6
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<b>COAL OIL, WATER WHITE</b> Price per gallon (tank wagon), Calgary <table> <tr> <td>J. 210</td><td>79.8</td><td>J. 215</td><td>81.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 215</td><td>81.7</td><td>A. 215</td><td>81.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 215</td><td>81.7</td><td>S. 215</td><td>81.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 215</td><td>81.7</td><td>O. 215</td><td>81.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 215</td><td>81.7</td><td>N. 215</td><td>81.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 215</td><td>81.7</td><td>D. 215</td><td>81.7</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$0.215; Index 81.7				J. 210	79.8	J. 215	81.7	F. 215	81.7	A. 215	81.7	M. 215	81.7	S. 215	81.7	A. 215	81.7	O. 215	81.7	M. 215	81.7	N. 215	81.7	J. 215	81.7	D. 215	81.7				
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<b>COAL OIL, WATER WHITE</b> Price per gallon (tank wagon), Vancouver <table> <tr> <td>J. 240</td><td>104.3</td><td>J. 230</td><td>100.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 240</td><td>104.3</td><td>A. 230</td><td>100.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 240</td><td>104.3</td><td>S. 230</td><td>100.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 240</td><td>104.3</td><td>O. 230</td><td>100.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 240</td><td>104.3</td><td>N. 230</td><td>100.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 240</td><td>104.3</td><td>D. 230</td><td>100.0</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$0.235; Index 102.2				J. 240	104.3	J. 230	100.0	F. 240	104.3	A. 230	100.0	M. 240	104.3	S. 230	100.0	A. 240	104.3	O. 230	100.0	M. 240	104.3	N. 230	100.0	J. 240	104.3	D. 230	100.0				
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<b>FUEL OIL (LIGHT)</b> Price per gallon, tank cars, f.o.b. Toronto <table> <tr> <td>J. .080</td><td>84.9</td><td>J. .082</td><td>87.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. .080</td><td>84.9</td><td>A. .082</td><td>87.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. .080</td><td>84.9</td><td>S. .082</td><td>87.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. .080</td><td>84.9</td><td>O. .082</td><td>87.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. .080</td><td>84.9</td><td>N. .082</td><td>87.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. .082</td><td>87.0</td><td>D. .082</td><td>87.0</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$0.081; Index 86.0				J. .080	84.9	J. .082	87.0	F. .080	84.9	A. .082	87.0	M. .080	84.9	S. .082	87.0	A. .080	84.9	O. .082	87.0	M. .080	84.9	N. .082	87.0	J. .082	87.0	D. .082	87.0				
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<b>LUBRICATING OIL</b> Price per gallon, f.o.b. Toronto (contract price) <table> <tr> <td>J. .303</td><td>96.2</td><td>J. .303</td><td>96.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. .303</td><td>96.2</td><td>A. .303</td><td>96.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. .303</td><td>96.2</td><td>S. .303</td><td>96.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. .303</td><td>96.2</td><td>O. .303</td><td>96.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. .303</td><td>96.2</td><td>N. .303</td><td>96.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. .303</td><td>96.2</td><td>D. .303</td><td>96.2</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$0.303; Index 96.2				J. .303	96.2	J. .303	96.2	F. .303	96.2	A. .303	96.2	M. .303	96.2	S. .303	96.2	A. .303	96.2	O. .303	96.2	M. .303	96.2	N. .303	96.2	J. .303	96.2	D. .303	96.2				
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<b>ASPHALT, PAVING</b> Price per ton, tank cars, at Toronto <table> <tr> <td>J. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td><td>J. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td><td>A. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td><td>S. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td><td>O. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td><td>N. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td><td>D. 18.100</td><td>86.2</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$18.100; Index 86.2				J. 18.100	86.2	J. 18.100	86.2	F. 18.100	86.2	A. 18.100	86.2	M. 18.100	86.2	S. 18.100	86.2	A. 18.100	86.2	O. 18.100	86.2	M. 18.100	86.2	N. 18.100	86.2	J. 18.100	86.2	D. 18.100	86.2				
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<b>SALT</b> <b>SALT, VACUUM, FINE</b> Price per barrel, 280 pounds, net, carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia <table> <tr> <th>Price</th><th>Index</th><th>Price</th><th>Index</th></tr> <tr> <td>J. \$1.450</td><td>103.6</td><td>J. \$1.310</td><td>93.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 1.450</td><td>103.6</td><td>A. 1.310</td><td>93.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 1.450</td><td>103.6</td><td>S. 1.310</td><td>93.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 1.450</td><td>103.6</td><td>O. 1.310</td><td>93.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 1.310</td><td>93.6</td><td>N. 1.310</td><td>93.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 1.310</td><td>93.6</td><td>D. 1.310</td><td>93.6</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$1.357; Index 96.9				Price	Index	Price	Index	J. \$1.450	103.6	J. \$1.310	93.6	F. 1.450	103.6	A. 1.310	93.6	M. 1.450	103.6	S. 1.310	93.6	A. 1.450	103.6	O. 1.310	93.6	M. 1.310	93.6	N. 1.310	93.6	J. 1.310	93.6	D. 1.310	93.6
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<b>SALT, VACUUM, COARSE</b> Price per barrel, 280 pounds, net, carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia <table> <tr> <td>J. 1.710</td><td>85.2</td><td>J. 1.540</td><td>76.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 1.710</td><td>85.2</td><td>A. 1.540</td><td>76.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 1.710</td><td>85.2</td><td>S. 1.540</td><td>76.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 1.710</td><td>85.2</td><td>O. 1.540</td><td>76.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 1.540</td><td>76.7</td><td>N. 1.540</td><td>76.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 1.540</td><td>76.7</td><td>D. 1.540</td><td>76.7</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$1.597; Index 79.5				J. 1.710	85.2	J. 1.540	76.7	F. 1.710	85.2	A. 1.540	76.7	M. 1.710	85.2	S. 1.540	76.7	A. 1.710	85.2	O. 1.540	76.6	M. 1.540	76.7	N. 1.540	76.7	J. 1.540	76.7	D. 1.540	76.7				
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<b>SALT, DAIRY</b> Price per barrel, 280 pounds, net, carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia <table> <tr> <td>J. 2.610</td><td>87.0</td><td>J. 2.350</td><td>78.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 2.610</td><td>87.0</td><td>A. 2.350</td><td>78.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 2.610</td><td>87.0</td><td>S. 2.350</td><td>78.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 2.610</td><td>87.0</td><td>O. 2.350</td><td>78.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 2.350</td><td>78.3</td><td>N. 2.350</td><td>78.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 2.350</td><td>78.3</td><td>D. 2.350</td><td>78.3</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$2.437; Index 81.2				J. 2.610	87.0	J. 2.350	78.3	F. 2.610	87.0	A. 2.350	78.3	M. 2.610	87.0	S. 2.350	78.3	A. 2.610	87.0	O. 2.350	78.3	M. 2.350	78.3	N. 2.350	78.3	J. 2.350	78.3	D. 2.350	78.3				
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<b>SALT, TABLE</b> Price per barrel (80 bags) carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia <table> <tr> <td>J. 3.040</td><td>81.5</td><td>J. 2.740</td><td>73.5</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 3.040</td><td>81.5</td><td>A. 2.740</td><td>73.5</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 3.040</td><td>81.5</td><td>S. 2.740</td><td>73.5</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 3.040</td><td>81.5</td><td>O. 2.740</td><td>73.5</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 2.740</td><td>73.5</td><td>N. 2.740</td><td>73.5</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 2.740</td><td>73.5</td><td>D. 2.740</td><td>73.5</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$2.840; Index 76.1				J. 3.040	81.5	J. 2.740	73.5	F. 3.040	81.5	A. 2.740	73.5	M. 3.040	81.5	S. 2.740	73.5	A. 3.040	81.5	O. 2.740	73.5	M. 2.740	73.5	N. 2.740	73.5	J. 2.740	73.5	D. 2.740	73.5				
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<b>SULPHUR</b> <b>SULPHUR (CRUDE BRIMSTONE)</b> Price per gross ton, ex vessel, Three Rivers or Montreal <table> <tr> <td>J. 22.113</td><td>94.1</td><td>J. 22.079</td><td>94.0</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 22.058</td><td>93.9</td><td>A. 22.050</td><td>93.8</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 22.100</td><td>94.0</td><td>S. 22.050</td><td>93.8</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 22.239</td><td>94.0</td><td>O. 22.050</td><td>93.8</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 22.162</td><td>94.3</td><td>N. 22.015</td><td>93.7</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 22.092</td><td>94.0</td><td>D. 22.023</td><td>93.7</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$22.086; Index 94.0				J. 22.113	94.1	J. 22.079	94.0	F. 22.058	93.9	A. 22.050	93.8	M. 22.100	94.0	S. 22.050	93.8	A. 22.239	94.0	O. 22.050	93.8	M. 22.162	94.3	N. 22.015	93.7	J. 22.092	94.0	D. 22.023	93.7				
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<b>PLASTER</b> <b>PLASTER, HARD WALL, NEAT</b> Price per net ton, f.o.b. plant, New Brunswick <table> <tr> <td>J. 10.350</td><td>108.9</td><td>J. 10.600</td><td>111.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 10.350</td><td>108.9</td><td>A. 10.600</td><td>111.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 10.350</td><td>108.9</td><td>S. 10.600</td><td>111.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 10.350</td><td>108.9</td><td>O. 10.600</td><td>111.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 10.850</td><td>114.2</td><td>N. 10.600</td><td>111.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 10.850</td><td>114.2</td><td>D. 10.600</td><td>111.6</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$10.558; Index 111.1				J. 10.350	108.9	J. 10.600	111.6	F. 10.350	108.9	A. 10.600	111.6	M. 10.350	108.9	S. 10.600	111.6	A. 10.350	108.9	O. 10.600	111.6	M. 10.850	114.2	N. 10.600	111.6	J. 10.850	114.2	D. 10.600	111.6				
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<b>PLASTER—Concluded</b> <b>PLASTER, HARD WALL, NEAT</b> Price per ton, including bags, f.o.b. plant, Ontario <table> <tr> <th>Price</th><th>Index</th><th>Price</th><th>Index</th></tr> <tr> <td>J. \$12.500</td><td>111.1</td><td>J. \$13.000</td><td>115.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 12.500</td><td>111.1</td><td>A. 13.000</td><td>115.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 12.500</td><td>111.1</td><td>S. 13.000</td><td>115.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 12.500</td><td>111.1</td><td>O. 13.000</td><td>115.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 13.000</td><td>115.6</td><td>N. 13.000</td><td>115.6</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 13.000</td><td>115.6</td><td>D. 13.000</td><td>115.6</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$12.833; Index 114.1				Price	Index	Price	Index	J. \$12.500	111.1	J. \$13.000	115.6	F. 12.500	111.1	A. 13.000	115.6	M. 12.500	111.1	S. 13.000	115.6	A. 12.500	111.1	O. 13.000	115.6	M. 13.000	115.6	N. 13.000	115.6	J. 13.000	115.6	D. 13.000	115.6
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<b>PLASTER OF PARIS</b> Price per barrel of 300 pounds carlots, f.o.b. Montreal <table> <tr> <td>J. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td><td>J. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td><td>A. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td><td>S. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td><td>O. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td><td>N. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td><td>D. 5.000</td><td>105.3</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$5.000; Index 105.3				J. 5.000	105.3	J. 5.000	105.3	F. 5.000	105.3	A. 5.000	105.3	M. 5.000	105.3	S. 5.000	105.3	A. 5.000	105.3	O. 5.000	105.3	M. 5.000	105.3	N. 5.000	105.3	J. 5.000	105.3	D. 5.000	105.3				
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<b>LIME AND CEMENT</b> <b>No. 1 HIGH CALCIUM LUMP LIME</b> Price per ton, f.o.b. works (Quebec) <table> <tr> <td>J. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td><td>J. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td></tr> <tr> <td>F. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td><td>A. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td><td>S. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td><td>O. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td></tr> <tr> <td>M. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td><td>N. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td></tr> <tr> <td>J. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td><td>D. 6.000</td><td>78.4</td></tr> </table> Av. 1936: Price \$6.000; Index 78.4				J. 6.000	78.4	J. 6.000	78.4	F. 6.000	78.4	A. 6.000	78.4	M. 6.000	78.4	S. 6.000	78.4	A. 6.000	78.4	O. 6.000	78.4	M. 6.000	78.4	N. 6.000	78.4	J. 6.000	78.4	D. 6.000	78.4				
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GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued  
Prices in Dollars

LIME AND CEMENT—Concluded

PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at  
Toronto (exclusive of sacks  
and discount)

Price Index	Price Index	Price Index	Price Index
J. \$2-100	107-5	J. \$2-130	109-1
F. 2-100	107-5	A. 2-130	109-1
M. 2-100	107-5	S. 2-130	109-1
A. 2-100	107-5	O. 2-130	109-1
M. 2-130	109-1	N. 2-130	109-1
D. 2-130	109-1	D. 2-130	109-1

Av. 1936: Price \$2-120; Index 108-6

PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds at  
Winnipeg (exclusive of sacks  
and discount)

2-680	87-9	J. 2-720	89-2
2-680	87-9	A. 2-720	89-2
2-680	87-9	S. 2-720	89-2
2-680	87-9	O. 2-720	89-2
2-720	89-2	N. 2-720	89-2
2-720	89-2	D. 2-720	89-2

Av. 1936: Price \$2-707; Index 88-8

PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel of 350 pounds at Regina  
(exclusive of sacks and discount)

3-350	90-5	J. 3-390	91-6
3-350	90-5	A. 3-390	91-6
3-350	90-5	S. 3-390	91-6
3-350	90-5	O. 3-390	91-6
3-390	91-6	N. 3-390	91-6
3-390	91-6	D. 3-390	91-6

Av. 1936: Price \$3-377; Index 91-3

PORTLAND CEMENT

Price per barrel f.o.b. railway cars,  
Vancouver (exclusive of sacks)

2-491	84-7	J. 2-538	86-3
2-491	84-7	A. 2-538	86-3
2-491	84-7	S. 2-538	86-3
2-491	84-7	O. 2-538	86-3
2-538	86-3	N. 2-538	86-3
2-538	86-3	D. 2-538	86-3

Av. 1936: Price \$2-522; Index 85-8

SAND AND GRAVEL

SAND, CONCRETE

Price per ton in carlots, f.o.b. cars,  
Montreal

1-150	102-2	J. 1-150	102-2
1-150	102-2	A. 1-150	102-2
1-150	102-2	S. 1-150	102-2
1-150	102-2	O. 1-150	102-2
1-150	102-2	N. 1-150	102-2
1-150	102-2	D. 1-150	102-2

Av. 1936: Price \$1-150; Index 102-2

SAND, CONCRETE

Price per ton in carlots, f.o.b. cars,  
Toronto

1-000	74-1	J. 1-000	74-1
1-000	74-1	A. 1-000	74-1
1-000	74-1	S. 1-000	74-1
1-000	74-1	O. 1-000	74-1
1-000	74-1	N. 1-000	74-1
1-000	74-1	D. 1-000	74-1

Av. 1936: Price \$1-000; Index 74-1

SAND AND GRAVEL—Concluded

SAND, CONCRETE

Price per cubic yard, in carlots,  
f.o.b. cars, Winnipeg

Price Index	Price Index	Price Index	Price Index
J. \$1-150	100-0	J. \$1-150	100-0
F. 1-150	100-0	A. 1-150	100-0
M. 1-150	100-0	S. 1-150	100-0
A. 1-150	100-0	O. 1-150	100-0
M. 1-150	100-0	N. 1-150	100-0
J. 1-150	100-0	D. 1-150	100-0

Av. 1936: Price \$1-150; Index 100-0

SAND, CONCRETE

Price per cubic yard, scow lots,  
f.o.b. Vancouver

J. 1-000	90-9	J. 1-000	90-9
F. 1-000	90-9	A. 1-000	90-9
M. 1-000	90-9	S. 1-000	90-9
A. 1-000	90-9	O. 1-000	90-9
M. 1-000	90-9	N. 1-000	90-9
J. 1-000	90-9	D. 1-000	90-9

Av. 1936: Price \$1-000; Index 90-9

GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

J. 1-000	80-0	J. 1-000	80-0
F. 1-000	80-0	A. 1-000	80-0
M. 1-000	80-0	S. 1-000	80-0
A. 1-000	80-0	O. 1-000	80-0
M. 1-000	80-0	N. 1-000	80-0
J. 1-000	80-0	D. 1-000	80-0

Av. 1936: Price \$1-000; Index 80-0

GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

J. 1-850	105-7	J. 1-850	105-7
F. 1-850	105-7	A. 1-850	105-7
M. 1-850	105-7	S. 1-850	105-7
A. 1-850	105-7	O. 1-850	105-7
M. 1-850	105-7	N. 1-850	105-7
J. 1-850	105-7	D. 1-850	105-7

Av. 1936: Price \$1-850; Index 105-7

GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per cubic yard, f.o.b. cars,  
Winnipeg

J. 1-150	100-0	J. 1-150	100-0
F. 1-150	100-0	A. 1-150	100-0
M. 1-150	100-0	S. 1-150	100-0
A. 1-150	100-0	O. 1-150	100-0
M. 1-150	100-0	N. 1-150	100-0
J. 1-150	100-0	D. 1-150	100-0

Av. 1936: Price \$1-150; Index 100-0

GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per cubic yard, scow lots,  
f.o.b. Vancouver

J. 1-000	90-9	J. 1-000	90-9
F. 1-000	90-9	A. 1-000	90-9
M. 1-000	90-9	S. 1-000	90-9
A. 1-000	90-9	O. 1-000	90-9
M. 1-000	90-9	N. 1-000	90-9
J. 1-000	90-9	D. 1-000	90-9

Av. 1936: Price \$1-000; Index 90-9

CRUSHED STONE

CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Montreal

J. .500	35-7	J. .750	53-6
F. .500	35-7	A. .750	53-6
M. .500	35-7	S. .750	53-6
A. .500	35-7	O. .750	53-6
M. .500	35-7	N. .750	53-6
J.* .750	53-6	D. .750	53-6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-646; Index 46-1

\*Size changes to 2" to 2-1/2"

CRUSHED STONE—Concluded

CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per ton, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto

Price Index	Price Index	Price Index	Price Index
J. \$1-850	100-0	J. \$1-850	100-0
F. 1-850	100-0	A. 1-850	100-0
M. 1-850	100-0	S. 1-850	100-0
A. 1-850	100-0	O. 1-850	100-0
M. 1-850	100-0	N. 1-850	100-0
J. 1-850	100-0	D. 1-850	100-0

Av. 1936: Price \$1-850; Index 100-0

CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per cubic yard, scow lots,  
f.o.b. Vancouver

J. 1-130	90-4	J. 1-130	90-4
F. 1-130	90-4	A. 1-130	90-4
M. 1-130	90-4	S. 1-130	90-4
A. 1-130	90-4	O. 1-130	90-4
M. 1-130	90-4	N. 1-130	90-4
J. 1-130	90-4	D. 1-130	90-4

Av. 1936: Price \$1-130; Index 90-4

BUILDING STONE

STANSTEAD GRANITE, BASE STOCK

BLOCKS  
(CONTAINING 10-75 CUBIC FEET)

Price per cubic foot, f.o.b. cars,  
quarries (Quebec)

J. .750	75-0	J. .750	75-0
F. .750	75-0	A. .750	75-0
M. .750	75-0	S. .750	75-0
A. .750	75-0	O. .750	75-0
M. .750	75-0	N. .750	75-0
J. .750	75-0	D. .750	75-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-750; Index 75-0

STANSTEAD GRANITE, DIE STOCK

BLOCKS  
(CONTAINING UP TO 30 CUBIC FEET)

Price per cubic foot, f.o.b. cars,  
quarries (Quebec)

J. 1-000	66-7	J. 1-000	66-7
F. 1-000	66-7	A. 1-000	66-7
M. 1-000	66-7	S. 1-000	66-7
A. 1-000	66-7	O. 1-000	66-7
M. 1-000	66-7	N. 1-000	66-7
J. 1-000	66-7	D. 1-000	66-7

Av. 1936: Price \$1-000; Index 66-7

DOLOMITE (SILVER GREY)

Price per cubic foot (rough blocks),  
f.o.b. cars, quarries (Ontario)

J. .800	64-0	J. .800	64-0
F. .800	64-0	A. .800	64-0
M. .800	64-0	S. .800	64-0
A. .800	64-0	O. .800	64-0
M. .800	64-0	N. .800	64-0
J. .800	64-0	D. .800	64-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-800; Index 64-0

ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS

ASBESTOS, CRUDE No. 1

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

J. 500-000	99-2	J. 550-000	109-1
F. 550-000	109-1	A. 550-000	109-1
M. 550-000	109-1	S. 550-000	109-1
A. 550-000	109-1	O. 550-000	109-1
M. 550-000	109-1	N. 550-000	109-1
J. 550-000	109-1	D. 550-000	109-1

Av. 1936: Price \$545-833; Index 108-3

ASBESTOS, CRUDE No. 2

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

J. 200-000	69-1	J. 200-000	69-1
F. 200-000	69-1	A. 200-000	69-1
M. 200-000	69-1	S. 200-000	69-1
A. 200-000	69-1	O. 200-000	69-1
M. 200-000	69-1	N. 200-000	69-1
J. 200-000	69-1	D. 200-000	69-1

Av. 1936: Price \$200-000; Index 69-1



## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS  
*Continued*

## ASBESTOS, SPINNING STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$120-000	64-9	J. \$120-000	64-9
F. 120-000	64-9	A. 120-000	64-9
M. 120-000	64-9	S. 120-000	64-9
A. 120-000	64-9	O. 120-000	64-9
M. 120-000	64-9	N. 120-000	64-9
J. 120-000	64-9	D. 120-000	64-9

Av. 1936: Price \$120-000; Index 64-9

## ASBESTOS, SHINGLE STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 60-000	92-3	J. 60-000	92-3
F. 60-000	92-3	A. 60-000	92-3
M. 60-000	92-3	S. 60-000	92-3
A. 60-000	92-3	O. 60-000	92-3
M. 60-000	92-3	N. 60-000	92-3
J. 60-000	92-3	D. 60-000	92-3

Av. 1936: Price \$60-000; Index 92-3

ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS  
*Continued*

## ASBESTOS, MILL BOARD AND PAPER STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$32-500	72-2	J. \$32-500	72-2
F. 32-500	72-2	A. 32-500	72-2
M. 32-500	72-2	S. 32-500	72-2
A. 32-500	72-2	O. 32-500	72-2
M. 32-500	72-2	N. 32-500	72-2
J. 32-500	72-2	D. 32-500	72-2

Av. 1936: Price \$32-500; Index 72-2

## ASBESTOS FILERS, FLOATS AND OTHER SHORT FIBRE

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 12-000	80-0	J. 12-000	80-0
F. 12-000	80-0	A. 12-000	80-0
M. 12-000	80-0	S. 12-000	80-0
A. 12-000	80-0	O. 12-000	80-0
M. 12-000	80-0	N. 12-000	80-0
J. 12-000	80-0	D. 12-000	80-0

Av. 1936: Price \$12-000; Index 80-0

ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS  
*—Concluded*

## ASBESTOS, PIPE COVERING, 3 Ply

Price per foot, Eastern Canada

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$.543	90-0	J. \$.543	90-0
F. .543	90-0	A. .543	90-0
M. .543	90-0	S. .543	90-0
A. .543	90-0	O. .543	90-0
M. .543	90-0	N. .543	90-0
J. .543	90-0	D. .543	90-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-543; Index 90-0

## ASBESTOS, MILL BOARD

Price per 100 pounds, Eastern Canada

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 8-500	109-7	J. 8-500	109-7
F. 8-500	109-7	A. 8-500	109-7
M. 8-500	109-7	S. 8-500	109-7
A. 8-500	109-7	O. 8-500	109-7
M. 8-500	109-7	N. 8-500	109-7
J. 8-500	109-7	D. 8-500	109-7

Av. 1936: Price \$8-500; Index 109-7

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS

## AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS

Price per pound, f.o.b. factory, Toronto sales tax extra

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$.165	101-5	J. \$.165	101-5
F. .165	101-5	A. .165	101-5
M. .165	101-5	S. .165	101-5
A. .165	101-5	O. .165	101-5
M. .165	101-5	N. .165	101-5
J. .165	101-5	D. .165	101-5

Av. 1936: Price \$0-165; Index 101-5

## ARSENIOUS OXIDE (WHITE ARSENIC)

Price per pound, carlots, freight paid to eastern U.S. points

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -.033	101-9	J. -.033	101-9
F. -.032	98-8	A. -.033	101-9
M. -.033	101-9	S. -.033	101-9
A. -.033	101-9	O. -.033	101-9
M. -.033	101-9	N. -.032	98-8
J. -.033	101-9	D. -.032	98-8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-033; Index 101-9

## NITRIC ACID, 36°

Price per 100 pounds in carboys, carlots, f.o.b. works, Ontario and Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 7-750	96-9	J. 7-750	96-9
F. 7-750	96-9	A. 7-750	96-9
M. 7-750	96-9	S. 7-750	96-9
A. 7-750	96-9	O. 7-750	96-9
M. 7-750	96-9	N. 7-750	96-9
J. 7-750	96-9	D. 7-750	96-9

Av. 1936: Price \$7-750; Index 96-9

## HYDROCHLORIC (MURIATIC) ACID, 18°

Price per net ton in tank cars, f.o.b. works, Ontario and Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 25-000	104-2	J. 23-000	95-8
F. 23-000	95-8	A. 23-000	95-8
M. 23-000	95-8	S. 23-000	95-8
A. 23-000	95-8	O. 23-000	95-8
M. 23-000	95-8	N. 23-000	95-8
J. 23-000	95-8	D. 23-000	95-8

Av. 1936: Price \$23-167; Index 95-8

INORGANIC CHEMICALS  
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## SODIUM SULPHATE (GLAUBER'S SALT)

Price per 100 pounds, in carlots, f.o.b. works, Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$.800	80-0	J. \$.800	80-0
F. .800	80-0	A. .800	80-0
M. .800	80-0	S. .800	80-0
A. .800	80-0	O. .800	80-0
M. .800	80-0	N. .800	80-0
J. .800	80-0	D. .800	80-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-800; Index 80-0

## SODIUM BICARBONATE, PURE

Price per 100 pounds in lots of 5 barrel (400 pounds each), f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-000	122-4	J. 3-000	122-4
F. 3-000	122-4	A. 3-000	122-4
M. 3-000	122-4	S. 3-000	122-4
A. 3-000	122-4	O. 3-000	122-4
M. 3-000	122-4	N. 3-000	122-4
J. 3-000	122-4	D. 3-000	122-4

Av. 1936: Price \$3-000; Index 122-4

## BLEACHING POWDER, 35-37 PER CENT

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. works, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-750	102-2	J. 1-750	102-2
F. 1-750	102-2	A. 1-750	102-2
M. 1-750	102-2	S. 1-750	102-2
A. 1-750	102-2	O. 1-750	102-2
M. 1-750	102-2	N. 1-750	102-2
J. 1-750	102-2	D. 1-750	102-2

Av. 1936: Price \$1-750; Index 102-2

## SODA ASH, 58 PER CENT, LIGHT

Price per 100 pounds, in bags, carlots, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-605	85-7	J. 1-605	85-7
F. 1-605	85-7	A. 1-605	85-7
M. 1-605	85-7	S. 1-605	85-7
A. 1-605	85-7	O. 1-605	85-7
M. 1-607	85-7	N. 1-605	85-7
J. 1-605	85-7	D. 1-605	85-7

Av. 1936: Price \$1-605; Index 85-7

INORGANIC CHEMICALS  
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## CAUSTIC SODA, 76-77 PER CENT, FLAKE

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. works, Ontario

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-150	87-9	J. \$3-150	87-9
F. 3-150	87-9	A. 3-150	87-9
M. 3-150	87-9	S. 3-150	87-9
A. 3-150	87-9	O. 3-150	87-9
M. 3-150	87-9	N. 3-150	87-9
J. 3-150	87-9	D. 3-150	87-9

Av. 1936: Price \$3-150; Index 87-9

## CALCIUM CARBIDE

Price per ton, carlots, f.o.b. works, Welland

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 87-000	100-2	J. 80-000	92
F. 87-000	100-2	A. 80-000	92
M. 87-000	100-2	S. 80-000	92
A. 87-000	100-2	O. 80-000	92
M. 87-000	100-2	N. 80-000	92
J. 87-000	100-2	D. 80-000	92

Av. 1936: Price \$83-500; Index 96-2

## GRAY ACETATE OF LIME

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Ontario and Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-500	107-7	J. 3-500	107
F. 3-500	107-7	A. 3-500	107
M. 3-500	107-7	S. 3-500	107
A. 3-500	107-7	O. 3-000	92
M. 3-500	107-7	N. 3-000	92
J. 3-500	107-7	D. 3-000	92

Av. 1936: Price \$3-375; Index 103-8

## ALUM, LUMP

Price per 100 pounds in barrels, ton lots, ex wharf, Montreal or Saint John, N.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2-060	94-5	J. 2-075	95
F. 2-085	95-6	A. 2-075	95
M. 2-085	95-6	S. 2-075	95
A. 2-065	94-7	O. 2-045	93
M. 2-065	94-7	N. 2-025	92
J. 2-065	94-7	D. 2-025	92

Av. 1936: Price \$2-062; Index 94-6

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

INORGANIC CHEMICALS— Continued				INORGANIC CHEMICALS —Concluded				ORGANIC CHEMICALS—Con.			
BORAX, COMMERCIAL				SODIUM BICARBONATE				ALCOHOL, DENATURED, COLOGNE SPIRITS			
Price per 100 pounds in barrels, ton lots c.i.f. Montreal and Toronto				Price per pound in barrels, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month				Price per proof gallon in bond, f.o.b. Montreal or Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-700	73-1	J. \$3-700	73-1	J. \$.088	105-5	J. \$.088	105-5	J. \$.450	81-8	J. \$.450	81-8
F. 3-700	73-1	A. 3-700	73-1	F. .088	105-5	A. .088	105-5	F. .450	81-8	A. .450	81-8
M. 3-700	73-1	S. 3-700	73-1	M. .088	105-5	S. .088	105-5	M. .450	81-8	S. .450	81-8
A. 3-700	73-1	O. 3-700	73-1	A. .088	105-5	O. .088	105-5	A. .450	81-8	O. .450	81-8
M. 3-700	73-1	N. 3-700	73-1	M. .088	105-5	N. .088	105-5	M. .450	81-8	N. .450	81-8
J. 3-700	73-1	D. 3-700	73-1	J. .088	105-5	D. .088	105-5	J. .450	81-8	D. .450	81-8
Av. 1936: Price \$3-700; Index 73-1				Av. 1936: Price \$0-088; Index 105-5				Av. 1936: Price \$0-450; Index 81-8			
COPPER SULPHATE (BLUE VITRIOL), CRYSTALS				AMMONIUM CHLORIDE (SAL AMMONIAC) GRAY				CREAM OF TARTAR, GROUND, IN BARRELS			
Price per 100 pounds in 5-ton lots, c.i.f. ocean ports				Price per pound, in carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month				Price per pound at Toronto, first day of month			
J. 3-875	78-6	J. 3-915	79-4	J. .043	67-5	J. .043	67-5	J. .220	134-1	J. .200	122-0
F. 3-875	78-6	A. 4-000	81-1	F. .043	67-5	A. .043	67-5	F. .200	122-0	A. .200	122-0
M. 3-875	78-6	S. 4-000	81-1	M. .043	67-5	S. .043	67-5	M. .200	122-0	S. .200	122-0
A. 3-875	78-6	O. 4-020	81-5	A. .043	67-5	O. .043	67-5	A. .200	122-0	O. .200	122-0
M. 3-875	78-6	N. 4-240	86-0	M. .043	67-5	N. .043	67-5	M. .205	125-0	N. .200	122-0
J. 3-875	78-6	D. 4-240	86-0	J. .043	67-5	O. .043	67-5	J. .200	122-0	D. .200	122-0
Av. 1936: Price \$3-972; Index 80-5				Av. 1936: Price \$0-043; Index 67-5				Av. 1936: Price \$0-202; Index 123-2			
MAGNESIUM SULPHATE, TECHNICAL (EPSOM SALT)				CALCIUM CHLORIDE, FLAKE				FORMALDEHYDE			
Price per ton in bags, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month				Price per ton in carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month				Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. Toronto			
J. 30-000	120-0	J. 35-000	140-0	J. 25-850	71-8	J. 25-850	71-8	J. .070	61-5	J. .055	48-3
F. 35-000	140-0	A. 35-000	140-0	F. 25-850	71-8	A. 25-850	71-8	F. .073	64-1	A. .055	48-3
M. 35-000	140-0	S. 35-000	140-0	M. 25-850	71-8	S. 25-850	71-8	M. .073	64-1	S. .055	48-3
A. 35-000	140-0	O. 35-000	140-0	A. 25-850	71-8	O. 25-850	71-8	A. .073	64-1	O. .055	48-3
M. 35-000	140-0	N. 35-000	140-0	M. 25-850	71-8	N. 25-850	71-8	M. .055	48-3	N. .055	48-3
J. 35-000	140-0	D. 35-000	140-0	J. 25-850	71-8	D. 25-850	71-8	J. .055	48-3	D. .055	48-3
Av. 1936: Price \$34-583; Index 138-3				Av. 1936: Price \$25-850; Index 71-8				Av. 1936: Price \$0-061; Index 53-6			
SULPHURIC ACID, 66° BAUMÉ				ALUMINIUM SULPHATE				GLYCERINE, REFINED			
Price per net ton, tank cars, f.o.b. works (Ontario)				Price per 100 pounds, carlots, Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month				Price per pound, in drum lots, at Toronto			
16-000	114-3	J. 16-000	114-3	J. 1-550	88-6	J. 1-550	88-6	J. .148	53-3	J. .163	58-7
16-000	114-3	A. 16-000	114-3	F. 1-550	88-6	A. 1-550	88-6	F. .148	53-3	A. .163	58-7
16-000	114-3	S. 16-000	114-3	M. 1-550	88-6	S. 1-550	88-6	M. .148	53-3	S. .163	58-7
16-000	114-3	O. 16-000	114-3	A. 1-550	88-6	O. 1-550	88-6	A. .153	55-1	O. .206	74-2
16-000	114-3	N. 16-000	114-3	M. 1-550	88-6	N. 1-550	88-6	M. .153	55-1	N. .206	81-4
16-000	114-3	D. 16-000	114-3	J. 1-550	88-6	D. 1-550	88-6	J. .153	55-1	D. .226	81-4
Av. 1936: Price \$16-000; Index 114-3				Av. 1936: Price \$1-550; Index 88-6				Av. 1936: Price \$0-173; Index 62-3			
CHLORINE, LIQUID, CYLINDERS				ORGANIC CHEMICALS				COAL TAR PRODUCTS			
Price per pound, Montreal and Toronto on first day of month				ACETIC ACID, 99 PER CENT, GLACIAL				CREOSOTE OIL, CRUDE			
.093	100-0	J. .093	100-0	Price per pound, f.o.b. Montreal				Price per imperial gallon, tank car lots, f.o.b. works			
.093	100-0	A. .093	100-0	J. .100	83-3	J. .100	83-3	J. .149	96-1	J. .156	100-6
.093	100-0	S. .093	100-0	F. .100	83-3	A. .100	83-3	F. .149	96-1	A. .156	100-6
.093	100-0	O. .093	100-0	M. .100	83-3	S. .100	83-3	M. .149	96-1	S. .156	100-6
.093	100-0	N. .093	100-0	A. .100	83-3	O. .100	83-3	A. .149	96-1	O. .156	100-6
.093	100-0	D. .093	100-0	M. .100	83-3	N. .100	83-3	M. .149	96-1	N. .156	100-6
Av. 1936: Price \$0-093; Index 100-0				J. .100 83-3 D. .100 83-3				Av. 1936: Price \$0-153; Index 98-7			
SODIUM CYANIDE, BULK, 98-99 PER CENT				WOOD (METHYL) ALCOHOL, 97 PER CENT				BENZOL, PURE			
Price per pound, carlots, Toronto				Price per gallon, f.o.b. Montreal				Price per Imperial gallon in tank cars, f.o.b. Canadian producing point			
.146	72-3	J. .159	78-7	J. .750	86-2	J. .770	88-5	J. .230	65-6	J. .260	74-1
.146	72-3	A. .159	78-7	F. .750	86-2	A. .720	82-8	F. .260	74-1	A. .260	74-1
.146	72-3	S. .159	78-7	M. .750	86-2	S. .720	82-8	M. .260	74-1	S. .260	74-1
.146	72-3	O. .159	78-7	A. .750	86-2	O. .720	82-8	A. .260	74-1	O. .260	74-1
.159	78-7	N. .159	78-7	M. .750	86-2	N. .720	82-8	M. .260	74-1	N. .260	74-1
.159	78-7	D. .159	78-7	J. .750	86-2	D. .720	82-8	J. .260	74-1	D. .260	74-1
Av. 1936: Price \$0-155; Index 76-7				Av. 1936: Price \$0-739; Index 84-9				Av. 1936: Price \$0-258; Index 73-5			

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS				DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS—Continued				PAINT MATERIALS			
DIRECT BLACK (OXYDIAMINE BLACK, J.E.I. EXTRA)				ALKALI BLUE, No. 4				SHELLAC, DRY, T.N.			
Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse				Price per pound in 10 and 25 pound tins, f.o.b. warehouse				Price per pound at New York— monthly average			
Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index	
J. \$300	102-6	J. \$275	94-0	J. \$2-015	103-3	J. \$2-015	103-3	J. \$161	43-6	J. \$150	40-7
F. .275	94-0	A. .275	94-0	F. 2-015	103-3	A. 2-015	103-3	F. .149	40-4	A. .148	40-1
M. .275	94-0	S. .275	94-0	M. 2-015	103-3	S. 2-015	103-3	M. .148	40-1	S. .145	39-3
A. .275	94-0	O. .275	94-0	A. 2-015	103-3	O. 2-015	103-3	A. .148	40-1	O. .137	37-1
M. .275	94-0	N. .275	94-0	M. 2-015	103-3	N. 2-015	103-3	M. .148	40-1	N. .137	37-1
J. .275	94-0	D. .275	94-0	J. 2-015	103-3	D. 2-015	103-3	J. .148	40-1	D. .137	37-1
Av. 1936: Price \$0-277; Index 94-7				Av. 1936: Price \$2-015; Index 103-3				Av. 1936: Price \$0-146; Index 39-6			
SULPHUR BLACK (KATIGEN DEEP BLACK, G.G.N. CONC.)				QUEBRACHO EXTRACT, LIQUID				WHITE LEAD, BASIC CARBONATE IN OIL			
Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse				Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots f.o.b. Montreal				Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal			
J. .205	93-2	J. .220	100-0	J. 4-250	121-4	J. 4-500	128-6	J. 8-585	76-6	J. 8-750	78-1
F. .220	100-0	A. .220	100-0	F. 4-250	121-4	A. 4-500	128-6	F. 8-585	76-6	A. 8-750	78-1
M. .220	100-0	S. .220	100-0	M. 4-250	121-4	S. 4-250	121-4	M. 8-585	76-6	S. 8-750	78-1
A. .220	100-0	O. .220	100-0	A. 4-250	121-4	O. 4-500	128-6	A. 8-585	76-6	O. 8-750	78-1
M. .220	100-0	N. .220	100-0	M. 4-250	121-4	N. 4-650	132-9	M. 8-750	78-1	N. 8-750	78-1
J. .220	100-0	D. .220	100-0	J. 4-250	121-4	D. 4-650	132-9	J. 8-750	78-1	D. 8-750	87-0
Av. 1936: Price \$0-219; Index 99-5				Av. 1936: Price \$4-379; Index 125-1				Av. 1936: Price \$8-778; Index 78-3			
NIGROSINE, WATER SOLUBLE (J.T.L. EXTRA, CONC. TYPE)				HEMLOCK EXTRACT, LIQUID				ZINC OXIDE, "XX" GRADE			
Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse				Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots f.o.b. Montreal				Price per 100 pounds, in bags, carlots f.o.b. works			
J. .400	102-6	J. .360	92-3	J. 4-750	97-7	J. 4-500	92-6	J. 5-003	72-3	J. 5-007	72-4
F. .360	92-3	A. .360	92-3	F. 4-750	97-7	A. 4-750	97-7	F. 4-991	72-2	A. 5-000	72-3
M. .360	92-3	S. .360	92-3	M. 4-750	97-7	S. 4-750	97-7	M. 5-000	72-3	S. 5-000	72-3
A. .360	92-3	O. .360	92-3	A. 4-750	97-7	O. 4-750	97-7	A. 6-038	87-3	O. 5-250	75-9
M. .360	92-3	N. .360	92-3	M. 4-750	97-7	N. 4-750	97-7	M. 5-014	72-5	N. 5-242	75-8
J. .360	92-3	D. .360	92-3	J. 4-500	92-6	D. 4-750	97-7	J. 5-009	72-4	D. 5-245	75-8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-363; Index 93-1				Av. 1936: Price \$4-708; Index 96-9				Av. 1936: Price \$5-150; Index 74-5			
METHYLENE BLUE, B.G.				LOGWOOD EXTRACT, LIQUID, 25 PER CENT TANNIN				RED LEAD, GENUINE			
Price per pound in 100 pound kegs, f.o.b. warehouse				Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots f.o.b. Montreal				Price per 100 pounds, less carlots f.o.b. Montreal			
J. .950	90-5	J. .950	90-5	J. 10-750	110-6	J. 11-000	113-2	J. 7-000	68-4	J. 7-000	68-
F. .950	90-5	A. .950	90-5	F. 10-750	110-6	A. 11-000	113-2	F. 7-000	68-4	A. 7-000	68-
M. .950	90-5	S. .950	90-5	M. 10-750	110-6	S. 10-750	110-6	M. 7-000	68-4	S. 7-250	70-8
A. .950	90-5	O. .950	90-5	A. 10-750	110-6	O. 11-000	113-2	A. 7-000	68-4	O. 7-250	70-8
M. .950	90-5	N. .950	90-5	M. 10-750	110-6	N. 11-000	113-2	M. 7-000	68-4	N. 7-500	73-3
J. .950	90-5	D. .950	90-5	J. 10-750	110-6	D. 11-000	113-2	J. 7-000	68-4	D. 8-250	80-
Av. 1936: Price \$0-950; Index 90-5				Av. 1936: Price \$10-854; Index 111-7				Av. 1936: Price \$7-188; Index 70-2			
INDIGO (SYNTHETIC), 20 PER CENT, PASTE				EXPLOSIVES				LITHOPONE			
Price per pound, in ton lots, f.o.b. warehouse				GUNPOWDER, BLACK, SPORTING				Price per 100 pounds in bags, carlots f.o.b. works			
J. .135	128-6	J. .135	128-6	J. 8-459	100-7	J. 8-618	102-6	J. 4-503	85-8	J. 4-506	85-8
F. .135	128-6	A. .135	128-6	F. 8-459	100-7	A. 8-618	102-6	F. 4-491	85-5	A. 4-500	85-8
M. .135	128-6	S. .135	128-6	M. 8-459	100-7	S. 8-618	102-6	M. 4-500	85-7	S. 4-500	85-8
A. .135	128-6	O. .135	128-6	A. 8-459	100-7	O. 8-618	102-6	A. 4-528	86-2	O. 4-500	85-8
M. .135	128-6	N. .135	128-6	M. 8-618	102-6	N. 8-618	102-6	M. 4-513	86-0	N. 4-243	80-8
J. .135	128-6	D. .135	128-6	J. 8-618	102-6	D. 8-618	102-6	J. 4-508	85-9	D. 4-246	80-8
Av. 1936: Price \$0-135; Index 128-6				Av. 1936: Price \$8-566; Index 102-0				Av. 1936: Price \$4-462; Index 85-0			
AUROMINE O (YELLOW)				DYNAMITE, 40 PER CENT GELATINE				LITHARGE			
Price per pound in 500 pound barrels, f.o.b. warehouse				Price per 100 pounds in carlots, f.o.b. factory				Price per pound at Montreal or Toronto on first day of month			
J. .770	81-8	J. .730	77-5	J. 11-750	77-2	J. 11-750	77-2	J. .065	52-0	J. .065	52-
F. .730	77-5	A. .730	77-5	F. 11-750	77-2	A. 11-750	77-2	F. .065	52-0	A. .065	52-
M. .730	77-5	S. .730	77-5	M. 11-750	77-2	S. 11-500	75-5	M. .065	52-0	S. .068	54-
A. .730	77-5	O. .730	77-5	A. 11-750	77-2	O. 11-500	75-5	A. .065	52-0	O. .068	54-
M. .730	77-5	N. .730	77-5	M. 11-750	77-2	N. 11-500	75-5	M. .065	52-0	N. .070	56-
J. .730	77-5	D. .730	77-5	J. 11-750	77-2	D. 11-500	75-5	J. .065	52-0	D. .078	62-
Av. 1936: Price \$0-733; Index 77-8				Av. 1936: Price \$11-667; Index 76-6				Av. 1936: Price \$0-067; Index 53-6			



## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## PAINT MATERIALS—Concluded

## LAMPBLACK, PURE, DRY

Price per pound in less carlots, Ottawa

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$-105 75-0	J. \$-105 75-0
F. -105 75-0 A. -105 75-0	F. -105 75-0 A. -105 75-0
M. -105 75-0 S. -105 75-0	M. -105 75-0 S. -105 75-0
A. -105 75-0 O. -105 75-0	A. -105 75-0 O. -105 75-0
M. -105 75-0 N. -105 75-0	M. -105 75-0 N. -105 75-0
J. -105 75-0 D. -105 75-0	J. -105 75-0 D. -105 75-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-105; Index 75-0

## CARBON BLACK

Price per pound in less carlots, ex warehouse, Montreal or Toronto

J. -083 70-6	J. -083 70-6
F. -082 69-8 A. -083 70-6	F. -082 69-8 A. -083 70-6
M. -083 70-6 S. -083 70-6	M. -083 70-6 S. -083 70-6
A. -083 70-6 O. -083 70-6	A. -083 70-6 O. -083 70-6
M. -083 70-6 N. -082 69-8	M. -083 70-6 N. -082 69-8
J. -083 70-6 D. -082 69-8	J. -083 70-6 D. -082 69-8

Av. 1936: Price \$0-083; Index 70-6

## PURE LINSEED OIL PUTTY

Price per 100 pounds in 400 pound drums, less ton lots, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 3-050 63-6	J. 3-050 63-6
F. 3-050 63-6 A. 3-050 63-6	F. 3-050 63-6 A. 3-050 63-6
M. 3-050 63-6 S. 3-050 63-6	M. 3-050 63-6 S. 3-050 63-6
A. 3-050 63-6 O. 3-050 63-6	A. 3-050 63-6 O. 3-050 63-6
M. 3-050 63-6 N. 3-050 63-6	M. 3-050 63-6 N. 3-050 63-6
J. 3-050 63-6 D. 3-050 63-6	J. 3-050 63-6 D. 3-050 63-6

Av. 1936: Price \$3-050; Index 63-6

## PREPARED PAINTS

## PAINT, PURE WHITE, FIRST QUALITY

Price per gallon at Montreal

J. 2-800 61-4	J. 2-950 64-7
F. 2-800 61-4 A. 2-950 64-7	F. 2-800 61-4 A. 2-950 64-7
M. 2-800 61-4 S. 2-950 64-7	M. 2-800 61-4 S. 2-950 64-7
A. 2-800 61-4 O. 2-950 64-7	A. 2-800 61-4 O. 2-950 64-7
M. 2-800 61-4 N. 2-950 64-7	M. 2-800 61-4 N. 2-950 64-7
J. 2-800 61-4 D. 2-950 64-7	J. 2-800 61-4 D. 2-950 64-7

Av. 1936: Price \$2-875; Index 63-0

## PAINT, COLOURED, FIRST QUALITY

Price per gallon at Montreal

J. 2-800 66-5	J. 2-950 70-0
F. 2-800 66-5 A. 2-950 70-0	F. 2-800 66-5 A. 2-950 70-0
M. 2-800 66-5 S. 2-950 70-0	M. 2-800 66-5 S. 2-950 70-0
A. 2-800 66-5 O. 2-950 70-0	A. 2-800 66-5 O. 2-950 70-0
M. 2-800 66-5 N. 2-950 70-0	M. 2-800 66-5 N. 2-950 70-0
J. 2-800 66-5 D. 2-950 70-0	J. 2-800 66-5 D. 2-950 70-0

Av. 1936: Price \$2-875; Index 68-2

## DRUGS AND PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMICALS

## CITRIC ACID

Price per pound in kegs at Montreal

J. -235 88-5	J. -250 94-2
F. -235 88-5 A. -250 94-2	F. -235 88-5 A. -250 94-2
M. -235 88-5 S. -250 94-2	M. -235 88-5 S. -250 94-2
A. -230 86-7 O. -250 94-2	A. -230 86-7 O. -250 94-2
M. -230 86-7 N. -250 94-2	M. -230 86-7 N. -250 94-2
J. -250 94-2 D. -250 94-2	J. -250 94-2 D. -250 94-2

Av. 1936: Price \$0-243; Index 91-6

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## DRUGS AND PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMICALS—Continued

## TARTARIC ACID, CRYSTALS

Price per pound in barrels at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$-230 92-0	J. \$-230 92-0
F. -230 92-0 A. -230 92-0	F. -230 92-0 A. -230 92-0
M. -230 92-0 S. -230 92-0	M. -230 92-0 S. -230 92-0
A. -230 92-0 O. -230 92-0	A. -230 92-0 O. -230 92-0
M. -230 92-0 N. -230 92-0	M. -230 92-0 N. -230 92-0
J. -230 92-0 D. -230 92-0	J. -230 92-0 D. -230 92-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-230; Index 92-0

## CHLOROFORM, U.S.P.

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

J. -385 90-6	J. -385 90-6
F. -385 90-6 A. -385 90-6	F. -385 90-6 A. -385 90-6
M. -385 90-6 S. -385 90-6	M. -385 90-6 S. -385 90-6
A. -385 90-6 O. -385 90-6	A. -385 90-6 O. -385 90-6
M. -385 90-6 N. -385 90-6	M. -385 90-6 N. -385 90-6
J. -385 90-6 D. -385 90-6	J. -385 90-6 D. -385 90-6

Av. 1936: Price \$0-385; Index 90-6

## ETHER, COMMERCIAL

Price per pound in 50 pound drums, f.o.b. Montreal

J. -180 93-0	J. -180 93-0
F. -180 93-0 A. -180 93-0	F. -180 93-0 A. -180 93-0
M. -180 93-0 S. -180 93-0	M. -180 93-0 S. -180 93-0
A. -180 93-0 O. -180 93-0	A. -180 93-0 O. -180 93-0
M. -180 93-0 N. -180 93-0	M. -180 93-0 N. -180 93-0
J. -180 93-0 D. -180 93-0	J. -180 93-0 D. -180 93-0

Av. 1936: Price \$0-182; Index 94-1

## POTASSIUM IODIDE

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

J. 1-600 37-0	J. 1-425 32-9
F. 1-600 37-0 A. 1-425 32-9	F. 1-600 37-0 A. 1-425 32-9
M. 1-600 37-0 S. 1-425 32-9	M. 1-600 37-0 S. 1-425 32-9
A. 1-600 37-0 O. 1-425 32-9	A. 1-600 37-0 O. 1-425 32-9
M. 1-600 37-0 N. 1-425 32-9	M. 1-600 37-0 N. 1-425 32-9
J. 1-550 35-8 D. 1-425 32-9	J. 1-550 35-8 D. 1-425 32-9

Av. 1936: Price \$1-508; Index 34-9

## HYDROGEN PEROXIDE, 10 VOL.

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

J. -040 65-3	J. -040 65-3
F. -040 65-3 A. -040 65-3	F. -040 65-3 A. -040 65-3
M. -040 65-3 S. -040 65-3	M. -040 65-3 S. -040 65-3
A. -040 65-3 O. -040 65-3	A. -040 65-3 O. -040 65-3
M. -040 65-3 N. -040 65-3	M. -040 65-3 N. -040 65-3
J. -040 65-3 D. -040 65-3	J. -040 65-3 D. -040 65-3

Av. 1936: Price \$0-040; Index 65-3

## CAMPHOR GUM, SLABS

Price per pound at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

J. -675 65-9	J. -675 65-9
F. -675 65-9 A. -675 65-9	F. -675 65-9 A. -675 65-9
M. -675 65-9 S. -675 65-9	M. -675 65-9 S. -675 65-9
A. -675 65-9 O. -675 65-9	A. -675 65-9 O. -675 65-9
M. -675 65-9 N. -675 65-9	M. -675 65-9 N. -675 65-9
J. -675 65-9 D. -675 65-9	J. -675 65-9 D. -675 65-9

Av. 1936: Price \$0-675; Index 65-9

## DRUGS AND PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMICALS—Concluded

## QUININE

Price per ounce at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$0-535 101-9	J. \$0-600 114-3
F. -535 101-9 A. -600 114-3	F. -535 101-9 A. -600 114-3
M. -535 101-9 S. -600 114-3	M. -535 101-9 S. -600 114-3
A. -535 101-9 O. -600 114-3	A. -535 101-9 O. -600 114-3
M. -535 101-9 N. -600 114-3	M. -535 101-9 N. -600 114-3
J. -535 101-9 D. -600 114-3	J. -535 101-9 D. -600 114-3

Av. 1936: Price \$0-568; Index 108-2

## CASTOR OIL

Price per pound in Barrels at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month

J. -100 64-5	J. -100 64-5
F. -100 64-5 A. -100 64-5	F. -100 64-5 A. -100 64-5
M. -100 64-5 S. -100 64-5	M. -100 64-5 S. -100 64-5
A. -100 64-5 O. -100 64-5	A. -100 64-5 O. -100 64-5
M. -100 64-5 N. -100 64-5	M. -100 64-5 N. -100 64-5
J. -100 64-5 D. -100 64-5	J. -100 64-5 D. -100 64-5

Av. 1936: Price \$0-100; Index 64-5

## IODINE, CRUDE

Price per pound at Montreal

J. 1-500 36-5	J. 1-500 36-5
F. 1-500 36-5 A. 1-500 36-5	F. 1-500 36-5 A. 1-500 36-5
M. 1-500 36-5 S. 1-500 36-5	M. 1-500 36-5 S. 1-500 36-5
A. 1-500 36-5 O. 1-500 36-5	A. 1-500 36-5 O. 1-500 36-5
M. 1-500 36-5 N. 1-500 36-5	M. 1-500 36-5 N. 1-500 36-5
J. 1-500 36-5 D. 1-500 36-5	J. 1-500 36-5 D. 1-500 36-5

Av. 1936: Price \$1-500; Index 36-5

## FERTILIZERS

MURIATE OF POTASH, 48 PER CENT, K<sub>2</sub>O

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Saint John, N.B.

J. 48-000* 127-4	J. 37-000 98-2
F. 48-000* 127-4 A. 37-000* 98-2	F. 48-000* 127-4 A. 37-000* 98-2
M. 37-000 98-2 S. 37-000 98-2	M. 37-000 98-2 S. 37-000 98-2
A. 37-000 98-2 O. 37-000 98-2	A. 37-000 98-2 O. 37-000 98-2
M. 37-000 98-2 N. 37-000 98-2	M. 37-000 98-2 N. 37-000 98-2
J. 37-000 98-2 D. 37-000 98-2	J. 37-000 98-2 D. 37-000 98-2

Av. 1936: Price \$38-833; Index 103-1

\*Nominal price.

## DRIED BLOOD

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Ontario

J. 54-000 67-5	J. 54-000 67-5
F. 54-000 67-5 A. 54-000 67-5	F. 54-000 67-5 A. 54-000 67-5
M. 54-000 67-5 S. 54-000 67-5	M. 54-000 67-5 S. 54-000 67-5
A. 54-000 67-5 O. 54-000 67-5	A. 54-000 67-5 O. 54-000 67-5
M. 54-000 67-5 N. 54-000 67-5	M. 54-000 67-5 N. 54-000 67-5
J. 54-000 67-5 D. 54-000 67-5	J. 54-000 67-5 D. 54-000 67-5

Av. 1936: Price \$54-000; Index 67-5

SUPERPHOSPHATE, 20 PER CENT  
Av. P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Quebec

J. 19-000* 88-5	J. 19-000 88-5
F. 19-000 88-5 A. 19-000* 88-5	F. 19-000 88-5 A. 19-000* 88-5
M. 19-000 88-5 S. 19-000 88-5	M. 19-000 88-5 S. 19-000 88-5
A. 19-000 88-5 O. 19-000 88-5	A. 19-000 88-5 O. 19-000 88-5
M. 19-000 88-5 N. 19-000 88-5	M. 19-000 88-5 N. 19-000 88-5
J. 19-000 88-5 D. 19-000 88-5	J. 19-000 88-5 D. 19-000 88-5

Av. 1936: Price \$19-000; Index 88-5

\*Nominal Price.

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

FERTILIZERS—Continued				FERTILIZERS—Concluded				INDUSTRIAL GASES			
BASIC SLAG, 16 PER CENT, P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>				BONE MEAL, 3 PER CENT N., 21 PER CENT T. P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>				ACETYLENE, CYLINDERS			
Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Quebec				Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight, prepaid, Ontario				Price per 100 cubic feet at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$20-500*	112-6	J. \$18-500	101-6	J. \$35-000	92-1	J. \$35-000	92-1	J. \$2-440	91-3	J. \$2-620	98-1
F. 18-500	101-6	A. 18-500	101-6	F. 35-000	92-1	A. 35-000	92-1	F. 2-490	93-2	A. 2-620	98-1
M. 18-500	101-6	S. 18-500	101-6	M. 35-000	92-1	S. 35-000	92-1	M. 2-550	95-4	S. 2-690	96-9
A. 18-500	101-6	O. 18-500	101-6	A. 35-000	92-1	O. 35-000	92-1	A. 2-540	95-1	O. 2-600	97-3
M. 18-500	101-6	N. 19-000	104-4	M. 35-000	92-1	N. 35-000	92-1	M. 2-590	96-9	N. 2-560	95-8
J. 18-500	101-6	D. 19-000	104-4	J. 35-000	92-1	D. 35-000	92-1	J. 2-600	97-3	D. 2-490	93-2
Av. 1936: Price \$18-750; Index 103-0				Av. 1936: Price \$35-000; Index 92-1				Av. 1936: Price \$2-558; Index 95-7			
*Nominal price.											
SULPHATE OF POTASH, 50 PER CENT, K <sub>2</sub> O				SULPHATE OF AMMONIA, 20 PER CENT, W.S.N.				OXYGEN, CYLINDERS			
Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Quebec				Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Ontario				Price per 100 cubic feet at Montreal and Toronto, on first day of month			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 50-000*	97-0	J. 50-000	97-0	J. 40-000	53-3	J. 40-000	53-3	J. .960	78-0	J. 1-010	82-0
F. 50-000	97-0	A. 50-000	97-0	F. 40-000	53-3	A. 40-000	53-3	F. .980	79-6	A. 1-010	82-0
M. 50-000	97-0	S. 50-000	97-0	M. 40-000	53-3	S. 40-000	53-3	M. 1-010	82-0	S. 1-010	82-0
A. 50-000	97-0	O. 50-000	97-0	A. 40-000	53-3	O. 40-000	53-3	A. 1-000	81-2	O. 1-020	82-9
M. 50-000	97-0	N. 52-000	100-9	M. 40-000	53-3	N. 40-000	53-3	M. 1-000	81-2	N. 1-010	82-0
J. 50-000	97-0	D. 52-000	100-9	J. 40-000	53-3	D. 40-000	53-3	J. .990	80-4	D. .990	80-4
Av. 1936: Price \$50-333; Index 97-7				Av. 1936: Price \$40-000; Index 53-3				Av. 1936: Price \$0-999; Index 81-2			
*Nominal price.											
TANKAGE, 6 PER CENT N., 15 PER CENT T. P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>				NITRATE OF SODA, 10 PER CENT, W.S.N.				SOAP			
Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Ontario				Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Quebec				Price per case 100 cartons at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 42-000	105-0	J. 42-000	105-0	J. 46-000*	67-9	J. 46-000	67-9	J. 5-000	92-6	J. 5-000	92-6
F. 42-000	105-0	A. 42-000	105-0	F. 46-000	67-9	A. 46-000	67-9	F. 5-000	92-6	A. 5-000	92-6
M. 42-000	105-0	S. 42-000	105-0	M. 46-000	67-9	S. 46-000	67-9	M. 5-000	92-6	S. 5-000	92-6
A. 42-000	105-0	O. 42-000	105-0	A. 46-000	67-9	O. 46-000	67-9	A. 5-000	92-6	O. 5-000	92-6
M. 42-000	105-0	N. 42-000	105-0	M. 46-000	67-0	N. 45-000	66-4	M. 5-000	92-6	N. 5-000	92-6
J. 42-000	105-0	D. 42-000	105-0	J. 46-000	67-9	D. 45-000	66-4	J. 5-000	92-6	D. 5-000	92-6
Av. 1936: Price \$42-000; Index 105-0				Av. 1936: Price \$45-833; Index 67-7				Av. 1936: Price \$5-000; Index 92-6			
*Nominal price.				*Nominal price.							
CYANAMID, 21 PER CENT N.				SOAP, TOILET BEST				Price per case 100 cartons at Toronto			
Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Ontario											
Price	Index	Price	Index								
J. 35-000	70-0	J. 35-000	70-0					J. 4-850	—	J. 4-850	—
F. 35-000	70-0	A. 35-000	70-0					F. 4-850	—	A. 4-850	—
M. 35-000	70-0	S. 35-000	70-0					M. 4-850	—	S. 4-850	—
A. 35-000	70-0	O. 35-000	70-0					A. 4-850	—	O. 4-850	—
M. 35-000	70-0	N. 35-000	70-0					M. 4-850	—	N. 4-850	—
J. 35-000	70-0	D. 35-000	70-0					J. 4-850	—	D. 4-850	—
Av. 1936: Price \$35-000; Index 70-0								Av. 1936: Price \$4-850			

# CANADIAN COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBERS

1914-1936  
1926=100

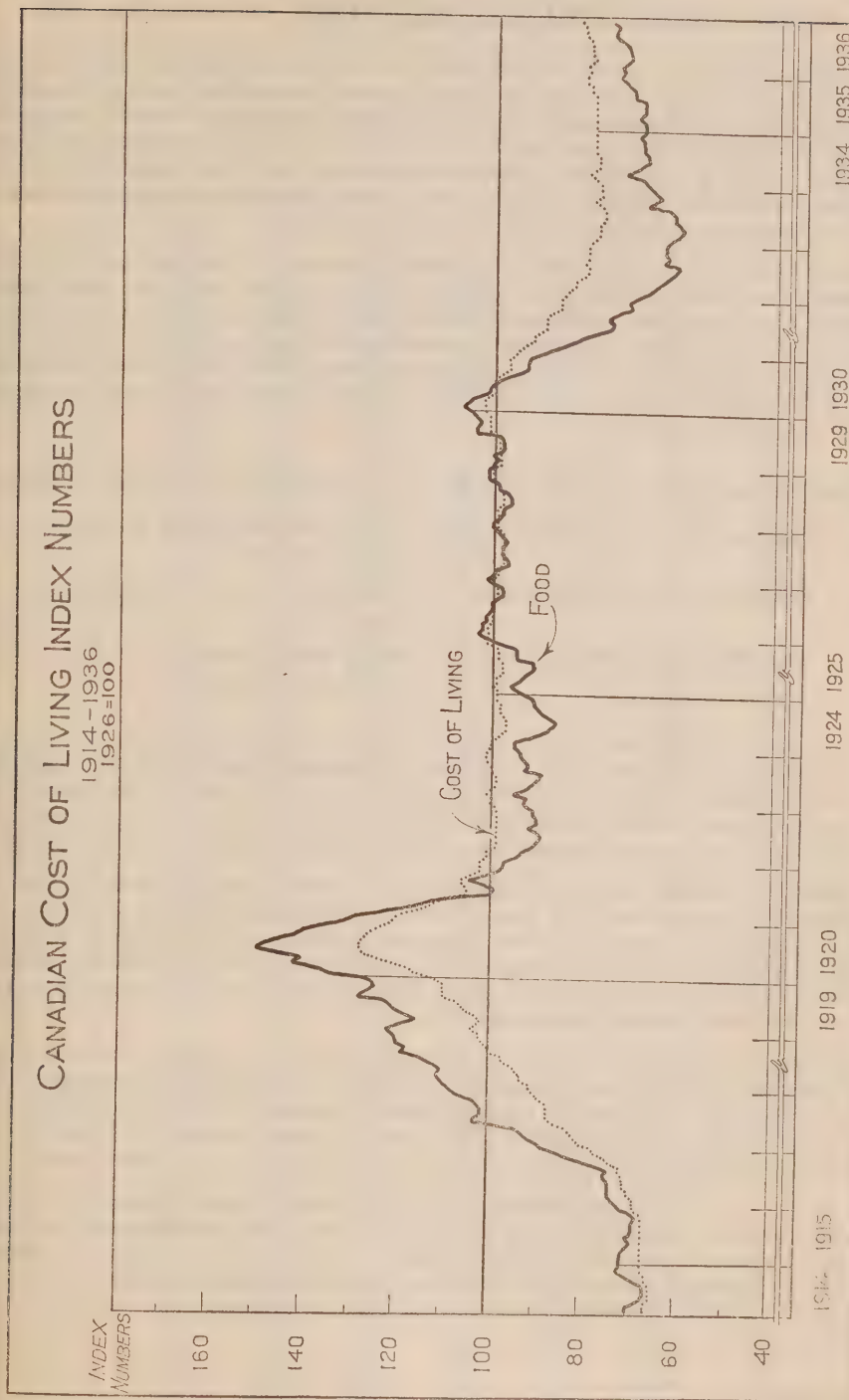
INDEX  
NUMBERS

160  
140  
120  
100  
80  
60  
40

COST OF LIVING  
FOOD

1914 1915 1919 1920 1924 1925 1929 1930 1934 1935 1936

Chart 5





## RETAIL PRICES AND COST OF LIVING IN CANADA, 1936

An upward tendency in foods, clothing, rentals and miscellaneous items (including medicines, furniture, theatre charges, insurance, newspapers, doctors' fees, barbers' fees, and cleaning supplies) caused the cost of living index to advance from 79.1 in 1935 to 80.8 in 1936. The monthly series in 1936 was 80.6 in January and 81.8 in December. This represented a rise of less than 7 per cent from the low point of the recession which ended in 1933. It compares with an increase in wholesale prices of over 25 per cent for the same period. The rise in living costs during the past four years has been less marked than in many other countries.

*Foods.*—The average yearly index for foods moved up from 70.4 in 1935 to 73.4 for 1936. A lengthy list of commodities recorded decreases, including onions, sugar, tea, coffee, pepper, bacon and canned fruits, but these were more than offset by higher quotations for eggs, butter, potatoes, milk, cheese, bread, flour, canned tomatoes and corn, and most meats. The food index in December 1936 was 75.3 per cent of the average level in 1926. There was a considerable range in the position of individual foods relative to 1926 average prices and may be observed from the following summary:

### DECEMBER 1936 RETAIL FOOD PRICES AS A PERCENTAGE OF 1926 AVERAGES

Less than 70 per cent of 1926 averages... Veal, mutton, pork, bacon, lard, butter,  
coffee, potatoes.

From 70 per cent to 79.9 per cent..... Beef, cheese, flour, rice, prunes, sugar,  
tea.

From 80 per cent to 89.9 per cent..... Bread, beans, vinegar.

90 per cent and over..... Milk, eggs, rolled oats.

*Fuel.*—A decline from 86.8 in 1935 to 86.4 in 1936 was noted in this group, due largely to price reductions for four sub-groups as follows: Coal declined from 87.3 to 87.2, wood from 81.1 to 79.1, gas from 93.2 to 92.9, and electricity from 87.5 to 86.5. Coke, the only fuel to record an advance, moved up from 85.6 to 87.3. A survey of the group indicates that prices of fuel generally have tended downward since 1921, at which time the index stood at 109.2.

*Rents.*—The annual index for rentals was 83.7 in 1936 as compared with 81.3 in 1935, an advance of approximately 3 per cent. The May rental survey indicated an advance from 82.6 to 83.8, while in October a further increase from 83.8 to 84.9 took place. Rentals at the end of 1936 were 6.4 per cent higher than in the spring of 1934, at which time the index had sunk to the lowest point since 1919. Middle grade dwellings and those occupied by workmen accelerated at about the same rate during 1936.

*Clothing.*—Owing to the increased prices for the first three quarters of 1936, the clothing index averaged 70.5 for the year as against 69.9 in 1935. A September survey showed a slight recession, but this was followed by a decided upward movement in December when the index was 71.6, the highest point recorded in some years. Increases occurred in the cost of many individual wearing apparel items, particularly in the cost of woollen garments and shoes.

*Sundries.*—Increases for sub-indexes made for medicines, furniture, amusements, insurance, newspapers, doctors' fees, cleaning supplies and barbers' fees, were more than sufficient to offset declines which affected household effects, street-car fares, tobacco, books, dentists' fees, laundry and motor operating costs causing the index for miscellaneous items to advance from 92.2 in 1935 to 92.9 in 1936. Indexes by months for the latter year fluctuated narrowly between 92.7 and 93.0.

TABLE XX—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1936

(1926=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index	Retail Prices Index (Foods, Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements)	Retail Prices Index (Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements)
1913.....	65.4	66.2	65.8	64.1	63.3	66.2		
1914.....	66.0	68.9	64.5	62.2	63.9	66.2		
1915.....	67.3	69.5	63.2	60.3	69.6	66.9		
1916.....	72.5	77.5	64.5	60.9	79.7	70.2		
1917.....	85.6	100.0	71.7	65.4	93.7	76.8		
1918.....	97.4	114.6	78.9	69.2	109.5	86.1		
1919.....	107.2	122.5	86.2	75.6	125.9	95.4		
1920.....	124.2	141.1	102.6	80.5	153.2	104.0		
1921.....	109.2	107.9	109.2	94.2	124.7	106.0		
1922.....	100.0	91.4	104.6	98.1	105.7	106.0		
1923.....	100.0	92.1	104.6	100.6	104.4	105.3		
1924.....	98.0	90.7	102.0	101.3	101.9	103.3		
1925.....	99.3	94.7	100.0	101.3	101.9	101.3		
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
1927.....	98.4	98.1	97.9	98.8	97.5	99.1	100.0	100.0
1928.....	98.9	98.6	96.9	101.2	97.4	98.8	97.9	97.7
1929.....	99.9	101.0	96.4	103.3	96.9	99.0	97.9	97.3
1930.....	99.2	98.6	95.7	105.9	93.9	99.4	98.9	96.9
1931.....	89.6	77.2	94.2	103.0	82.2	97.4	96.7	94.9
1932.....	81.3	64.3	91.4	94.7	72.3	94.6	82.5	87.3
1933.....	77.5	63.7	87.7	85.1	67.1	92.6	72.6	80.3
1934.....	78.6	69.4	87.7	80.1	69.7	92.1	70.1	76.2
1935.....	79.1	70.4	86.8	81.3	69.9	92.2	73.7	77.7
1936.....	80.8	73.4	86.4	83.7	70.5	92.9	74.1	77.5
1933							75.8	78.0
January.....	78.7	62.8	89.2	90.0	68.4	92.9	70.3	77.4
February.....	77.9	60.6	89.1	90.0	68.4	92.7	69.3	77.4
March.....	77.4	60.4	88.7	90.0	66.2	92.5	68.4	75.9
April.....	77.7	61.3	88.7	90.0	66.2	92.5	68.8	75.9
May.....	76.6	61.9	88.4	84.0	66.2	92.5	69.1	75.8
June.....	76.6	62.2	87.7	84.0	65.8	92.4	69.0	75.4
July.....	76.8	63.2	86.0	84.0	65.8	92.4	69.3	75.4
August.....	78.2	67.8	86.4	84.0	65.8	92.4	71.6	75.1
September.....	78.1	65.9	86.3	84.0	67.9	92.7	71.8	76.4
October.....	77.3	65.4	87.1	80.4	67.9	92.7	71.2	76.6
November.....	77.4	65.8	87.2	80.4	67.9	92.7	71.4	76.7
December.....	77.8	66.6	87.3	80.4	68.5	92.8	72.0	77.1
1934								
January.....	77.9	67.7	87.3	80.4	68.5	92.1	72.4	76.9
February.....	78.4	69.4	87.2	80.4	68.5	92.1	73.3	76.9
March.....	79.7	72.9	87.4	80.4	69.6	92.2	75.3	77.6
April.....	79.1	71.0	87.7	80.4	69.6	92.2	74.5	77.7
May.....	78.2	68.6	87.8	79.7	69.6	92.0	73.2	77.6
June.....	78.0	67.6	87.2	79.7	69.8	92.1	72.8	77.7
July.....	78.2	68.4	87.0	79.7	69.8	92.1	73.1	77.6
August.....	78.5	69.3	87.6	79.7	69.8	92.0	73.6	77.7
September.....	78.5	68.8	88.0	79.7	70.3	92.1	73.6	78.1
October.....	78.8	69.4	88.5	80.3	70.3	92.0	73.9	78.2
November.....	78.9	69.9	88.6	80.3	70.3	92.0	74.2	78.2
December.....	78.7	69.3	88.4	80.3	70.2	92.0	73.8	78.1
1935								
January.....	78.6	68.8	88.7	80.3	70.2	92.0	73.5	78.0
February.....	78.7	69.2	88.7	80.3	70.2	92.0	73.7	78.0
March.....	78.7	69.5	88.6	80.3	70.0	92.0	73.8	77.9
April.....	78.5	68.6	88.6	80.3	70.0	92.1	73.4	77.9
May.....	78.6	68.7	85.8	81.4	70.0	92.0	73.2	77.4
June.....	78.7	69.3	84.7	81.4	69.7	92.5	73.3	77.0
July.....	78.7	69.3	84.6	81.4	69.7	92.3	73.2	76.9
August.....	79.3	71.3	85.3	81.4	69.7	92.3	74.3	77.1
September.....	79.2	70.9	85.3	81.4	69.6	92.5	74.1	77.2
October.....	80.0	72.4	86.4	82.6	69.6	92.3	74.0	77.3
November.....	80.2	73.2	87.0	82.6	69.6	92.3	75.4	77.4
December.....	80.4	73.7	87.1	82.6	69.9	92.1	75.8	77.7
1936								
January.....	80.6	73.9	87.0	82.6	69.9	92.7	75.9	77.7
February.....	80.3	72.9	87.0	82.6	69.9	92.8	75.4	77.7
March.....	80.6	73.4	87.2	82.6	70.2	92.9	75.8	78.0
April.....	79.8	71.0	87.1	82.6	70.2	92.9	74.6	78.0
May.....	80.2	71.3	87.0	83.8	70.2	92.9	74.8	78.0
June.....	80.2	71.3	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	74.8	78.0
July.....	80.6	72.6	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	75.4	78.0
August.....	81.2	74.7	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	76.4	78.0
September.....	81.3	75.1	85.9	83.8	70.6	92.9	76.6	78.0
October.....	81.3	74.4	86.1	84.9	70.6	92.9	76.3	78.0
November.....	81.5	75.0	86.4	84.9	70.6	92.9	76.6	78.1
December.....	81.8	75.3	86.4	84.9	71.6	93.0	77.1	78.8

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TABLE XXI—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1936

(1913=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	101.0	104.0	98.0	97.0	101.0	100.0
1915.....	103.0	104.9	96.1	94.1	110.0	101.0
1916.....	111.0	117.0	98.0	95.0	125.9	106.0
1917.....	131.0	151.0	109.0	102.0	148.0	116.0
1918.....	149.0	173.0	119.9	108.0	173.0	130.0
1919.....	164.0	185.0	131.0	117.9	198.9	144.1
1920.....	190.0	213.1	156.0	134.9	242.1	157.0
1921.....	167.1	162.9	166.0	147.0	197.0	160.1
1922.....	153.0	138.0	159.0	153.0	167.0	160.1
1923.....	153.0	139.1	159.0	156.9	165.0	159.0
1924.....	149.9	137.0	155.0	158.0	161.0	156.0
1925.....	151.9	143.0	152.0	158.0	161.0	153.0
1926.....	153.0	151.0	152.0	156.0	158.0	151.0
1927.....	150.6	148.1	148.8	154.1	154.1	149.6
1928.....	151.3	148.9	147.3	157.9	153.9	149.2
1929.....	152.8	152.5	146.5	161.1	153.1	149.5
1930.....	151.8	148.9	145.5	165.2	148.4	150.1
1931.....	137.1	116.7	143.2	160.7	129.9	147.1
1932.....	124.4	97.1	138.9	147.7	114.2	142.8
1933.....	118.6	96.2	133.3	132.8	106.0	139.8
1934.....	120.3	104.8	133.3	125.0	110.1	139.1
1935.....	121.0	106.3	131.9	126.8	110.4	139.2
1936.....	123.6	110.8	131.3	130.6	111.4	140.3
1933						
January.....	120.4	94.8	135.6	140.4	108.1	140.3
February.....	119.2	91.5	135.4	140.4	108.1	140.0
March.....	118.4	91.2	134.8	140.4	104.6	139.7
April.....	118.9	92.6	134.8	140.4	104.6	139.7
May.....	117.2	93.5	134.4	131.0	104.6	139.7
June.....	117.2	93.9	133.3	131.0	104.0	139.5
July.....	117.5	95.4	130.7	131.0	104.0	139.5
August.....	119.6	102.4	131.3	131.0	104.0	139.5
September.....	119.5	99.5	131.2	131.0	107.3	140.0
October.....	118.3	98.7	132.4	125.4	107.3	140.0
November.....	118.4	99.3	132.5	125.4	107.3	140.0
December.....	119.0	100.6	132.7	125.4	108.2	140.1
1934						
January.....	119.2	102.2	132.7	125.4	108.2	139.1
February.....	120.0	104.8	132.5	125.4	108.2	139.1
March.....	121.9	110.1	132.8	125.4	110.0	139.2
April.....	121.0	107.2	133.3	125.4	110.0	139.2
May.....	119.6	103.6	133.5	124.3	110.0	138.9
June.....	119.3	102.1	132.5	124.3	110.3	139.1
July.....	119.6	103.3	132.2	124.3	110.3	139.1
August.....	120.1	104.6	133.2	124.3	110.3	138.9
September.....	120.1	103.9	133.8	124.3	111.1	139.1
October.....	120.6	104.8	134.5	125.3	111.1	138.9
November.....	120.7	105.5	134.7	125.3	111.1	138.9
December.....	120.4	104.6	134.4	125.3	110.9	138.9
1935						
January.....	120.3	103.9	134.8	125.3	110.9	138.9
February.....	120.4	104.5	134.8	125.3	110.9	138.9
March.....	120.4	104.9	134.7	125.3	110.6	139.1
April.....	120.1	103.6	134.7	125.3	110.6	139.1
May.....	120.3	103.7	130.4	127.0	110.6	138.9
June.....	120.4	104.6	128.7	127.0	110.1	139.7
July.....	120.4	104.6	128.6	127.0	110.1	139.4
August.....	121.3	107.7	129.7	127.0	110.1	139.4
September.....	121.2	107.1	129.7	127.0	110.0	139.7
October.....	122.4	109.3	131.3	128.9	110.0	139.4
November.....	122.7	110.5	132.2	128.9	110.0	139.4
December.....	123.0	111.3	132.4	128.9	110.4	139.1
1936						
January.....	123.3	111.6	132.2	128.9	110.4	140.0
February.....	122.9	110.1	132.2	128.9	110.4	140.1
March.....	123.3	110.8	132.5	128.9	110.9	140.3
April.....	122.1	107.2	132.4	128.9	110.9	140.3
May.....	122.7	107.7	132.2	130.7	110.9	140.3
June.....	122.7	107.7	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.3
July.....	123.3	109.6	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.3
August.....	124.2	112.8	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.3
September.....	124.4	113.4	130.6	130.7	111.5	140.3
October.....	124.4	112.3	130.9	132.4	111.5	140.3
November.....	124.7	113.3	131.3	132.4	111.5	140.3
December.....	125.2	113.7	131.3	132.4	113.1	140.4



TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1932-1936

Year and month	Beef, sirloin (Pound)		Beef, chuck (Pound)		Veal, roast (Pound)		Mutton, roast (Pound)		Pork, fresh (Pound)		Pork, salt (Pound)		Bacon, breakfast (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	22.2	75.3	14.8	92.5	15.7	81.8	19.1	63.9	19.5	64.6	17.6	62.9	24.7	57.2
1926—Av. for year.....	29.4	100.0	15.9	100.0	19.2	100.0	29.8	100.0	30.2	100.0	27.9	100.0	43.2	100.0
1932—Av. for year.....	24.6	83.7	12.9	81.1	13.9	72.4	21.0	73.8	15.2	50.3	15.5	55.6	18.4	42.6
January.....	25.0	85.0	13.3	83.6	15.3	79.7	22.2	74.5	16.0	53.0	17.2	61.6	20.8	48.1
February.....	25.2	85.7	13.4	84.3	15.7	81.8	22.2	74.5	15.8	52.3	16.8	60.2	19.3	44.7
March.....	25.3	86.1	13.7	86.2	15.7	81.8	22.5	75.5	15.6	51.7	16.1	57.7	18.4	42.6
April.....	24.9	84.7	13.4	84.3	14.6	76.0	22.2	74.5	15.3	50.7	15.9	57.0	17.8	41.2
May.....	24.7	84.0	13.3	83.6	13.6	70.8	22.9	76.8	15.2	50.3	15.4	55.2	17.2	39.8
June.....	25.4	86.4	13.3	83.6	13.5	70.3	22.7	76.2	15.0	49.7	15.3	54.8	16.8	38.9
July.....	25.9	88.1	13.4	84.3	13.4	69.8	21.8	73.2	15.0	49.7	15.0	53.8	16.8	38.9
August.....	25.6	87.1	13.1	82.4	13.2	68.8	21.4	71.8	15.6	51.7	15.2	54.5	17.6	40.7
September.....	25.0	85.0	12.7	79.9	13.1	68.2	20.4	68.5	15.9	52.6	15.0	53.8	18.8	43.5
October.....	24.1	82.0	12.4	78.0	13.2	68.8	19.3	64.8	15.7	52.0	15.3	54.8	19.6	45.4
November.....	22.7	77.2	11.9	74.8	12.7	66.1	17.9	60.1	14.5	48.0	14.8	53.0	19.2	44.4
December.....	20.8	70.7	10.9	68.6	12.2	63.5	16.6	55.7	12.9	42.7	14.1	50.5	18.6	43.1
1933—Av. for year.....	21.0	71.4	11.2	70.4	11.9	60.2	18.9	63.4	15.1	50.0	14.8	53.0	19.9	46.1
January.....	20.5	69.7	11.0	69.2	12.0	62.5	16.7	56.0	12.7	42.1	13.9	49.8	18.1	41.9
February.....	20.6	70.1	10.9	68.6	12.2	63.5	17.5	58.7	12.2	40.4	13.4	48.0	17.4	40.3
March.....	20.4	69.4	10.9	68.6	12.4	64.6	17.9	60.1	12.3	40.7	13.5	48.4	17.7	41.0
April.....	20.6	70.1	11.3	71.1	12.3	64.1	19.4	65.1	14.4	47.7	14.3	51.3	18.8	43.5
May.....	21.7	73.8	11.8	74.2	12.0	62.5	21.1	70.8	15.1	50.0	14.6	52.3	19.9	46.1
June.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	21.2	71.1	15.7	52.0	15.1	54.1	20.2	46.8
July.....	22.1	75.2	12.0	75.5	12.0	62.5	20.9	70.1	16.0	53.0	15.2	54.5	20.4	47.2
August.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.7	69.5	17.1	56.6	15.5	55.6	21.2	49.1
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.7	60.9	18.8	63.1	17.1	56.6	15.7	56.3	21.0	48.6
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.0	69.2	11.6	60.4	17.8	59.7	17.2	57.0	16.0	57.3	21.4	49.5
November.....	19.9	67.7	10.6	66.7	11.5	59.9	17.2	57.7	15.8	52.3	15.7	56.3	21.1	48.8
December.....	19.2	65.3	10.2	64.2	11.3	58.9	17.4	58.4	15.8	52.3	15.3	54.8	21.1	48.8
1934—Av. for year.....	21.3	72.4	11.4	71.7	12.1	63.0	20.1	67.4	20.1	66.6	18.6	66.7	30.4	70.4
January.....	20.0	68.0	10.5	66.0	12.2	63.5	19.0	63.8	16.6	55.0	15.7	56.3	21.6	50.0
February.....	21.1	71.8	11.3	71.1	12.5	65.1	20.1	67.4	19.1	63.2	18.3	65.6	24.8	57.4
March.....	21.4	72.8	11.9	74.8	13.1	68.2	20.9	70.1	21.2	70.2	18.8	67.4	28.7	66.4
April.....	21.4	72.8	12.0	75.5	12.9	67.2	20.6	69.1	20.6	68.2	18.7	67.0	29.0	67.1
May.....	22.0	74.8	12.1	76.1	12.2	63.5	22.1	74.2	19.6	64.9	17.9	64.2	28.7	66.4
June.....	22.2	75.5	12.3	77.4	11.9	62.0	21.6	72.5	20.0	66.2	18.3	65.6	29.1	67.4
July.....	22.5	76.5	12.2	76.7	11.9	62.0	20.9	70.1	20.9	69.2	18.8	67.4	31.1	72.0
August.....	22.4	76.2	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.9	70.1	21.7	71.9	19.3	69.2	33.2	76.9
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.9	62.0	19.0	63.8	21.6	71.5	19.6	70.3	35.1	81.3
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.1	69.8	11.7	60.9	18.4	61.7	20.7	68.5	19.6	70.3	36.2	83.8
November.....	20.2	68.7	10.6	66.7	11.6	60.4	18.7	62.8	20.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	34.5	79.9
December.....	19.3	65.6	10.3	64.8	11.6	60.4	18.8	63.1	19.1	63.2	19.1	68.5	32.7	75.7
1935—Av. for year.....	22.9	77.9	12.5	78.6	12.9	67.2	20.8	69.8	21.2	70.2	19.9	71.3	31.0	71.8
January.....	20.0	68.0	10.8	67.9	12.1	63.0	19.8	66.4	19.4	64.2	19.0	68.1	32.3	74.8
February.....	20.9	71.1	11.2	70.4	12.9	67.2	20.7	69.5	19.9	65.9	19.4	69.5	31.9	73.8
March.....	21.2	72.1	11.6	73.0	12.9	67.2	20.9	70.1	20.0	66.2	19.2	68.8	31.5	72.9
April.....	22.5	76.5	12.6	79.2	12.7	66.1	21.5	72.1	20.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	31.2	72.2
May.....	23.7	80.6	13.4	84.3	12.6	65.6	21.6	72.5	20.4	67.5	19.6	70.3	30.3	70.1
June.....	24.8	84.4	14.0	88.1	12.7	66.1	21.5	72.1	21.3	70.5	19.7	70.6	30.1	69.7
July.....	25.1	85.4	14.0	88.1	12.8	66.7	21.4	71.8	22.4	74.2	20.2	72.4	30.1	69.7
August.....	24.8	84.4	13.2	83.0	12.7	66.1	21.1	70.8	22.6	74.8	20.1	72.0	30.5	70.6
September.....	24.3	82.7	12.8	80.5	12.9	67.2	20.9	70.1	23.1	76.5	20.5	73.5	31.6	73.1
October.....	23.4	79.6	12.7	79.9	13.4	69.8	20.3	68.1	22.7	75.2	20.5	73.5	31.8	73.6
November.....	22.5	76.5	12.3	77.4	13.4	69.8	19.9	66.8	21.9	72.5	20.4	73.1	31.2	72.2
December.....	22.3	75.9	12.1	76.1	13.4	69.8	20.2	67.8	20.8	68.9	20.4	73.1	29.9	69.2
1936—Av. for year.....	22.9	77.9	12.5	78.6	13.7	71.4	22.2	74.5	21.4	70.9	20.1	72.0	29.5	68.3
January.....	22.8	77.6	12.6	79.2	14.1	73.4	21.6	72.5	21.1	69.9	20.3	72.8	29.3	67.8
February.....	23.1	78.6	12.9	81.1	14.7	76.6	22.0	73.8	21.3	70.5	20.2	72.4	29.1	67.4
March.....	23.4	79.6	12.9	81.1	15.2	79.2	22.3	74.8	21.1	69.9	20.1	72.0	29.0	67.1
April.....	22.9	77.9	12.6	79.2	13.8	71.9	22.3	74.8	21.0	69.5	19.9	71.3	28.7	66.4
May.....	23.1	78.6	12.9	81.1	13.7	71.4	23.9	80.2	21.2	70.2	20.1	72.0	28.8	66.7
June.....	23.0	78.2	12.7	79.9	13.2	68.8	24.2	81.2	21.2	70.2	19.9	71.3	28.9	66.9
July.....	23.2	78.9	12.5	78.6	13.3	69.3	23.0	77.2	21.9	72.5	20.1	72.0	29.5	68.3
August.....	23.3	78.6	12.6	79.2	13.1	68.2	22.9	76.8	22.4	74.2	20.3	72.8	30.0	69.4
September.....	23.1	79.3	12.3	77.4	13.3	69.3	22.5	75.5	22.4	74.2	20.2	72.4	30.8	71.3
October.....	22.9	77.9	12.1	76.1	13.4	69.8	21.1	70.8	21.7	71.9	20.3	72.8	30.6	70.8
November.....	22.6	76.9	12.0	75.5	13.4	69.8	20.7	69.5	21.1	69.9	19.9	71.3	30.0	69.4
December.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	13.3	69.3	20.4	68.5	20.4	67.5	19.5	69.9	29.1	67.4

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1932-1936—Continued

	Ham, boiled, sliced (Pound)	Fish, cod, salt, boneless (Pound)	Fish, Finnan Haddie (Pound)	Fish, Salmon, kind most sold (Pound)	Lard, pure (Pound)	(A) Eggs, fresh (Dozen)	(B & C) Eggs, storage (Dozen)							
Year and month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	39.8	62.7	12.3	58.9	12.4	60.8	22.8	63.5	19.2	78.4	38.5	82.3	33.0	82.9
1926—Av. for year.....	63.5	100.0	20.9	100.0	20.4	100.0	35.9	100.0	24.5	100.0	46.8	100.0	39.8	100.0
1932—Av. for year.....	36.8	57.9	19.0	90.9	18.2	89.2	24.6	68.5	12.1	49.4	29.4	62.8	22.8	57.3
January.....	39.6	62.4	19.6	93.8	18.9	92.6	25.8	71.9	12.8	52.2	41.8	89.3	32.6	81.9
February.....	38.4	60.5	19.3	92.3	18.5	90.7	25.4	70.8	12.5	51.0	29.7	63.5	22.7	57.0
March.....	37.5	59.1	19.2	91.9	18.2	89.2	24.6	68.5	11.8	48.2	32.8	70.1	25.8	64.8
April.....	36.7	57.8	19.0	90.9	18.1	88.7	25.6	71.3	11.5	46.9	24.8	53.0	19.9	50.0
May.....	36.4	57.3	19.0	90.9	18.0	88.2	25.1	69.9	11.5	46.9	19.5	41.7	15.1	37.9
June.....	36.4	57.3	19.0	90.9	19.1	93.6	24.3	67.7	11.3	46.1	19.2	41.0	15.0	37.7
July.....	36.1	56.9	19.1	91.4	17.7	86.8	24.3	67.7	11.3	46.1	21.5	45.9	16.8	42.2
August.....	36.8	58.0	18.8	90.0	17.8	87.3	24.6	68.5	11.4	46.5	24.1	51.5	19.6	49.2
September.....	36.8	58.0	19.0	90.9	18.1	88.7	24.6	68.5	12.1	49.4	25.6	54.7	20.4	51.3
October.....	36.6	57.6	19.5	93.3	18.1	88.7	24.1	67.1	12.6	51.4	30.3	64.7	23.9	60.1
November.....	35.9	56.5	18.3	87.6	18.1	88.7	23.8	66.3	13.3	54.3	38.6	82.5	29.4	73.9
December.....	34.1	53.7	18.2	87.1	17.2	84.3	23.0	64.1	12.9	52.7	45.2	96.6	32.1	80.7
1933—Av. for year.....	36.7	57.8	17.4	83.2	16.5	80.9	22.6	62.9	12.6	51.4	28.2	60.2	21.7	54.5
January.....	33.7	53.1	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	23.4	65.2	12.3	50.4	39.1	68.5	29.5	74.1
February.....	32.4	51.0	17.9	85.6	16.7	81.9	22.7	63.2	11.7	47.8	38.8	61.5	22.5	56.5
March.....	31.9	50.2	16.5	78.9	16.3	79.9	23.0	64.1	11.5	46.9	27.8	59.4	22.6	56.8
April.....	33.9	53.4	16.8	80.4	15.8	77.4	22.7	63.2	12.3	50.2	23.0	49.1	18.1	45.5
May.....	35.6	56.1	17.6	84.2	16.4	80.4	22.9	63.8	12.8	52.2	19.2	41.0	15.4	38.7
June.....	36.0	56.7	17.6	84.2	16.8	82.4	22.5	62.7	12.9	52.7	19.2	41.0	15.3	38.4
July.....	38.5	60.6	17.7	84.7	16.4	80.4	22.3	62.1	12.7	51.8	21.1	45.0	17.1	43.0
August.....	41.1	64.7	17.3	82.8	16.5	80.9	22.8	63.5	12.8	52.2	23.5	50.2	19.5	49.0
September.....	40.9	64.4	18.0	86.1	16.2	79.4	22.3	62.1	12.8	52.2	24.4	52.1	19.5	49.0
October.....	40.1	63.1	17.8	85.2	17.4	85.3	22.2	61.8	13.1	53.5	29.2	62.4	22.6	56.8
November.....	38.9	61.2	17.3	82.8	16.1	78.9	22.3	62.1	13.2	53.9	37.9	81.0	27.8	69.8
December.....	38.0	59.8	16.8	83.4	16.3	79.9	22.6	62.9	13.3	54.3	44.8	95.7	30.8	77.4
1934—Av. for year.....	46.7	73.5	17.3	82.8	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	13.5	55.1	29.9	63.9	25.9	65.1
January.....	38.3	60.3	17.2	82.3	16.4	80.4	22.6	63.0	13.5	55.1	40.7	87.0	30.4	76.4
February.....	41.6	65.5	16.7	79.9	16.4	80.4	23.0	64.1	13.5	55.1	35.3	75.4	28.4	71.4
March.....	45.8	72.1	16.9	80.9	16.7	81.9	22.4	62.4	13.8	56.3	40.5	86.5	34.6	86.9
April.....	46.1	72.6	16.9	80.9	17.3	84.8	22.9	63.8	13.5	55.1	27.1	57.9	22.8	57.3
May.....	45.8	72.1	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	13.1	53.5	23.1	47.6	18.5	46.5
June.....	46.4	73.1	17.7	84.7	16.8	82.4	22.2	61.8	12.9	52.7	22.3	47.6	18.6	46.7
July.....	48.1	75.7	17.8	85.2	17.0	83.3	22.5	62.7	12.6	51.4	24.8	53.0	21.1	53.0
August.....	50.1	78.9	17.3	82.8	17.3	84.8	22.2	61.8	12.7	51.8	26.9	57.5	22.6	56.8
September.....	50.6	79.7	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	22.7	63.2	13.2	53.9	27.5	58.8	23.6	59.3
October.....	50.6	79.7	17.4	83.3	17.2	84.3	22.6	63.0	14.5	59.2	32.6	69.7	27.2	68.3
November.....	49.0	77.2	17.5	83.7	16.9	82.8	22.4	62.4	14.6	59.6	40.4	86.3	31.7	79.6
December.....	47.9	75.4	17.1	81.8	17.0	83.3	22.3	62.1	14.6	59.6	41.4	88.5	31.2	78.4
1935—Av. for year.....	50.1	78.9	17.1	81.8	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	16.1	65.7	31.2	66.7	25.8	64.8
January.....	47.2	74.3	16.2	77.5	16.7	81.9	22.2	61.8	14.6	59.6	37.1	79.3	29.3	73.6
February.....	47.6	75.0	16.9	80.9	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	14.9	60.8	32.9	70.3	27.0	67.8
March.....	47.7	75.1	16.6	79.4	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	15.1	61.6	31.4	67.1	25.9	65.1
April.....	47.5	74.8	16.8	80.4	16.6	81.4	22.6	63.0	15.2	62.0	24.3	51.9	20.3	51.0
May.....	47.8	75.3	17.2	82.3	16.5	80.9	22.4	62.4	15.2	62.0	22.0	47.0	18.6	46.7
June.....	49.2	77.5	16.8	80.4	17.1	83.8	22.6	63.0	15.3	62.4	22.6	48.3	18.9	47.5
July.....	50.4	79.4	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	15.5	63.3	24.7	52.8	21.1	53.0
August.....	52.5	82.7	17.7	84.7	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	15.9	64.9	27.7	59.2	23.7	59.5
September.....	54.0	85.0	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	22.4	62.4	17.2	70.2	31.2	66.7	26.4	66.3
October.....	53.5	84.3	17.7	84.7	16.9	82.8	22.0	61.3	18.1	73.9	35.8	76.5	30.1	75.6
November.....	52.4	82.5	17.3	82.8	17.1	83.8	22.3	62.1	18.3	74.7	41.5	88.7	33.4	83.9
December.....	51.7	81.4	17.1	81.8	16.8	82.4	22.0	61.3	18.3	74.7	43.4	92.7	34.7	87.2
1936—Av. for year.....	51.7	81.4	17.2	82.3	17.0	83.3	21.7	60.4	16.1	65.7	33.8	72.2	27.9	70.1
January.....	51.2	80.6	16.9	80.9	17.0	83.3	22.2	61.8	17.9	73.1	41.5	88.7	33.9	85.2
February.....	50.4	79.4	16.9	80.9	17.0	83.3	21.9	61.0	17.2	70.2	33.8	72.2	28.8	72.4
March.....	50.4	79.4	16.6	79.4	17.1	83.8	21.9	61.0	16.6	67.8	38.1	81.4	31.6	79.4
April.....	50.2	79.1	17.0	81.3	16.9	82.8	22.1	61.6	16.0	65.3	28.1	60.0	23.2	58.3
May.....	50.3	79.2	17.2	82.3	17.0	83.3	22.0	61.3	15.9	64.9	23.7	50.6	19.9	50.0
June.....	50.9	80.2	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	21.3	59.3	15.6	63.7	24.4	52.1	20.5	51.5
July.....	51.9	81.7	17.9	85.6	17.4	85.3	21.8	60.7	15.3	62.4	27.2	58.1	23.4	58.8
August.....	53.5	84.3	17.4	83.3	16.8	82.4	21.4	59.6	15.4	62.9	30.1	64.3	25.6	64.3
September.....	53.8	84.7	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	21.7	60.4	15.6	63.7	33.5	71.6	28.5	71.6
October.....	53.2	83.8	17.1	81.8	17.1	83.8	21.5	59.9	15.7	64.1	35.5	75.9	29.6	74.4
November.....	52.6	82.8	17.5	83.7	17.3	84.8	21.2	59.1	15.8	64.5	43.9	93.8	34.3	86.2
December.....	51.6	81.3	17.3	82.8	16.9	82.8	21.3	59.3	15.9	64.9	45.6	97.4	35.2	88.4

(a) Eggs, Grade "A".

(b) Eggs, Grades "B" and "C".

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1932-1936—Continued

Year and month	Milk (Quart)		Butter, dairy (Pound)		Butter, creamery (Pound)		Cheese (Pound)		Bread (Pound)		Flour (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	8.6	71.7	29.2	72.1	33.9	75.8	19.8	62.3	4.1	55.4	3.2	60.4
1926—Av. for year.....	12.0	100.0	40.5	100.0	44.7	100.0	31.8	100.0	7.4	100.0	5.3	100.0
1932—Av. for year.....	9.9	82.5	21.6	53.3	25.3	56.6	20.6	64.8	5.9	79.7	2.9	54.7
January.....	10.7	89.2	24.3	60.0	27.5	61.5	22.1	69.5	6.3	85.1	3.1	58.5
February.....	10.4	86.7	22.5	55.6	25.9	57.9	21.4	67.3	6.3	85.1	3.0	56.6
March.....	10.2	85.0	20.3	50.1	24.1	53.9	21.3	67.0	6.3	85.1	3.0	56.6
April.....	10.1	84.2	25.9	64.0	31.2	69.8	21.2	66.7	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6
May.....	10.0	83.3	21.3	52.6	24.5	54.8	21.0	66.0	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6
June.....	9.8	81.7	19.5	48.1	22.6	50.5	20.7	65.1	6.2	83.8	3.0	56.6
July.....	9.6	80.0	17.8	44.0	21.6	48.3	20.1	63.2	5.7	77.0	2.9	54.7
August.....	9.6	80.0	18.3	45.2	22.1	49.4	20.2	63.5	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7
September.....	9.6	80.0	20.8	51.4	25.0	55.9	19.8	62.3	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7
October.....	9.5	79.2	22.9	56.5	26.9	60.2	20.0	62.9	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7
November.....	9.6	80.0	22.6	55.8	26.4	59.1	19.9	62.6	5.6	75.7	2.8	52.8
December.....	9.8	81.7	22.6	55.8	25.9	57.9	19.8	62.3	5.8	78.4	2.7	50.9
1933—Av. for year.....	9.5	79.2	22.0	54.3	25.5	57.0	19.6	61.6	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7
January.....	9.7	80.8	22.8	56.3	26.1	58.4	19.6	61.6	5.7	77.0	2.6	49.1
February.....	9.7	80.8	22.3	55.1	25.7	57.5	19.4	61.0	5.7	77.0	2.6	49.1
March.....	9.7	80.8	22.7	56.0	26.9	60.2	19.2	60.4	5.6	75.7	2.6	49.1
April.....	9.3	77.5	24.9	61.5	28.8	64.4	19.5	61.3	5.2	70.3	2.6	49.1
May.....	9.3	77.5	24.0	59.3	27.0	60.4	19.8	62.3	5.3	71.6	2.7	50.9
June.....	9.1	75.8	20.8	51.4	23.9	53.5	19.3	60.7	5.3	75.7	2.9	54.7
July.....	9.2	76.7	19.9	49.1	23.8	53.2	19.4	61.0	5.7	77.0	3.0	56.6
August.....	9.2	76.7	21.3	52.6	25.4	56.8	19.9	62.6	5.8	78.4	3.3	62.3
September.....	9.4	78.3	21.0	51.9	24.3	54.4	19.6	61.6	6.1	82.4	3.3	62.3
October.....	9.6	80.0	21.1	52.1	24.4	54.6	19.7	61.9	5.7	77.0	3.2	60.4
November.....	9.7	80.8	21.0	51.9	24.3	54.4	19.7	61.9	5.8	78.4	3.1	58.5
December.....	9.7	80.8	22.2	54.8	25.6	57.3	19.7	61.9	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
1934—Av. for year.....	10.0	83.3	23.6	58.3	27.0	60.4	19.9	62.6	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4
January.....	9.9	82.5	24.4	60.2	28.4	63.5	19.7	61.9	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
February.....	10.0	83.3	25.7	63.5	29.7	66.4	20.1	63.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
March.....	9.9	82.5	28.3	69.9	32.5	72.7	20.3	63.8	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
April.....	10.0	83.3	29.3	72.3	32.9	73.6	20.4	64.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
May.....	10.0	83.3	24.5	60.5	27.8	62.2	20.1	63.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
June.....	9.9	82.5	22.2	54.8	25.3	56.6	19.9	62.6	5.5	74.3	3.2	60.4
July.....	9.9	82.5	22.0	54.3	25.1	56.2	20.0	62.9	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3
August.....	9.9	82.5	20.8	51.4	24.1	53.9	19.9	62.6	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3
September.....	10.0	83.3	20.0	51.9	23.9	53.5	19.9	62.6	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
October.....	10.1	84.2	21.8	53.8	24.6	55.0	19.8	62.3	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
November.....	10.6	88.3	21.7	53.6	24.4	54.6	19.6	61.6	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2
December.....	10.5	87.5	22.2	54.8	25.1	56.2	19.4	61.0	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
1935—Av. for year.....	10.5	87.5	23.7	58.5	27.3	61.1	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
January.....	10.4	86.7	22.2	54.8	25.5	57.0	19.4	61.0	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
February.....	10.4	86.7	24.3	60.0	28.0	62.6	19.7	61.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
March.....	10.5	87.5	25.4	62.7	29.6	66.2	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
April.....	10.5	87.5	24.6	60.7	28.1	62.9	20.0	62.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
May.....	10.5	87.5	24.9	61.5	28.6	64.0	20.2	63.5	5.6	75.7	3.4	64.2
June.....	10.5	87.5	23.3	57.5	26.3	58.8	20.0	62.9	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2
July.....	10.3	85.8	21.4	52.8	24.8	55.5	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
August.....	10.3	85.8	21.3	52.6	25.0	55.9	19.7	61.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
September.....	10.4	86.7	21.9	54.1	25.4	56.8	19.6	61.6	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4
October.....	10.6	88.3	23.5	58.0	27.1	60.6	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
November.....	10.6	88.3	24.9	61.5	28.6	64.0	20.5	64.5	5.7	77.0	3.5	66.0
December.....	10.6	88.3	26.5	65.4	30.3	67.8	20.5	64.5	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
1936—Av. for year.....	10.7	89.2	24.8	61.2	28.3	63.3	21.1	66.4	5.9	79.7	3.5	66.0
January.....	10.7	89.2	26.9	66.4	30.6	68.5	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
February.....	10.7	89.2	26.4	65.2	30.1	67.3	20.5	64.5	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
March.....	10.7	89.2	25.6	63.2	28.7	64.2	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
April.....	10.7	89.2	24.7	61.0	27.6	61.7	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
May.....	10.7	89.2	23.6	58.3	26.8	60.0	20.4	64.2	5.9	79.7	3.4	64.2
June.....	10.7	89.2	22.0	54.3	25.2	56.4	20.3	63.8	5.9	79.7	3.4	64.2
July.....	10.4	86.7	22.3	55.1	26.2	58.6	20.7	65.1	5.9	79.7	3.3	62.3
August.....	10.4	86.7	23.9	59.0	28.0	62.6	21.0	66.0	6.0	81.1	3.5	66.0
September.....	10.5	87.5	25.4	62.7	29.6	66.2	21.8	68.6	6.1	82.4	3.7	69.8
October.....	10.8	90.0	25.8	63.7	29.2	65.3	22.4	70.4	6.1	82.4	3.8	71.7
November.....	10.8	90.0	25.4	62.7	28.4	63.5	22.5	70.8	6.1	82.4	3.9	73.6
December.....	10.9	90.8	26.0	64.2	29.4	65.8	22.4	70.4	6.2	83.8	3.9	73.6



TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1932-1936—Continued

	Soda Biscuits (Pound)		Rolled Oats (Pound)		Rice (Pound)		Tapioca, med. pearl (Pound)		Tomatoes, 2½'s, canned (tin)		Peas, 2's, canned (tin)		Corn, 2's, canned (tin)	
Year and month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.3	61.4	4.4	75.9	5.7	52.3	9.6	74.4	11.8	72.4	11.1	64.2	10.4	63.8
1926—Av. for year.....	18.4	100.0	5.8	100.0	10.9	100.0	12.9	100.0	16.3	100.0	17.3	100.0	16.3	100.0
1932—Av. for year.....	15.0	81.5	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	11.1	86.0	11.0	67.5	11.0	63.6	11.3	69.3
January.....	15.0	81.5	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	11.3	87.6	10.7	65.6	10.7	61.8	11.5	70.6
February.....	15.1	82.1	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	11.2	86.8	10.5	64.4	10.5	60.7	11.1	68.1
March.....	15.1	82.1	4.7	81.0	8.7	79.8	11.2	86.8	10.4	63.8	10.4	60.1	10.9	66.9
April.....	15.0	81.5	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	11.0	85.3	10.5	64.4	10.5	60.7	10.8	66.3
May.....	14.9	81.0	4.7	81.0	8.6	78.9	11.2	86.8	10.7	65.6	10.7	61.8	11.0	67.5
June.....	15.1	82.1	4.7	81.0	8.5	78.0	11.2	86.8	10.8	66.3	10.8	62.4	11.0	67.5
July.....	15.1	82.1	4.8	82.8	8.6	78.9	11.1	86.0	11.0	68.1	11.0	63.6	11.3	69.3
August.....	14.8	80.4	4.8	82.8	8.5	78.0	11.0	85.3	11.2	68.7	11.1	64.2	11.3	69.3
September.....	15.4	82.7	4.8	82.8	8.5	78.0	11.1	86.0	11.3	69.3	11.3	65.3	11.5	70.6
October.....	15.2	82.6	4.8	82.8	8.4	77.1	11.0	85.3	11.5	70.6	11.4	65.9	11.5	70.6
November.....	14.7	79.9	4.7	81.0	8.3	76.1	10.8	83.7	11.5	70.6	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2
December.....	14.9	81.0	4.6	79.3	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	11.5	66.5	11.6	71.2
1933—Av. for year.....	14.9	81.0	4.8	82.8	8.0	73.4	10.7	82.9	11.7	71.8	11.8	68.2	11.6	71.2
January.....	14.9	81.0	4.6	79.3	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	11.6	67.1	11.7	71.8
February.....	15.0	81.5	4.6	79.3	8.0	73.4	10.7	82.9	11.7	71.8	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2
March.....	14.6	79.3	4.5	77.6	8.0	73.4	10.6	82.2	11.6	71.2	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2
April.....	14.5	78.8	4.5	77.6	7.9	72.5	10.6	82.2	11.7	71.8	11.7	67.6	11.6	71.2
May.....	14.7	79.9	4.6	79.3	7.9	72.5	10.7	82.9	11.7	71.8	11.7	67.6	11.5	70.6
June.....	14.8	80.4	4.7	81.0	7.9	72.5	10.6	82.2	11.6	71.2	11.5	66.5	11.4	69.9
July.....	14.9	81.0	4.8	82.8	8.0	73.4	10.7	82.9	11.6	71.2	11.4	65.9	11.3	69.3
August.....	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.6	71.2	11.8	68.2	11.3	69.3
September.....	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.7	82.9	11.8	72.4	11.8	68.2	11.6	71.2
October.....	15.2	82.6	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	10.7	82.9	11.8	72.4	12.2	70.5	11.7	71.8
November.....	15.0	81.5	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	11.8	72.4	12.3	71.1	11.7	71.8
December.....	15.3	83.1	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.7	71.8	12.2	70.5	11.7	71.8
1934—Av. for year.....	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.7	71.8
January.....	14.9	81.0	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.7	71.8	12.4	71.7	11.7	71.8
February.....	15.1	82.1	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.6	71.2	12.5	72.3	11.8	72.4
March.....	14.5	78.8	5.0	86.2	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.7	71.8	12.7	73.4	11.9	73.0
April.....	14.9	81.0	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4
May.....	14.8	80.4	4.9	84.5	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.5	70.6	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4
June.....	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4
July.....	14.6	79.3	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4
August.....	14.8	80.4	5.1	87.9	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.4	70.0	12.7	73.4	11.7	71.8
September.....	15.2	82.6	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.6	71.2
October.....	14.9	81.0	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.3	69.3	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2
November.....	14.7	79.9	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.3	69.3	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6
December.....	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9
1935—Av. for year.....	14.5	78.8	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.9	66.9	12.4	71.7	11.5	70.6
January.....	14.3	77.7	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.2	68.7	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9
February.....	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.1	68.1	12.7	73.4	11.4	69.9
March.....	14.1	76.6	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6
April.....	14.1	76.6	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.0	85.3	10.9	66.9	12.6	72.8	11.4	69.9
May.....	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.0	85.3	10.8	66.3	12.6	72.8	11.4	69.9
June.....	14.2	77.2	5.3	91.4	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	10.8	66.3	12.7	73.4	11.5	70.6
July.....	14.4	78.3	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.1	86.0	10.7	65.6	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2
August.....	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	10.7	65.6	12.4	71.7	11.5	70.6
September.....	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.7	65.6	12.7	70.5	11.5	70.6
October.....	15.0	81.5	5.3	91.4	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.8	66.3	12.1	69.9	11.5	70.6
November.....	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	10.8	66.3	12.1	69.9	11.6	71.2
December.....	15.2	82.6	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.0	67.5	12.1	69.9	11.7	71.8
1936—Av. for year.....	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	11.9	68.8	11.9	73.0
January.....	15.1	82.1	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	11.0	67.5	12.0	69.4	11.7	71.8
February.....	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.0	67.5	12.0	69.4	11.8	72.4
March.....	14.9	81.0	5.1	87.9	7.8	71.6	10.8	83.7	11.1	68.1	11.9	68.8	11.8	72.4
April.....	14.8	80.4	5.1	87.9	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	11.9	68.8	11.8	72.4
May.....	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.1	68.1	11.8	68.2	11.8	72.4
June.....	15.1	82.1	5.1	87.9	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.2	68.7	11.7	67.6	11.8	72.4
July.....	15.0	81.5	5.1	87.9	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.4	69.9	11.5	66.5	11.7	71.8
August.....	15.1	82.1	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.9	73.0	11.7	67.6	11.7	71.8
September.....	15.0	81.5	5.3	91.4	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	12.3	75.5	12.0	69.4	12.0	73.6
October.....	15.2	82.6	5.4	93.1	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	12.3	75.5	12.2	70.5	12.0	73.6
November.....	15.0	81.5	5.4	93.1	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	12.4	76.1	12.1	69.9	12.1	74.2
December.....	15.2	82.6	5.4	93.1	8.0	73.4	11.0	85.3	12.6	77.3	12.1	69.9	12.2	74.8

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1932-1936—Continued

Year and month	Beans (Pound)		Onions, dry, yellow, etc. (Pound)		Potatoes (Peck)		Apples, evaporated (Pound)		Prunes, (Pound)		Raisins, seeded (15 oz. pkg.)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	6-2	78-5	3-9	67-2	18-0	35-7	12-0	60-3	11-9	75-8	11-7	63-9
1926—Av. for year.....	7-9	100-0	5-8	100-0	50-4	100-0	19-9	100-0	15-7	100-0	18-3	100-0
1932—Av. for year.....	4-3	54-4	5-1	87-9	17-1	33-9	15-9	79-9	11-0	70-1	17-8	97-3
January.....	4-8	60-7	3-8	65-5	15-8	31-3	16-6	83-4	11-7	74-5	17-4	95-1
February.....	4-6	58-2	4-0	69-0	16-1	31-9	16-3	81-9	11-4	72-6	17-6	96-2
March.....	4-4	55-7	4-4	75-9	15-8	31-3	16-4	82-4	11-4	72-6	17-7	96-7
April.....	4-3	54-4	5-2	89-7	15-3	30-4	15-8	79-4	11-0	70-1	17-8	97-3
May.....	4-3	54-4	6-6	113-8	15-2	30-1	15-9	79-9	10-8	68-8	17-9	97-8
June.....	4-3	54-4	7-7	132-8	14-7	29-2	15-5	77-9	11-0	70-1	18-0	98-4
July.....	4-3	54-4	8-2	141-4	14-9	29-6	15-7	78-9	10-9	69-4	18-1	98-9
August.....	4-2	53-2	6-3	108-6	26-4	52-4	15-9	80-0	11-0	70-1	18-0	98-4
September.....	4-3	54-4	4-5	77-6	18-4	36-5	16-1	80-9	11-2	71-3	18-0	98-4
October.....	4-3	54-4	3-5	60-3	17-3	34-3	15-7	78-9	10-8	68-8	17-9	97-8
November.....	4-2	53-2	3-3	56-9	17-3	34-3	15-8	79-4	10-7	68-2	17-5	95-6
December.....	4-0	50-6	3-4	58-6	18-1	35-9	15-5	77-9	10-6	67-5	17-3	94-5
1933—Av. for year.....	4-1	51-9	4-2	72-4	23-0	45-6	15-0	75-4	11-4	72-6	16-9	92-9
January.....	3-9	49-4	3-5	60-3	19-0	37-7	15-4	77-4	10-8	68-8	17-2	94-0
February.....	3-8	48-1	3-5	60-3	19-2	38-1	14-9	74-9	10-6	67-5	17-2	94-0
March.....	3-8	48-1	3-4	58-6	19-2	38-1	14-7	73-9	10-8	68-8	17-0	92-9
April.....	3-7	46-8	3-4	58-6	19-1	37-9	14-8	74-4	10-9	69-4	17-1	93-4
May.....	3-8	48-1	3-9	67-2	19-4	38-5	14-9	74-9	11-2	71-3	17-0	92-9
June.....	4-0	50-6	5-6	96-0	20-8	41-3	14-9	74-9	11-3	72-0	17-0	92-9
July.....	4-1	51-9	6-3	108-6	22-3	44-2	15-2	76-4	11-7	74-5	16-9	92-3
August.....	4-4	55-7	5-9	101-7	41-0	81-3	15-1	75-9	11-7	74-5	16-9	92-3
September.....	4-4	55-7	4-6	79-3	28-4	56-3	15-4	77-4	12-0	76-4	16-8	91-8
October.....	4-5	57-0	3-5	60-3	23-9	47-4	15-0	75-4	12-1	77-1	16-9	92-3
November.....	4-4	55-7	3-3	56-9	22-2	44-0	15-1	75-9	12-1	77-1	16-8	91-8
December.....	4-4	55-7	3-4	58-6	21-6	42-9	15-2	76-4	12-2	77-7	16-7	91-2
1934—Av. for year.....	4-6	58-2	4-2	72-4	22-5	44-6	15-1	75-9	12-7	80-9	16-7	91-3
January.....	4-4	55-7	3-5	60-3	22-1	43-8	15-4	77-4	12-3	78-3	16-7	91-3
February.....	4-4	55-7	3-7	63-8	23-5	46-6	15-3	76-9	12-5	79-6	16-8	91-8
March.....	4-5	57-0	3-8	65-5	26-4	52-4	14-9	74-9	12-7	80-9	16-9	92-3
April.....	4-5	57-0	3-9	67-2	26-9	53-4	15-3	76-9	12-7	80-9	16-8	91-8
May.....	4-5	57-0	4-1	70-7	25-9	51-4	15-0	75-4	12-7	80-9	16-8	91-8
June.....	4-6	58-2	5-4	93-1	24-3	48-2	15-2	76-4	12-7	80-9	16-8	91-8
July.....	4-6	58-2	6-3	108-6	23-1	45-8	14-7	73-9	12-7	80-9	16-8	91-8
August.....	4-7	59-5	5-6	96-6	25-7	51-0	15-1	75-9	12-9	82-2	16-7	91-3
September.....	4-6	58-2	4-3	74-1	20-4	40-5	15-4	77-4	12-9	82-2	16-6	90-7
October.....	4-7	59-5	3-5	60-3	18-6	36-9	15-1	75-9	12-9	82-2	16-7	91-3
November.....	4-9	62-0	3-3	56-9	16-7	33-1	14-9	74-9	12-8	81-5	16-5	90-2
December.....	4-9	62-0	3-3	56-9	16-0	31-7	15-0	75-4	12-6	80-3	16-4	89-6
1935—Av. for year.....	5-2	65-8	4-5	77-6	19-3	38-3	15-5	77-9	12-2	77-7	16-5	90-2
January.....	5-0	63-3	3-5	60-3	16-4	32-5	15-0	75-4	12-5	79-6	16-6	90-7
February.....	5-1	64-6	3-7	63-8	16-5	32-7	15-1	75-9	12-5	79-6	16-5	90-2
March.....	5-1	64-6	3-9	67-2	16-8	33-3	14-9	74-9	12-5	79-6	16-5	90-2
April.....	5-2	65-8	4-1	70-7	16-9	33-5	15-3	76-9	12-3	78-3	16-5	90-2
May.....	5-2	65-8	4-6	79-3	16-6	32-9	15-6	78-4	12-3	78-3	16-5	90-2
June.....	5-3	67-1	6-4	110-3	16-7	33-1	15-9	79-9	12-4	79-0	16-6	90-7
July.....	5-4	68-4	7-5	129-3	16-3	32-3	16-0	80-4	12-3	78-3	16-4	89-6
August.....	5-3	67-1	6-1	105-2	27-5	54-6	16-1	80-9	12-3	78-3	16-5	90-2
September.....	5-2	65-8	4-2	72-4	20-4	40-5	15-7	78-9	12-1	77-1	16-6	90-7
October.....	5-3	67-1	3-5	60-3	22-1	43-8	15-4	77-4	12-0	76-4	16-4	89-6
November.....	5-3	67-1	3-4	58-6	22-0	43-7	15-4	77-4	11-6	73-9	16-4	89-6
December.....	5-4	68-4	3-5	60-3	23-6	46-8	15-7	78-9	11-3	72-0	16-6	90-7
1936—Av. for year.....	5-5	69-6	4-3	74-1	30-9	61-3	16-0	80-4	11-1	70-7	16-5	90-2
January.....	5-4	68-4	3-6	62-1	24-2	48-0	15-4	77-4	11-4	72-6	16-4	89-6
February.....	5-4	68-4	3-8	65-5	25-4	50-4	16-0	80-4	11-2	71-3	16-5	90-2
March.....	5-4	68-4	3-9	67-2	26-2	52-0	15-8	79-4	10-9	69-4	16-5	90-2
April.....	5-0	63-3	4-0	69-0	26-0	51-6	15-8	79-4	11-0	70-1	16-5	90-2
May.....	5-0	63-3	4-7	81-0	30-5	60-5	15-5	77-9	10-8	68-8	16-5	90-2
June.....	4-8	60-8	5-7	98-3	32-3	64-1	15-8	79-4	10-9	69-4	16-4	89-6
July.....	4-9	62-0	6-0	103-4	37-7	74-8	16-2	81-4	10-8	68-8	16-5	90-2
August.....	5-1	64-6	5-2	89-7	42-8	84-9	15-7	78-9	11-1	70-7	16-4	89-6
September.....	5-7	72-2	4-2	72-4	36-8	73-0	16-4	82-4	11-3	72-0	16-6	90-7
October.....	6-2	78-5	3-6	62-1	30-6	60-7	16-5	82-9	11-2	71-3	16-5	90-2
November.....	6-4	81-0	3-3	56-9	28-6	56-7	16-7	83-9	11-3	72-0	16-5	90-2
December.....	6-7	84-8	3-4	58-6	29-4	58-3	15-9	79-9	11-3	72-0	16-6	90-7

TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1932-1936—Continued

Year and month	Currants, all grades (Pound)		Jam, raspberry, (4 lb. tin)		Peaches, canned, 2's (tin)		Marmalade, orange, (4 lb. tin)		Corn Syrup, (5 lb. tin)		Sugar, granulated (Pound)		Sugar, yellow (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.5	61.8	64.7	76.0	21.0	72.7	56.4	81.7	34.2	75.0	5.9	75.6	5.5	73.3
1926—Av. for year.....	18.6	100.0	85.2	100.0	28.9	100.0	68.8	100.0	45.6	100.0	7.8	100.0	7.5	100.0
1932—Av. for year.....	16.9	90.9	57.7	67.8	21.6	74.7	51.4	74.5	40.2	88.2	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0
January.....	16.6	89.2	59.7	70.2	22.3	77.2	52.3	75.8	40.8	89.5	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7
February.....	16.8	90.3	58.4	68.6	22.5	77.9	52.5	76.1	40.8	89.5	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7
March.....	17.0	91.4	57.5	67.6	21.8	75.4	51.3	74.3	40.5	88.8	6.1	78.2	5.9	78.7
April.....	17.0	91.4	57.6	67.7	21.7	75.1	50.8	73.6	40.2	88.2	6.0	76.9	5.8	77.3
May.....	17.0	91.4	57.1	67.1	21.4	74.0	51.0	73.9	40.5	88.8	6.0	76.9	5.7	76.0
June.....	17.1	91.9	60.2	70.7	21.6	74.7	52.4	75.9	39.8	87.3	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0
July.....	17.3	93.0	57.4	67.5	21.3	73.7	51.2	74.2	40.4	88.6	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0
August.....	16.9	90.9	57.5	67.6	21.4	74.0	50.2	72.8	40.2	88.2	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7
September.....	17.3	93.0	55.9	65.7	21.7	75.1	51.3	74.3	40.1	87.9	5.9	75.6	5.7	76.0
October.....	17.0	91.4	56.9	66.9	21.4	74.0	51.6	74.8	40.4	88.6	5.8	74.4	5.7	76.0
November.....	16.7	89.8	57.1	67.1	21.4	74.0	52.3	75.8	39.9	87.5	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7
December.....	16.2	87.1	56.6	66.5	20.7	71.6	50.1	72.6	39.3	83.2	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7
1933—Av. for year.....	16.2	87.1	58.0	68.2	20.3	70.2	51.2	74.2	40.3	88.4	7.3	93.6	7.1	94.7
January.....	16.1	86.6	56.0	65.8	20.9	72.3	50.8	73.6	39.3	86.2	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7
February.....	16.1	86.6	56.0	65.8	20.9	72.3	49.2	71.3	39.3	86.2	5.7	73.1	5.6	74.7
March.....	16.3	87.6	54.8	64.4	20.5	70.9	47.6	69.0	39.0	85.5	5.6	71.8	5.5	73.3
April.....	16.3	87.6	54.8	64.4	20.3	70.2	48.4	70.1	39.0	85.5	7.4	94.9	7.1	94.7
May.....	16.3	87.6	56.8	66.7	20.3	70.2	50.4	73.0	39.7	87.1	7.8	100.0	7.6	101.3
June.....	16.3	87.6	56.8	66.7	20.2	69.9	50.0	72.5	40.2	88.2	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.6
July.....	16.3	87.6	57.6	67.7	19.9	68.9	51.2	74.2	40.3	88.4	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.6
August.....	16.5	88.7	60.4	71.0	19.9	68.9	51.6	74.8	41.0	89.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.6
September.....	16.3	87.6	55.6	65.3	20.3	70.2	52.8	76.5	41.2	90.3	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.6
October.....	16.1	86.6	62.0	72.9	20.1	69.5	54.0	78.3	41.4	90.8	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0
November.....	16.1	86.6	62.8	73.8	20.0	69.2	56.0	81.2	41.9	91.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.6
December.....	15.7	84.4	62.4	73.3	20.1	69.5	53.2	77.1	41.9	91.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.6
1934—Av. for year.....	16.0	86.0	61.6	72.3	20.2	69.9	54.4	79.1	42.6	93.4	7.2	92.3	7.0	93.3
January.....	15.9	85.5	63.2	74.2	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.3	92.8	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0
February.....	16.0	86.0	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.5	93.2	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.6
March.....	16.2	87.1	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.6
April.....	16.3	87.6	63.6	74.6	19.9	68.9	55.2	80.2	42.3	92.8	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.6
May.....	16.3	87.6	61.6	72.3	20.0	69.2	54.4	79.1	42.3	92.8	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.6
June.....	16.3	87.6	62.0	72.8	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.5	93.2	7.0	89.7	6.8	90.0
July.....	16.1	86.6	61.2	71.8	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.3	92.8	6.8	87.2	6.6	88.0
August.....	16.2	87.1	60.4	70.9	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.4	93.0	6.7	85.9	6.6	86.8
September.....	16.1	86.6	60.8	71.4	20.3	70.2	53.6	77.9	42.5	93.2	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.4
October.....	16.0	86.0	60.4	70.9	20.3	70.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.4
November.....	15.8	84.9	60.8	71.4	20.6	71.3	54.8	79.7	43.1	94.5	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.4
December.....	15.3	82.3	59.6	70.0	20.8	72.0	53.6	77.9	43.3	95.0	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.4
1935—Av. for year.....	15.4	82.8	59.2	69.5	21.0	72.7	51.6	75.0	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.8
January.....	15.3	82.3	59.6	70.0	21.0	72.7	53.6	77.9	43.5	95.4	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.4
February.....	15.4	82.8	59.6	70.0	21.0	72.7	53.2	77.3	43.7	95.8	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.4
March.....	15.4	82.8	59.2	69.5	21.1	73.0	52.4	76.2	43.3	95.0	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.4
April.....	15.5	83.3	58.8	69.0	21.1	73.0	52.0	75.6	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.4
May.....	15.5	83.3	59.2	69.5	21.3	73.7	51.2	74.4	43.0	94.3	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.4
June.....	15.6	83.9	58.8	69.0	21.5	74.4	50.8	73.8	42.8	93.9	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.4
July.....	15.6	83.9	58.0	68.1	21.2	73.4	50.4	73.3	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.4
August.....	15.5	83.3	58.8	69.0	21.2	73.4	50.8	73.8	42.9	94.1	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.4
September.....	15.6	83.9	59.2	69.5	21.1	73.0	51.2	74.4	43.2	94.7	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.4
October.....	15.5	83.3	59.2	69.5	20.9	72.3	52.0	75.6	43.0	94.3	6.3	80.8	6.1	81.1
November.....	15.3	82.3	59.2	69.5	20.7	71.6	51.6	75.0	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.1
December.....	15.1	81.2	59.2	69.5	20.3	70.2	51.6	75.0	43.0	94.3	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.1
1936—Av. for year.....	15.2	81.7	55.6	65.3	19.7	68.2	49.2	71.5	43.1	94.5	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
January.....	15.1	81.2	58.4	68.5	20.2	69.9	51.2	74.4	43.0	94.3	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.1
February.....	15.1	81.2	57.6	67.6	20.2	69.9	50.8	73.8	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.1
March.....	15.2	81.7	56.4	63.2	20.0	69.2	49.6	72.1	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.1
April.....	15.2	81.7	55.2	64.8	19.8	68.5	48.4	70.3	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
May.....	15.2	81.7	55.2	64.8	19.7	68.2	48.4	70.3	43.2	94.7	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
June.....	15.3	82.3	54.0	63.4	19.4	67.1	47.6	69.2	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
July.....	15.4	82.8	52.8	62.0	19.2	66.4	47.6	69.8	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
August.....	15.3	82.3	54.0	63.4	19.4	67.1	48.0	70.9	43.2	94.7	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
September.....	15.4	82.8	55.2	64.8	19.4	67.5	48.8	70.9	43.3	95.0	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
October.....	15.3	82.3	55.6	65.3	19.5	67.8	50.4	73.3	43.3	95.0	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
November.....	15.2	81.7	56.4	66.2	19.6	67.8	50.4	73.3	43.3	95.0	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
December.....	15.1	81.2	55.6	65.3	19.6	67.8	49.6	72.1	43.7	95.8	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0



TABLE XXII—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1932-1936—Concluded

Year and month	Tea (Pound)		Coffee (Pound)		Cocoa, pure ( $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. tin)		Vinegar (Pint)		Salt, fine, table (Pound)		Pepper, black, gr. (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	35.6	49.6	37.6	61.4	15.7	57.9	6.4	83.1	2.6	72.2	32.7	58.7
1926—Av. for year.....	71.7	100.0	61.2	100.0	27.1	100.0	7.7	100.0	3.6	100.0	55.7	100.0
1932—Av. for year.....	46.8	65.3	42.6	69.6	25.3	93.3	7.4	96.1	3.0	83.3	47.2	84.7
January.....	51.4	71.7	44.6	72.9	25.5	94.1	7.6	98.7	3.0	83.3	49.5	88.9
February.....	51.3	71.5	44.3	72.4	25.6	94.5	7.5	97.4	3.0	83.3	48.3	86.7
March.....	50.6	70.6	43.5	71.1	25.6	94.5	7.6	98.7	2.9	80.6	47.9	86.0
April.....	50.3	70.2	43.7	71.4	25.3	93.4	7.7	100.0	3.0	83.3	47.9	86.0
May.....	46.2	64.4	42.6	69.6	25.4	93.7	7.5	97.4	3.0	83.3	47.9	86.0
June.....	45.5	63.4	42.4	69.3	25.3	93.4	7.5	97.4	2.9	80.6	47.8	85.8
July.....	45.0	62.8	42.1	68.8	25.0	92.3	7.5	97.4	3.0	83.3	47.4	85.1
August.....	44.6	62.2	41.6	68.0	25.3	93.4	7.4	96.1	3.0	83.3	47.5	85.3
September.....	45.2	63.0	42.4	69.3	25.5	94.1	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	46.4	83.3
October.....	44.5	62.1	41.3	67.5	25.4	93.7	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	46.2	82.9
November.....	43.8	61.1	41.2	67.3	25.0	92.3	7.3	94.8	2.9	80.6	45.8	82.2
December.....	43.7	60.9	41.0	67.0	24.8	91.5	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	46.3	83.1
											45.1	86.0
1933—Av. for year.....	42.2	58.9	39.6	64.7	24.3	89.7	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	43.7	78.5
January.....	43.2	60.3	40.9	66.8	25.1	92.6	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	44.9	80.6
February.....	42.2	58.9	40.1	65.5	24.6	90.8	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	44.4	79.7
March.....	41.2	57.5	39.4	64.4	24.6	90.8	7.0	90.9	2.9	80.6	44.0	79.0
April.....	41.9	58.4	39.9	65.2	24.7	91.1	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	43.3	77.7
May.....	41.7	58.2	39.2	64.1	24.5	90.4	7.3	94.8	2.9	80.6	43.6	78.3
June.....	40.6	56.6	38.9	63.6	24.7	91.1	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.9	77.0
July.....	41.8	58.3	39.1	63.9	24.9	91.9	7.4	96.1	3.0	83.3	43.9	78.8
August.....	41.9	58.4	39.6	64.7	25.4	93.7	7.4	96.1	3.1	86.1	44.2	79.3
September.....	42.5	59.3	40.0	65.4	25.0	92.3	7.3	94.8	2.9	80.6	43.3	77.7
October.....	42.5	59.3	39.6	64.7	23.8	87.8	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	43.7	78.4
November.....	43.1	60.1	39.7	64.9	22.6	83.4	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	43.3	77.7
December.....	43.8	61.1	39.1	63.9	22.2	81.9	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	43.2	77.5
1934—Av. for year.....	50.5	70.4	38.9	63.6	21.2	78.2	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.3	75.9
January.....	45.5	63.5	39.6	64.7	22.3	82.3	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.7
February.....	47.4	66.1	39.5	64.5	22.1	81.5	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.0	75.4
March.....	48.9	68.2	39.9	63.6	21.1	77.9	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.5	76.3
April.....	49.6	69.2	39.4	64.4	21.1	77.9	7.3	94.8	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.3
May.....	49.6	69.2	38.8	63.4	20.9	77.1	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.7
June.....	50.8	70.9	38.7	63.2	21.0	77.5	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.8	76.8
July.....	51.0	71.1	39.1	63.9	21.3	78.6	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
August.....	52.0	72.5	38.8	63.4	21.4	79.0	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.1	75.6
September.....	52.6	73.4	38.9	63.6	21.1	77.9	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.3
October.....	53.1	74.1	38.8	63.4	20.7	76.4	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
November.....	52.8	73.6	38.1	62.3	20.4	75.3	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	41.7	74.9
December.....	53.2	74.2	37.9	61.9	20.8	76.8	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	41.9	75.2
1935—Av. for year.....	52.1	72.7	37.4	61.1	20.3	74.9	7.0	90.9	2.9	80.6	41.9	75.2
January.....	52.9	73.8	38.0	62.1	20.6	76.0	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
February.....	52.4	73.1	38.2	62.4	20.9	77.1	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
March.....	52.3	72.9	38.1	62.3	19.9	73.4	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	43.0	77.2
April.....	51.8	72.2	37.7	61.6	20.4	75.3	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
May.....	52.2	72.8	37.3	60.9	20.2	74.5	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.0	75.4
June.....	52.0	72.5	37.6	61.4	20.3	74.9	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
July.....	51.8	72.2	37.1	60.6	20.1	74.2	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.1	75.6
August.....	51.5	71.8	37.5	61.3	20.5	75.6	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.0	75.4
September.....	52.4	73.1	37.1	60.6	20.5	75.6	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	41.3	74.1
October.....	51.8	72.2	37.1	60.6	20.1	74.2	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	41.2	74.0
November.....	52.3	72.9	36.6	59.8	20.2	74.5	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	41.1	73.8
December.....	51.9	72.4	36.7	60.0	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.2
1936—Av. for year.....	52.0	72.5	35.8	58.5	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	39.1	70.2
January.....	52.2	72.8	36.6	59.8	19.0	73.4	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.2
February.....	51.9	72.4	36.3	59.3	20.0	73.8	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.2
March.....	51.9	72.4	36.2	59.2	19.9	73.4	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	39.7	71.3
April.....	51.8	72.2	35.7	58.3	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	39.0	70.0
May.....	52.4	73.1	35.8	58.5	19.8	73.1	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	38.7	69.5
June.....	52.0	72.5	35.9	58.7	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	38.5	69.1
July.....	51.9	72.4	35.6	58.2	19.8	73.1	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	39.2	70.4
August.....	52.1	72.7	35.4	57.8	20.1	74.2	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.8	69.7
September.....	51.9	72.4	35.4	57.8	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	39.3	70.6
October.....	52.1	72.7	35.5	58.0	20.2	74.5	6.8	88.3	2.7	75.0	38.4	68.9
November.....	52.0	72.5	35.5	58.0	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.1	68.4
December.....	52.0	72.5	35.4	57.8	20.1	74.2	6.8	88.3	2.7	75.0	37.9	68.0

TABLE XXIII—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 AND 1924-1936

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0-222	0-280	0-285	0-294	0-308	0-345	0-363	0-356	0-286	0-245	0-210	0-214	0-231
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0-148	0-148	0-152	0-160	0-172	0-206	0-227	0-221	0-158	0-129	0-112	0-115	0-126
3	Veal, roast...	1 "	0-157	0-179	0-182	0-193	0-203	0-226	0-245	0-239	0-183	0-138	0-119	0-121	0-129
4	Mutton, roast...	1 "	0-191	0-278	0-289	0-298	0-291	0-300	0-309	0-302	0-253	0-209	0-188	0-200	0-209
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0-195	0-240	0-275	0-302	0-282	0-273	0-300	0-298	0-223	0-152	0-151	0-201	0-212
6	Pork, salt, mess...	1 "	0-176	0-231	0-254	0-278	0-265	0-261	0-273	0-271	0-226	0-155	0-148	0-184	0-198
7	Bacon, breakfast...	1 "	0-247	0-337	0-385	0-431	0-393	0-379	0-393	0-399	0-301	0-184	0-198	0-304	0-311
8	Lard, pure leaf...	1 "	0-192	0-220	0-242	0-246	0-221	0-221	0-219	0-212	0-157	0-121	0-126	0-135	0-161
9	Eggs, fresh...	1 doz	0-337	0-439	0-486	0-466	0-487	0-478	0-475	0-457	0-337	0-294	0-281	0-319	0-312
10	Eggs, storage...	1 "	0-281	0-368	0-417	0-398	0-424	0-412	0-403	0-394	0-271	0-228	0-217	0-259	0-258
11	Milk...	1 qt.	0-086	0-121	0-119	0-118	0-119	0-121	0-123	0-123	0-111	0-098	0-093	0-098	0-102
12	Butter dairy...	1 lb.	0-292	0-387	0-389	0-406	0-415	0-417	0-428	0-368	0-272	0-216	0-220	0-236	0-237
13	Butter creamery...	1 "	0-339	0-435	0-439	0-448	0-463	0-461	0-470	0-405	0-300	0-253	0-255	0-270	0-273
14	Cheese, old...	1 "	0-205	0-301	0-312	0-318	0-310	0-329	0-334	0-318	0-251	0-206	0-196	0-199	0-199
15	Cheese, new...	1 "	0-191	0-301	0-312	0-318	0-310	0-329	0-334	0-318	0-251	0-206	0-196	0-199	0-199
16	Bread, plain white...	1 "	0-041	0-069	0-078	0-076	0-077	0-077	0-078	0-075	0-062	0-059	0-057	0-039	0-058
17	Flour, family...	1 "	0-032	0-045	0-057	0-053	0-053	0-052	0-051	0-047	0-033	0-030	0-029	0-032	0-034
18	Rollea oats...	1 "	0-044	0-056	0-061	0-058	0-061	0-063	0-064	0-061	0-050	0-047	0-048	0-051	0-052
19	Rice, good, medium	1 "	0-057	0-105	0-109	0-110	0-108	0-105	0-104	0-101	0-092	0-085	0-080	0-081	0-078
20	Beans, handpicked...	1 "	0-062	0-084	0-083	0-079	0-081	0-089	0-115	0-094	0-061	0-043	0-041	0-046	0-050
21	Apples, evaporated...	1 "	0-120	0-194	0-204	0-200	0-194	0-210	0-213	0-206	0-178	0-160	0-150	0-152	0-151
22	Prunes, medium...	1 "	0-119	0-160	0-156	0-158	0-148	0-135	0-141	0-155	0-121	0-111	0-115	0-127	0-128
23	Sugar, granulated...	1 "	0-059	0-109	0-085	0-079	0-083	0-079	0-073	0-068	0-062	0-059	0-073	0-072	0-066
24	Sugar, yellow...	1 "	0-055	0-104	0-081	0-075	0-079	0-075	0-069	0-065	0-060	0-057	0-071	0-070	0-066
25	Tea, black...	1 "	0-356	0-700	0-714	0-719	0-716	0-713	0-704	0-628	0-552	0-472	0-424	0-504	0-52
26	Tea, green...	1 "	0-372	0-700	0-714	0-719	0-716	0-713	0-704	0-628	0-552	0-472	0-424	0-504	0-52
27	Coffee...	1 "	0-376	0-550	0-604	0-612	0-612	0-607	0-604	0-572	0-492	0-428	0-400	0-392	0-37
28	Potatoes...	1 pk.	0-180	0-270	0-276	0-436	0-317	0-258	0-291	0-355	0-172	0-130	0-189	0-183	0-15
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0-064	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-07
30	All foods (weighted) Total...		7-337	10-31	10-81	11-21	11-00	11-04	11-34	10-96	8-49	7-10	7-03	7-56	7-7
31	Starch, laundry...	1 lb.	0-096	0-122	0-124	0-124	0-123	0-123	0-123	0-123	0-120	0-117	0-114	0-114	0-11
32	Coal, anthracite...	1 ton	8-80	17-052	16-833	17-392	16-465	16-272	16-192	16-112	16-064	15-616	15-056	15-056	14-70
33	Coal, bituminous...	1 "	6-19	10-707	10-249	10-311	10-213	10-113	10-080	10-064	9-840	9-584	9-296	9-280	9-30
34	Wood, hard, best...	1 cd.	6-80	12-485	12-280	12-195	12-128	12-077	12-208	12-176	11-696	10-912	9-808	9-632	9-75
35	Wood, soft...	1 "	4-90	9-209	8-979	8-947	8-960	8-397	8-800	8-672	8-560	7-984	7-408	7-328	7-25
36	Coal oil...	1 gal.	0-237	0-306	0-304	0-308	0-314	0-311	0-311	0-309	0-291	0-274	0-271	0-275	0-27
37	Fuel and Lighting— Weighted Total...		1-91	3-40	3-33	3-36	3-30	3-27	3-27	3-25	3-18	3-03	2-87	2-86	2-84
38	Rent per month...		19-00	27-79	27-54	27-43	27-43	27-67	27-92	28-16	27-80	25-76	23-04	22-16	22-3
39	Weighted total...		14-024	20-69	21-06	21-47	21-20	21-27	21-61	21-29	18-66	16-60	15-70	16-02	16-1

\* Includes data for 60 cities.

TABLE XXIII—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS,  
FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 AND 1924-1936—Contc.

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1936	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0-231	0-229	0-232	0-235	0-231	0-232	0-233	0-234	0-233	0-234	0-231	0-227	0-221
2	Beef, chuck roast...	"	0-125	0-125	0-129	0-129	0-126	0-129	0-127	0-127	0-126	0-123	0-121	0-119	0-118
3	Veal, roast.....	"	0-137	0-141	0-147	0-151	0-138	0-138	0-132	0-133	0-131	0-133	0-133	0-133	0-133
4	Mutton, roast.....	"	0-218	0-213	0-218	0-223	0-221	0-224	0-226	0-225	0-223	0-224	0-211	0-208	0-205
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	"	0-214	0-211	0-213	0-212	0-210	0-212	0-211	0-219	0-224	0-224	0-217	0-212	0-204
6	Pork, salt, mess....	"	0-201	0-202	0-204	0-203	0-201	0-200	0-200	0-201	0-202	0-203	0-201	0-199	0-194
7	Bacon, breakfast...	"	0-295	0-293	0-291	0-290	0-287	0-288	0-291	0-295	0-301	0-308	0-306	0-300	0-292
8	Lard, pure leaf.....	"	0-161	0-179	0-172	0-166	0-160	0-159	0-157	0-153	0-154	0-157	0-157	0-159	0-159
9	Eggs, fresh.....	1 doz.	0-338	0-415	0-339	0-381	0-281	0-236	0-242	0-272	0-301	0-335	0-355	0-439	0-457
0	Eggs, storage.....	"	0-279	0-339	0-289	0-316	0-232	0-200	0-206	0-234	0-256	0-285	0-296	0-344	0-352
1	Milk.....	1 qt.	0-103	0-103	0-103	0-103	0-103	0-102	0-102	0-102	0-102	0-102	0-103	0-104	0-104
2	Butter, dairy.....	1 lb.	0-248	0-270	0-264	0-256	0-247	0-237	0-221	0-223	0-240	0-254	0-258	0-254	0-260
3	Butter, creamery...	"	0-283	0-306	0-301	0-287	0-276	0-268	0-252	0-262	0-280	0-296	0-293	0-284	0-294
4	Cheese, old.....	"	0-211	0-206	0-205	0-206	0-206	0-204	0-203	0-207	0-210	0-217	0-224	0-225	0-224
5	Cheese, new.....	"	0-211	0-206	0-205	0-206	0-206	0-204	0-203	0-207	0-210	0-217	0-224	0-225	0-224
6	Bread, plain, white.	"	0-063	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-064	0-065	0-065	0-066
7	Flour, family.....	"	0-036	0-034	0-035	0-035	0-034	0-034	0-034	0-034	0-035	0-037	0-038	0-039	0-039
8	Rolled oats.....	"	0-052	0-042	0-052	0-051	0-051	0-052	0-051	0-051	0-052	0-053	0-054	0-054	0-054
9	Rice, good, medium	"	0-079	0-078	0-079	0-078	0-378	0-079	0-079	0-079	0-079	0-080	0-079	0-079	0-080
0	Beans, hand picked.	"	0-055	0-054	0-054	0-054	0-050	0-050	0-049	0-049	0-051	0-057	0-061	0-064	0-069
1	Apples, evaporated..	"	0-160	0-155	0-160	0-158	0-156	0-158	0-156	0-162	0-159	0-164	0-164	0-171	0-162
2	Prunes, medium.....	"	0-111	0-114	0-112	0-109	0-110	0-108	0-109	0-109	0-111	0-113	0-112	0-113	0-113
3	Sugar, granulated...	"	0-061	0-063	0-062	0-062	0-061	0-061	0-061	0-061	0-061	0-061	0-061	0-061	0-062
4	Sugar, yellow.....	"	0-060	0-061	0-061	0-061	0-060	0-060	0-060	0-060	0-060	0-060	0-060	0-060	0-061
5	Tea, black.....	"	0-520	0-524	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-524	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-520
6	Tea, green.....	"	0-520	0-524	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-524	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-520	0-520
7	Coffee.....	"	0-360	0-368	0-364	0-364	0-356	0-360	0-360	0-356	0-356	0-356	0-356	0-356	0-356
8	Potatoes.....	1 pk.	0-265	0-207	0-217	0-225	0-222	0-209	0-283	0-325	0-361	0-311	0-263	0-242	0-250
9	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072
All foods (weighted)															
Total.....			8-09	8-17	8-07	8-12	7-82	7-82	7-79	7-97	8-17	8-28	8-24	8-32	8-36
Starch, laundry.....			1 lb.	0-117	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-117	0-117	0-114	0-114	0-117	0-117	0-117	0-117
Coal anthracite.....			1 ton	14-688	14-896	14-880	14-880	14-864	14-720	14-432	14-432	14-528	14-640	14-736	14-784
Coal, bituminous....			"	9-360	9-408	9-408	9-424	9-408	9-376	9-360	9-344	9-328	9-344	9-328	9-360
Wood, hard, best....			1 cd.	9-568	9-632	9-604	9-600	9-600	9-522	9-552	9-600	9-552	9-552	9-552	9-504
Wood, soft.....			"	7-216	7-216	7-248	7-248	7-216	7-216	7-216	7-216	7-200	7-232	7-264	7-184
Coal oil.....			1 gal.	0-270	0-269	0-269	0-270	0-269	0-272	0-271	0-270	0-270	0-266	0-270	0-270
Fuel and Lighting—															
Weighted total.....			2-82	2-84	2-84	2-84	2-84	2-83	2-81	2-81	2-80	2-81	2-81	2-82	2-82
Rent per month.....			22-76	22-52	22-52	22-52	22-52	22-72	22-50	22-80	22-84	22-84	23-08	23-08	23-08
Weighted total.....			16-65	16-68	16-58	16-63	16-33	16-36	16-33	16-51	16-72	16-84	16-87	16-96	16-99

\* Includes data for 60 cities.



TABLE XXIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1922-1936

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935
STAPLE FOODS																
1	Nova Scotia...	99.3	143.6	148.8	144.1	149.5	154.8	148.6	149.3	153.5	151.6	121.7	102.9	99.5	106.6	107.7
2	Prince Ed. Is...	86.4	129.5	130.0	128.9	134.8	142.3	136.8	134.3	139.1	140.4	115.4	95.4	94.9	100.0	100.0
3	New Brunswick	96.0	142.5	146.6	144.7	147.7	155.9	150.1	149.0	151.4	149.1	119.9	102.1	99.9	105.6	107.7
4	Quebec.....	93.6	135.2	137.0	132.2	139.3	144.9	139.4	139.2	142.8	138.8	107.4	89.4	87.9	95.4	96.6
5	Ontario.....	98.2	140.4	142.7	139.5	145.0	154.2	150.8	151.0	153.8	148.7	114.5	95.7	95.5	104.1	105.5
6	Manitoba.....	107.3	137.3	136.4	133.1	141.7	142.2	141.6	145.6	151.2	144.5	108.8	93.0	92.1	97.0	101.1
7	Saskatchewan	112.4	138.6	141.1	137.7	148.2	148.6	150.7	152.3	158.3	149.1	110.4	93.4	92.4	99.5	101.1
8	Alberta.....	113.5	137.4	138.2	139.4	149.9	147.5	148.4	151.1	158.9	150.9	111.8	93.0	92.1	99.4	102.2
9	Br. Columbia..	124.4	157.6	155.5	154.1	164.6	163.1	163.2	164.6	170.4	164.5	129.6	106.9	106.0	112.7	115.5
FUEL AND LIGHTING																
1	Nova Scotia...	80.1	161.7	163.8	160.9	157.1	155.5	150.8	152.4	151.8	150.3	149.2	139.3	131.4	133.0	130.0
2	Prince Ed. Is...	77.2	174.6	196.6	179.1	174.3	167.0	162.8	152.4	154.5	153.9	152.9	150.8	138.7	142.9	139.9
3	New Brunswick	88.0	173.1	174.8	169.5	164.9	168.1	164.4	161.8	160.2	160.7	156.0	147.6	140.3	139.3	139.9
4	Quebec.....	93.7	183.1	183.8	175.4	172.8	177.5	175.4	174.9	174.9	173.3	167.0	157.1	149.2	149.7	148.8
5	Ontario.....	95.2	190.2	194.1	183.0	179.6	182.2	179.1	177.0	177.0	175.9	173.3	164.9	156.5	155.5	155.5
6	Manitoba.....	122.6	194.5	203.9	195.3	188.5	184.8	183.2	184.8	189.5	190.1	181.7	159.2	153.0	157.6	153.8
7	Saskatchewan	139.2	205.8	201.7	195.2	186.4	181.2	182.7	183.8	181.2	174.9	160.7	112.6	102.6	102.1	103.0
8	Alberta.....	86.6	129.7	134.8	122.5	128.3	126.2	122.0	108.4	100.5	100.5	97.4	94.2	90.6	87.4	85.5
9	Br. Columbia..	117.8	160.0	156.1	152.4	147.1	147.6	147.1	147.1	147.6	147.6	146.1	137.2	128.3	124.6	123.3
RENT																
1	Nova Scotia...	81.3	123.3	117.7	118.5	117.5	117.9	117.9	117.9	117.9	121.1	126.9	126.9	117.5	111.8	112.2
2	Prince Ed. Is...	36.2	117.4	121.7	123.8	122.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	122.3	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.2	121.1	115.5
3	New Brunswick	63.7	131.1	138.7	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	139.4	135.6	132.4	124.2	120.2	117.7
4	Quebec.....	73.0	113.4	118.0	121.1	120.8	120.8	121.7	122.7	123.2	125.9	124.4	118.1	110.1	105.3	104.4
5	Ontario.....	84.9	152.6	151.7	154.4	152.8	151.8	151.2	153.1	154.3	155.8	153.3	139.6	123.2	120.4	122.2
6	Manitoba.....	152.7	181.2	181.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	176.6	153.5	131.8	125.1
7	Saskatchewan	198.2	182.5	184.5	187.6	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	185.7	176.8	156.0	133.1	129.3	123.3
8	Alberta.....	156.8	161.2	157.7	150.8	148.0	151.8	152.4	151.8	157.9	161.7	160.4	143.6	125.5	116.6	116.6
9	Br. Columbia..	106.1	132.1	132.1	134.3	135.4	135.8	136.6	138.1	139.8	140.8	140.2	131.4	118.3	110.3	112.2
GRAND TOTAL																
1	Nova Scotia...	90.6	139.1	140.1	137.4	139.4	142.1	138.4	138.9	141.0	140.8	127.0	115.8	109.7	111.7	111.1
2	Prince Ed. Is...	68.0	131.5	136.2	133.7	135.6	137.3	134.0	131.2	135.3	136.3	123.1	112.4	110.2	112.8	110.0
3	New Brunswick	83.8	143.0	147.7	146.9	147.9	152.7	149.1	148.2	149.2	147.1	129.9	118.4	113.4	114.9	115.5
4	Quebec.....	86.5	134.3	136.7	134.1	137.4	141.0	138.1	138.3	140.3	138.8	121.1	108.2	103.6	106.0	106.0
5	Ontario.....	93.2	151.4	152.5	150.2	152.2	156.8	154.6	155.0	156.9	154.5	135.4	119.8	113.0	116.4	117.7
6	Manitoba.....	124.9	160.1	160.7	158.6	162.2	161.9	161.5	163.8	167.4	163.9	141.5	122.3	113.8	114.6	114.6
7	Saskatchewan	145.5	162.8	163.9	162.1	165.3	164.8	166.2	167.2	170.0	164.7	139.5	117.0	107.4	109.7	109.7
8	Alberta.....	124.7	144.5	144.1	140.6	146.0	145.8	145.9	145.3	150.4	147.4	126.1	110.1	103.0	103.4	104.4
9	Br. Columbia..	117.2	150.0	147.2	146.9	152.0	151.5	151.5	153.0	156.7	153.9	135.2	119.1	113.0	113.3	115.5

TABLE XXIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1922-1936  
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(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	1936	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
FOOD														
1	Nova Scotia.....	110.5	113.8	111.8	110.5	108.4	106.4	107.5	109.0	108.1	111.4	111.8	114.2	113.9
2	Prince Edward Island.....	105.4	105.2	104.8	102.4	102.2	103.6	104.4	100.9	103.6	108.8	107.8	110.1	110.9
3	New Brunswick.....	112.7	114.6	113.0	113.0	109.9	110.4	109.7	111.5	112.0	113.3	113.8	115.2	115.9
4	Quebec.....	102.8	103.9	103.2	103.3	100.0	99.4	100.2	103.3	102.4	102.8	103.4	104.8	106.2
5	Ontario.....	111.1	112.4	110.4	110.4	107.0	107.5	106.9	109.6	113.8	114.5	113.0	114.1	113.8
6	Manitoba.....	107.5	106.6	105.5	107.4	101.0	102.1	101.1	102.6	111.6	113.3	111.4	113.1	115.3
7	Saskatchewan.....	104.7	104.3	104.7	107.4	99.9	98.5	98.0	98.8	104.4	109.6	109.4	109.9	111.1
8	Alberta.....	106.0	106.2	105.1	109.4	102.6	101.3	101.0	102.1	104.9	109.2	108.8	109.9	111.8
9	British Columbia.....	121.3	120.9	120.1	122.1	117.8	117.9	117.1	119.8	121.6	125.5	124.8	124.2	124.7

## FUEL AND LIGHT

1	Nova Scotia.....	129.8	131.9	132.5	131.9	131.9	130.9	129.3	129.8	127.2	127.7	125.7	127.2	129.3
2	Prince Edward Island.....	137.2	136.6	135.6	135.6	140.3	140.8	139.8	138.2	135.1	137.2	137.2	134.6	137.2
3	New Brunswick.....	137.2	138.2	138.2	138.7	136.6	136.6	136.1	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6
4	Quebec.....	147.1	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	147.1	145.5	145.5	146.1	146.1	147.1	148.2
5	Ontario.....	154.5	155.5	155.5	155.5	155.0	154.5	152.9	153.4	153.4	153.4	153.9	154.5	153.9
6	Manitoba.....	156.5	158.6	158.1	158.6	155.5	156.0	156.0	156.0	156.5	156.5	158.1	152.9	153.9
7	Saskatchewan.....	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6	101.6
8	Alberta.....	85.3	84.8	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.9	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.9	85.3	85.3	85.3
9	British Columbia.....	125.1	124.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	125.1	124.6	124.6	125.1	124.6	124.6	125.1	125.1

## RENT

1	Nova Scotia.....	113.3	114.1	114.1	114.1	114.1	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6
2	Prince Edward Island.....	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3
3	New Brunswick.....	117.5	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	120.4	120.4	120.4
4	Quebec.....	105.3	104.4	104.4	104.4	104.4	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9
5	Ontario.....	126.7	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8	125.9	126.9	126.9	127.4	127.4	129.3	129.1	129.1
6	Manitoba.....	122.7	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8
7	Saskatchewan.....	125.7	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	127.6	127.6	127.6	127.6
8	Alberta.....	117.9	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	118.5	118.5	118.5
9	British Columbia.....	116.2	114.1	114.1	114.7	114.7	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	116.4	117.5	118.5	118.5

## GRAND TOTAL

1	Nova Scotia.....	114.1	116.4	115.4	114.7	113.6	112.0	112.4	113.2	112.4	114.1	114.0	115.6	115.7
2	Prince Edward Island.....	112.5	112.3	112.0	110.7	111.2	112.0	112.3	110.2	111.2	114.2	113.7	114.5	115.4
3	New Brunswick.....	117.7	118.6	117.7	117.7	115.8	116.1	115.7	116.6	116.9	117.6	119.2	119.9	120.3
4	Quebec.....	109.7	110.1	109.8	109.8	108.2	108.2	108.5	110.0	109.5	109.7	110.1	111.0	111.8
5	Ontario.....	122.4	122.6	121.4	121.4	119.6	120.2	120.0	121.5	123.8	124.1	124.1	124.7	124.5
6	Manitoba.....	119.6	118.7	118.0	119.2	115.4	116.9	116.4	117.2	121.9	122.8	121.9	122.1	123.4
7	Saskatchewan.....	111.5	110.7	110.8	112.2	108.3	108.5	108.2	108.6	111.5	114.3	114.7	114.9	115.5
8	Alberta.....	107.4	107.4	106.8	109.1	105.5	104.9	104.7	105.2	106.7	119.0	109.0	109.6	110.5
9	British Columbia.....	120.2	119.1	118.8	120.2	117.9	118.4	118.0	119.4	120.3	122.4	122.4	122.4	122.6

TABLE XXV—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1935 AND 1936

(Dominion Average for 1913=100)

1935

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
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## STAPLE FOODS

Halifax.....	106.9	106.2	105.8	104.3	104.6	104.8	104.2	104.8	106.8	109.2	114.9	114.5	107.2
Saint John.....	108.1	108.6	109.2	108.2	104.1	104.2	103.9	108.2	110.7	112.1	115.5	117.5	109.2
Montreal.....	101.2	102.6	103.3	100.8	101.2	100.2	101.5	102.1	102.2	104.4	107.5	109.6	103.1
Toronto.....	107.0	107.3	109.2	107.1	106.9	105.4	107.6	108.5	108.2	114.2	115.8	116.5	109.5
Winnipeg.....	101.0	102.5	102.6	102.0	103.1	104.6	103.9	107.5	105.5	104.0	104.7	106.9	104.0
Regina.....	100.3	101.7	102.6	101.1	103.5	103.7	101.2	104.5	100.8	105.0	105.6	106.9	103.1
Calgary.....	100.8	103.1	102.3	101.9	102.4	106.1	104.4	107.5	103.4	104.9	105.9	108.4	104.3
Vancouver.....	105.8	110.6	108.2	106.9	108.5	111.9	110.5	114.2	113.0	114.9	118.2	117.3	111.7

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

Halifax.....	149.0	149.5	149.0	153.9	151.9	145.3	145.3	147.0	148.3	150.5	147.0	148.6	148.8
Saint John.....	149.3	149.2	149.5	149.2	149.1	147.6	146.6	146.6	146.7	146.6	146.6	147.1	147.9
Montreal.....	153.6	155.7	155.5	155.8	147.5	149.3	151.0	151.0	152.7	152.7	153.0	152.7	152.6
Toronto.....	178.0	177.5	177.4	177.7	172.0	170.9	172.1	173.2	174.6	176.4	177.9	178.0	175.5
Winnipeg.....	159.2	158.8	158.8	158.8	157.6	158.4	158.0	158.5	158.8	159.2	159.4	159.2	158.7
Regina.....	159.4	159.6	159.2	159.2	159.0	159.3	159.3	159.2	159.2	150.2	138.0	138.0	155.0
Calgary.....	113.5	114.8	115.2	114.8	107.7	107.4	106.0	106.9	108.4	107.4	106.9	107.3	109.7
Vancouver.....	147.1	147.6	149.0	150.8	149.0	147.6	149.5	148.5	148.2	149.5	148.2	149.1	148.6

## RENT

Halifax.....	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4
Saint John.....	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	117.5
Montreal.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1
Toronto.....	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	147.4
Winnipeg.....	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8
Regina.....	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7
Calgary.....	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	121.1	121.1	121.1	119.1
Vancouver.....	97.4	97.4	97.4	97.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.1

## TOTAL

Halifax.....	126.4	126.1	125.9	125.7	125.6	124.9	124.5	125.0	126.3	127.8	130.3	130.3	128.6
Saint John.....	120.0	120.2	120.6	120.0	113.4	113.3	112.9	115.2	116.5	117.2	119.0	120.1	117.4
Montreal.....	115.1	116.1	116.5	115.2	114.3	114.0	115.0	115.3	115.5	116.6	118.3	119.4	115.9
Toronto.....	128.6	128.7	129.7	128.6	130.4	129.5	130.8	131.4	131.4	134.8	135.9	136.2	131.3
Winnipeg.....	121.2	121.9	122.0	121.6	122.0	122.9	122.5	124.5	123.5	122.8	123.1	124.2	123.7
Regina.....	123.5	124.3	124.7	123.9	125.1	125.3	124.0	125.7	123.8	124.8	123.4	124.1	124.4
Calgary.....	108.7	110.0	109.7	109.3	108.7	110.6	109.4	111.2	109.3	110.8	111.2	112.6	110.1
Vancouver.....	108.6	111.2	110.1	109.7	111.2	112.8	112.3	114.1	113.5	114.6	116.1	115.8	112.5



TABLE XXV—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1935 AND 1936  
—Concluded

(Dominion Average for 1913=100)

1936

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
STAPLE FOODS													
Halifax.....	112.2	111.7	111.8	107.5	107.3	108.4	108.6	109.8	109.0	109.6	112.9	113.3	110.2
Saint John.....	118.8	115.7	115.2	112.6	113.5	113.4	116.1	115.5	113.2	113.6	116.7	119.2	115.3
Montreal.....	110.5	108.9	108.7	104.5	105.6	106.3	109.5	108.0	109.4	109.4	112.4	113.2	108.9
Toronto.....	118.6	115.3	115.7	113.6	113.9	113.7	115.3	120.5	118.1	116.0	117.8	117.1	116.3
Winnipeg.....	108.0	107.9	109.0	102.4	104.9	103.1	105.6	114.2	115.0	111.4	113.8	116.3	109.3
Regina.....	104.9	107.2	109.4	102.8	100.7	100.5	99.7	104.3	110.3	107.9	111.0	111.2	105.8
Calgary.....	108.0	107.5	110.8	104.6	103.5	103.4	105.3	108.3	113.8	113.5	112.2	115.1	108.9
Vancouver.....	115.4	111.2	115.7	111.5	113.0	113.6	118.2	117.3	122.0	118.6	118.2	123.0	116.5

FUEL AND LIGHTING													
Halifax.....	150.3	150.3	150.3	150.3	147.0	145.9	145.8	144.3	145.0	142.7	144.5	148.1	147.0
Saint John.....	146.8	146.8	147.0	145.3	145.2	145.3	145.4	145.3	145.2	145.2	146.0	145.8	145.8
Montreal.....	152.5	152.5	152.4	152.8	152.9	132.8	146.1	145.8	145.8	146.0	157.9	157.9	151.3
Toronto.....	177.3	177.9	179.1	178.7	173.8	173.8	173.8	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.8
Winnipeg.....	159.2	158.6	159.8	157.9	157.5	157.5	158.1	160.7	158.5	162.1	154.8	156.0	158.4
Regina.....	138.0	134.5	134.5	134.5	134.5	135.0	134.7	134.7	134.7	134.7	134.7	134.5	134.9
Calgary.....	107.5	106.9	107.5	108.4	108.4	107.8	107.7	109.0	108.7	112.8	109.8	107.5	108.5
Vancouver.....	148.8	148.2	148.7	148.2	148.8	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.8	148.4

RENT													
Halifax.....	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4
Saint John.....	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2
Montreal.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1
Toronto.....	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	155.3	155.3	155.3	151.3
Winnipeg.....	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	140.4
Regina.....	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	148.3
Calgary.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1
Vancouver.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.3	110.5	118.4	118.4	106.1

TOTAL													
Halifax.....	129.4	129.1	129.2	126.9	126.4	126.8	126.9	127.3	127.0	127.0	128.9	129.6	127.9
Saint John.....	120.7	119.2	118.9	117.3	117.8	117.7	119.2	118.8	117.6	117.8	119.5	120.8	118.8
Montreal.....	119.8	119.0	118.9	116.7	117.3	117.7	118.4	117.6	118.4	118.3	121.6	122.0	118.8
Toronto.....	137.3	135.6	136.0	134.8	134.3	134.2	135.0	137.9	136.7	137.4	138.3	137.9	136.3
Winnipeg.....	124.8	124.7	125.4	121.7	124.8	123.8	125.2	130.0	130.2	128.8	129.0	130.5	126.6
Regina.....	123.0	123.8	124.9	121.4	122.1	122.1	121.6	124.1	127.2	125.9	127.5	127.6	124.3
Calgary.....	112.5	112.1	113.9	110.9	110.2	110.1	111.1	112.8	115.7	116.1	115.0	116.2	113.3
Vancouver.....	114.8	112.5	114.9	112.6	115.3	115.5	117.9	117.5	119.9	119.9	122.4	124.9	117.0

## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

TABLE XXVI—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF COAL USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION BY PROVINCES, 1933-1936

(Dollars per ton)

Province	Kind of Coal	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1933													
Prince Ed. Island...	Bituminous.....	10-00	10-00	10-00	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25	9-25
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-77	10-77	10-77	10-37	10-37	10-37	10-22	10-53	10-53	10-53	10-84	10-84
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-64	14-64	14-64	14-64	14-63	14-42	13-85	13-86	13-86	14-46	14-56	14-59
Ontario.....	" .....	14-80	14-80	14-80	14-80	14-70	14-50	13-57	13-59	14-87	14-37	14-46	14-49
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	10-95	10-95	10-95	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-96	10-85	10-85	10-85
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	9-05	9-05	9-05	9-05	8-99	8-99	8-99	9-12	8-93	8-78	8-61	8-55
Alberta.....	" .....	6-68	6-68	6-52	6-52	6-35	6-60	6-52	6-52	6-52	5-74	5-74	5-74
British Columbia....	" .....	10-52	10-52	10-52	10-52	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-40	10-39	10-39	10-39
1934													
Prince Ed. Island...	Bituminous.....	9-12	9-37	9-37	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-01	8-98	9-12	9-15	8-98
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-92	10-86	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-76	14-73	14-75	14-75	14-76	14-80	14-79
Ontario.....	" .....	14-51	14-51	14-54	14-54	14-52	13-88	13-89	14-13	14-25	14-58	14-61	14-60
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	10-85	10-83	10-81	10-81	10-83	10-83	10-83	10-85	11-29	11-29	11-28	11-29
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	8-37	8-37	8-42	8-43	8-43	8-61	8-61	8-61	8-80	8-94	8-94	8-89
Alberta.....	" .....	5-74	5-54	5-65	5-73	5-73	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95
British Columbia....	" .....	10-39	10-39	10-34	10-34	10-33	10-33	10-33	10-35	10-31	10-31	10-31	10-31
1935													
Prince Ed. Island...	Bituminous.....	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-25	9-25	9-00	8-75	8-75	8-75
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-15	9-13	9-13	9-10	9-05	9-09	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-09	9-16	9-15
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-88	10-84	10-84	10-84	10-53	10-56	10-72	10-88	10-97	10-81	10-89	10-84
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-80	14-79	14-79	14-79	13-93	12-85	12-85	13-24	13-24	13-67	13-72	13-72
Ontario.....	" .....	14-62	14-60	14-61	14-59	13-36	13-22	13-22	13-52	13-59	14-03	14-37	14-43
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	11-31	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-27	11-28
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	9-09	9-12	9-06
Alberta.....	" .....	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-91
British Columbia....	" .....	10-32	10-33	10-33	10-31	10-31	10-33	10-33	10-32	10-35	10-35	10-35	10-36
1936													
Prince Ed. Island...	Bituminous.....	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	8-75	8-75	8-75	8-87	8-75	8-75
Nova Scotia.....	" .....	9-09	9-09	9-09	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95
New Brunswick.....	" .....	10-80	10-77	10-74	10-70	10-52	10-55	10-55	10-62	10-62	10-62	10-69	10-69
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	13-72	13-72	13-72	13-72	13-72	13-44	13-44	13-45	13-43	13-45	13-45	13-45
Ontario.....	" .....	14-45	14-49	14-51	14-50	14-50	13-70	13-71	13-67	13-89	13-99	14-10	14-10
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43
Saskatchewan.....	" .....	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-15	9-15	9-15
Alberta.....	" .....	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	6-06	6-06	6-06
British Columbia....	" .....	10-42	10-42	10-42	10-43	10-43	10-42	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43

# PRICES OF SERVICES

Data relating to service costs are collected by the Bureau in connection with its cost of living measurements. Results of annual investigations regarding street car fares, hospital charges, fuel gas, electric light rates, and telephone rates are also included in this report.

## STREET CAR FARES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1936

The average fare for Canada was unchanged at 6·3c. for the year 1936. The average fare for Alberta and Saskatchewan was lowest at 5·4c., while Nova Scotia ranked highest at 7·4c.

A Dominion index number of car fares on a 1926 base declined from 104·5 in 1935 to 104·0 in 1936, but this index change was not sufficient to affect the corresponding fare by one-tenth of a cent. The only provincial index to record a change was that for Alberta from 102·5 to 93·2.

TABLE XXVII—AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1922-1936

Province	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926*	1927*	1928*	1929*	1930*	1931*	1932*	1933*	1934*	1935*	1936*
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
CANADA.....	·042	·059	·059	·060	·060	·060	·060	·061	·062	·063	·064	·064	·064	·064	·063	·063
Nova Scotia.....	·044	·060	·060	·069	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074	·074
New Brunswick.....	·047	·059	·055	·053	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059
Quebec.....	·044	·061	·061	·061	·061	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062
Ontario.....	·040	·057	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·060	·062	·063	·064	·064	·064	·064	·062	·062
Manitoba.....	·041	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·059	·065	·072	·072	·072	·072	·072	·072
Saskatchewan.....	·043	·062	·061	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·062	·055	·054	·054
Alberta.....	·041	·058	·057	·057	·057	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·058	·057	·059	·054
British Columbia.....	·051	·064	·064	·064	·063	·063	·063	·063	·063	·067	·067	·067	·067	·067	·067	·067

\*Fares from 1926 forward revised on basis of movements in actual tariffs in effect. Prior to 1926, fares based on total passenger revenue and passengers carried.

TABLE XXVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1922-1936

(1926=100)

Province	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
CANADA.....	70·0	98·3	98·3	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	101·1	102·4	104·2	106·1	106·4	106·2	105·8	104·5	104·0
Nova Scotia.....	59·5	81·1	81·1	93·2	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
New Brunswick.....	79·7	100·0	93·2	89·9	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
Quebec.....	71·0	98·4	98·4	98·4	98·4	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·1	100·1	100·9	100·9	100·9	100·9	100·9
Ontario.....	69·0	98·3	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	103·2	107·1	109·2	111·3	111·3	111·2	111·2	107·1	107·1
Manitoba.....	69·5	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	109·7	122·6	122·6	122·6	122·6	122·6	122·6
Saskatchewan.....	69·3	100·0	98·4	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	89·2	88·0	88·0
Alberta.....	70·7	100·0	98·2	98·2	98·2	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	98·3	102·5	93·2
British Columbia.....	81·0	101·6	101·6	101·6	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	106·2	106·0	106·0	106·0	106·0	106·0	106·0

TABLE XXIX—INDEX NUMBERS OF AVERAGE FARES PAID ON CITY STREET CARS IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1922-1936

(1913=100)

Province	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
CANADA.....	100·0	140·5	140·5	142·9	142·9	142·9	142·9	144·5	146·3	148·9	151·6	152·0	151·8	151·2	149·3	148·6
Nova Scotia.....	100·0	136·4	136·4	156·8	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2	168·2
New Brunswick.....	100·0	125·5	117·0	112·8	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5	125·5
Quebec.....	100·0	138·6	138·6	138·6	138·6	140·9	140·9	140·9	140·9	141·0	141·0	142·2	142·2	142·2	142·2	142·2
Ontario.....	100·0	142·5	145·0	145·0	145·0	145·0	145·0	149·6	155·3	158·3	161·4	161·4	161·2	161·2	155·3	155·3
Manitoba.....	100·0	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	143·9	157·9	176·4	176·4	176·4	176·4	176·4	176·4
Saskatchewan.....	100·0	144·2	141·9	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	144·2	128·6	126·9	126·9
Alberta.....	100·0	141·5	139·0	139·0	139·0	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	141·5	139·1	145·0	131·9
British Columbia.....	100·0	125·5	125·5	125·5	123·5	123·5	123·5	123·5	123·5	131·2	130·9	130·9	130·9	130·9	130·9	130·9



## RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913-1936

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of hospital charges advanced fractionally from 103.6 in 1935 to 103.7 in 1936. This slight rise checked a gradual decline dating from 1930. Previous to that time there had been a steady advance dating from pre-war years. Increases in public ward rates were mainly responsible for the change noted during 1936.

The stability of hospital rates is indicated by the fact that there were no changes during 1936 in 93 p.c. of the reporting institutions. Eleven hospitals showed higher public ward rates and 6 reported declines. Even fewer changes occurred for semi-private and private room beds. These were evenly balanced with 6 increases and 7 reductions in the former, and 9 increases and 8 reductions in private room rates. The majority of increases came from Ontario hospitals, while scattered declines were most common in the western provinces.

A public ward rate index moved up from 108.9 for 1935 to 109.2 for 1936 (1926 = 100). Semi-private room rates rose slightly from 99.2 to 99.3, while rates for private rooms were unchanged at 98.9. Operating room charges recorded a decline from 98.9 to 98.3.

A Dominion average of public ward charges in 1936 amounted to \$1.99 as compared with \$1.98 for the previous year. This item was \$1.83 in 1926 and \$1.02 in 1913. Provincial rates in 1936 ranged between \$1.50 for Prince Edward Island and \$2.53 for New Brunswick. Nova Scotia, Ontario and British Columbia showed small gains, while New Brunswick, Saskatchewan and Alberta rates were lower. Prince Edward Island, Quebec and Manitoba charges remained about the same.

An average of semi-private room charges remained at \$2.79 for 1936. The range of provincial rates was marked by the Ontario figure of \$2.11 and that of \$3.34 for British Columbia. As previously noted, the rise in the index for this type of accommodation was due to a minor increase insufficient to change the average rate. Ontario was the only province to register an advance, while rates for Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and Saskatchewan averaged slightly lower.

Private room charges were unchanged at \$5.01 in 1936, moderate gains for Quebec, Manitoba and Alberta being offset by a fairly substantial decline for Saskatchewan. Provincial rates averaged between \$3.75 for New Brunswick and \$6.03 for Quebec.

Operating room charges, obtained by averaging rates given for major and minor operations, were \$8.04 in 1936 as compared with \$8.09 for the previous year. Declines in rates for Quebec, Ontario and Saskatchewan accounted for the downward movement. Alberta showed an advance while Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Manitoba and British Columbia institutions showed no net change.

The average cost of maintenance per patient per day as indicated by the returns received was \$3.23 for both 1935 and 1936, although the index recorded a fractional advance. In 1913 the figure was \$1.68. New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, Saskatchewan and British Columbia registered moderate increases, but these were counterbalanced by declines for Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, Manitoba and Alberta. Provincial figures ranged between \$2.36 for Nova Scotia and \$3.64 for Quebec. In giving this figure institutions have been asked to include basic costs such as food, medical supplies, professional care, light, heat, etc., and also supplementary costs, including insurance, interest, depreciation, etc. Owing to differing methods of accounting, resultant averages cannot be considered strictly comparable as between institutions or even between provinces, but it is believed they measure cost trends accurately.

TABLE XXX—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1923-1936

Province	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL HOSPITAL RATES (1926=100)															
P.E.I.					100.0	100.0	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.1	101.1	101.1	99.2
Nova Scotia	60.8	98.8	99.1	98.2	100.0	100.9	101.0	109.1	109.5	108.8	111.1	110.3	109.0	109.1	109.1
New Brunswick	57.4	88.7	94.9	96.0	100.0	100.0	103.2	103.3	107.5	107.4	107.3	107.2	107.1	105.9	105.7
Quebec	49.1	90.6	91.7	98.8	100.0	103.0	107.2	108.5	109.1	109.2	108.1	107.5	107.1	107.1	107.0
Ontario	59.9	99.1	99.2	99.1	100.0	100.4	107.0	108.9	109.0	109.0	107.9	106.7	105.9	105.8	106.4
Manitoba	61.6	101.1	100.8	100.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.1	100.5	100.3	99.6	92.5	92.4	92.4	92.5
Saskatchewan	57.6	94.6	96.0	98.7	100.0	100.2	101.5	102.0	101.9	100.3	98.6	95.5	94.7	94.5	93.3
Alberta	60.4	83.7	94.5	98.0	100.0	101.1	101.1	102.1	101.4	101.0	99.4	98.0	97.0	97.2	97.1
British Columbia	55.4	98.6	99.4	100.7	100.0	100.0	100.1	104.7	104.6	104.3	103.9	103.3	103.0	103.2	103.7
Dominion Index	55.2	94.8	96.2	98.7	100.0	101.1	104.8	106.6	106.9	106.7	105.9	104.4	103.7	103.6	103.7

INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL HOSPITAL RATES (1913=100)															
Nova Scotia	100.0	162.6	163.1	161.6	164.5	166.0	166.2	179.5	180.1	179.0	182.8	181.5	179.3	179.5	179.5
New Brunswick	100.0	154.6	165.5	167.2	174.3	174.2	184.9	185.2	193.8	193.5	193.4	193.1	192.9	188.8	188.8
Quebec	100.0	184.3	186.6	201.1	203.5	209.6	218.2	220.9	222.0	222.2	219.9	218.8	218.0	217.9	217.9
Ontario	100.0	165.6	165.7	165.6	167.1	167.7	178.7	182.0	182.0	182.1	180.2	178.2	176.9	176.8	177.7
Manitoba	100.0	164.1	163.7	163.7	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.5	163.1	162.9	161.7	150.1	150.0	150.0	150.1
Saskatchewan	100.0	164.4	166.8	171.5	173.7	174.1	176.2	177.1	177.1	174.3	171.4	165.9	164.5	164.1	162.1
Alberta	100.0	138.5	156.4	162.2	165.5	167.2	167.3	169.0	167.8	167.1	164.5	162.2	160.5	160.8	160.7
British Columbia	100.0	178.0	179.3	181.7	180.4	180.4	180.6	188.9	188.8	188.2	187.4	186.4	185.8	186.2	187.1
Dominion Index	100.0	171.7	174.3	178.9	181.1	183.1	189.8	193.1	193.6	193.2	191.8	189.1	187.8	187.6	187.8

INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES (1926=100)															
P.E.I.					100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Nova Scotia	59.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	116.3	116.3	116.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.4
New Brunswick					100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	103.2	103.2	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	102.7
Quebec	44.9	98.5	99.3	99.3	100.0	103.5	111.5	114.6	115.0	115.0	115.1	114.7	114.1	114.9	114.9
Ontario	66.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	112.7	116.6	116.6	116.7	116.6	115.6	114.7	114.7	115.7
Manitoba	57.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	101.2	101.2	101.0	86.6	86.5	86.5	86.5
Saskatchewan	52.7	89.9	89.9	92.3	100.0	100.0	99.3	100.3	100.3	98.1	96.1	91.9	90.2	89.8	89.1
Alberta	52.2	68.9	91.4	95.8	100.0	101.6	101.5	102.0	102.0	101.2	100.7	98.7	97.7	98.4	97.7
British Columbia	49.0	98.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.1	110.4	110.4	110.4	109.3	109.3	108.6	109.0	110.1
Dominion Index	54.6	96.7	98.5	98.9	100.0	101.1	107.5	111.3	111.6	111.4	111.4	109.5	108.7	108.9	109.2

INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES (1913=100)															
Nova Scotia	100.0	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	196.8	196.8	196.6	205.1	205.1	205.1	205.1	205.4
Quebec	100.0	219.3	221.2	221.2	222.7	230.5	248.3	255.2	256.1	256.1	256.3	255.4	254.1	255.9	255.9
Ontario	100.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	169.1	174.9	174.9	175.1	174.9	173.4	172.1	172.1	173.6
Manitoba	100.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	177.1	177.1	177.3	176.7	151.6	151.4	151.4	151.4
Saskatchewan	100.0	170.6	170.6	175.1	189.8	189.8	188.5	190.4	190.4	186.2	182.4	174.4	171.2	170.4	169.1
Alberta	100.0	132.0	175.2	183.6	191.6	194.7	194.5	195.4	195.4	193.9	192.9	189.1	187.2	188.5	187.2
British Columbia	100.0	200.7	204.0	204.0	204.0	204.0	204.2	225.2	225.2	223.0	223.0	223.0	221.5	222.4	224.6
Dominion Index	100.0	177.1	180.4	181.2	183.2	185.2	196.9	203.9	204.5	204.1	204.1	200.6	199.1	199.5	200.1

TABLE XXX—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1923-1936—

Continued

Province	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
P.E.I.					100-0	100-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	100-4	100-4	100-4	91-1
Nova Scotia	59-7	94-7	95-6	95-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-5	101-5	101-1	101-1	101-1	101-1	97-6	97-1
New Brunswick	66-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	115-3	115-3	125-1	125-1	124-1	124-1	124-1	119-6	119-6
Quebec	56-0	85-1	85-9	99-3	100-0	100-7	101-2	101-2	102-6	102-7	102-1	101-4	101-7	100-4	100-4
Ontario	48-5	98-1	98-4	96-6	100-0	101-2	101-0	102-4	102-6	102-7	100-6	98-5	97-7	97-8	93-4
Manitoba	63-0	103-8	102-5	102-5	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-5	98-3	98-2	98-2	98-2	98-2
Saskatchewan	50-1	98-6	98-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-9	99-8	99-1	98-4	95-6	95-3	95-3	95-1
Alberta	62-7	94-7	94-7	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	102-3	100-3	100-3	98-1	98-4	97-3	96-8	96-8
British Columbia	53-6	99-5	99-5	100-2	100-0	99-8	99-6	99-6	99-6	98-0	97-7	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0
Dominion Index	54-0	94-8	95-1	98-4	100-0	100-6	101-4	102-1	102-8	102-7	101-5	100-3	99-8	99-2	99-3

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1926=100)

P.E.I.					100-0	100-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	100-4	100-4	100-4	91-1
Nova Scotia	59-7	94-7	95-6	95-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-5	101-5	101-1	101-1	101-1	101-1	97-6	97-1
New Brunswick	66-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	115-3	115-3	125-1	125-1	124-1	124-1	124-1	119-6	119-6
Quebec	56-0	85-1	85-9	99-3	100-0	100-7	101-2	101-2	102-6	102-7	102-1	101-4	101-7	100-4	100-4
Ontario	48-5	98-1	98-4	96-6	100-0	101-2	101-0	102-4	102-6	102-7	100-6	98-5	97-7	97-8	93-4
Manitoba	63-0	103-8	102-5	102-5	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-5	98-3	98-2	98-2	98-2	98-2
Saskatchewan	50-1	98-6	98-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-9	99-8	99-1	98-4	95-6	95-3	95-3	95-1
Alberta	62-7	94-7	94-7	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	102-3	100-3	100-3	98-1	98-4	97-3	96-8	96-8
British Columbia	53-6	99-5	99-5	100-2	100-0	99-8	99-6	99-6	99-6	98-0	97-7	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0
Dominion Index	54-0	94-8	95-1	98-4	100-0	100-6	101-4	102-1	102-8	102-7	101-5	100-3	99-8	99-2	99-3

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	158-6	160-0	160-0	167-4	167-4	167-4	169-9	169-9	169-2	169-2	168-7	163-4	163-4	162-5
New Brunswick	100-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	149-9	173-0	173-0	187-7	187-7	186-1	186-2	186-2	179-4	179-4
Quebec	100-0	151-9	153-3	177-2	178-5	179-7	180-6	180-6	183-1	183-3	182-2	181-0	181-5	179-2	179-2
Ontario	100-0	202-1	202-8	198-9	206-0	208-5	208-1	210-9	211-4	211-6	207-2	202-9	201-3	201-5	202-7
Manitoba	100-0	164-8	162-8	162-8	153-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-0	156-1	155-9	155-9	155-9	155-9
Saskatchewan	100-0	196-9	196-9	199-7	199-7	199-7	199-5	199-5	199-3	197-9	196-5	190-9	190-3	190-3	189-9
Alberta	100-0	151-0	151-0	159-5	159-5	159-7	163-2	160-0	160-0	156-5	156-9	155-2	154-4	154-4	154-4
British Columbia	100-0	185-4	185-4	186-7	186-4	186-0	185-7	185-7	185-7	182-7	182-1	182-7	182-7	182-7	182-7
Dominion Index	100-0	175-6	176-1	182-2	185-2	186-3	187-8	189-1	190-4	190-2	188-0	185-8	184-8	183-7	183-9

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1926=100)

P.E.I.					100-0	100-0	103-3	103-3	103-3	103-3	103-3	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0
Nova Scotia	58-0	93-1	93-8	95-4	100-0	104-3	104-8	105-6	107-4	105-1	105-1	105-1	101-7	102-0	102-0
New Brunswick	46-3	86-5	86-5	89-2	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	103-9	103-9	105-0	104-6	104-2	102-4	102-4
Quebec	43-9	74-0	77-0	98-8	100-0	103-2	105-0	104-2	104-6	105-0	100-0	99-4	98-5	97-5	97-9
Ontario	54-9	100-4	100-1	99-5	100-0	100-5	103-4	102-6	102-5	102-5	100-6	99-2	98-8	98-5	98-6
Manitoba	66-4	101-7	101-7	101-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-4	99-4	99-1	91-1	96-3	96-3	96-3	96-5
Saskatchewan	66-1	104-6	107-3	101-4	100-0	100-0	107-5	107-5	107-5	106-0	103-0	101-9	102-9	103-3	100-7
Alberta	65-2	98-0	98-0	100-0	100-0	101-1	101-0	102-5	101-6	101-5	101-3	99-7	99-2	99-5	100-4
British Columbia	65-1	99-4	99-4	104-0	100-0	100-0	100-7	99-7	99-4	99-4	100-3	97-3	97-3	97-5	97-5
Dominion Index	53-1	90-3	91-4	98-6	100-0	101-4	103-6	103-2	103-4	103-2	100-9	99-8	99-3	98-9	98-9

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	160-6	161-8	164-5	172-5	179-9	180-8	182-2	185-3	181-3	181-3	181-3	175-4	176-0	176-0
New Brunswick	100-0	186-7	186-7	192-5	215-8	215-8	215-8	215-8	224-2	224-2	226-6	225-7	224-9	221-0	221-0
Quebec	100-0	168-5	175-3	225-1	227-8	235-1	239-2	237-4	238-3	239-2	227-8	226-4	224-4	222-1	223-0
Ontario	100-0	182-9	182-3	181-2	182-1	183-0	188-3	185-6	186-7	186-7	183-2	180-6	179-9	179-4	179-6
Manitoba	100-0	153-1	153-1	153-1	150-6	150-6	150-6	151-2	149-7	149-7	145-0	145-0	145-0	145-3	145-3
Saskatchewan	100-0	158-3	162-5	153-5	151-4	151-4	162-8	162-8	162-8	160-5	155-9	154-3	155-8	156-4	152-5
Alberta	100-0	150-2	150-2	153-3	153-3	155-0	154-8	157-1	155-8	155-6	155-3	152-8	152-1	152-5	153-9
British Columbia	100-0	152-8	152-8	153-7	153-7	153-7	154-8	153-2	152-8	152-8	154-2	149-6	149-6	149-9	149-9
Dominion Index	100-0	170-3	172-3	185-9	188-5	191-1	195-3	194-5	194-9	194-5	190-2	188-1	187-2	186-4	186-4



TABLE XXX—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1923-1936—  
Concluded

Province	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES (1926=100)															
P.E.I.					100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Nova Scotia	72-4	109-3	109-3	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-2	100-6	100-6	99-8	99-8	94-2	94-2	94-4	94-4
New Brunswick	60-0	75-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-4	102-1	101-2	100-6	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2
Quebec	61-5	95-8	95-8	96-3	100-0	104-3	104-7	104-7	104-7	104-6	104-4	103-7	103-6	103-9	103-2
Ontario	60-4	95-7	96-3	99-2	100-0	100-4	101-4	101-4	101-4	101-1	99-0	98-9	97-9	98-7	98-7
Manitoba	68-1	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1	99-1	98-7	98-7	98-7	98-7
Saskatchewan	73-0	90-4	96-6	106-4	100-0	101-7	102-3	102-5	102-5	101-9	101-4	98-2	97-2	96-3	94-4
Alberta	78-7	87-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-5	101-6	101-6	100-8	100-5	94-0	92-4	90-8	90-2	90-7
British Columbia	66-1	97-1	97-1	98-9	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-8	99-4	99-3	99-4	99-2	99-2
Dominion Index	63-8	95-0	97-6	99-0	100-0	101-5	102-2	102-3	102-2	101-9	100-6	99-6	99-0	98-9	98-3

INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES (1913=100)															
Nova Scotia	100-0	151-1	151-1	138-2	138-2	138-2	138-5	139-0	139-0	137-9	137-9	130-2	130-2	130-5	130-5
New Brunswick	100-0	125-0	166-7	166-7	166-7	166-7	169-0	170-2	168-7	167-7	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0
Quebec	100-0	155-9	155-9	156-7	152-7	159-3	159-3	159-9	159-9	159-7	159-4	158-3	158-2	158-6	157-6
Ontario	100-0	158-5	159-4	164-2	165-6	166-3	167-9	167-9	167-9	167-4	163-9	163-8	162-1	161-8	160-6
Manitoba	100-0	145-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-9	146-9	146-9	146-9	145-5	144-9	144-9	144-9	144-9
Saskatchewan	100-0	123-8	132-3	145-7	136-9	139-2	140-0	140-3	139-5	138-8	134-4	133-1	131-8	129-2	129-2
Alberta	100-0	111-2	127-0	127-0	127-0	127-6	129-0	129-0	128-0	127-6	119-4	117-3	115-3	114-6	115-2
British Columbia	100-0	146-8	146-8	149-5	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-2	150-9	150-3	150-1	150-3	150-0	150-0	150-0
Dominion Index	100-0	148-9	153-0	155-1	156-7	159-1	160-1	160-3	160-1	159-7	157-6	156-1	155-1	155-0	154-0

INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY (1926=100)															
P.E.I.					100-0	94-6	110-3	124-8	127-9	124-4	113-7	119-5	120-8	116-9	115-0
Nova Scotia	54-0	93-9	93-6	90-4	100-0	102-5	101-7	113-0	118-9	120-9	97-7	94-6	90-0	87-4	82-4
New Brunswick	42-7	106-8	103-6	102-4	100-0	99-3	103-5	101-5	98-0	99-8	93-8	88-9	90-1	86-0	89-0
Quebec	48-7	84-8	94-5	93-7	100-0	104-2	107-3	103-9	102-9	99-0	99-5	95-2	94-1	95-1	95-5
Ontario	43-0	98-8	97-7	101-4	100-0	94-7	95-3	108-3	108-3	108-2	103-1	97-2	97-0	98-1	99-5
Manitoba	71-8	98-1	106-5	100-9	100-0	101-4	104-3	102-8	109-5	104-7	101-9	95-8	95-8	93-7	90-0
Saskatchewan	68-1	99-7	99-0	93-3	100-0	100-9	100-2	99-5	101-6	99-0	99-1	90-8	85-9	88-5	89-4
Alberta	57-8	100-0	99-9	101-5	100-0	95-1	94-1	91-0	86-8	86-0	83-4	78-1	75-7	74-4	70-4
British Columbia	63-7	104-2	100-8	102-8	100-0	93-5	89-8	94-3	97-6	95-7	89-8	81-4	84-7	86-1	88-3
Dominion Index	49-5	95-3	97-6	98-2	100-0	98-9	100-2	104-2	104-6	102-9	99-0	93-6	92-7	93-1	93-2

INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY (1913=100)															
Nova Scotia	100-0	173-8	173-2	167-3	185-1	189-7	188-2	209-2	220-1	223-8	180-8	175-1	166-6	161-8	152-5
New Brunswick	100-0	250-0	242-4	239-6	234-0	232-4	242-2	237-5	229-3	233-5	219-5	208-0	210-8	201-2	208-3
Quebec	100-0	174-2	191-4	192-5	205-4	214-0	220-4	215-4	211-4	203-3	204-4	195-5	193-3	195-3	196-2
Ontario	100-0	229-9	227-2	235-9	232-6	220-3	221-9	251-9	251-9	251-7	239-8	226-1	225-6	228-2	231-4
Manitoba	100-0	136-6	148-3	140-5	139-2	141-1	145-2	143-1	152-4	145-7	141-8	133-4	133-4	130-4	125-3
Saskatchewan	100-0	146-5	145-5	137-1	146-9	148-2	147-2	146-2	145-4	145-4	145-6	133-4	126-2	130-0	131-3
Alberta	100-0	173-0	172-9	175-6	173-0	164-5	162-8	157-4	150-2	148-8	144-3	135-1	131-0	128-7	121-8
British Columbia	100-0	163-5	158-2	161-3	156-9	146-7	140-9	148-0	153-1	150-2	140-9	127-7	132-9	135-1	138-5
Dominion Index	100-0	192-5	197-1	198-3	201-9	199-7	202-3	210-4	211-2	207-8	199-9	189-0	187-2	188-0	188-2

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TABLE XXXI—AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1923-1936

Province	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES FOR PUBLIC WARDS															
P.E.I.	0.91	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Nova Scotia	0.91	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.87
New Brunswick	0.89	1.95	1.97	1.97	2.46	2.46	2.46	2.46	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.58
Quebec	1.00	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.69	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.72	1.72	1.74
Ontario	1.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.51	1.51	1.52	1.52
Manitoba	1.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.51	1.51	1.52	1.52
Saskatchewan	1.13	1.92	1.92	1.97	2.45	2.45	2.43	2.45	2.45	2.40	2.35	2.24	2.20	2.19	2.18
Alberta	1.24	1.63	2.17	2.27	2.27	2.27	2.30	2.31	2.31	2.29	2.28	2.23	2.21	2.23	2.21
British Columbia	1.05	2.11	2.14	2.14	2.29	2.29	2.29	2.52	2.52	2.52	2.50	2.50	2.48	2.49	2.52
Dominion Average	0.99	1.73	1.77	1.78	1.83	1.86	1.96	2.03	2.04	2.03	2.03	1.99	1.98	1.98	1.99

AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS															
P.E.I.	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.51	2.51	2.58
Nova Scotia	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.20	3.20	3.19	3.19	3.18	3.08	3.08	3.06
New Brunswick	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.43	2.43	2.43	2.64	2.64	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.52
Quebec	3.12	3.12	3.12	3.12	3.12	3.12	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.21	3.19	3.17	3.17	3.13	3.13
Ontario	2.14	2.14	2.14	2.14	2.14	2.14	2.17	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.16	2.11	2.10	2.10	2.11
Manitoba	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.32	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.28
Saskatchewan	3.39	3.39	3.39	3.44	3.39	3.39	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.36	3.33	3.24	3.23	3.23	3.22
Alberta	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.52	3.45	3.45	3.37	3.38	3.34	3.33	3.33
British Columbia	3.40	3.40	3.40	3.40	3.40	3.40	3.39	3.39	3.39	3.34	3.33	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34
Dominion Average	2.82	2.83	2.84	2.82	2.83	2.83	2.85	2.87	2.89	2.89	2.85	2.82	2.80	2.79	2.79

AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS															
P.E.I.	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.94	3.94	3.94
Nova Scotia	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.99	4.01	4.04	4.11	4.02	4.02	4.02	3.89	3.91
New Brunswick	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.81	3.81	3.85	3.83	3.82	3.75
Quebec	6.16	6.16	6.16	6.16	6.16	6.16	6.35	6.46	6.41	6.44	6.46	6.15	6.12	6.06	6.00
Ontario	4.64	4.64	4.64	4.59	4.64	4.66	4.80	4.76	4.75	4.75	4.66	4.60	4.60	4.58	4.57
Manitoba	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.05	5.99	5.97	5.91	5.80	5.80	5.80	5.82
Saskatchewan	4.62	4.62	4.62	4.62	4.62	4.62	4.96	4.96	4.96	4.89	4.75	4.70	4.75	4.75	4.65
Alberta	5.11	5.11	5.11	5.11	5.11	5.11	4.57	4.56	4.63	4.59	4.58	4.57	4.50	4.48	4.49
British Columbia	5.08	5.08	5.08	5.08	5.08	5.08	5.11	5.06	5.05	5.05	5.09	4.94	4.94	4.95	4.95
Dominion Average	5.07	5.14	5.25	5.23	5.24	5.23	5.23	5.24	5.23	5.11	5.06	5.03	5.01	5.01	5.01

AVERAGE OPERATING ROOM CHARGES															
P.E.I.	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
Nova Scotia	7.39	7.39	7.39	7.39	7.39	7.39	7.40	7.43	7.43	7.37	7.37	6.96	6.96	6.97	6.97
New Brunswick	7.26	7.26	7.26	7.26	7.26	7.26	7.36	7.41	7.34	7.30	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27
Quebec	9.26	9.26	9.26	9.26	9.26	9.26	9.69	9.69	9.69	9.68	9.66	9.60	9.59	9.62	9.55
Ontario	7.48	7.48	7.48	7.48	7.48	7.48	7.58	7.58	7.58	7.56	7.40	7.39	7.32	7.30	7.25
Manitoba	9.58	9.58	9.58	9.58	9.58	9.58	9.59	9.59	9.59	9.59	9.49	9.45	9.45	9.45	9.45
Saskatchewan	7.83	7.83	7.83	7.83	7.83	7.83	7.87	7.88	7.88	7.84	7.80	7.55	7.47	7.41	7.26
Alberta	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.04	7.02	6.57	6.45	6.34	6.30	6.34
British Columbia	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.57	8.56	8.56	8.52	8.52	8.52	8.51	8.51	8.51
Dominion Average	8.17	8.31	8.36	8.37	8.36	8.33	8.23	8.14	8.10	8.09	8.04	8.04	8.04	8.04	8.04

AVERAGE COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY															
P.E.I.	2.61	2.47	2.88	3.26	3.34	3.25	2.97	3.12	3.16	3.06	3.01	2.86	2.86	2.86	2.86
Nova Scotia	2.87	2.94	2.92	3.24	3.41	3.47	2.80	2.71	2.58	2.50	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36
New Brunswick	3.24	3.21	3.35	3.28	3.17	3.22	3.03	2.87	2.91	2.78	2.85	2.85	2.85	2.85	2.85
Quebec	3.81	3.98	4.09	3.96	3.92	3.77	3.79	3.63	3.58	3.62	3.64	3.64	3.64	3.64	3.64
Ontario	3.51	3.33	3.35	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.63	3.42	3.42	3.45	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50	3.50
Manitoba	3.04	3.08	3.17	3.12	3.33	3.18	3.09	2.91	2.91	2.84	2.73	2.73	2.73	2.73	2.73
Saskatchewan	3.19	3.22	3.20	3.18	3.24	3.16	3.16	2.90	2.74	2.82	2.85	2.85	2.85	2.85	2.85
Alberta	3.60	3.43	3.39	3.28	3.13	3.10	3.01	2.82	2.73	2.68	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54
British Columbia	3.55	3.32	3.19	3.35	3.47	3.40	3.19	2.89	3.01	3.06	3.14	3.14	3.14	3.14	3.14
Dominion Average	3.26	3.48	3.45	3.49	3.62	3.63	3.58	3.44	3.25	3.22	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23	3.23

# INDEX NUMBERS AND PRICES OF MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES, 1913-1936

The Dominion index for manufactured fuel gas on the base 1926=100, was unchanged at 93.0 for 1936. This marked the first halt in a decline dating from 1921. Among the provinces, Ontario alone registered a change, declining from 89.2 to 89.1 owing to a slightly reduced rate for St. Thomas. Prices in Canada ranged from \$1.77 per thousand cubic feet at New Westminster to \$0.75 for both Guelph and Hamilton.

A natural gas index on the base 1926=100, fell from 93.2 to 92.6. The recession was due to reductions in typical bills for London and Medicine Hat. In September, 1935, natural gas was substituted in London, Ontario, for manufactured gas, and on October 7 a new rate became effective. This city was continued in the manufactured gas list until the beginning of 1936, when the new rate was taken account of in reckoning the typical bill from which the index was calculated. City quotations for 1936 for the first thousand cubic feet of gas ranged from \$1.40 for London and Windsor, Ontario, to \$0.237 for Medicine Hat.

TABLE XXXII—PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1922-1936

Net price per 1,000 cu. ft. as at the end of each year (exclusive of meter rent or other service charge)

	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Nova Scotia—																
Halifax.....						1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.20	1.20	1.20
														1.90	1.90	1.90
New Brunswick—																
Saint John.....	1.00	2.50	2.50	2.25	2.25	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75
Quebec—																
Montreal.....	.90	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Quebec.....	1.20	1.55	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.05	1.05
Sherbrooke.....	1.25	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21
Ontario—																
Kelleville.....	1.25	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60
Brockville.....	.90	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.70	1.53	1.44	1.38	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35
Guelph.....						1.05	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.90	.70	.75	.75	.75
Hamilton.....						1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
Kingston.....						1.44	1.44	1.40	1.40	1.35	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
Kitchener.....	1.10	1.60	1.60	1.50	1.30	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95	.95	.95
London.....	.90	1.25	1.15	1.15	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95	.95	.95
Shawana.....	1.40	2.15	2.00	2.00	1.90	1.90	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Windsor.....	1.10	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
Wentworth Sound.....	1.25	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.22	1.35	1.22	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12
Wentworth Sound.....	1.25	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.48	1.48	1.39	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30
St. Thomas.....						1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.15	1.15	1.40
St. Thomas, Marie.....						1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.60	1.60	1.54	1.54	1.54
Stratford.....	1.20	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.75	1.75	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65
Windsor.....	.70	.90	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Windsor.....						1.65	1.30	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15
Manitoba—																
Winnipeg.....	1.20	1.60	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47
British Columbia—																
New Westminster.....	2.25	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	1.70	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77
Vancouver.....	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62
Victoria.....	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.71	1.71

First price for standard service; second price for dual service.  
 Price as at September 23rd. Following that date natural gas was introduced.  
 First price for general service; second price optional domestic rate.



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TABLE XXXIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1922-1936

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)  
(1926=100)

	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
DOMINION.....	76.3	107.2	103.5	102.7	100.4	100.0	98.4	98.1	97.7	97.4	95.5	94.3	94.1	94.0	93.0	93.0
Provinces—																
N.S. (1 city).....						100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2
N.B. (1 city).....	51.2	124.4	124.4	112.2	112.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Quebec.....	82.6	100.3	100.3	100.2	100.2	100.0	96.1	96.1	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0
Ontario.....	69.7	111.6	105.0	104.5	100.2	100.0	99.7	99.2	98.5	97.9	93.8	91.8	91.4	91.1	89.2	89.1
Prairie (1 city).....	81.6	108.8	106.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Brit. Columbia.....	96.8	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	100.0	99.1	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.2	96.2
Cities—																
Halifax.....						100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2
Saint John.....	51.2	124.4	124.4	112.2	112.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Montreal.....	82.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7
Quebec.....	80.0	103.4	103.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sherbrooke.....	97.2	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5
Belleville.....	67.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5
Brockville.....	50.0	111.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.4	85.2	82.6	78.1	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8
Guelph.....						100.0	100.0	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6
Hamilton.....						100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	82.3	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0
Kingston.....						100.0	97.7	95.1	95.1	91.8	90.1	55.9	85.5	92.2	92.2	92.2
Kitchener.....	103.0	147.2	147.2	138.3	120.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3
London.....	82.6	113.0	106.4	104.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.7	98.7	86.8	86.8	86.8	84.7	84.7	84.7
Oshawa.....	77.6	113.2	111.0	105.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	93.6	92.0	92.0	92.0
Ottawa.....	77.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6
Owen Sound.....	93.2	118.5	118.5	118.5	90.9	100.0	100.0	82.6	87.4	82.5	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3
Peterborough.....	65.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	92.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.6	98.3	93.2	82.9	82.9
Sault Ste. Marie.....						100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	93.3	93.3	88.9	88.9	98.7	90.8
St. Thomas.....	62.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	88.2	88.2	84.8	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5
Stratford.....	66.7	113.4	104.7	104.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	96.8	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2
Toronto.....						100.0	79.6	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	71.3	71.3	71.3	71.3
Waterloo.....						100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Winnipeg.....	81.6	108.8	106.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
New Westminster.....	91.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	71.4	65.9	65.9	65.9	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8
Vancouver.....	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2
Victoria.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2	97.2

TABLE XXXIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1922-1936

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)  
(1913=100)

	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
DOMINION.....	100.0	140.6	135.7	134.6	131.6	131.1	129.0	128.6	128.1	127.7	125.2	123.6	123.4	123.2	121.9	121.6
Provinces—																
Maritime (1 city).....	100.0	242.9	242.9	219.0	219.0	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2
Quebec.....	100.0	121.4	121.4	121.2	121.2	121.0	116.3	116.3	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2
Ontario.....	100.0	160.1	150.5	149.9	143.8	143.4	143.0	142.3	141.2	140.4	134.5	131.6	131.1	130.6	127.9	127.7
Prairie (1 city).....	100.0	133.3	130.0	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5
Brit. Columbia.....	100.0	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	99.4	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	96.9	96.9	96.9	96.5	96.6
Cities—																
Saint John.....	100.0	242.9	242.9	219.0	219.0	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2
Montreal.....	100.0	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
Quebec.....	100.0	129.2	129.2	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0
Sherbrooke.....	100.0	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	102.9	102.9	102.9	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1
Belleville.....	100.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0
Brockville.....	100.0	222.2	200.0	200.0	200.0	200.0	188.8	170.4	165.2	156.2	149.6	140.6	140.6	140.6	140.6	140.6
Kitchener.....	100.0	142.9	142.9	134.3	117.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
London.....	100.0	136.8	128.9	126.3	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
Oshawa.....	100.0	145.8	142.4	135.6	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	127.1	127.1	111.8	111.8	111.8	109.1	109.1	109.1
Ottawa.....	100.0	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	122.1	122.1	122.1	122.1	122.1	122.1	118.0	118.0
Owen Sound.....	100.0	127.1	127.1	127.1	97.5	107.3	97.4	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8
Peterborough.....	100.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	140.8	132.8	125.4	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0
Stratford.....	100.0	160.4	160.4	160.4	160.4	160.4	152.9	145.3	141.5	141.5	136.2	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9
Toronto.....	100.0	170.1	157.1	157.1	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	145.2	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.8
Winnipeg.....	100.0	133.3	130.0	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5
New Westminster.....	100.0	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	78.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8
Vancouver.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5
Victoria.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2	97.2

\* Manufactured gas replaced by natural gas after September 23rd. Index based on average bill for year.

TABLE XXXV—PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1922-1936

Net price per 1,000 cu. ft. as at the end of each year (exclusive of meter rent or other service charge)

(Where double quotations are shown, the first figure is the regular rate, and the second figure is the summer rate; single quotations apply to the end of the year)

	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
New Brunswick—																
Moncton.....	.38	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50
Ontario—																
Brantford.....	.30	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Chatham.....	.25				.45	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35
Galt.....					.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75				
London.....						.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Niagara Falls.....	.40	.70	.65	.65	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.40 <sup>1</sup>
			.70	.70												1.00
Port Colborne.....						.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
St. Catharines.....	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
Sarnia.....	.30	.50	.50	.50	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55
		.70	.70	.70	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Welland.....	.28	.70	.70	.70	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
					1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30
Windsor.....	.30	.50	.50	.50	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40
Woodstock.....	.35	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Alberta—																
Calgary.....	.30	.48	.48	.48	.48	.38	.38	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33
Edmonton.....						.45	.45	.45	.45	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38
Medicine Hat.....	.135	.25	.25	.225	.225	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237

<sup>1</sup> Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.

TABLE XXXVI—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1922-1936

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1926=100)

	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
OMINION.....	58.0	94.7	94.5	94.1	104.0	100.0	96.8	93.3	93.2	92.5	93.9	94.3	93.9	93.4	93.2	92.6
Provinces—																
Maritime.....	76.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Ontario.....	47.7	82.2	82.0	81.7	99.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.8	99.8	105.7	105.7	105.8	104.6	104.6	103.4
Alberta.....	70.3	112.1	112.1	111.3	111.3	100.0	93.0	85.4	85.4	83.9	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	80.7	80.6
ties—																
Moncton.....	76.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Brantford.....	59.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Chatham.....	43.7				95.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	111.4	111.4	111.4
Galt.....						100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
London.....						100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Niagara Falls.....	49.0	70.0	68.9	67.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	81.3
Port Colborne.....						100.0	100.0	100.0	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
St. Catharines.....	94.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sarnia.....	40.1	89.6	89.6	89.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Welland.....	23.0	70.0	68.7	67.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Windsor.....	44.1	73.5	73.5	73.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	116.2	118.8	113.8	110.1	110.1	110.1
Woodstock.....	58.8	94.1	94.1	94.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Calgary.....	70.4	112.7	112.7	112.7	112.7	100.0	89.2	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5
Edmonton.....						100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.8	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4
Medicine Hat.....	68.9	104.6	104.6	94.9	94.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.3	94.2

<sup>1</sup> Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.

TABLE XXXVII—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1922-1936

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1913=100)

	1913	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
DOMINION.....	100-0	163-2	163-0	162-2	179-3	172-4	166-9	160-8	160-7	159-5	161-9	162-6	161-9	161-0	160-7	159-8
Provinces—																
Maritime.....	100-0	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6
Ontario.....	100-0	172-2	171-8	171-2	208-3	209-5	209-5	209-5	209-1	209-1	221-4	223-5	221-7	219-1	219-1	216-6
Alberta.....	100-0	159-4	159-4	158-3	158-8	142-2	132-2	121-4	121-4	119-3	115-2	115-2	115-2	115-2	114-8	114-8
Cities—																
Moncton.....	100-0	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6
Brantford.....	100-0	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6
Chatham.....	100-0				218-2	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	249-9	254-7	254-7	254-7
London.....																98.51
Niagara Falls.....	100-0	175-0	172-2	167-8	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0
St. Catharines.....	100-0	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4
Sarnia.....	100-0	223-7	223-7	223-7	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6
Welland.....	100-0	250-0	245-5	239-4	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5
Windsor.....	100-0	166-7	166-7	166-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	263-4	269-3	258-0	249-6	249-6	249-6
Woodstock.....	100-0	160-2	160-2	160-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2
Calgary.....	100-0	160-0	160-0	160-0	160-0	142-0	126-7	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1
Medicine Hat.....	100-0	151-9	151-9	137-8	137-8	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	136-9	136-8

1 Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.

## INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES

Computed by the Bureau's Transportation Branch in collaboration with the Prices' Division

The accompanying table shows that charges for electricity for domestic lighting and, in the majority of cases, for other domestic uses, declined 40.6 per cent from 1913 to 1936, the index being 86.5 in the latter year. In recent years, although the average domestic bill has been somewhat larger than formerly, rate reductions in the form of greater discounts, etc., have reduced the unit cost of electricity used in the home.

TABLE XXXVIII—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1926-1936

(1926=100)

	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	*1936
CANADA.....	100-0	99-0	96-9	92-8	90-2	88-5	88-4	88-8	88-5	87-5	86-5
Prince Edward Island...	100-0	100-0	100-0	84-6	84-6	84-6	84-6	74-6	74-6	66-7	66-7
Nova Scotia.....	100-0	97-2	95-2	92-7	78-3	72-7	72-1	71-5	71-5	71-3	71-0
New Brunswick.....	100-0	96-8	95-2	95-0	94-2	94-2	92-1	91-7	91-6	90-7	89-1
Quebec.....	100-0	99-0	98-7	93-7	87-9	85-3	85-1	84-9	82-3	79-2	79-2
Ontario.....	100-0	99-1	98-3	95-5	94-9	93-1	93-1	94-5	95-5	95-7	94-4
Manitoba.....	100-0	100-0	99-8	99-7	99-5	98-6	98-3	98-3	98-3	97-6	97-6
Saskatchewan.....	100-0	95-8	94-5	76-7	74-0	74-0	73-5	72-9	72-9	72-9	71-1
Alberta.....	100-0	99-4	98-0	80-1	79-3	78-8	78-8	78-8	78-8	78-3	78-3
British Columbia.....	100-0	100-0	83-6	82-9	82-9	82-9	83-8	83-8	83-8	83-8	81-1

\* Subject to revision.



TABLE XXXIX—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1926-1936

(1913=100)

—	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	*1936
CANADA.....	68.7	68.0	66.5	63.8	62.0	60.8	60.7	61.0	60.8	60.1	59.4
Prince Edward Island...	119.8	119.8	119.8	101.3	101.3	101.3	101.3	89.4	89.4	79.9	79.9
Nova Scotia.....	83.5	81.1	79.5	77.4	65.4	60.7	60.2	59.7	59.7	59.6	59.3
New Brunswick.....	68.9	66.7	65.6	65.4	64.9	64.9	63.4	63.2	63.1	62.5	61.4
Quebec.....	63.4	62.8	62.6	59.4	55.7	54.1	54.0	53.8	52.2	50.2	50.1
Ontario.....	60.6	60.0	59.5	57.9	57.5	56.4	56.4	57.2	57.9	58.0	57.1
Manitoba.....	99.9	99.9	99.7	99.6	99.4	98.5	98.2	98.2	98.2	97.5	97.2
Saskatchewan.....	97.2	93.1	91.8	74.6	71.9	71.9	71.4	70.9	70.9	70.9	69.2
Alberta.....	79.0	78.5	77.4	63.2	62.6	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3	61.8	61.6
British Columbia.....	68.3	68.3	57.1	56.6	56.6	56.6	57.2	57.2	57.2	57.2	55.4

\* Subject to revision.

## TELEPHONE RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS

### DOMESTIC TELEPHONES

The index number for domestic telephone rates in Canada on the base 1926=100 remained unchanged for 1936 at 107.4. The average 1936 rate for domestic use in Canada was \$2.58 per month, while provincial rates ranged from \$2.17 for British Columbia to \$2.94 for Manitoba.

### BUSINESS TELEPHONES

Taking average quotations in 1926 as equal to 100, the index of business telephone rates in Canada at 118.5 in 1936 showed no change from the previous year. Average rates for business telephones were highest in British Columbia at \$6.75, while the minimum rate of \$3.67 was reported by Prince Edward Island. The average Dominion rate of \$6.16 was the same as for 1935. It should be noted that the amounts of service given in the case of business telephones vary materially in different cities.

TABLE XL—DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1933-1936

—	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1933	1934	1935	1936	1913	1933	1934	1935	1936
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	¢	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.25-2.50	1.60-3.17	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	2.01	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58
Prince Edward Island.....	1	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
Nova Scotia.....	6	1.67-2.17	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.00	2.43	2.43	2.43	2.43
New Brunswick.....	3	1.67-2.50	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.16	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
Quebec.....	14	1.50-2.40	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	2.31	2.67	2.67	2.67	2.67
Ontario.....	32	1.25-2.08	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.84	2.56	2.56	2.56	2.56
Manitoba.....	3	1.66-2.50	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.46	2.94	2.94	2.94	2.94
Saskatchewan.....	4	2.25	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.25	2.68	2.68	2.68	2.68
Alberta.....	5	1.25-1.67	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	1.67	2.81	2.81	2.81	2.81
British Columbia.....	6	1.50-2.00	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.98	2.17	2.17	2.17	2.17

\* Approximate.

TABLE XLI—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES,  
1913 AND 1933-1936

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1933	1934	1935	1936	1913	1933	1934	1935	1936
DOMINION.....	83.2	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	100.0	129.1	129.1	129.1	129.1
Prince Edward Island.....	73.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5
Nova Scotia.....	82.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5
New Brunswick.....	78.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	127.3	127.3	127.3	127.3
Quebec.....	95.3	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	100.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0
Ontario.....	79.7	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	100.0	139.1	139.1	139.1	139.1
Manitoba.....	78.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	126.8	126.8	126.8	126.8
Saskatchewan.....	87.9	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	100.0	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3
Alberta.....	59.0	110.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.4	169.4	169.4	169.4
British Columbia.....	91.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5

TABLE XLII—BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1933-1936

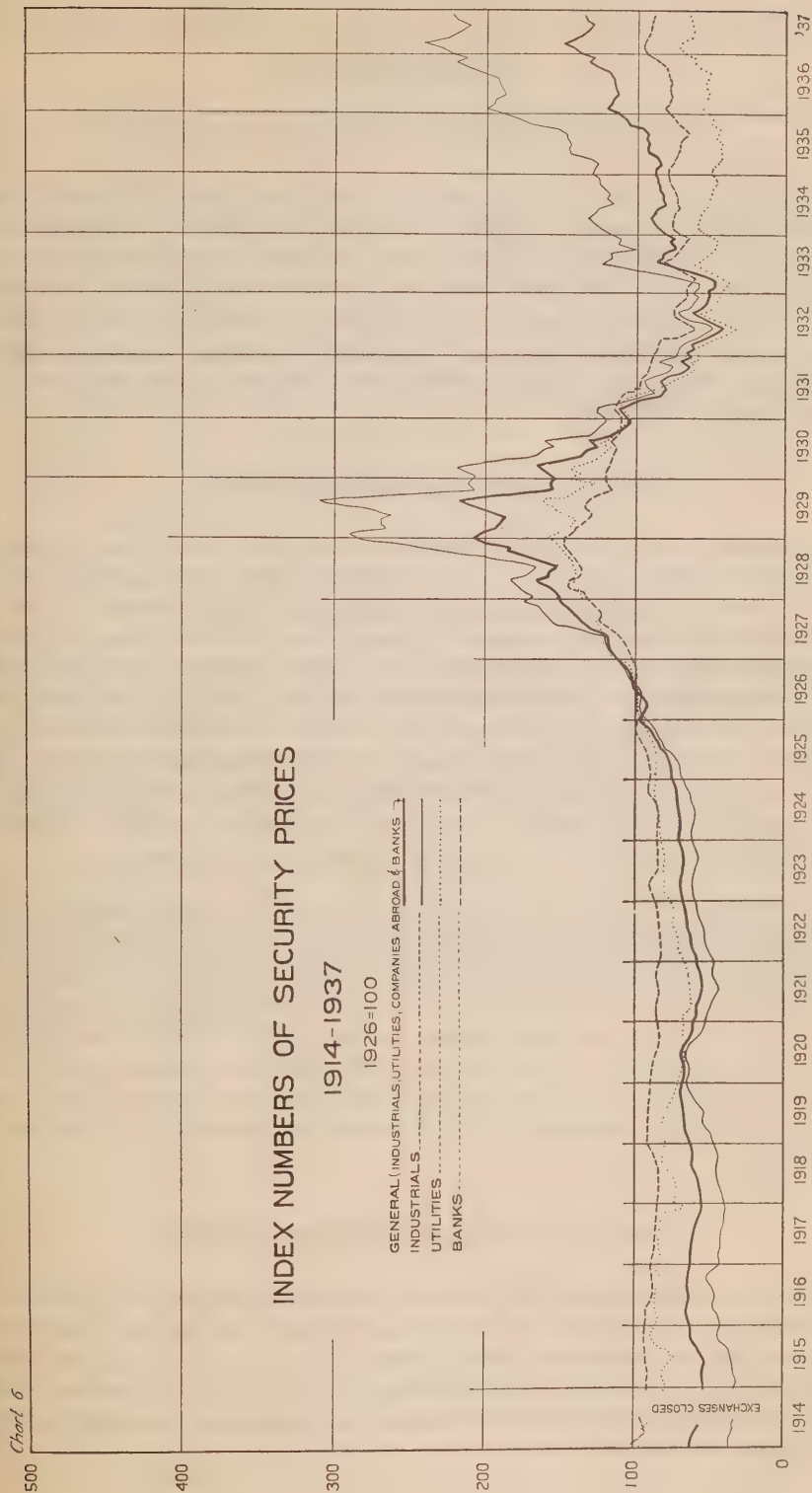
	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1933	1934	1935	1936	1913	1933	1934	1935	1936
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.83-6.00	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	4.21	6.16	6.16	6.16	6.16
Prince Edward Island.....	1	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67
Nova Scotia.....	6	2.67-3.92	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.54	5.81	5.81	5.81	5.81
New Brunswick.....	3	2.67-3.91	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.54	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39
Quebec.....	14	1.83-4.75	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	4.34	6.47	6.47	6.47	6.47
Ontario.....	32	1.83-4.33	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.77	6.01	6.01	6.01	6.01
Manitoba.....	3	3.16-5.25	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	5.10	6.53	6.53	6.53	6.53
Saskatchewan.....	4	3.09	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.09	4.14	4.14	4.14	4.14
Alberta.....	5	2.17-4.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	3.33	5.63	5.63	5.63	5.63
British Columbia.....	6	4.50-6.00	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	5.70	6.75	6.75	6.75	6.75

\*Measured service basis.

TABLE XLIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913  
AND 1933-1936

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1933	1934	1935	1936	1913	1933	1934	1935	1936
DOMINION.....	80.6	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	100.0	146.9	146.9	146.9	146.9
Prince Edward Island.....	82.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	122.0	122.0	122.0	122.0
Nova Scotia.....	60.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	164.1	164.1	164.1	164.1
New Brunswick.....	65.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	152.3	152.3	152.3	152.3
Quebec.....	87.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	100.0	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3
Ontario.....	80.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	100.0	159.3	159.3	159.3	159.3
Manitoba.....	76.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2
Saskatchewan.....	78.0	104.5	104.5	104.5	104.5	100.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	134.0
Alberta.....	59.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.1	169.1	169.1	169.1
British Columbia.....	84.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	118.2	118.2	118.2	118.2





## SECURITY PRICES

### INVESTORS' SECURITY PRICES INDEX NUMBERS

Security prices in nearly all fields registered sharp gains during 1936 despite corrective reactions in the spring months and again in November. The magnitude of net changes for the year in different sections of the market may be appreciated by reference to the following group percentages of increase: Base metals 58 per cent, preferred stocks 27 per cent, utility common stocks 25 per cent, industrial common stocks 19 per cent, gold issues 12 per cent, and Dominion of Canada long-term bonds 5 per cent. The marked improvement in preferred stocks and utilities in contrast with their lethargic behaviour during the past few years was one of the outstanding developments of 1936.

### INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS

The Bureau's index of industrial common stocks advanced sharply from 178.2 to 200.0 in January and February, with the latter month witnessing the heaviest trading in recent years. A minor reaction in March was followed by a second one of more importance in April which marked the first serious setback industrials had received since July 1934. The end of this movement came in May when the industrial group index averaged 187.9. During June and July recovery was hesitant, but in the next three months prices mounted rapidly, this advance being comparable to the sharp rise in the final quarter of 1935. Unlike that movement, however, its 1936 counterpart received a serious setback in the second and third weeks of November. The market immediately resumed its advance in December, showing much greater recuperative power than after the spring decline. The December average index of 212.8 compared with the high point for the year of 226.1, recorded for the second week of November.

Utility common stock prices followed the same general movements described above for industrials, except that the November reaction was slight and the December recovery relatively stronger. The utility index mounted from 50.1 for December 1935 to 57.0 for February and then dropped back to 52.5 in May. Subsequent reactions were so small that each succeeding monthly index showed an increase, the final December number being 62.8. Had it not been for the Transportation sub-group, the December Utility index would have been more than 20 points above its level at that time. This may be observed from the following Utility sub-group indexes for December: Transportation 34.6, Telephone and Telegraph 120.4, and Power and Traction 82.1.

### INDEX NUMBERS OF PREFERRED STOCKS

Prices for preferred issues came to life at the beginning of 1936 and staged their most impressive rally in over three years. The 1936 advance was more consistent and netted materially larger gains than the corresponding rise in common stock prices. An index of 25 Canadian preferred issues mounted from 73.8 in December 1935 to 93.9 for the December following. During the first quarter of 1937 this gain was increased and new ground consolidated, as indicated by the August 1937 index of 101.5.

TABLE XLIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF 25 PREFERRED STOCKS, 1927-1937

(1926=100)

—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
27.....	102.1	102.5	102.7	102.6	102.5	102.1	102.5	103.8	104.8	107.8	110.8	111.8
28.....	111.5	110.9	109.9	111.4	111.7	111.2	110.3	107.5	107.6	106.2	104.0	107.9
29.....	107.4	108.1	106.8	104.3	104.3	104.8	104.8	105.6	105.1	102.9	99.8	100.4
30.....	97.9	98.8	100.0	103.4	102.6	99.5	97.4	97.1	96.2	85.4	81.9	82.5
31.....	83.2	83.4	84.2	78.8	73.8	72.6	71.8	69.1	64.2	63.9	66.5	63.0
32.....	57.2	58.8	58.0	55.4	48.4	45.2	49.5	52.9	53.4	52.9	52.2	50.2
33.....	49.6	49.6	47.3	47.2	54.6	58.5	61.9	61.7	61.0	59.7	59.1	60.2
34.....	64.1	66.5	67.3	68.5	68.7	68.4	68.1	67.3	67.4	69.5	70.6	71.4
35.....	73.5	73.8	71.2	69.2	68.4	68.4	69.6	70.9	69.2	69.5	72.5	73.8
36.....	74.9	77.2	76.3	76.0	74.6	76.2	79.5	80.6	83.8	86.8	91.1	93.9
37.....	99.2	100.4	102.6	103.1	100.2	99.3	99.4	101.5	91.0	.....	.....	.....

## INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS

Gold stock price movements appeared to anticipate those in other sections of the market several months. Thus their initial decline commenced late in January, while recovery was occurring during the April reaction in other sections. From mid-May until late in October golds declined gradually, then turned upward and continued to gain throughout the precipitous drop in industrials during November. The peaks and troughs of the year were marked as follows: January 124.8, February 130.2, March 122.7, October 126.4, and December 131.3.

Base metals gained more consistently than any other group, rising at the outset from 214.8 in January to 241.1 for April. Then after a minor decline to 239.2, they advanced without interruption to 317.8 for December. Spectacular increases in base metal commodity prices, particularly in the final quarter, furnished considerable support for improvement in base metal stock prices. Gains of the latter, however, were approximately three times as great as those in corresponding commodity markets.

TABLE XLV—INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS PRICES, 1933-1937

(1926=100)

Month	Gold	Base Metals	Total Index
1933			
No. of Stocks	19	4	23
January.....	66.8	70.4	67.1
February.....	74.7	79.9	75.3
March.....	66.6	76.9	68.4
April.....	72.9	83.7	74.5
May.....	84.5	109.7	89.6
June.....	97.5	128.0	104.1
July.....	99.7	133.5	106.9
August.....	100.5	136.5	107.4
September.....	107.3	140.6	113.4
October.....	108.6	131.8	112.2
November.....	105.2	129.7	109.4
December.....	100.4	127.1	105.1
1934			
No. of Stocks	19	4	23
January.....	104.7	128.3	108.9
February.....	110.1	134.2	114.4
March.....	124.3	147.1	128.1
April.....	132.0	162.3	137.2
May.....	124.2	156.5	129.8
June.....	133.4	164.2	138.5
July.....	133.3	158.3	137.2
August.....	137.4	161.7	141.1
September.....	136.7	154.9	139.2
October.....	132.9	141.4	133.5
November.....	125.7	129.0	125.5
December.....	124.7	129.6	124.9
1935			
No. of Stocks	19	4	23
January.....	123.2	132.4	124.3
February.....	123.4	131.2	124.2
March.....	127.5	135.3	128.2
April.....	124.5	140.1	128.7
May.....	121.4	150.2	128.3
June.....	116.3	153.2	123.0
July.....	110.1	151.9	117.9
August.....	106.2	155.4	115.6
September.....	109.5	159.6	119.1
October.....	106.3	169.7	118.6
November.....	111.8	181.9	125.5
December.....	116.9	201.7	133.6
1936			
No. of Stocks	20	3	23
January.....	124.8	214.8	142.4
February.....	130.2	230.4	149.8
March.....	122.7	232.2	144.2
April.....	122.8	241.1	145.8
May.....	128.9	239.2	150.3
June.....	134.4	246.0	156.1
July.....	134.4	254.1	157.6
August.....	132.6	264.0	158.1
September.....	131.2	267.1	157.6
October.....	126.4	289.4	158.2
November.....	131.8	312.5	167.0
December.....	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
No. of Stocks	21	3	24
January.....	137.5	329.6	174.6
February.....	139.4	344.8	177.2
March.....	133.0	340.5	172.6
April.....	120.0	288.0	154.1
May.....	111.3	269.3	142.1
June.....	105.9	255.0	134.7
July.....	109.2	278.9	141.8
August.....	112.5	287.4	146.2
September.....	103.5	224.5	127.6
October.....	104.3	192.4	121.6



\*TABLE XLVI—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES, 1933-1937

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)  
(1926=100)

Month	GENERAL	BANKS	UTILITIES				INDUSTRIALS		
	Total	Total	Total	Transportation	Telephone and Telegraph	Power and Traction	Total	Machinery and Equipment	Pulp and Paper
1933									
No. of Stocks	126	8	19	2	2	15	93		8
January.....	52.9	67.8	45.9	36.6	72.2	52.4	60.7	.....	4.0
February.....	49.2	66.0	40.4	28.0	65.9	50.0	58.0	.....	5.0
March.....	48.9	62.8	39.9	26.5	66.4	50.7	59.1	.....	3.2
April.....	53.8	60.3	40.4	29.3	63.4	49.2	69.7	.....	3.8
May.....	66.1	65.2	49.5	38.6	72.4	58.4	83.6	.....	5.5
June.....	77.4	73.4	56.4	45.9	77.5	65.5	107.1	.....	9.3
July.....	86.5	80.4	61.5	50.0	85.5	71.2	122.3	.....	12.3
August.....	81.8	76.0	56.8	43.2	85.3	67.7	117.2	.....	11.2
September.....	81.6	74.8	53.5	39.4	84.9	64.3	119.1	.....	10.8
October.....	73.3	71.7	48.5	32.5	83.0	60.4	103.6	.....	8.9
November.....	76.8	68.4	47.8	31.5	84.2	59.7	113.4	.....	8.5
December.....	75.3	64.7	47.8	32.5	86.4	58.1	111.4	.....	7.8
1934									
No. of Stocks	121	8	20	2	2	16	87		6
January.....	81.6	71.7	53.5	38.6	86.2	64.8	118.6	.....	11.4
February.....	86.5	76.7	58.0	42.1	88.8	70.9	123.8	.....	13.6
March.....	88.0	76.9	58.8	43.3	90.0	71.1	128.5	.....	13.2
April.....	90.7	76.1	58.1	42.0	90.9	70.7	133.0	.....	13.2
May.....	88.6	75.2	56.7	40.2	90.0	69.7	128.0	.....	13.8
June.....	87.2	72.7	54.5	37.9	90.2	67.0	128.1	.....	12.5
July.....	81.3	73.6	50.6	32.9	89.6	63.4	116.6	.....	10.5
August.....	83.8	73.1	51.2	33.4	89.6	64.4	120.1	.....	9.9
September.....	83.8	74.9	50.1	33.1	90.6	61.7	118.8	.....	9.6
October.....	85.2	76.1	49.0	31.1	92.7	60.8	122.0	.....	9.8
November.....	86.0	78.3	46.5	28.6	93.7	57.5	125.3	.....	11.0
December.....	86.2	79.0	47.5	29.1	97.6	58.5	125.6	.....	11.6
1935									
No. of Stocks	121	9	20	2	2	16	87	8	6
January.....	88.6	80.1	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	129.7	130.4	14.0
February.....	87.8	79.9	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	128.8	128.8	13.4
March.....	84.4	76.8	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	125.6	119.4	11.6
April.....	86.4	75.0	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	130.8	122.7	11.1
May.....	93.6	73.1	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	144.4	120.2	10.6
June.....	93.8	72.0	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	145.2	115.5	10.5
July.....	92.4	71.7	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	143.8	119.6	10.6
August.....	94.7	70.6	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	146.1	119.7	12.0
September.....	93.6	65.9	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	147.1	115.3	12.4
October.....	96.1	68.4	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	152.9	120.3	12.6
November.....	105.8	73.0	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	170.3	122.6	14.6
December.....	107.4	75.1	50.1	28.6	108.0	62.7	178.2	116.4	15.9
1936									
No. of Stocks	121	9	23	2	2	19	89	8	6
January.....	112.9	78.6	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	187.7	118.2	18.6
February.....	120.7	82.6	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	200.0	125.0	20.2
March.....	117.4	79.6	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	194.8	122.2	18.5
April.....	115.9	77.5	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	194.2	114.3	17.5
May.....	112.8	77.7	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	187.9	108.0	16.7
June.....	113.8	77.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	189.3	106.3	17.5
July.....	114.3	77.2	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	190.1	102.4	18.6
August.....	114.7	79.0	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	191.4	103.0	18.0
September.....	119.5	79.7	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	200.6	113.6	20.3
October.....	126.9	80.6	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	212.3	127.3	24.4
November.....	131.8	84.5	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	219.9	140.4	27.5
December.....	129.2	87.7	62.8	34.6	120.4	82.1	212.8	139.4	29.7
1937									
No. of Stocks	96	9	19	2	2	15	68	8	6
January.....	137.4	94.4	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	222.0	156.3	37.2
February.....	142.4	96.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	228.8	163.4	36.7
March.....	147.2	95.9	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	241.7	168.3	40.2
April.....	136.2	94.0	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	224.1	157.5	47.1
May.....	132.2	92.7	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	216.4	151.3	38.5
June.....	129.4	92.3	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	210.1	148.1	38.2
July.....	133.0	90.2	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	217.8	148.0	40.5
August.....	135.2	89.9	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	221.6	151.2	40.4
September.....	118.9	84.9	57.4	24.8	126.6	78.6	193.3	122.8	29.3
October.....	105.8	81.4	51.7	20.9	122.9	70.7	170.3	104.3	22.5

\* For 1914-30 Data see Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1933, Page 158.

\*TABLE XLVI—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1933-1937—Concluded

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)—Concluded

(1926=100)

Month	Industrials						Industria Mines
	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Bever- ages	Building materials	
1933 No. of Stocks	5	4	9	19	8	—	—
January.....	42.0	95.7	38.1	84.4	35.1	.....	.....
February.....	41.0	89.5	35.4	82.4	34.2	.....	.....
March.....	39.1	89.8	34.0	80.8	37.9	.....	.....
April.....	45.9	101.7	32.9	87.8	39.9	.....	.....
May.....	63.1	127.0	48.2	108.2	66.8	.....	.....
June.....	72.9	146.9	58.4	121.8	112.4	.....	.....
July.....	82.1	162.5	63.4	143.3	173.7	.....	.....
August.....	79.3	153.2	62.5	130.8	160.9	.....	.....
September.....	75.8	156.1	65.2	124.9	168.6	.....	.....
October.....	73.6	133.6	61.6	115.1	134.8	.....	.....
November.....	72.9	155.7	60.8	118.1	135.1	.....	.....
December.....	68.4	143.9	58.6	117.1	148.5	.....	.....
1934 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	18	8	—	—
January.....	74.9	147.0	66.6	122.6	163.6	.....	.....
February.....	77.1	153.7	73.3	128.2	148.5	.....	.....
March.....	77.1	152.2	76.3	129.4	141.8	.....	.....
April.....	75.2	159.4	76.8	134.3	138.0	.....	.....
May.....	74.3	159.0	79.1	129.9	113.8	.....	.....
June.....	74.1	161.9	77.7	128.1	113.5	.....	.....
July.....	72.4	153.8	72.7	123.3	86.7	.....	.....
August.....	73.2	158.0	73.1	125.5	91.3	.....	.....
September.....	72.6	160.2	71.9	123.4	93.8	.....	.....
October.....	68.4	169.0	74.4	126.6	89.2	.....	.....
November.....	66.0	180.8	74.3	128.1	98.4	.....	.....
December.....	71.0	177.8	74.3	130.3	93.6	.....	.....
1935 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	19	8	14	2
January.....	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	106.5	198.4
February.....	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	102.5	198.9
March.....	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	95.5	200.4
April.....	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	97.7	222.9
May.....	59.9	211.7	70.3	127.8	102.4	102.0	243.0
June.....	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	103.4	240.4
July.....	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	103.6	236.4
August.....	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	105.7	246.0
September.....	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	103.3	257.0
October.....	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	103.8	267.3
November.....	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	112.7	315.7
December.....	76.7	214.8	70.4	148.5	161.0	117.8	370.1
1936 No. of Stocks	5	5	11	18	9	14	2
January.....	80.4	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2
February.....	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2
March.....	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3
April.....	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8
May.....	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	125.6	394.8
June.....	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8
July.....	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	428.5
August.....	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2
September.....	93.9	220.5	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1
October.....	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3
November.....	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2
December.....	112.5	215.4	73.5	182.3	145.3	181.9	540.0
1937 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	13	7	14	2
January.....	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3
February.....	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7
March.....	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2
April.....	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9
May.....	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8
June.....	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8
July.....	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4
August.....	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2
September.....	89.1	205.3	73.3	167.9	118.3	159.8	470.5
October.....	69.9	192.0	68.0	154.1	105.6	132.5	395.0

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRICES AND YIELDS OF CANADIAN BONDS, 1900-1937

The following tables present index numbers of prices and yields of Dominion of Canada long-term bonds. Exactly the same issues are included in both series and methods of computation are identical. The average maturity of issues included ranges generally between twelve and thirteen years, with an arbitrary minimum of seven years. Since only domestic issues have been utilized, the Dominion indexes do not extend beyond the post-war period when the domestic market first became active. A supplementary series of domestic Ontario bond yield index numbers is included which runs back to 1900. Provincial and municipal issues in the home market ante-date Dominion issues by more than twenty years.

Dominion of Canada long-term maturities moved to all time high levels in the first three-quarters of 1936, on markets which were exceptionally steady. The gradual progress of the Bureau's Dominion long-term price index from 113.2 to 119.4 during this period was unbroken, save for a few short fractional reactions. The most serious of these came in April when the Province of Alberta defaulted on the principal of a small maturing issue and reduced interest payments on it from 6 per cent to 3 per cent. Within the month, however, prices had fully recovered small losses occurring at that time. The strength of the market was tested at irregular intervals by Dominion financing which was mostly concerned with refunding. A good reception to the \$48,000,000 refunding issue floated in New York in January stimulated the home market. Oversubscription of a \$20,000,000 general purpose domestic loan and a successful refunding operation in excess of \$115,000,000 in June furnished further evidence of basic strength. The same favourable reception greeted the \$100,000,000 issue on September 10, of which \$73,000,000 was for refunding.

The break-up of the European gold "bloc" in the final week of September and the subsequent currency devaluations by France, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Italy, and Czechoslovakia were followed by moderate price declines which carried the Dominion index down from 119.4 at the middle of September to 116.6 for the final week of October. Gradual recovery in the last two months brought it back to 118.4 at the close of the year.

**TABLE XLVII—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA, LONG-TERM  
BOND PRICES, 1927-1936**

(1926=100)

	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January.....	101.3	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7
February.....	101.7	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3
March.....	101.6	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9
April.....	102.4	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7
May.....	103.0	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8
June.....	102.5	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9
July.....	102.0	102.9	99.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	115.1
August.....	102.9	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	115.5
September.....	102.6	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	115.3
October.....	103.2	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	.....
November.....	103.8	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	.....
December.....	105.3	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	.....



TABLE XLVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1927-1937  
(1926=100)

	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January.....	97.6	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6
February.....	96.5	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4
March.....	97.3	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7
April.....	95.7	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2
May.....	94.6	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0
June.....	95.7	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3
July.....	96.4	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	69.0
August.....	94.7	95.0	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.8	63.2	68.1
September.....	95.4	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	68.3
October.....	94.0	93.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	.....
November.....	92.8	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	.....
December.....	90.2	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	.....

TABLE XLIX—INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1927-1937  
(1926=100)

	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
January.....	97.1	89.8	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.2	76.2	85.5	70.4
February.....	97.1	87.7	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3
March.....	96.0	88.7	101.3	101.3	92.9	110.6	100.0	90.1	79.5	77.3	78.5
April.....	95.2	88.7	103.3	101.3	92.9	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9
May.....	95.0	90.8	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5
June.....	95.0	91.9	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9
July.....	95.0	93.9	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	73.1
August.....	95.0	96.0	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	72.2
September.....	95.0	96.0	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	71.8
October.....	93.9	95.0	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	.....
November.....	93.9	95.0	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	.....
December.....	90.8	96.0	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	.....

\*TABLE L—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1932-1937

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York  
(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 419 Stocks	Industrials 347 Stocks	Railroads 32 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1932				
January.....	57.5	53.9	35.6	93.9
February.....	56.5	52.9	34.2	92.8
March.....	57.8	54.6	32.9	95.0
April.....	45.7	43.5	23.6	76.1
May.....	39.8	38.1	17.4	67.8
June.....	34.3	33.7	14.4	55.5
July.....	35.2	35.1	15.1	54.9
August.....	52.1	50.5	27.8	82.1
September.....	58.4	55.9	35.4	91.9
October.....	51.4	49.2	29.0	82.6
November.....	47.9	45.9	25.8	78.0
December.....	47.1	44.5	25.4	78.9
1933				
January.....	49.1	46.2	27.6	81.8
February.....	44.9	42.5	26.7	73.1
March.....	43.3	41.5	25.5	68.3
April.....	46.5	47.4	26.2	63.2
May.....	61.5	63.7	36.5	77.8
June.....	72.8	75.1	42.8	93.9
July.....	79.8	82.8	51.3	97.4
August.....	74.4	77.9	48.7	87.2
September.....	75.5	81.0	48.2	81.5
October.....	69.5	75.5	40.3	75.0
November.....	68.8	76.2	38.4	70.0
December.....	70.4	78.8	40.0	67.8

**\*TABLE L—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATE, 1932-1937—Concluded**

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York

(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 419 Stocks	Industrials 347 Stocks	Railroads 32 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1934				
January.....	74.6	82.9	44.5	72.2
February.....	80.9	88.9	50.5	80.7
March.....	77.2	86.1	47.5	76.2
April.....	79.6	88.3	49.3	76.3
May.....	71.8	79.6	43.3	69.7
June.....	73.1	81.0	43.9	71.6
July.....	71.4	79.7	41.2	69.2
August.....	67.5	76.3	35.3	64.5
September.....	67.4	76.2	35.4	64.0
October.....	67.6	76.7	35.9	63.2
November.....	68.3	78.4	34.8	60.8
December.....	69.6	80.6	35.9	58.8
1935				
January.....	70.1	81.9	35.0	57.6
February.....	68.0	80.1	32.3	55.1
March.....	64.6	76.2	28.4	53.4
April.....	67.5	78.9	29.4	59.1
May.....	73.1	85.7	30.9	63.7
June.....	75.5	87.4	32.4	69.8
July.....	73.8	91.2	33.8	73.3
August.....	83.0	95.0	35.8	80.6
September.....	85.0	97.5	37.0	81.9
October.....	85.2	98.5	34.3	81.0
November.....	93.3	107.4	37.6	90.1
December.....	95.3	109.2	41.4	91.6
1936				
January.....	100.1	114.5	43.8	97.0
February.....	106.1	120.9	49.1	102.8
March.....	108.7	124.6	49.2	102.8
April.....	108.9	125.3	48.9	101.5
May.....	101.0	116.2	45.0	94.7
June.....	105.6	120.6	47.7	102.0
July.....	109.2	124.3	50.7	105.8
August.....	113.0	128.4	53.9	108.8
September.....	114.1	130.2	55.4	107.7
October.....	118.7	136.0	58.4	109.1
November.....	124.2	144.3	57.9	108.9
December.....	122.8	142.6	54.4	110.6
1937				
January.....	126.0	146.3	55.6	113.2
February.....	129.5	151.7	57.9	110.7
March.....	129.9	152.6	62.8	105.7
April.....	124.5	146.5	60.1	100.7
May.....	116.3	136.7	57.1	94.1
June.....	113.6	134.0	53.9	91.3
July.....	117.8	139.4	52.1	95.9
August.....	120.5	143.5	50.9	97.0
September.....	106.4	126.2	42.6	89.2
October.....	91.4	107.4	35.4	81.3

\*For 1918-1929 data, see 1913-1933 Prices and Price Indexes, page 175.—Revised indexes from 1931.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE, 1936

Other exchange developments were overshadowed during 1936 by the struggle to preserve the gold parities of European gold "bloc" currencies, the French franc, the Swiss franc, and the Dutch guilder. On September 25, the French Minister of Finance announced that the franc would be devalued, and the same action was taken in the next few days by the Netherlands, Switzerland, Italy, Czechoslovakia, and Roumania. The cooperation of central bank and Treasury authorities, particularly those of the United Kingdom, the United States, and France resulted in comparative stability being restored by the middle of October. A marked improvement in the Brazilian milreis and the Argentine peso also attracted considerable interest during 1936, as did the weak position of the Japanese yen as the year closed. Throughout 1936, New York funds at Montreal remained close to par, sometimes slightly above and sometimes a little below. Following devaluation of the franc, sterling rates at Montreal dropped about 14 cents to close the year at approximately \$4.90. The following summary of happenings related to foreign exchange will supplement the above brief comments.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE SUMMARY, 1936

- Jan. 19. The French franc declined temporarily on news of Premier Laval's impending resignation, but was steady at 6.63 cents as the resignation went into effect on January 23.
23. The United States dollar dropped  $\frac{1}{2}$  of one per cent when it became apparent that the Presidential veto of the veterans' bonus bill would be overridden. This loss had been fully recovered by the middle of February, when New York funds were at par at Montreal. Gold flowed from New York to Europe during this period.
- Feb. 1. Sterling touched \$5.00 at Montreal, up 5 cents in ten days.
5. Arrangements for a \$340,000,000 British loan to France were reported complete. The transfer was effected later without undue disturbance to the London-Paris rate by "earmarking" gold holdings of the Bank of France and by the Bank of France discounting sterling bills.
26. Japanese yen dropped from 29.09 cents to 28.86 (February 27) following political crisis and assassination of two statesmen. Loss recovered by end of first week in March. Shanghai dollar moved independently of United States dollar. A Shanghai cable intimated the China dollar was being managed with respect to sterling and the United States dollar.
- Mar. 6. German occupation of Rhineland precipitated brief slump in European currencies.
29. Persistent pressure on French franc followed by an increase in the official discount rate from  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent to 5 per cent. Gold flowed from Paris to New York.
- April 2. Reports stated the Russian ruble had been stabilized at the equivalent of three French francs (the franc was then 6.64 cents).
22. European currencies declined as negotiations for a French loan in Amsterdam broke down. The franc was under heavy pressure with gold still flowing from Paris to New York.
27. Poland abandoned the gold standard but intimated the zloty would be maintained close to the gold parity (zloty 18.81 cents).
- May 10. A statement by Premier Blum indicating support of franc would continue, served to ease pressure and gold exports lessened.
18. A pact was announced between the United States and China, under which the former would purchase silver from China, thereby making available dollar exchange to support Chinese currency.
29. Sterling again reached \$5.00 at Montreal, up 5 cents during the month. The premium on New York funds also increased fractionally during this period.



- June Pressure on the French franc again increased and gold was shipped in large quantities to New York. The Dutch guilder remained strong and the Netherlands Bank reduced its discount rate from 4 per cent to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent on June 29. Sterling at Montreal moved up from \$5.00 to \$5.04 $\frac{1}{2}$  and then re-acted to \$5.03 $\frac{1}{4}$ . French government measures resulted in some capital repatriation in latter part of June.
- July 21. Spanish outbreak depressed European currencies which had been firm in the preceding three weeks. The peseta was supported for a short time at approximately 13.70 cents.
- Aug. 6. Spanish peseta exchange rates became nominal at 13.60 cents. Gold again flowed from Paris to New York in small quantities. Free rate on Argentine pesos advanced more than  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent to 28.15 cents during August, reflecting improvement in the foreign trade and financial position of the country.
9. Sterling touched \$5.03, up  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cents in 6 days, reflecting flight of continental funds.
- Sept. 10. Large gold flow from Paris to New York resumed.
24. Bank of France discount rate increased from 3 per cent to 5 per cent.
25. French Minister of Finance announced devaluation measures to be presented to Chamber of Deputies and exchanges close.
28. Switzerland decided to devalue between 26 per cent and 34.5 per cent. In the final week of September the currencies of Greece, Latvia, and Turkey were pegged to sterling. They had previously been kept in line with units of the gold "bloc". About the same time the Brazilian milreis was linked to the U.S. dollar.
- Oct. 1. French devaluation measure passed, setting new value of franc equivalent to between 43 and 49 milligrams of gold. Old parity equal to 58.95 milligrams.
5. Italian lira devalued 40.93 per cent—90 to the £ sterling, and 19 to the U.S. dollar.
6. Netherlands guilder steadied just above 53 cents, about  $14\frac{1}{2}$  cents below former level. Dutch authorities decide to allow guilder to find new natural level.
8. Czechoslovakian crown devalued further, between 13.3 per cent and 18.7 per cent following  $16\frac{2}{3}$  per cent reduction in February 1934.
13. Agreement announced between the United Kingdom, the United States, and France for the free transfer of gold between exchange stabilization authorities of these countries. Pact terminable on 24 hours notice.
15. Bank of France official discount rate returned to 2 per cent after successive reductions.
- Nov. 17. Influx of foreign capital into New York security markets subsided following official warning that action may be taken to curb it. Inflow continued subsequently in reduced volume.
23. Belgium, Netherlands, and Switzerland join gold transfer pact.  
About the middle of November the National Bank of Roumania was authorized to revalue the leu at 153,333.3 lei per kgm. of gold, equivalent to approximately a 40 per cent reduction from the 1929 gold parity.
- Dec. 17. Forward francs strong following resumption of trading in France.
29. Sharp break occurred in registered German marks although the official mark rate was maintained at approximately 40.2 cents. Japanese yen also weak, reflecting adverse trade and financial conditions.
- Towards the beginning of December, Italy removed exchange restrictions imposed at the beginning of the Italo-Ethiopian War. During December the Argentine peso free rate advanced nearly 3 cents to 30.45 cents. Official rate 32.74 cents.

TABLE LI—MONTHLY AVERAGE EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1936

NOTE.—The noon rates in Canadian funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

1936	Former Gold Par	Australia Pound 4-8556	*Austria Schilling -1.407	Belgium Belga -1.390	Czecho- slovakia Krone -0.296	Denmark Krone -2.680	*Finland Markka -0.252	France Franc -0.392	Germany Reichs- Mark -2.382	Holland Guilder -4.020	Italy Lira -0.526	Norway Krone -2.680	Spain Peseta
January.....		\$ 3-9276	\$ -1.884	\$ -1.694	\$ -0.417	\$ -2.216	\$ -0.219	\$ -0.663	\$ -0.401	\$ -6.821	\$ -0.803	\$ -2.494	\$ -1.373
February.....		3-9652	1.894	1.702	0.419	2.228	0.221	0.667	0.403	6.853	0.803	2.509	1.382
March.....		3-9827	1.885	1.700	0.418	2.222	0.220	0.664	0.405	6.844	0.800	2.501	1.377
April.....		3-9735	1.880	1.700	0.416	2.217	0.219	0.662	0.403	6.821	0.794	2.495	1.373
May.....		3-9838	1.877	1.697	0.415	2.223	0.220	0.660	0.406	6.780	0.787	2.502	1.367
June.....		4-0262	1.883	1.695	0.415	2.223	0.220	0.660	0.406	6.780	0.787	2.502	1.367
July.....		4-0215	1.886	1.691	0.416	2.246	0.222	0.661	0.408	6.790	0.789	2.529	1.369
August.....		4-0210	1.886	1.686	0.416	2.244	0.221	0.663	0.406	6.813	0.789	2.526	1.373
September.....		3-9178	1.884	1.689	0.413	2.249	0.221	0.659	0.403	6.791	0.787	2.532	1.365
October.....		3-9178	1.874	1.683	0.413	2.249	0.222	0.647	0.410	6.671	0.786	2.532	1.365
November.....		3-9054	1.865	1.688	0.413	2.179	0.216	0.646	0.417	6.592	0.786	2.452	1.365
December.....		3-9237	1.868	1.689	0.413	2.189	0.220	0.646	0.420	6.543	0.786	2.464	1.365
1936	Former Gold Par	Sweden Krona -2.680	Switzer- land Franc -1.930	Argentina Peso (paper) -4.244	† Brazil Milreis -1.186	*Mexico Peso -4.885	*Hong Kong Dollar	India Rupee -3.650	Japan Yen -4.985	Shanghai Dollar	Great Britain Pound 4-8666	United States Dollar 1-00	
January.....		\$ -2.559	\$ -3.267	\$ -2.717	\$ -0.553	\$ -2.777	\$ -3.223	\$ -3.747	\$ -2.901	\$ -2.972	\$ -4.9657	\$ -1.0005	
February.....		-2.574	-3.299	-2.754	-0.568	-2.772	-3.275	-2.768	-2.910	-2.992	-4.9940	-9986	
March.....		-2.567	-3.287	-2.753	-0.567	-2.782	-3.261	-2.756	-2.900	-2.989	-4.9783	-1.0013	
April.....		-2.561	-3.273	-2.758	-0.569	-2.787	-3.264	-2.749	-2.902	-2.988	-4.9673	-1.0017	
May.....		-2.567	-3.243	-2.758	-0.561	-2.783	-3.249	-2.757	-2.912	-2.979	-4.9798	-1.0018	
June.....		-2.595	-3.250	-2.770	-0.568	-2.784	-3.239	-2.797	-2.948	-3.001	-5.0328	-1.0026	
July.....		-2.591	-3.275	-2.729	-0.578	-2.779	-3.217	-2.792	-2.935	-3.000	-5.0269	-1.0028	
August.....		-2.592	-3.260	-2.778	-0.584	-2.775	-3.217	-2.794	-2.941	-3.007	-5.0265	-1.0008	
September.....		-2.598	-3.174	-2.833	-0.589	-2.775	-3.117	-2.810	-2.946	-2.999	-5.0390	-9997	
October.....		-2.525	-2.299	-2.772	-0.585	-2.774	-3.102	-2.898	-2.860	-2.989	-4.9872	-9986	
November.....		-2.516	-2.295	-2.772	-0.585	-2.772	-3.042	-2.886	-2.849	-2.949	-4.8817	-9986	
December.....		-2.528	-2.297	-2.775	-0.594	-2.773	-3.047	-2.897	-2.850	-2.955	-4.9042	-9993	

\* Commercial Intelligence Journal.

† Free market rates.

## WORLD PRICE MOVEMENTS, 1936

After remaining comparatively inactive during the first six months of 1936, international commodity markets moved upward in the second half of the year displaying a degree of strength much greater than in any preceding period of the recovery movement. This was particularly marked in countries of the former European gold "bloc" that had abandoned gold parities late in September, but substantial increases were also recorded for the wholesale price levels of most other countries. Czechoslovakia was the one noteworthy exception to this statement. Improvement in the supply situation of many basic commodities along with more confident buying for industrial purposes furnished the main support to rising markets. There also were indications of increasing speculative activity in commodity exchanges as well as in stock exchanges, both of which recorded wide advances in most countries. Repercussions of commodity price rises may be observed from the following table showing international wholesale price movements between December 1935 and December 1936.

PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN WHOLESALE PRICE AND LIVING COST INDEX  
NUMBERS, DECEMBER 1935 TO DECEMBER 1936

Country	Wholesale	Cost of Living	Country	Wholesale	Cost of Living
France.....	+46.6	+22.5	Poland.....	+8.0	+2.1
Netherlands.....	+17.9	- 2.4	Norway.....	+6.9	+2.6
Switzerland.....	+16.0	+ 1.6	Sweden.....	+6.8	
China (Shanghai).....	+15.0	+ 7.5	United States.....	+4.1	+2.7
Japan.....	+12.0	+ 4.4	South Africa.....	+2.9	+0.9
Australia.....	+10.4	+ 2.6	New Zealand.....	+2.5	+5.0
United Kingdom.....	+10.3	+ 2.7	Czechoslovakia.....	+2.1	+0.4
Belgium.....	+10.0	+ 4.0	Germany.....	+1.5	+0.7
Canada.....	+ 9.5	+ 2.2			

It will be noted that the last countries to abandon the gold "bloc" showed the greatest advance in wholesale commodity prices during 1936. The movement was well under way, however, before currency devaluation occurred in September. In France, slightly more than a third of the wholesale price rise came in the first nine months, due principally to agricultural field products. The later phase was featured by gains in animal and industrial products. In most countries of the world raw materials recorded appreciably larger advances than did manufactured products. Thus living costs, although generally firmer, revealed no pronounced upward tendency except in a few cases, e.g., France, Belgium, China, and Japan. It may be observed that the German wholesale price index, computed from official quotations which reflect price control measures in that country, showed a relatively slight increase. The upward impetus came mainly from imported products. Price control regulations were operative in many other countries in 1936, including France, Switzerland, Italy, Austria, and Poland.



## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

## TABLE LII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	Albania	Argentina	Commonwealth of Australia	Austria	Belgium	Bulgaria	Canada	Chile
	Authority	Official	Banco de la Nacion	Commonwealth Statistician Melbourne	Federal Statistical Office	Ministry of Industry and Labour	Official	Dominion Bureau of Statistics	Official
	Number Commodities	23	108	192	47 (b)	130	55	502 (h)	—
	Base Period	1927	1926	1913	Jan.-July, 1914	April, 1914	1914	1926	1913
1	1913		76	100-0				64-0	100-0
2	1914			105-6		(d) 100	100	65-5	102-3
3	1915			147-4				70-4	109-9
4	1915			138-2				84-3	131-6
5	1917			152-8				114-3	178-5
6	1918			177-8				127-4	199-0
7	1919			188-9				134-0	209-2
8	1920			227-9				155-9	243-5
9	1921		108	174-9		(e) 366		110-0	171-8
10	1922		99	161-6	99	367		97-3	152-0
11	1923		102	178-7	124	497		98-0	153-0
12	1924		110	173-3	136	573		99-4	155-2
13	1925		111	169-5	136	558		102-6	160-3
14	1926		100	168-4	123	744	2,947	100-0	156-2
15	1927	100	98	167-0	133	847	3,017	97-7	152-6
16	1928	104	99	164-7	130	843	3,237	96-4	150-6
17	1929	100	96	165-7	130	851	3,447	95-6	149-3
18	1930	88	92	146-7	117	744	2,788	86-6	135-3
19	1931	90	89	131-3	109	626	2,332	72-1	112-6
20	1932	74	90	129-7	112	532	2,071	66-7	104-2
21	1933	57	86	129-5	108	501	1,821	67-1	104-8
22	1934	51	98	135-2	110	473	1,873	71-6	111-8
23	1935	56	97	135-0	110	537	1,919	72-1	112-6
24	1936	63		141-8	109	605	1,991	74-6	116-5
25	1933 January	(a) 68	85	123-5	108	521	1,873	63-8	99-7
26	February	66	85	122-2	106	512	1,838	63-5	99-2
27	March	62	85	122-5	107	504	1,797	64-3	100-4
28	April	60	85	124-8	107	501	1,813	65-3	102-0
29	May	56	85	129-2	108	502	1,830	66-7	104-2
30	June	55	86	132-3	109	507	1,807	67-5	105-4
31	July	55	87	133-7	111	506	1,845	70-5	110-1
32	August	53	86	134-6	108	501	1,795	69-5	108-6
33	September	52	85	136-1	108	496	1,839	68-9	107-6
34	October	52	85	132-8	109	489	1,798	67-9	106-1
35	November	53	85	130-0	108	485	1,830	68-9	107-6
36	December	54	94	132-0	108	484	1,793	69-0	107-8
37	1934 January	52	97	133-8	109	484	1,742	70-6	110-3
38	February	50	96	133-5	110	483	1,844	72-1	112-6
39	March	50	97	134-1	113	478	1,818	72-0	112-5
40	April	50	96	135-2	112	474	1,816	71-1	111-1
41	May	49	97	133-8	110	470	1,858	71-1	111-1
42	June	51	98	134-5	110	472	1,893	72-1	112-6
43	July	51	99	136-3	110	471	1,891	72-0	112-5
44	August	52	102	137-9	110	474	1,937	72-3	112-9
45	September	52	101	137-2	108	470	1,931	72-0	112-5
46	October	52	99	137-2	108	467	1,951	71-4	111-5
47	November	52	99	135-1	109	466	1,910	71-2	111-2
48	December	51	99	134-1	109	468	1,882	71-2	111-2
49	1935 January	52	98	134-1	110	472	1,902	71-4	111-5
50	February	52	97	133-4	109	466	1,895	71-8	112-2
51	March	53	97	132-6	109	464	1,891	71-9	112-3
52	April	53	97	132-7	109	531	1,946	72-5	113-2
53	May	54	96	134-0	110	552	1,907	72-2	112-8
54	June	55	96	134-7	111	555	1,896	71-4	111-5
55	July	55	96	135-9	112	553	1,892	71-4	111-5
56	August	56	96	137-7	111	552	1,887	71-7	112-0
57	September	57	97	137-4	110	560	1,898	72-4	113-1
58	October	61	99	137-8	109	574	1,963	73-1	114-2
59	November	62	99	135-9	109	582	1,972	72-7	113-6
60	December	63	99	134-2	109	579	1,967	72-7	113-6
61	1936 January	63	99	135-6	108	581	1,940	72-9	113-9
62	February	63	98	134-7	107	582	1,923	72-5	113-2
63	March	64	98	136-5	107	578	1,908	72-4	113-1
64	April	65	98	139-2	108	574	1,957	72-2	112-8
65	May	62	98	139-8	108	569	1,954	71-9	112-3
66	June	62	98	140-0	109	570	1,945	72-3	112-9
67	July	62	99	142-6	110	576	1,963	74-3	116-1
68	August	62	101	145-7	109	582	1,996	76-1	118-9
69	September	62	100	144-6	110	594	2,029	76-4	119-3
70	October	63		146-2	111	602	2,075	77-1	120-4
71	November	62		148-9	111	615	2-095	77-2	120-6
72	December	63		148-1	111	637	2,106	79-6	124-5

(a) End of month. (b) No. of commodities changed from 42 to 47. (c) Fifteenth of month. (d) April. (e) Average of five months. (f) Second of half month. (g) Last week or end of month. (h) No. of commodities changed in 1926 from 236 to 502.

## IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1936

China		Czecho-Slovakia	Danzig	Denmark	Dutch East Indies	Egypt	Estonia	Finland	No.
National Tariff Commission, Shanghai	Ministry of Industries, North China	General Bureau of Statistics	Official	Official	Official	Department of Statistics, Cairo	Official	Official	
154	100	126	—	—	92	23	44	139	
1926	1926	July, 1914	1913-1914	1931	1913	Jan. 1, 1913- July 31, 1914	1913	1926	
	67				100		100		1
	67	(c) 100			98				2
	69					103			3
	74					128			4
	80					176			5
	82				215	211			6
	81				248	231			7
	89				279	316			8
	89				191	173			9
104-6	86				170	146	(113)		10
102-0	90				173	132	(114)		11
97-9	94		143		173	143	(116)		12
99-3	97		151		166	152			13
100-0	100		146		159	132	114	100	14
104-4	103		146		154	121	114	101	15
101-7	108		142		149	120	121	102	16
104-5	111		135		148	116	117	98	17
114-8	116	(h)	121		134	104	102	90	18
123-7	123	738	106		105	97	91	84	19
112-4	113	682	91		86	84	83	90	20
103-8	101	658	90		71	71	85	89	21
97-1	92	675	88	(g)	67	87	85	90	22
96-4	95	705	116	122	65	95	84	90	23
108-5	111	706	138	129	67	85	91	92	24
(b)		(e)	(d)						
108-6	109	661	87		75	73	82	90	25
107-6	108	659	87		74	72	82	89	26
106-7	106	653	89		72	70	80	89	27
104-5	103	647	90		71	68	80	88	28
104-2	101	658	91		71	65	79	88	29
104-5	103	673	90		72	67	79	89	30
103-4	101	672	91		72	69	89	90	31
101-7	98	666	91		71	68	91	90	32
100-4	97	660	90		69	68	91	90	33
100-3	95	658	91		68	73	90	90	34
99-9	94	654	90		68	75	89	90	35
98-4	93	650	90		67	73	89	89	36
97-2	92	647	89		68	75	88	90	37
98-0	92	645	88		69	79	89	90	38
96-6	91	666	88		68	79	88	90	39
94-6	89	663	88		68	75	87	89	40
94-9	89	658	88		67	81	85	89	41
95-7	89	660	88		67	84	85	89	42
97-1	91	698	88		66	89	83	89	43
99-8	95	688	87		67	92	83	90	44
97-3	93	689	87		67	102	81	90	45
96-1	92	688	87		68	99	82	90	46
98-3	93	691	88		67	96	82	90	47
99-0	95	691	88		67	98	83	90	48
99-4	96	694	88	122	67	100	83	90	49
90-9	97	698	88	122	66	100	83	90	50
96-4	96	700	87	119	65	96	82	90	51
95-9	95	697	87	120	65	92	80	90	52
95-0	95	703	116	120	66	92	81	90	53
92-1	93	707	121	120	65	94	82	90	54
90-5	92	722	127	120	64	95	81	90	55
91-9	92	705	132	123	64	96	83	90	56
91-1	91	705	135	124	65	92	84	91	57
94-1	94	703	138	126	66	96	88	92	58
103-3	101	708	139	126	66	94	89	91	59
103-3	103	707	139	126	65	94	89	91	60
104-3	104	711	137	126	65	92	90	90	61
105-4	107	704	135	126	65	89	90	91	62
106-4	111	706	135	126	64	88	90	91	63
107-3	112	703	135	126	64	84	88	90	64
105-8	109	704	135	126	64	84	88	90	65
106-1	108	698	136	125	64	83	89	90	66
107-2	110	699	136	127	64	83	89	91	67
107-4	109	691	139	129	64	82	90	92	68
107-0	109	693	140	130	65	85	92	92	69
109-7	112	704	143	133	73	84	93	93	70
113-0	115	715	144	134	76	83	94	94	71
118-8	123	722	145	136	80	84	95	95	72

(a) Average for ten months only. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) July. (d) 10th and 20th of month. (e) First of following month. (f) Since February 1934, compiled according to new gold parity. (g) New series—1931=100. (h) Index based on paper currency.

TABLE LII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	France		Germany	Greece	Hungary	India		Indo-China	Italy		Japan
	Authority	Statistique Générale	Statistique Générale	Federal Statistical Office	Official	Official	Dept. of Statistics, Calcutta	Labour Office, Bombay	Statistique Générale, Saigon	Bachi	Official	Bank of Japan
	Number of Commodities	45	126	400 (b)	60	52	72	43	37	150	293	56
	Base Period	July, 1914	1913	1913	Jan. 1913-July 1914	1913	July, 1914	July, 1914	1913	1913	June, 1928	1913
1	1913	102	100	100		100			100	100		100
2	1914	104		99			(d) 100	(d) 100				96
3	1915	143					112					97
4	1916	192					128					117
5	1917	267					145					149
6	1918	346		208			178	239				196
7	1919	364		339			196	223				236
8	1920	520		1,367			201	216				259
9	1921	352		1,428			178	198		531		200
10	1922	334		10,050			176	187		508		196
11	1923	428		7,478,700			122	172		512		199
12	1924	499		(b) 137.3			138	173		512		206
13	1925	561		141.8			140	159	163	132	596	202
14	1926	718	695	134.4			124	148	149	131	603	179
15	1927	630	642	137.6			132	148	147	142	495	(e) 170
16	1928	634	645	140.0			135	145	146	144	462	100
17	1929	623	627	137.2	1,811	(c) 121	141	145	150	150	445	95
18	1930	543	554	124.6	1,646	96	116	126	150	383	85	137
19	1931	462	502	110.9	1,471	95	96	109	128	328	75	116
20	1932	407	427	96.5	1,766	92	91	109	117	304	70	122
21	1933	388	398	93.3	1,997	76	87	98	106	280	63	136
22	1934	366	376	98.4	1,969	79	89	95	96	273	62	134
23	1935	347	338	101.8	2,003	90	91	99	94	318	68	140
24	1936	405	411	104.1	2,038	89	91	96	99	363	76	149
25	1933 January	390	(a) 411	91.0	2,020	(a) 82	(a) 88	104	112	(a) 292		140
26	February	390	404	91.2	2,032	83	86	100	111	286		136
27	March	385	390	91.1	2,017	82	82	96	107	281		134
28	April	384	387	90.7	2,033	80	84	96	107	279		133
29	May	382	383	91.9	1,987	79	87	97	107	279		134
30	June	396	403	92.9	1,988	79	89	98	108	281		136
31	July	397	401	93.9	2,007	73	91	100	110	279		138
32	August	394	397	94.2	2,008	71	89	98	110	278		136
33	September	386	397	94.9	1,985	70	88	98	107	276		138
34	October	384	397	95.7	1,963	71	88	98	106	274		136
35	November	383	403	96.0	1,957	70	88	96	103	273		135
36	December	389	407	96.2	1,963	71	89	95	104	275		133
37	1934 January	388	405	96.3	1,975	71	90	95	104	276		133
38	February	384	400	96.2	1,970	74	89	95	103	275		134
39	March	380	394	95.9	1,945	74	88	93	100	275		134
40	April	378	387	95.8	1,936	75	89	93	99	273		134
41	May	372	381	96.2	1,928	83	90	94	99	273		133
42	June	363	379	97.2	1,936	81	90	96	99	272		132
43	July	361	374	98.9	1,956	79	89	95	99	270		132
44	August	363	371	100.1	1,984	81	89	96	100	271		134
45	September	360	365	100.4	2,001	83	89	96	102	270		135
46	October	352	357	101.0	2,005	82	89	95	95	272		137
47	November	349	356	101.2	1,994	83	88	96	96	274		137
48	December	344	344	101.0	1,994	84	88	98	95	276		137
49	1935 January	349	350	101.1	1,996	86	94	100	95	277		137
50	February	349	343	100.9	1,986	86	90	99	95	278		139
51	March	344	335	100.7	1,998	85	87	98	94	288		139
52	April	346	336	100.8	1,987	86	88	98	95	296		138
53	May	353	340	100.8	1,974	88	91	99	96	302		138
54	June	344	330	101.2	1,966	87	91	99	95	308		136
55	July	334	322	101.9	1,986	90	91	100	94	310		136
56	August	343	330	102.4	1,998	89	89	99	94	323		138
57	September	345	332	102.3		92	89	100	94	330		143
58	October	350	342	102.8	2,040	95	93	100	95			147
59	November	353	348	103.1	2,040	95	92	98	95			146
60	December	357	354	103.4	2,059	97	93	97	94			145
61	1936 January	364	359	103.6	2,045	94	92	96	94		74	145
62	February	377	372	103.6	2,053	93	91	95	94		75	144
63	March	379	376	103.6	2,051	91	91	95	95		75	144
64	April	374	371	103.7	2,034	88	92	94	95	367		145
65	May	377	374	103.8	2,016	86	90	94	95	366		145
66	June	372	378	104.0	2,002	85	90	95	95	365		146
67	July	388	391	104.2	2,001	86	91	97	96	365		149
68	August	395	403	104.6	2,015	86	90	98	99	365		152
69	September	407	420	104.4	2,019	87	91	97	100	368		152
70	October	452	471	104.3	2,039	91	93	97	104	376		151
71	November	473	492	104.4	2,064	89	93	98	110	375		154
72	December	499	519	105.0	2,113	92	94	101	116	381		162

(a) End of month. (b) Since 1924, new series. (c) Since January, 1929, new index. (d) July. (e) New index, June, 1928=100.



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Latvia	Lithuania	Nether-lands	New Zealand	Norway		Peru	Poland	Portugal	No.
Official	Official	Central Bureau of Statistics	Government Statistician	Official	Okonomisk Revue	Official	Commerce Reports	Banco de Portugal	
61	88	48	180	95	100	58	238	—	
1913	1913	1913	1909-1913	1913	Dec. 31, '13- June 30, '14	1913	1928	June 1927	
100	100	100	100	100	100	100			
109	109	109	105.3		115	104			1
146	146	146			159	120			2
224	224	224			233	146			3
276	276	276			341	176			4
376	376	376	170.5		345	212			5
304	304	304	178.2		322	220			6
292	292	292	209.2		382	239			7
182	182	182	194.2		298	205			8
160	160	160	166.5		233	190			9
151	151	151	159.8	232	233	189			10
156	156	156	163.4	268	269	192			11
155	155	155	162.7	253	251	202			12
134	134	145	155.3	198	196	203			13
134	134	148	147.8	167	160	203			14
129	134	149	149.2	(c) 157	155	192		(e) 100.0	15
129	129	142	148.8	149	148	186	100	(e) 114.2	16
102	108	117	144.9	137	138	178	96	(e) 103.9	17
85	94	97	(a) 134.6	122	123	175	86	(e) 98.4	18
85	76	79	129.7	122	125	170	75	(e) 88.5	19
83	68	74	130.8	122	124	180	66	89.6	20
83	61	78	133.0	124	126	188	59	86.8	21
86	53	76	138.5	127	132	189	56	93.8	22
91	55	79	139.9	134	138	192	53	86.1	23
			(b)	(b)	(d)	(b)	(d)	89.6	24
83	66	75	126.6	122	123	172	59	88.4	25
84	66	74	131.5	121	123	172	60	87.5	26
84	65	72	131.6	121	123	174	60	85.8	27
84	64	71	131.5	121	123	179	60	84.1	28
86	64	72	132.3	121	124	178	60	83.7	29
85	64	73	132.1	121	125	180	60	84.1	30
84	65	73	132.7	121	126	181	61	86.1	31
85	63	73	132.5	122	126	182	58	86.0	32
84	63	75	131.7	123	126	184	58	86.9	33
83	63	75	131.7	123	125	187	58	88.0	34
82	63	76	131.8	122	124	186	58	89.7	35
83	63	77	132.0	122	124	187	58	91.1	36
84	64	79	133.6	120	124	187	58	93.2	37
84	64	80	133.9	122	125	189	58	94.8	38
83	66	79	134.0	122	125	184	57	97.5	39
82	65	79	133.2	123	125	187	57	100.0	40
82	62	77	133.0	123	125	188	56	97.7	41
82	62	76	133.7	123	125	190	56	94.4	42
83	61	77	133.6	124	127	189	56	93.3	43
83	59	78	134.2	127	128	191	56	91.5	44
83	57	77	133.7	126	127	191	55	90.7	45
84	57	77	133.8	127	127	188	55	90.0	46
83	56	77	134.0	126	127	187	54	91.6	47
86	56	78	133.8	125	128	185	54	91.3	48
88		78	134.5	125		186	53	91.3	49
87	55	77	136.1	125	129	188	52	91.2	50
86	55	75	136.5	126	130	191	52	90.8	51
85	55	76	136.7	125	130	191	52	89.7	52
85	54	75	136.5	125	131	190	53	88.2	53
85	53	75	137.4	126	132	192	53	85.7	54
85	51	74	138.6	127	133	191	53	83.8	55
85	50	73	139.3	128	133	189	54	80.5	56
86	50	75	141.9	128	133	187	54	80.8	57
87	51	78	143.4	130	134	188	55	83.0	58
88	52	78	141.9	130	134	188	55	84.0	59
88	53	78	141.4	131	134	189	53	83.9	60
88	53	77	140.5	131	134	191	52	82.7	61
88	53	77	138.4	132	135	192	52	82.6	62
87	53	76	138.6	132	135	191	52	86.0	63
86	54	75	139.3	132	135	193	53	89.3	64
86	54	75	139.1	132	135	192	54	89.0	65
86	51	76	139.9	132	135	191	54	89.4	66
87	54	77	139.5	132	136	193	54	89.0	67
88	54	77	140.9	134	138	193	54	90.2	68
89	56	77	142.1	136	139	192	55	90.9	69
98	58	87	142.6	136	140	192	56	92.7	70
102	58	88	142.7	137	142	192	56	96.0	71
104	59	92	145.0	140	147	192	57	97.7	72

(a) Revised since January, 1931. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) New series beginning 1928. (d) End of month. (e) June.

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No.	Country	South Africa	Spain	Sweden		Switzerland	Turkey	United Kingdom			
	Authority	Census and Statistics Office	Director of General Statistics	Gotebergs Handels Tidning	Commerce Dept.	Federal Labour Department	Official	Board of Trade	Economist	Statist	Times
	Number of Commodities	188	74	47	160	78	52	200	58	45	60
	Base Period	1913	1913	July 1, '13 June 30, '14	1913	July, 1914	1913 1914	1930	1927	1913	1913
1	1913	100.0	100		100			100.0		100.0	100.0
2	1914	96.9	101	116		(b) 100.0				100.0	
3	1915	107.0	119	145						127.1	
4	1916	122.6	141	185						159.5	
5	1917	140.7	166	244						206.1	
6	1918	153.1	207	339						226.5	
7	1919	164.8	204	330						241.9	
8	1920	223.3	221	347	359			(f) 307.3		295.3	(d) 251.2
9	1921	160.4	190	211	222	200.1		197.2		182.4	(d) 162.1
10	1922	128.4	176	162	173	157.9		158.8		154.1	(d) 158.6
11	1923	126.6	172	155	163	169.9		158.9		151.8	(d) 169.1
12	1924	127.6	183	155	162	171.2		166.2	115.7	164.0	(d) 179.3
13	1925	123.3	181	144	149	144.5		148.1	104.0	148.0	(d) 142.1
14	1926	124.0	172	141	146	142.2	1,262	141.6	100.0	144.0	(d) 141.9
15	1927	120.7	167	144	148	144.6	1,296	140.3	98.1	141.2	(d) 137.5
16	1928	115.1	171	134	140	141.2	1,316	136.5	92.4	135.3	(d) 128.8
17	1929	102.6	172	115	122	126.5	1,000	(e) 100.0	77.6	114.1	(d) 103.2
18	1930	99.5	174	105	111	109.7	859	87.8	64.9	96.5	(d) 99.5
19	1931	91.5	173	101	109	96.0	738	85.6	62.6	94.0	(d) 98.2
20	1932	93.1		107	107	91.0	648	85.7	63.1	93.7	(d) 98.2
21	1933	101.7		114	114	89.8	672	88.1	65.6	96.4	
22	1934	94.8		116	116	89.8	735	89.0	68.0	98.9	
23	1935	98.6		120	120	95.6	817	94.4	73.0	103.5	
24	1936	(a)				(c)		(c)	(c)		
25	1933 January	87.3	170	97	106	91.3	681	84.7	61.2	91.5	94.7
26	February		168	97	106	90.1	677	83.5	60.1	90.6	92.9
27	March		166	96	105	90.0	662	82.7	59.8	90.6	91.7
28	April	90.0	164	96	105	91.1	645	82.8	61.4	92.4	93.2
29	May		163	99	106	91.6	626	84.3	63.6	95.2	95.7
30	June		163	102	106	91.2	656	86.2	65.0	95.6	97.5
31	July	95.3	164	103	108	91.7	652	86.8	65.3	96.1	97.9
32	August		165	102	108	90.9	638	87.2	65.2	95.5	99.5
33	September			100	109	90.8	637	87.8	65.0	94.9	98.3
34	October	99.7		101	109	90.7	625	87.5	64.0	94.7	98.6
35	November			101	110	91.0	624	87.6	63.1	93.3	97.6
36	December			102	110	91.3	625	87.6	63.9	94.1	98.2
37	1934 January	106.0		104	112	91.8	635	88.8	65.7	97.1	101.5
38	February			106	112	91.4	634	89.2	65.9	97.1	100.8
39	March			106	112	90.9	638	88.2	65.4	96.7	99.2
40	April	104.1		107	113	89.6	616	87.7	65.4	95.3	98.9
41	May			106	113	89.0	610	87.2	65.4	95.4	99.1
42	June			107	114	89.0	637	87.9	65.3	94.9	97.6
43	July	98.0		108	114	88.9	661	87.3	66.2	96.9	99.6
44	August				114	89.8	661	89.0	67.1	98.1	102.4
45	September				114	89.1	681	88.4	65.7	96.6	
46	October	98.6			114	89.6	706	87.8	65.2	95.4	
47	November				115	89.4	731	87.5	64.7	95.3	
48	December				115	89.0	736	87.8	65.7	97.4	
49	1935 January	95.5			115	88.3	734	88.3	66.6	98.4	
50	February				115	87.6	725	88.0	66.4	98.1	
51	March				115	86.4	709	86.9	66.1	97.5	
52	April	92.8			115	87.1	682	87.5	66.7	98.9	
53	May				115	87.6	674	88.2	68.1	100.2	
54	June				116	88.6	680	88.4	67.5	98.5	
55	July	95.0			116	89.9	704	88.0	68.1	99.2	
56	August				115	91.4	717	88.4	67.9	98.9	
57	September				115	92.2	725	89.6	69.9	100.1	
58	October	96.0			117	93.3	745	91.1	71.5	100.9	
59	November				118	92.8	798	91.2	71.3	101.5	
60	December				118	92.1	844	91.4	71.5	102.0	
61	1936 January	99.6			118	91.1	806	91.8	71.3	102.0	
62	February				118	91.0	810	91.7	70.9	102.0	
63	March				118	90.9	816	91.7	70.9	101.6	
64	April	99.7			118	91.9	807	91.9	70.9	100.9	
65	May				118	92.0	802	91.9	69.8	100.2	
66	June				118	91.9	810	92.6	70.2	99.3	
67	July	96.4			119	93.1	788	93.6	72.4	102.1	
68	August				120	93.4	790	95.2	72.8	104.4	
69	September				122	96.8	814	96.1	73.6	106.0	
70	October	98.8			123	103.1	822	97.6	74.6	107.5	
71	November				124	105.2	830	98.3	76.3	110.8	
72	December				126	106.8	846	100.8	79.3	116.0	

(a) Monthly average. (b) July. (c) End of month. (d) December. (e) Since January, 1935, new series, 1930=100. (f) 1920-29, base 1913=100.

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United States							Yugoslavia	No.
Bureau of Labor Statistics	Irving Fisher	Bradstreet		Dun		Annalist	National Enak	
(a) 784	200	106	106	200	200	94 series	55	
1926	1926	—	1913	—	1913	1926	1926	
69.8	69.8	9.2115	100	120.887	100	.....	.....	1
68.1	68.1	8.9034	97	122.211	101	.....	.....	2
69.5	69.5	9.8530	107	126.393	104	.....	.....	3
85.5	85.5	11.8237	128	148.807	122	.....	.....	4
117.5	117.5	15.6385	170	204.121	169	.....	.....	5
131.3	131.3	18.7117	203	229.220	190	.....	.....	6
138.6	138.6	18.6642	203	230.846	190	.....	.....	7
154.4	154.4	18.8095	204	248.721	205	.....	.....	8
97.6	97.6	11.3696	123	170.451	141	.....	.....	9
96.7	96.7	12.1185	132	171.660	142	.....	.....	10
100.6	101.1	13.4028	146	189.787	157	.....	.....	11
98.1	98.9	12.8672	140	189.322	157	.....	.....	12
103.5	105.2	13.9445	151	197.694	164	(c)	.....	13
100.0	100.0	13.0207	141	189.398	157	100.0	100.0	14
95.4	94.2	12.7787	139	187.092	155	96.3	103.4	15
96.7	97.9	13.2823	144	194.521	161	99.2	106.2	16
95.3	96.3	12.6727	138	191.043	158	96.9	100.6	17
86.4	86.3	10.7451	117	174.453	144	84.9	86.6	18
73.0	71.4	8.7604	95	147.353	122	69.3	72.9	19
64.8	61.6	7.0949	77	134.303	111	60.6	65.2	20
66.0	64.6	7.8557	85	144.661	120	63.1	64.4	21
75.0	76.6	9.2195	100	166.082	137	75.5	63.2	22
80.0	83.0	9.9222	108	174.744	145	83.8	65.9	23
80.8	83.7	10.0989	110	179.925	149	84.1	69.0	24
61.0	56.4	(b) 6.7906	74	(b) 130.166	108	54.8	67.6	25
59.8	55.3	6.5324	71	128.435	106	53.5	68.4	26
60.2	56.1	6.3532	69	127.606	106	54.5	67.0	27
60.4	57.2	6.5359	71	128.172	106	55.8	66.3	28
62.7	60.3	6.9845	76	133.488	110	60.2	64.9	29
65.0	63.7	8.0214	87	139.931	116	62.9	66.1	30
68.9	69.0	8.3373	91	149.178	123	68.8	63.7	31
69.5	70.5	9.0095	98	156.134	129	68.3	60.7	32
70.8	71.2	8.9918	98	160.255	133	69.7	60.7	33
71.2	71.6	9.0512	98	162.632	135	70.7	61.5	34
71.1	71.7	8.8480	96	160.433	133	69.7	63.1	35
70.8	71.7	8.8126	96	159.491	132	68.7	62.3	36
72.2	72.3	8.8329	96	162.309	134	72.0	62.9	37
73.6	73.7	9.0110	98	164.530	136	71.9	63.6	38
73.7	74.3	9.2627	101	165.026	137	72.0	63.3	39
73.3	73.3	9.1697	100	163.415	135	72.3	63.0	40
73.7	75.2	9.1552	99	161.331	134	73.7	64.1	41
74.6	77.3	9.1404	99	163.985	136	76.1	65.6	42
74.8	77.9	9.2351	100	167.156	138	76.1	62.8	43
76.4	78.3	9.3216	101	167.912	139	78.3	61.1	44
77.6	80.1	9.4778	103	169.188	140	80.1	63.2	45
76.5	79.1	9.4566	103	170.032	141	77.4	63.6	46
76.5	78.9	9.2791	101	168.005	139	77.5	62.7	47
76.9	78.7	9.2913	101	170.099	141	78.5	62.3	48
78.8	81.0	9.4925	103	173.075	143	81.6	64.5	49
79.5	82.0	9.7800	106	176.770	146	82.7	63.9	50
79.4	81.3	9.7954	106	176.806	146	82.2	63.0	51
80.1	81.6	9.6643	105	172.461	143	83.7	62.9	52
80.2	82.3	9.7965	108	176.231	146	83.8	64.0	53
79.8	82.0	9.9070	108	174.314	144	82.0	63.9	54
79.4	82.1	9.8416	107	171.046	141	82.2	63.3	55
80.5	83.8	9.9185	108	171.511	142	84.4	64.8	56
80.7	85.1	10.0085	109	170.859	141	84.9	67.8	57
80.5	85.4	10.1762	110	177.514	147	86.0	70.0	58
80.6	84.7	10.2834	112	178.614	148	85.4	71.2	59
80.9	84.2	10.4029	113	177.732	147	86.1	71.6	60
80.6	84.0	10.3641	113	178.063	147	85.4	71.1	61
80.6	83.5	10.0204	109	179.045	148	84.1	70.0	62
79.6	82.6	9.9196	108	179.601	149	83.1	70.0	63
79.7	82.5	9.8541	107	173.469	144	82.4	69.1	64
78.6	81.1	9.8191	107	173.485	144	80.1	67.0	65
79.2	82.3	9.7374	106	172.136	142	80.8	65.4	66
80.5	83.5	9.8538	107	178.240	147	83.6	65.6	67
81.6	84.0	10.1445	110	181.878	150	85.0	66.0	68
81.6	84.1	10.1907	111	182.498	151	85.0	67.0	69
81.5	84.1	10.2716	112	183.153	152	84.7	68.9	70
82.4	85.6	10.2214	111	184.397	153	86.0	69.8	71
84.2	87.4	10.7895	117	192.959	160	89.2	71.2	72

n) Number of commodities changed from 550 to 784 since January, 1926, base.

(b) First of month.

(c) New series on 1926



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TABLE LIH—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND

No.	Country	Australia		Austria		Belgium		Bulgaria		Canada		Chile		
	Localities	30 Towns		Vienna		59 Localities		12 (67) Towns (f)		69 Localities		Santiago		
	Base Period	1923-1927		July, 1914		1921		1914		1926		March, 1928		
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
1	1913									(g)	(g)			
2	1914			100 July	100 July			100	100	65.4	66.2			
3	1915									66.0	68.9			
4	1916									67.3	69.5			
5	1917									72.5	77.5			
6	1918									85.6	100.0			
7	1919									97.4	114.6			
8	1920									107.2	122.5			
9	1921									124.2	141.1			
10	1922			(b) 15,476	57,600	100	100	1,409	1,766	109.2	107.9			
11	1923			460,733	589,783	93	90	1,899	2,327	100.0	91.4			
12	1924			(c) 74	1,250,108	109	106	1,868	2,399	100.0	92.1			
13	1925			88	1,480,583	128	127	2,057	2,705	98.0	90.7			
14	1926			97	1,612,150	136	137	2,339	3,024	99.3	94.7			
15	1927			(c) 116	116	165	171	2,871	2,813	100.0	100.0			
16	1928			106	119	203	208	2,814	2,751	98.4	98.1			
17	1929			108	119	208	207	2,875	2,883	98.9	98.6	108	116	
18	1930			111	122	220	218	2,941	2,992	99.9	101.0	108	119	
19	1931			111	118	228	209	2,690	2,439	99.2	98.6	108	115	
20	1932			106	108	204	176	2,349	1,913	89.6	77.3	104	103	
21	1933			108	110	184	150	2,160	1,765	81.4	64.3	113	115	
22	1934			105	104	182	150	2,006	1,680	77.7	63.7	142	147	
23	1935			105	105	175	143	1,873	1,676	78.7	69.4	142	149	
24	1936			105	105	176	146	1,750	1,643	79.1	70.4	145	155	
				105	105	186	159	1,677	1,660	80.8	73.4	157	171	
25	1933 January	(d)	74.6	(d)	106	(e)	186	154	2,123	1,698	(b)	(h)	(i)	
26	February	79.9	74.2	105	106	187	156	2,126	1,709	79.1	62.8	144	160	
27	March		73.4	104	103	183	150	2,124	1,705	78.4	60.6	142	154	
28	April		74.6	104	103	181	148	1,988	1,669	77.8	60.4	140	153	
29	May	80.3	75.0	105	103	177	143	1,972	1,635	78.1	61.3	140	149	
30	June		75.9	106	106	177	143	1,967	1,624	77.0	61.9	143	149	
31	July		75.4	105	104	177	144	1,974	1,645	77.0	62.2	143	149	
32	August	80.6	76.7	105	104	179	147	1,968	1,631	77.2	63.2	143	146	
33	September		76.8	105	104	182	151	1,968	1,631	78.6	67.8	142	152	
34	October		76.4	106	104	183	153	1,938	1,639	78.8	65.9	143	153	
35	November	80.5	75.0	105	104	183	154	1,948	1,664	77.9	65.4	141	154	
36	December		76.9	106	104	183	154	1,957	1,684	78.1	65.8	139	151	
										78.4	66.6	142	147	
37	1934 January		76.7	105	104	181	150	1,962	1,698	78.2	67.7	145	139	
38	February	80.9	77.1	105	102	178	147	1,974	1,729	78.7	69.4	144	136	
39	March		77.4	105	101	174	141	1,960	1,694	79.9	72.9	142	140	
40	April		79.1	105	101	171		1,902	1,661	79.4	71.0	141	142	
41	May	81.8	79.8	104	100	168	132	1,895	1,644	78.5	68.6	141	145	
42	June		77.7	105	102	169	134	1,892	1,639	78.8	67.6	141	149	
43	July		77.9	104	100	170	137	1,903	1,666	78.4	68.4	142	151	
44	August	81.7	78.9	104	100	176	143	1,893	1,641	78.7	69.3	139	150	
45	September		79.1	105	101	176	143	1,896	1,648	78.4	68.4	142	151	
46	October		80.5	105	101	178	149	1,829	1,668	79.0	68.8	140	150	
47	November	82.0	79.5	105	105	179	150	1,837	1,678	79.3	69.4	136	150	
48	December		79.4	105	105	175	144	1,836	1,677	79.4	69.9	141	159	
										79.0	69.3	148	167	
49	1935 January		80.0	105	105	173	142	1,827	1,657	78.2	67.7	145	139	
50	February	82.4	79.8	104	105	170	138	1,837	1,683	78.8	68.8	154	157	
51	March		79.5	104	105	165	131	1,820	1,640	78.9	69.2	148	144	
52	April		79.5	103	103	167	133	1,770	1,628	78.8	69.5	147	145	
53	May	82.7	80.2	104	104	169	136	1,763	1,610	78.6	68.6	146	152	
54	June		80.5	106	103	173	141	1,767	1,621	78.6	68.7	145	154	
55	July		81.2	105	105	175	144	1,778	1,649	78.8	69.3	143	157	
56	August	83.6	82.0	105	105	177	147	1,757	1,596	78.8	69.3	143	157	
57	September		82.6	105	105	182	154	1,751	1,594	79.4	71.3	140	156	
58	October		82.7	106	106	186	160	1,699	1,609	79.6	70.9	140	158	
59	November	83.8	82.0	106	106	188	163	1,711	1,636	80.4	72.4	142	159	
60	December		81.3	104	104	187	160	1,714	1,649	80.6	73.2	142	158	
										80.6	73.7	147	162	
61	1936 January		81.2	106	106	187	161	1,709	1,636	80.4	73.9	153	157	
62	February	83.8	81.5	105	105	188	162	1,717	1,656	80.1	72.9	155	155	
63	March		80.7	104	104	185	159	1,708	1,634	80.4	73.4	155	159	
64	April		81.5	104	103	183	155	1,656	1,615	79.6	71.0	154	161	
65	May	84.1	81.6	105	105	181	151	1,654	1,616	80.0	71.3	156	168	
66	June		81.8	106	102	182	155	1,655	1,622	80.0	71.3	156	172	
67	July		82.5	104	104	180	149	1,665	1,651	80.4	72.6	157	174	
68	August	85.4	83.9	105	105	184	156	1,648	1,614	81.0	74.7	156	176	
69	September		84.2	105	105	187	160	1,650	1,631	81.1	75.1	157	182	
70	October		84.4	105	105	191	165	1,665	1,671	81.1	74.4	160	184	
71	November	86.0	84.7	105	105	193	169	1,678	1,703	81.4	75.0	159	183	
72	December		85.4	105	105	194	169	1,684	1,714	81.7	75.3	164	185	

(a) Quarterly index. (b) December. (c) Gold index, since 1926, new series. (d) Middle of month. (e) Fifteenth of month. (f) Yearly figures 1921-1930=65 towns, 1931-32=67 towns; monthly figures 12 towns. (g) Recalculated on 1926 base. (h) First of month. (i) Revised index, includes rent from 1933.

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China				Czechoslovakia		Danzig		Denmark		Dutch East Indies		Egypt		No.
Shanghai		Peiping		Prague		Danzig		100 Localities		Java and Madura		Cairo		
1926		1927		July, 1914		1913-1914		1931		1913		Jan. 1913-July, 1914		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
				(a) 100	(a) 100					100	100			
												102	99	
												121	123	
												154	190	
												189	216	
												202	224	
									(e)	(e)	266	237	281	
				(c) 692	(c) 769			150	189	213	216	196	196	
				695	787			129	153	173	172	176	172	
				724	827			133	158	160	158	162	152	
				716	800	124	123	139	170	167	166	161	148	
				747	850	140	138	136	168	166	165	165	158	
100-0	100-0	102-0	103-7	748	842	141	138	119	133	174	174	160	158	
106-7	106-7	100-0	100-0	744	813	142	139	112	123	158	157	151	146	
102-5	92-1	101-6	101-5	746	782	135	124	106	113	152	152	148	141	
107-9	98-4	106-5	107-6	713	712	124	109	100	100	106	102	138	123	
121-8	118-8	109-6	111-8	693	657	116	92	100	97	80	76	132	112	
125-9	107-5	95-8	92-5	685	633	108	90	107	108			125	101	
119-1	101-3	91-2	85-4	704	657	120	102	111	114			127	110	
107-2	86-9	81-0	72-4	710	671	132	116	112	116			130	115	
106-2	86-4	79-5	69-0	(b)	(b)			(d)	(d)			130	113	
104-6	89-1	85-9	79-0	708	686	108	88	190	95	65	129	108	25	
113-3	100-7	100-2	99-5	705	679	110	92			65	130	108	26	
				690	649	110	92			66	128	104	27	
				687	644	110	92	102	98	68	127	102	28	
				696	662	109	90			65	126	102	29	
				702	676	109	89			62	124	98	30	
				696	662	113	98			61	124	99	31	
				689	651	111	94	103	100	60	124	98	32	
				687	644	110	92			60	124	98	32	
				687	644	109	92			60	125	90	33	
				688	647	109	92	105	104			121	99	
				681	634	109	92					122	98	
												122	99	
101-8	78-0	77-3	67-3	685	635	109	92	105	103			123	101	
103-5	80-4	78-8	69-1	680	624	109	92					124	105	
98-9	75-0	76-6	66-7	680	623	108	90					125	105	
99-0	74-2	70-2	70-2	679	620	108	89					124	102	
98-5	74-4	74-8	63-7	684	630	108	89	106	106			123	102	
98-5	75-4	75-1	64-5	695	653	110	94					125	105	
106-9	90-2	78-7	68-3	693	653	108	91	107	106			127	112	
115-7	102-8	85-6	78-4	691	648	108	90					128	113	
118-1	106-7	85-2	77-1	685	633	107	89					132	122	
113-3	98-9	83-8	75-3	686	633	108	90	109	111			131	120	
108-8	89-7	79-3	69-2	682	625	107	89					130	117	
110-4	90-4	79-5	69-8	679	622	108	90					130	116	
110-9	99-8	83-2	74-8	685	620	107	89	109	111			128	115	
109-0	91-0	84-0	75-4	688	625	107	90					129	115	
104-8	85-7	82-9	74-4	690	629	107	89					129	115	
106-1	88-6	82-0	73-8	691	630	107	90	110	114			129	115	
105-6	88-6	84-2	76-4	696	643	117	98					127	111	
105-9	89-5	84-2	76-5	714	679	121	101					127	110	
105-2	90-3	86-9	80-2	717	685	126	107	111	117			130	116	
104-6	88-6	87-8	81-8	717	686	127	110					129	113	
105-4	89-8	84-1	77-1	711	671	128	111					130	113	
103-9	86-3	85-5	79-1	709	668	131	113	111	116			133	118	
109-2	90-3	92-8	88-8	707	665	131	113					132	117	
109-3	88-9	93-5	89-4	710	670	132	115					132	118	
111-0	93-3	95-3	92-9	712	673	131	116	112	116			131	116	
112-0	98-0	95-1	93-0	713	677	131	115					132	115	
114-1	102-2	97-6	95-8	712	673	130	114					132	116	
111-7	97-9	98-2	96-1	712	674	130	114	112	117			130	112	
111-1	97-6	102-7	102-4	714	677	130	114					130	112	
111-8	99-3	98-6	97-0	716	683	133	115					130	112	
112-2	99-8	102-5	102-2	709	675	130	115	112	117			130	113	
115-5	105-7	99-3	98-5	708	672	132	116					127	109	
113-5	102-3	99-0	97-8	706	667	132	116					129	111	
114-0	102-7	102-0	102-3	707	667	134	120	113	116			128	111	
114-9	103-3	104-9	106-6	704	661	135	120					129	112	
117-5	106-8	107-9	110-3	706	661	136	122					129	111	

(a) July. (b) Middle of month. (c) Average for last seven months. (d) First of month. (e) New series; 1931=100.

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TABLE LIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country	Estonia	Finland	France			Germany		Greece		Hungary	
	Localities	Tallinn	21 Towns	Paris	300 Towns		72 Towns		44 Towns		Budapest	
	Base Period	1913	Jan.-June 1914	July, 1914			1913-1914		1914		1913	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913.....	100	100			(e)			(m)		100	100
2	1914.....			(a) 100	(a) 100	(a) 100			100	100		
3	1915.....											
4	1916.....											
5	1917.....					238						
6	1918.....					260						
7	1919.....					291						
8	1920.....					371	(a) 1,055	(a) 1,252	351	351		
9	1921.....	(a) 85	(a) 104	1,171	1,254	309	371	374	1,250	1,491	398	393
10	1922.....	(a) 91	(a) 98	1,139	1,143	296	301	317	(a) 5,392	(a) 6,836	636	632
11	1923.....	(a) 102	(a) 115	1,147	1,079	334	332	349	(a) 3,705-100	(a) 4,651,000	1,181	1,213
12	1924.....	(a) 94	(a) 106	1,170	1,093	369	380	406	(k) 127-6	(k) 136-3	(n) 116	(n) 145
13	1925.....	107	118	1,212	1,147	400	425	450		147-8	1,235	1,271
14	1926.....	106	118	(d) 154	(d) 145	505	554	571		144-4	1,414	1,455
15	1927.....	105	112	158	146	514	558	559		151-9	1,633	1,673
16	1928.....	112	120	161	150	519	549	537		152-3	1,790	1,843
17	1929.....	117	126	160	147	556	(h) 102	609		154-5	1,868	1,929
18	1930.....	104	103	147	127	581	100	609		147-3	1,923	1,987
19	1931.....	(b) 100	(b) 91	135	113	569	99	605		142-9	1,682	1,719
20	1932.....	90	80	134	117	526	88	535		127-6	(l) 1,671	(l) 1,576
21	1933.....	88	77	131	117	520	83	501		112-3	1,773	1,667
22	1934.....	87	76	128	114	516	78	474		109-9	1,904	1,857
23	1935.....	88	77	130	119	483	69	417		118-5	1,937	1,887
24	1936.....	98	89	130	118	507	76	452		121-7	1,957	1,921
		(c)	(c)		(j)	(i)	(g)			123-0	2,028	2,034
25	1933 January...	88	75	132	117		86		117-4	107-3	1,914	1,873
26	February.....	87	74	131	115	523	86	517	116-9	106-5	1,908	1,863
27	March.....	88	75	130	114		85		116-6	106-2	1,897	1,845
28	April.....	86	73	130	113		85		116-6	106-3	1,883	1,825
29	May.....	86	74	130	113	516	83	491	118-2	109-5	1,887	1,837
30	June.....	85	74	129	115		81		118-8	110-7	1,886	1,841
31	July.....	89	77	131	118		80		118-7	110-5	1,886	1,837
32	August.....	92	81	132	120	516	79	491	118-4	110-2	1,905	1,871
33	September.....	91	81	132	120		82		119-0	111-1	1,903	1,870
34	October.....	89	77	132	121		83		119-8	112-3	1,907	1,855
35	November.....	89	78	131	119	526	83	504	120-4	113-4	1,915	1,855
36	December.....	90	79	129	115		84		120-9	114-2	1,950	1,917
37	1934 January...	89	78	127	111		83		120-9	114-1	1,949	1,899
38	February.....	89	79	126	110	526	84	493	120-7	113-8	1,947	1,901
39	March.....	89	78	128	113		81		120-6	113-5	1,923	1,865
40	April.....	89	79	127	111		79		120-6	113-7	1,923	1,869
41	May.....	89	79	127	111	522	79	471	120-3	113-3	1,911	1,852
42	June.....	88	77	126	111		78		121-5	115-5	1,916	1,859
43	July.....	88	77	126	112		76		123-9	117-8	1,910	1,850
44	August.....	86	75	129	115	511	77	470	123-3	118-5	1,921	1,866
45	September.....	85	73	129	116		74		122-5	116-7	1,943	1,899
46	October.....	84	72	130	118		76		122-0	119-3	1,993	1,962
47	November.....	85	72	133	123	504	75	461	122-3	119-5	1,952	1,905
48	December.....	85	72	131	120		74		122-2	119-1	1,955	1,912
49	1935 January...	86	74	130	119		73		122-4	119-4	1,965	1,928
50	February.....	87	77	129	117	494	73	436	122-5	119-5	1,949	1,908
51	March.....	87	76	128	116		71		122-2	118-8	1,939	1,894
52	April.....	87	76	128	116		69		122-3	119-0	1,937	1,892
53	May.....	86	75	127	114	490	69	413	122-8	120-2	1,948	1,908
54	June.....	85	73	128	116		68		123-0	120-6	1,934	1,877
55	July.....	87	76	130	119		67		124-3	122-9	1,937	1,888
56	August.....	87	76	132	122	469	65	405	124-5	123-2	1,945	1,903
57	September.....	88	77	132	121		66		123-4	120-9	1,955	1,924
58	October.....	93	83	133	124		68		122-8	119-6	1,983	1,976
59	November.....	94	83	133	123	478	70	415	122-9	119-9	1,989	1,975
60	December.....	94	83	132	122		72		122-4	120-9	1,996	1,982
61	1936 January...	94	84	130	118		72		124-3	122-3	2,026	2,037
62	February.....	96	86	130	119	486	74		124-3	122-3	2,017	2,018
63	March.....	96	87	130	118		74		124-2	122-2	2,013	2,011
64	April.....	97	87	129	116		73		124-3	122-4	2,011	2,009
65	May.....	97	87	128	115	497	72	427	124-3	122-4	2,002	1,999
66	June.....	99	90	128	115		75		124-5	122-8	1,994	1,985
67	July.....	99	91	129	116		74		125-3	124-0	1,999	1,992
68	August.....	100	93	131	119	504	74	452	125-4	124-2	2,026	2,038
69	September.....	100	91	131	118		77		124-4	122-0	2,039	2,054
70	October.....	100	92	132	119		80		124-4	121-7	2,057	2,076
71	November.....	99	90	132	120	540	84	509	124-3	121-3	2,065	2,086
72	December.....	101	92	133	120		85		124-3	121-0	2,079	2,100

(a) July. (b) Revised from May, 1931. (c) End of month. (d) Since date of stabilization gold index. (e) Prior to 1914 13 commodities, including alcohol and petroleum; corresponding figures for 1929: Paris, 611; other towns, 583. (f) 300 towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, excluding Paris. Since 1929: 29 foodstuffs. (g) Monthly average. (h) Since 1929: 55 foodstuffs, base 1930. (i) Fifteenth of month. (j) Average of quarter. (k) Since 1924, new series in Reichsmark prices. (l) Prior to 1931; old series: 106 towns. (m) Prior to 1931, excluding clothing and rent. (n) December.



## FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1936—Continued

India		Indo-China		Irish Free State		Italy				Japan	
Bombay		Saigon		105 Towns and Localities		Milan		50 Towns		Tokyo	
July, 1914		1925		July, 1914		Jan.-June 30, 1914		June, 1928		July, 1914	
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
a) 100	(a) 100			100	100	100	100			(a) 100	(a) 100
a) 104	(a) 105										
a) 108	(a) 105										
a) 118	(a) 114										
a) 149	(a) 142										
a) 186	(a) 187										
a) 190	(a) 188										
a) 173	(a) 169										
a) 164	(a) 159			188	191	541	559				
a) 154	(a) 149			184	188	501	515			236	257
a) 157	(a) 151			186	190	494	499			221	228
a) 155	(a) 150	100	100	190	193	527	528			221	233
a) 155	(a) 152	99	99	185	179	611	622			218	236
a) 154	(a) 151	103	103	175	170	654	655			199	217
a) 147	(a) 144	106	104	174	169	588	559	(f)	(f)	189	211
a) 149	(a) 146	113	112	176	169	530	517	100-0	100-0	184	202
a) 137	(a) 134	121	117	171	160	545	543	101-1	101-0	181	203
a) 110	(a) 102	105	92	161	147	530	519	97-7	95-3	155	173
a) 109	(a) 102	92	76	157	141	485	452	88-3	83-2	136	151
a) 102	(a) 95	85	69	151	131	468	431	84-1	78-3	137	158
a) 97	(a) 87	78	60	152	135	449		80-5	73-8	146	161
a) 101	(a) 93	78	64	155	140	430		76-4	70-4	149	164
a) 101	(a) 93			160	147			77-5	72-8	152	170
(b)	(b)	(c)	(c)	(d)	(d)	(b)	(b)	83-5	78-0	159	184
109	101					463	426	82-9	77-3	(d) 148	(d) 167
106	98	87	71	151	130	461	423	82-3	76-3	146	162
106	98					458	417	81-6	75-2	144	159
101	93					451	405	80-9	74-1	144	159
100	91	86	70	148	126	444	398	80-3	73-6	143	159
104	95					447	403	80-4	73-9	143	159
103	95					447	402	80-1	73-4	142	156
103	94	86	71	149	129	440	391	79-2	71-9	143	158
102	94					446	402	79-6	72-6	144	160
100	91					448	405	79-6	72-7	147	161
101	92	82	63	156	140	445		79-4	72-3	148	162
98	88					450		79-7	73-0	149	165
										149	164
96	86					457		80-6	74-5	147	162
96	85	80	62	152	133	450		79-8	73-2	148	164
94	84					448		79-5	72-8	149	166
93	83					447		79-4	72-7	149	166
94	83	78	60	149	129	424		75-2	69-8	149	166
95	85					419		74-4	68-5	148	162
97	87					420		74-3	68-4	147	161
97	87	77	59	152	134	415		74-1	68-0	149	162
100	90					416		74-3	68-4	149	163
100	91					418		74-5	68-8	150	164
101	92	78	61	157	143	421		75-2	69-9	149	164
99	90					424		75-4	70-3	150	166
98	88					421		75-1	69-9	151	168
99	90	73	61	153	136	423		75-3	70-2	151	169
98	89					423		75-4	70-4	150	166
98	88					425		76-3	72-0	149	165
100	90	69	59	151	132	426		76-7	72-3	150	166
101	92					430		77-3	73-1	148	163
101	93							77-5	73-3	150	165
103	94	70	61	156	140			77-2	72-8	152	172
103	94							77-5	73-1	154	177
103	94							79-4	74-6	154	175
104	96	77	65	162	150			80-5	75-6	155	175
105	96							81-5	76-4	156	177
103	96							82-1	77-1	157	180
102	93	77	64	159	145			81-8	76-5	159	185
102	94							81-9	76-6	160	186
100	92							82-2	77-0	160	188
100	92			157	141			83-5	78-1	160	188
100	92							83-8	78-4	158	183
101	93							83-6	77-9	158	183
102	94			159	145			83-1	77-1	159	186
103	95							83-5	77-8	160	186
104	96			166	155			85-2	79-6	159	182
103	95							85-5	79-9	159	181
								86-0	80-5	163	183

(a) July. (b) Average from sixteenth of current month to fifteenth of following month. (c) Average of quarter.  
 (d) Fifteenth of month. (e) Since 1927, new series. (f) New series: June, 1928=100.

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## TABLE LIH—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country	Latvia		Lithuania		Luxemburg		Netherlands		New Zealand		Norway	
	Localities	Riga		84 Towns		9 Towns		Amsterdam		25 Towns		31 Towns	
	Base Period	1930		1913		Jan.-June, 1914		1911-1913		1926-1930		July, 1914	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913.....			100	100					(d) 62.8	(d) 70.3	(d) 100	(d) 100
2	1914.....									67.6	80.3		
3	1915.....									72.4	85.7		
4	1916.....									78.6	92.0		
5	1917.....									85.0	98.5		
6	1918.....									91.2	102.7		
7	1919.....									101.9	116.5	300	319
8	1920.....							202	217	103.4	113.4	277	295
9	1921.....					374	348	182	184	95.2	95.8	231	251
10	1922.....			110		442	415	174	171	95.9	96.5	218	217
11	1923.....			136		497	470	177	176	98.4	100.5	239	250
12	1924.....			151		520	492	179	176	100.4	103.0	243	256
13	1925.....			141	146	616	597	(b) 168	(b) 161	101.0	102.6	206	197
14	1926.....			141	145	776	746	168	163	100.1	98.3	186	173
15	1927.....			137	144	811	758	169	166	100.6	100.4	(f) 173	168
16	1928.....			134	142	871	807	168	162	100.4	101.3	166	158
17	1929.....			115	117	886	809	161	150	98.1	97.4	161	152
18	1930.....	100	100	105	102	783	685	151	136	90.6	84.4	153	139
19	1931.....	91	89	88	85	686	553	141	119	83.8	77.5	149	134
20	1932.....	79	75			686		139	119	79.5	73.2	147	131
21	1933.....	76	74	75		661		140	124	80.8	77.4	148	132
22	1934.....	72	69	70		648		136	118	83.6	83.5	151	137
23	1935.....	73	70	61		651		133	120	86.4	87.0	155	144
24	1936.....	73	69	62		(a)	(a)	(c)	(c)	(e)	(e)	(g)	(g)
25	1933 January.....	70	61	78	75	699	576			79.7	70.7	147	130
26	February.....	71	64	78	75	695	570			79.7	72.7	147	130
27	March.....	73	66	76	73	680	550	138	116		71.2	147	130
28	April.....	74	69	76	71	678	550				71.4	147	130
29	May.....	75	79	75	70	671	542			79.6	72.7	147	130
30	June.....	78	83	76	71	684	561	137	117		72.3	147	130
31	July.....	80	86	78	72	680	557				73.2	148	132
32	August.....	78	82	76	70	698	584			79.6	74.1	148	133
33	September.....	76	79	73	68	686	599	140	119		74.6	148	132
34	October.....	83	83	72	68	688	570				75.3	147	132
35	November.....	79		73	70	686	558			80.0	75.1	147	130
36	December.....	72		73		685		143	125		75.0	146	129
37	1934 January.....	68		73		678				79.9	75.0	145	128
38	February.....	70		75		665				80.4	76.3	145	128
39	March.....	70		76		653		142	122	80.6	76.9	145	128
40	April.....	71		75		645				80.9	77.7	147	130
41	May.....	72		73		646				81.2	78.0	147	130
42	June.....	77		73		649		140	120	80.9	77.8	148	132
43	July.....	76		72		653				81.1	78.0	148	133
44	August.....	71		69		662				80.7	77.4	150	136
45	September.....	70		66		653		140	120	80.6	77.1	149	135
46	October.....	78		66		666				80.6	77.1	149	135
47	November.....	74		65		662				81.0	78.0	149	134
48	December.....	69		64		650		139	118	81.4	79.2	149	134
49	1935 January.....	67		63		655				81.8	79.8	148	133
50	February.....	69		63		646				82.6	82.1	149	134
51	March.....	68		62		635		137	114	82.7	81.9	149	135
52	April.....	71		62		630				82.9	82.4	149	135
53	May.....			61		636				83.3	82.9	150	136
54	June.....			60		646		136	116	83.6	83.6	150	138
55	July.....			59		651				83.2	82.6	151	140
56	August.....			59		652				83.6	82.8	152	140
57	September.....			59		657		136	113	83.9	83.7	152	143
58	October.....			59		662				85.3	87.4	153	143
59	November.....			60		659				85.1	87.3	153	143
60	December.....			60		653		137	115	84.5	85.5	153	143
61	1936 January.....	66	56	61		655				84.0	84.1	153	143
62	February.....	68	60	61		651				83.9	83.0	153	143
63	March.....	69	62	61		642		131	119	83.8	82.7	154	144
64	April.....	71	65	61		638				84.5	84.5	155	144
65	May.....	72	73	61		644				85.5	86.1	155	144
66	June.....	75	78	61		649		131	117	85.5	86.9	155	143
67	July.....	75	78	62		649				85.7	87.5	155	143
68	August.....	73	74	63		657				86.9	87.8	154	143
69	September.....	72	73	64		656		132	121	87.7	89.9	155	143
70	October.....	82	80	65		656				87.6	89.4	155	144
71	November.....	76	70	65		663				88.1	90.1	155	144
72	December.....	72	64	65		659		133	122	88.7	91.4	157	145

(a) First of following month. (b) Since March 1926, new series. (c) First of following month. (d) July. (e) Middle of month. (f) New method of calculation since 1928. (g) Fifteenth of month.

## FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1936—Continued

Palestine	Peru	Poland	Portugal	Roumania	Saar Territory	No.
Towns	Lima	Warsaw	Entire Country	20 Towns	Sarrebruck	
January 1922	1913	1928	June, 1914	1913	July, 1914	
Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	
100	100			100		1
104	107		(e) 1,000		(h) 100	2
112	115		(e) 1,000			3
123	123					4
142	145					5
164	162					6
188	188					7
210	208					8
199	183			(f) 1,305		9
88-2	190			1,708		10
76-6	180			2,500		11
79-4	187			2,985		12
83-8	200			3,250	(438)	13
82-1	201	(c) 99-5		3,552		14
77-4	194	100-0		3,855	581	15
73-7	181	101-4		3,904	594	16
69-4	177	94-4	2,361	4,244	600	17
61-4	169	83-7	2,243	(4,206)	620	18
55-3	158	85-9	2,241	(g) 3,004	612	19
56-6	151	78-2	1,986	(g) 2,796	582	20
54-9	148	73-9	1,949	2,323	536	21
55-1	150	58-0	1,948	2,319	515	22
54-7	152	52-3	1,968	2,235	511	23
56-4	160	49-9	1,982	2,552		24
	(a)	60-9	2,022			
57-8	147	72-2	(n) 1,962	(d) 2,431	522	25
54-0	145	72-5	1,923	(d) 2,435	517	26
55-1	145	73-0	1,931	2,330	518	27
53-9	145	73-0	1,914	2,379	516	28
52-0	147	72-4	1,916	2,355	511	29
53-1	149	71-8	1,919	2,341	510	30
54-8	151	72-3	1,932	2,282	507	31
53-4	153	68-9	2,033	2,207	508	32
54-7	150	69-7	1,958	2,200	515	33
55-7	(b) 151	69-6	1,962	2,232	510	34
56-0	149	69-5	1,958	2,281	520	35
57-7	148	69-9	1,953	2,283	517	36
53-6	147	68-7	1,932	2,257	520	37
55-9	146	68-9	1,925	2,254	518	38
54-2	148	68-3	1,926	2,250	513	39
54-5	148	68-5	1,935	2,206	519	40
53-4	149	66-7	1,943	2,209	513	41
53-7	151	65-8	1,942	2,214	516	42
54-7	150	65-9	1,905	2,217	514	43
55-2	154	66-4	1,965	2,222	509	44
56-9	152	65-7	2,042	2,226	500	45
56-7	152	65-6	2,089	2,226	502	46
57-1	154	64-2	2,023	2,233	504	47
56-4	150	63-5	1,985	2,271	504	48
55-7	150	63-6	1,986	2,401	2,276	49
56-0	151	62-9	1,965	2,471	2,353	50
54-1	152	62-5	1,962	2,530	2,414	51
54-2	151	62-4	1,996	2,556	2,444	52
53-9	152	63-0	1,975	2,594	2,488	53
54-0	153	63-8	1,973	2,550	2,457	54
54-6	152	65-7	1,989	2,524	2,400	55
54-2	153	65-1	1,971	2,540	2,412	56
54-4	152	65-6	2,005	2,546	2,423	57
54-0	153	65-8	2,014	2,550	2,457	58
54-0	155	65-4	1,951	2,546	2,423	59
55-1	155	61-1	1,992	2,818	2,722	60
54-1	157	60-3	1,972	2,954	2,860	61
53-3	158	59-7	1,962	2,966	2,864	62
53-5	158	59-7	1,952	2,981	2,860	63
52-9	158	60-7	1,936	2,996	2,881	64
54-2	160	61-3	2,012			65
56-4	160	60-7	2,037			66
59-1	160	60-8	2,063			67
59-2	161	60-5	2,087			68
60-5	161	60-7	2,074			69
57-7	162	61-6	2,095			70
57-8	162	61-9	2,045			71
57-5	162	62-4	2,030			72

(a) Middle of month. (b) Since Oct., 1933, including heating. (c) New series. (d) Last week of month. (e) June, 1921-1929: 71 towns, excluding rent. (g) Since 1931 new method of calculation. (h) July.



TABLE LIH—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL FOOD PRICES  
IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1936—Concluded

Country	South Africa		Spain		Sweden		Switzerland		Turkey		United Kingdom		United States		Yugoslavia	
Localities	9 Towns		Madrid		49 Towns		34 Towns		Istanbul		630 Towns		51-173 Localities		3 Towns	
Base Period	1914		1914		July, 1914		June, 1914		1914		July, 1914		1923		July, 1914	
Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1913.....													(h)	(h)		
1914.....	100	100	100	100	(b)100	(b)100	(e)100	(e)100	1,000	1,000	100	100	b)61-3	b)61-3	b)1,000	b)1,000
1915.....	105	107	108	108	(b)105	(b)105	(e)105	(e)105	1,005	1,005	105	105	b)61-0	b)61-0	b)64-8	b)64-8
1916.....	112	111	116	116	(b)112	(b)112	(e)112	(e)112	1,012	1,012	112	112	b)65-4	b)65-4	b)71-5	b)71-5
1917.....	122	124	126	126	(b)122	(b)122	(e)122	(e)122	1,022	1,022	122	122	b)77-6	b)77-6	b)94-3	b)94-3
1918.....	131	125	154	154	(b)219	(b)258	204	223			218	218	e)90-5	e)104-5	b)104-5	b)104-5
1919.....	145	136	174	174	(b)257	(b)318	222	244			217	217	b)102-4	b)102-4	b)123-5	b)123-5
1920.....	170	178	190	192	(b)270	(b)287	224	242			249	256	118-2	136-2	103-5	103-5
1921.....	162	145	189	184	(b)236	(b)231	200	213			226	230	102-3	102-3	96-8	96-8
1922.....	135	119	181	177	(b)190	(b)178	164	163			183	176	97-4	97-4	100-0	100-0
1923.....	131	117	177	174	(b)174	(b)158	164	165			174	169	100-0	100-0	99-1	99-1
1924.....	133	120	184	188	(b)171	(b)155	169	172			175	170	101-3	101-3	107-2	107-2
1925.....	133	120	189	195	(b)176	(b)168	168	169			176	171	103-7	103-7	110-6	110-6
1926.....	131	118	187	191	(b)172	(b)156	162	160			172	164	104-3	104-3	107-0	107-0
1927.....	131	118	189	196	(b)169	(b)148	160	158			168	160	102-0	102-0	105-6	105-6
1928.....	131	117	176	178	(b)173	(b)156	161	157			166	157	100-6	100-6	106-9	106-9
1929.....	131	115	181	185	(b)169	(b)148	151	156	1,381	1,555	164	154	101-7	101-7	1,819	1,446
1930.....	128	110	187	194	(b)164	(b)138	158	152	1,272	1,292	158	145	96-7	96-7	1,664	1,318
1931.....	123	105	198	205	(b)158	(b)127	150	141	1,203	1,114	147	131	87-2	83-7	1,523	1,202
1932.....	118	96	187	192	(b)156	(b)124	138	126	1,172	1,030	143	126	77-9	69-7	1,374	1,076
1933.....	115	99	181	185	(b)153	(b)120	131	117	1,047	924	140	120	74-9	67-8	1,189	845
1934.....	116	104	186	186	(b)155	(b)123	129	115	1,031	912	141	122	79-4	75-3	1,104	845
1935.....	116	102	186	186	(b)156	(b)129	128	114	957	892	143	124	82-6	82-1	83-9	83-9
1936.....	116	101	186	186	(b)158	(b)134	130	120	957	892	147	130	84-8	83-9	83-9	83-9
1933 Jan.....	112	93	177	180	(a)154	(d)123	(f)133	118	1,094	955	(g)142	123	73-7	63-9	(c)1,283	(c)984
Feb.....	113	94	181	185	154	123	133	117	1,089	955	141	122	72-2	61-4	1,265	950
Mar.....	113	95	184	185	153	119	132	116	1,061	881	139	119	71-8	61-1	1,256	964
April.....	114	97	180	181	153	119	131	116	1,045	854	137	115	71-7	61-4	1,247	979
May.....	114	98	178	178	153	120	130	116	1,046	852	136	114	72-3	63-8	1,202	993
June.....	115	99	179	185	153	120	131	116	1,038	835	136	114	73-1	66-3	1,153	993
July.....	114	98	180	181	153	120	131	116	1,020	795	138	118	75-7	72-5	1,137	865
Aug.....	114	97	180	181	153	120	131	116	1,022	803	139	119	77-3	73-5	1,123	845
Sept.....	115	99	183	185	154	123	131	117	1,027	812	141	122	78-2	73-4	1,110	852
Oct.....	116	103	185	185	154	123	131	117	1,037	807	141	123	78-0	72-7	1,118	880
Nov.....	117	105	180	180	153	123	131	117	1,035	803	143	126	77-8	72-3	1,118	880
Dec.....	117	105	179	179	153	123	131	117	1,035	837	143	126	77-4	71-2	1,138	880
1934 Jan.....	116	104	183	183	153	120	131	117	1,087	904	142	124	77-7	72-0	1,128	880
Feb.....	116	104	187	187	153	120	131	116	1,074	913	141	122	78-5	74-1	1,126	880
Mar.....	116	104	186	186	153	120	130	116	1,059	901	140	120	78-8	74-4	1,139	880
April.....	117	105	186	186	153	120	130	115	1,057	900	139	118	78-7	73-7	1,134	880
May.....	117	106	183	183	153	120	129	115	1,051	906	137	116	79-0	74-6	1,135	880
June.....	116	104	181	181	153	123	129	115	1,028	920	138	117	79-2	75-2	1,088	880
July.....	116	103	181	181	155	123	129	115	1,031	924	141	122	79-3	75-9	1,073	880
Aug.....	116	104	183	183	155	125	129	114	1,026	906	142	123	79-7	78-8	1,073	880
Sept.....	116	103	181	181	155	125	129	114	988	925	143	126	80-8	77-4	1,070	880
Oct.....	116	104	186	186	155	125	129	114	997	947	143	125	80-5	77-9	1,081	880
Nov.....	116	103	189	189	155	125	129	115	993	908	144	127	80-4	76-9	1,090	880
Dec.....	116	102	184	184	155	124	129	114	986	887	144	127	80-3	76-1	1,090	880
1935 Jan.....	116	102	184	184	155	124	128	113	975	903	143	125	81-2	79-2	1,103	880
Feb.....	116	102	187	187	155	126	127	112	965	895	142	124	82-0	81-4	1,098	880
Mar.....	116	102	183	183	155	126	127	112	953	876	141	122	82-0	81-3	1,098	880
April.....	116	103	188	188	155	126	127	111	946	874	139	119	82-8	83-4	1,104	880
May.....	116	103	179	179	155	126	126	111	955	898	139	118	82-6	83-2	1,112	880
June.....	116	104	170	170	156	129	127	113	951	900	140	120	82-6	83-2	1,112	880
July.....	116	102	176	176	156	129	128	115	938	863	143	126	82-4	81-9	1,102	880
Aug.....	115	100	170	170	156	129	129	116	933	850	143	126	82-4	81-3	1,102	880
Sept.....	115	100	170	170	157	131	129	116	934	852	143	125	82-7	81-9	1,102	880
Oct.....	115	100	170	170	157	131	129	117	955	892	145	128	83-0	82-7	1,102	880
Nov.....	115	101	170	170	157	131	130	118	980	931	147	131	83-4	82-7	1,102	880
Dec.....	115	101	170	170	157	131	130	118	997	971	147	131	83-9	83-8	1,102	880
1936 Jan.....	116	102	184	184	158	132	130	118	979	947	147	131	83-9	83-5	83-5	83-5
Feb.....	116	102	184	184	158	132	130	118	983	962	147	130	83-5	82-3	83-5	83-5
Mar.....	116	102	184	184	158	132	130	118	980	973	146	129	83-2	81-0	83-2	81-0
April.....	116	102	184	184	158	132	130	119	971	963	144	126	83-4	81-0	83-4	81-0
May.....	116	103	184	184	158	132	130	119	949	914	144	125	83-8	81-7	83-8	81-7
June.....	116	103	184	184	158	132	130	120	950	923	144	126	85-1	85-6	85-1	85-6
July.....	116	101	184	184	158	132	130	120	953	933	146	129	85-2	85-8	85-2	85-8
Aug.....	115	100	184	184	157	132	130	120	946	914	146	129	85-9	86-1	85-9	86-1
Sept.....	115	100	184	184	157	132	130	121	947	900	147	131	85-9	86-1	85-9	86-1
Oct.....	115	100	184	184	157	132	132	123	945	885	148	132	85-7	84-6	85-7	84-6
Nov.....	116	101	184	184	157	132	132	123	945	885	148	132	85-8	84-3	85-8	84-3
Dec.....	116	100	184	184	157	132	132	123	945	885	148	132	86-1	84-7	86-1	84-7

(a) Middle of month. (b) July. (c) First of following month. (d) New method of calculation since 1932. (e) June.  
(f) End of month. (g) First of month. (h) Revised series.

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	1927	Domestic Rates for Manufactured and Fuel Gas, 1913 to date.
	1927	Telephone Rates and Index Numbers in Canada, 1927-1933.
	1927	Street Car Fares and Index Numbers (1) 1913-1926, English and French editions (2) 1913-1929 English edition.
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	1926	Report on Prices and Price Indexes. Wholesale and Retail Prices, Securities and Exchange, 1926 to date.
Weekly Reports.....	1926	Index Numbers of 24 Mining Stocks 1926-January 1937. Replaced in 1937 by "Security Prices and Foreign Exchange.
	1926	Investors' Index Numbers of Security Prices 1925-January 1937. Replaced in 1937 by "Security Prices and Foreign Exchange.
	1934	Weekly Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices, May 16, 1934, to date.
	Jan. 16, 1937	Security Prices and Foreign Exchange, January 16, 1937 to date. This consolidates the two bulletins formerly known as "Investors' Index Numbers of Security Prices and Index Numbers of 24 Mining Stocks."
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	1924	Foreign Prices and Exchange 1924. (Out of print.)
	1925	Coffee Prices 1924.

## LIST OF PUBLICATIONS RELATING TO (a) WHOLESALE PRICES, (b) COST OF LIVING, (c) SECURITY PRICES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE—Concluded

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- 1925 Gasolene Prices. (Out of print.)
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- 1927 Price Trends and General Economic Conditions in France 1927.
- 1927 Index Numbers of Import and Export Valuations 1927-1932. Replaced by Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices of Imports and Exports 1913-1932. Later data available in Annual and Monthly Reports on Prices and Price Indexes.
- 1933 Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices of Imports and Exports 1913-1932. Replaced Index Numbers of Import and Export Valuations. Later data published in Annual and Monthly Reports on Prices and Price Indexes.
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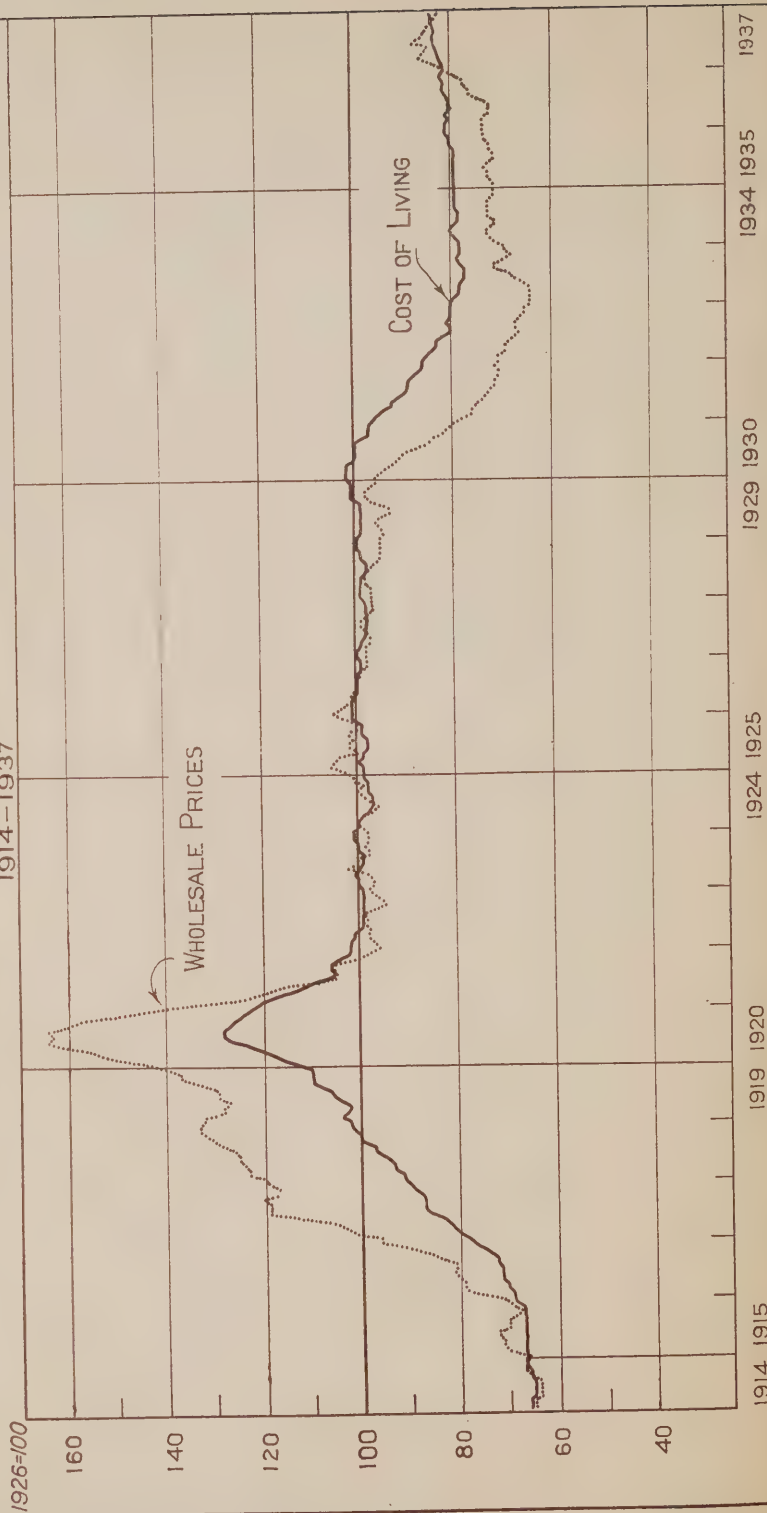
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## PREFACE

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The report includes statistics of domestic and foreign wholesale and retail prices, security prices, bond yields, rates of exchange, prices of services (including hospital services, street car fares, electricity, gas, telephone rates), and interest rates.

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## WHOLESALE PRICES, 1937

The irregular rise in Canadian wholesale price levels dating from February, 1933, received its first major setback in the latter half of 1937. The Bureau's index of wholesale prices for December was 82.7 on the base 1926=100. This compared with a December 1936 figure of 79.6, and indicated a net rise of 3.9 per cent. Year-end indexes alone, however, fail to give a true picture of price movements. The rapid advance which featured the latter half of 1936 continued at an accelerated pace until the final week of March, when the Bureau's weekly index reached a peak of 86.9. Coincident with subsequent recession in world commodity markets, Canadian price levels reacted moderately, carrying the index to 84.1 for the week ending June 11. Rapid deterioration of the grain crop on the Prairies then stimulated an advance in the Canadian Farm Products index of more than 12 p.c. in the next 5 weeks, while the general index rose 4 per cent to 87.7. A second decline commenced in August, and subsequent monthly indexes fell steadily with many wholesale prices ending the year considerably below opening figures.

Movements of indexes for the various component materials showed less variation in 1937 than in 1936. In the preceding year the range of dispersion was marked by vegetable products which advanced 25.2 p.c. and by a rise of 0.6 p.c. for non-metallic mineral products. In 1937 the range was from +13.7 p.c. to -6.8 p.c., and the actual percentage changes were as follows: Vegetable Products +1.4, Animal Products +5.8, Textiles -3.0, Wood Products +8.5, Iron and Its Products +13.7, Non-Ferrous Metals -6.8, Non-Metallic Minerals +1.5, and Chemicals +2.0.

The rise which took place during 1936 materially improved the economic position of large members of Canadian primary producers, and 1937 saw only minor readjustments in this regard. The table below giving the indexes of the various economic groups expressed as percentages of the general wholesale price level, shows this gradual adjustment since February 1933, when differences were as much as 50 p.c. This change has come about largely through rises in raw material prices which have advanced Producers' Goods, Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials, and Canadian Farm Products until they are about on a par with manufactured goods.

The predominant position of raw materials in Canada's export trade has contributed largely to a pronounced rise in an index of wholesale prices for more important exports. A corresponding series for imports has advanced less rapidly but remains higher relative to 1926 price levels than the export index. The margin of import prices over export prices on this basis has been reduced from almost 30 per cent at the beginning of 1934 to approximately 10 per cent at the end of 1937. During the past year, however, the price position of imports improved slightly relative to that for exports, with the import index advancing from 83.4 to 86.0, and that for exports from 75.7 to 78.9. December figures for both series were well below mid-summer peaks of 92.5 for imports and 85.8 for exports.

COMMODITY GROUP INDEXES EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE GENERAL WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX, 1933-1937

	February 1933	December 1933	December 1934	December 1935	December 1936	December 1937
General Wholesale Price Level.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Producers' Goods.....	91.5	93.2	95.1	95.6	101.0	100.0
Consumers' Goods.....	108.2	106.2	102.5	102.3	96.6	95.6
Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	79.7	85.4	90.4	92.7	99.6	97.7
Iron and Chiefly Manufactured Materials.....	105.2	104.3	102.0	100.4	97.1	97.1
Mining Materials.....	117.6	116.8	114.5	114.6	110.3	110.9
Canadian Farm Products.....	67.6	77.7	86.6	90.1	103.5	101.8

## PRICE MOVEMENTS OF BASIC COMMODITIES

In order to understand the underlying character of recent price trends, it is necessary to examine basic commodity price movements in detail. Percentage changes in price for 20 such products between December, 1935 and 1936, ranged from an increase of 137 per cent to a decline of 10 per cent. The sharpest advances were for grains, flour, non-ferrous metals, rubber, wool, and hides and skins. The only decline of consequence was recorded by cattle. Variations in this group for 1937 were much less, ranging from an increase of 27 per cent to a decrease of 3 per cent. The greatest advances were for wood pulp, cattle, butter, and pig-iron, while textiles, coarse grains, and non-ferrous metals moved lower. Whereas 14 items increased and 6 decreased in price during 1936, 10 rose and 10 fell in 1937. Advances predominated, however, as indicated by a rise of about 4 per cent in the general wholesale price index in 1937 and of 9 per cent the preceding year. Excepting raw silk, all 10 items which declined in price during 1937 had shown increases in 1936 and the largest decreases occurred in the prices of many articles showing the most substantial gains in 1936. As a result the range of dispersion, comparing December 1937 prices with those in December 1935, was materially less than the single year comparison of year-end prices in 1935 and 1936. An idea of the unsettled nature of commodity markets may be obtained from the following distribution of items according to their price behaviour in the past two years.

## PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN PRICE

Commodity	Dec. 1935- Dec. 1936	Dec. 1936- Dec. 1937	Dec. 1935- Dec. 1937
Rising in both 1937 and 1936			
Wheat.....	+ 45	+ 9	+ 58
Flour.....	+ 36	+ 1	+ 36
Wood Pulp.....	+ 4	+ 27	+ 32
Pig-Iron.....	+ 5	+ 17	+ 23
Lumber.....	+ 10	+ 4	+ 14
Rising 1937, Falling 1936			
Butter.....	- 3	+ 16	+ 13
Cattle.....	- 10	+ 21	+ 10
Hogs.....	- 1	+ 5	+ 4
Coal.....	- 1	+ 2	+ 1
Petroleum Products.....	- 2	+ 2	0
Falling 1937, Rising 1936			
Rye.....	+137	- 22	+ 85
Barley.....	+132	- 22	+ 81
Oats.....	+ 84	- 6	+ 72
Rubber.....	+ 59	- 27	+ 16
Raw Wool.....	+ 32	- 12	+ 15
Copper.....	+ 23	- 8	+ 13
Lead.....	+ 34	- 30	- 5
Hides and Skins.....	+ 22	- 29	- 13
Raw Cotton.....	+ 6	- 33	- 29
Falling in both 1937 and 1936			
Raw Silk.....	- 3	- 20	- 22

The contrast between the price movements in field and animal farm products is striking and would be more so if wheat comparisons were based upon lower grades. Premiums on No. 1 and 2 Manitoba Northern wheat established in 1937, accounted for much of the rise in wheat prices while other grains were declining. Advancing prices of live stock and dairy products compensated to a considerable extent for 1937 decreases in grain prices. Although wool and cotton moved upward in 1936, the underlying price structure of all basic textiles showed decided weakness in 1937. Iron and steel products were firm in both years but non-ferrous metals dropped sharply in the latter part of 1937 following excessive speculative interest which collapsed in April. Wood pulp and lumber gained in both years, although 1937 increases for lumber had been practically lost by December.



As with the general indexes, year-end comparisons for these 20 items hide the appearance of changing trends. Four commodities established yearly highs in March, namely, rubber, copper, lead and cotton. Lumber and hides and skins reached a peak in April and pig-iron did the same, remaining unchanged from then until the end of the year. The high point for wool came during May, while the hot, dry weather of July sent grains and flour to the year's record levels. Barley, however, failed to reach January figures at this time. The highest level for petroleum products also came in July and was maintained until October. August witnessed top prices for cattle and hogs, and wood pulp reached its maximum in September. For the fourth quarter, declines were general, and with the exception of seasonal highs for coal and butter in November and December, prices entered low ground for the year. Raw silk alone failed to show strength at any time and declined almost without interruption from January levels.

January proved to be the lowest month for pulp, iron, lumber, cattle and petroleum products, although lumber was down again by December almost to opening price levels. Coal reached a seasonal low in March and April, as did butter in May. A weighted average of wheat prices was lower in June than at any time during the year. Flour reached its minimum in November in sympathy with milling grades of wheat, although premiums on higher grades kept the wheat index 1.4 per cent above June. Rye, hogs, rubber, and cotton also were at the lowest level in November. Barley and oats, copper and lead, wool and silk, and hides and skins closed the year at the low point.

The extent of 1937 variations may be observed from the following statement which gives the indexes for the various series in December 1935, 1936 and 1937, and for the high and low months of 1937. It might be pointed out that daily records would increase the range of fluctuations which is narrowed also by the use of composite price series.

WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF IMPORTANT COMMODITIES IN CANADA,  
DECEMBER, 1935, 1936, 1937, AND 1937 HIGH AND LOW

(1926=100)

Commodity	December 1935	December 1936	December 1937	1937 High	1937 Low
Barley.....	52.3	121.2	94.9	134.4 Jan.	94.9 Dec.
Wheat.....	53.7	98.6	92.3	125.3 July	92.3 Dec.
Yeast.....	44.0	104.4	81.2	152.8 July	79.5 Nov.
Heat.....	56.1	81.6	88.7	98.8 July	84.6 June
Wool.....	69.3	94.0	94.5	107.7 July	93.0 Nov.
Rubber.....	27.7	44.1	32.0	52.8 Mar.	31.9 Nov.
Hides and Skins.....	84.0	102.1	73.0	120.9 Apr.	73.0 Dec.
Butter.....	85.0	76.9	93.4	117.8 Aug.	85.8 Jan.
Pigs.....	61.9	61.2	64.1	80.0 Aug.	62.4 Nov.
Cattle.....	68.1	66.1	76.8	76.8 Dec.	60.8 May
Cotton.....	70.4	74.5	50.1	84.3 Mar.	48.8 Dec.
Silk.....	33.0	32.0	25.6	33.3 Jan.	25.6 Nov.
Wool.....	59.6	78.4	68.6	100.9 May	68.6 Dec.
Lumber and Timber.....	81.0	89.1	92.5	105.0 Apr.	92.7 Jan.
Wood Pulp.....	67.0	69.9	88.7	91.5 Sept.	73.2 Jan.
Pig-Iron.....	83.0	87.2	101.7	101.7 Apr.	87.2 Jan.
Copper.....	59.7	73.3	67.3	110.0 Mar.	67.3 Dec.
Lead.....	57.1	76.6	54.0	94.3 Mar.	54.0 Dec.
Aluminum.....	92.5	91.3	93.5	93.5 Nov.	89.6 Mar.
Petroleum Products.....	73.6	72.4	73.8	74.8 July-Sept.	72.4 Jan.

VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

Vegetable products moved directly in line with the general trend of commodity prices during the major portion of 1937, and as in the preceding year, grains proved the dominating portion of this group. The sharpest advance occurred from June to July, when the index for vegetable products rose from 87.0 to 95.5. This gain was completely cancelled the following month, when violent recessions in grain prices dropped the group index level to 87.7. In the final month Vegetable Products opposed the downward trend and rallied slightly with an advance to 85.2 from the November average of 84.5.

*Fruits.*—Showing marked improvement for the first half of the year, the fruit index rose from 82.7 in January to 103.0 in July. However, sharp losses in fresh fruits, notably oranges and lemons, caused the average to drop as far as 73.5 by December. Dried and canned fruits exerted a more stabilizing influence, with currants, raisins, and prunes, showing a negligible increase in the opening months and declining moderately towards the close. The maximum decrease for this latter group was only 3.1 points for the year. Canned fruit products, especially peaches and orange marmalade, revealed a gradual drop throughout the entire year declining from a relative average of 71.9 in January to 65.4 in December. The apple crop for 1937 proved the largest on record with the exception of 1933, and totalled 4,956,400 barrels. However, the average value was only \$2.15 per barrel, which represented the third lowest price of any year recorded to date.

*Grains.*—An index for the grain division advanced from 90.8 in January to 98.5 in April, then displayed a reactionary movement which reduced the average to 89.3 by June. Fairly active European demand and increases in the international wheat markets during the early months, gave way to the effects of improved weather conditions which increased wheat crop prospects and forced a decline in prices until the close of the second quarter. However, the rapid deterioration of the Western Canadian crop in July, when prevailing high temperatures and a lack of moisture made it apparent that the yield would be the smallest in years, sent grain prices to their highest levels for 1937. No. 1 Manitoba Northern cash wheat stood at \$1.55 per bushel for the first time since September 13, 1929, while July monthly figures showed an average gain of 21 cents per bushel for all grades. The grain index increased from the June average of 89.3 to 102.5 in July. The following month a reversal in grain prices caused the index for the group to be reduced again to 89.7. The chief factor in this sudden change of the market was the rapid increase of the world visible supply due to harvesting. This became accentuated when Russia entered the market as a seller, and her offerings were found to compare favourably with Canadian wheat both in quality and price. Prices rallied during September and October, with markets becoming highly erratic during the latter month. The nervous advance prevalent at this period was terminated by a decline in export interest late in October. From a monthly average of 92.1 the index receded sharply to 87.0 in November, a sustaining element in this decline being the favourable crop prospects in the southern hemisphere. December witnessed a relatively steady market, with the grain index showing a slight advance to 89.2. The dominant market factor at this period was the Argentine harvest, which turned out extremely spotty and showed heavy damage from frost. The annual average grain price index showed a marked increase from the preceding year, with an average of 92.6 as compared to 66.3 for 1936.

*Milled Products and Bread.*—Flour prices generally, followed the uncertain fluctuations of wheat, and showed similar violent reactions. At the year's high in July, flour and milled products attained a level of 107.7 as compared to the previous month at 94.0. Similarly, in August the index for this group following the general trend, receded to 98.1. Like grain prices, milled products rallied in December also, and finished the year with a monthly average of 94.5 as against 93.0 for November. Bread prices differed from the flour and milled products group, and increased gradually throughout the year. From an opening average of 83.9 in January, the wholesale price index for bread in representative centres advanced steadily to a December average of 94.0. The majority of the gains were made in the early months, with the improvement in most cases being sustained to the close of the year.

*Vegetable Oils.*—Most vegetable oils recorded their highest price for the year in January. Linseed oil, olive oil, and chinawood oil alone showed a later increase above the January level. The group index declined steadily from its January high of 87.7, and by December had dropped to 71.2. The movement proved irregular with slight increases occurring during March and September. The yearly average for vegetable oils was 80.1 in contrast to the slightly lower mark of 74.5 for 1936.

*Rubber.*—Prices for raw rubber touched their highest levels in March. Ribbed smoked sheets advanced from 21.5 cents per pound to 24.3 cents during this period, while standard latex crepe showed a similar gain from 23.4 cents to 27.4 cents. The sharp advance during March carried the prices of rubber to 1929 levels, despite persistent rumours that control measures might be abandoned if the movement continued. High rates of consumption, limited supplies, and

difficulties in adjusting production were the main underlying bases of the advance. Raw rubber prices turned decidedly weak in the latter half of the year, and by October had dropped to the lowest level since January, 1936. Production and shipments outran consumption, and at the close of November the International Rubber Regulation Committee set quotas at 70 p.c. of standard production. The monthly average index for December proved slightly higher at 32.0 in contrast to 31.3 for November. However, these figures represent a drastic reduction from the corresponding level for March of 52.8, which was equivalent to an average net decline of 10 cent per pound for representative grades. The index of rubber products showed a gradual improvement throughout the year and rose from 53.3 in January to 57.0 in December. This variance from raw rubber prices produced a stabilizing influence upon the total group, and despite the heavy losses in raw rubber, the closing average of 63.2 for December was in excess of the January level of 62.4.

*Sugar.*—Exhibiting marked sustaining power following a series of early advances, sugar prices remained relatively firm throughout the year, although showing slight depreciation towards the close. World sugar markets were buoyant in the opening quarter due chiefly to widespread anticipation of constructive results from the International Sugar Conference in April. As a result of this Conference, a free market quota of 3,700,000 metric tons was agreed upon, which although considered an important achievement, created little market response. Raw sugar markets eased after July and August, and were generally inactive during the closing months. British West Indies sugar at Montreal showed an irregular improvement for the year with an increase of 8c. per cwt. in December over the opening January price. Granulated sugar advanced between the same two periods from \$4.80 per cwt. to \$5.09. An index for sugar and its products exemplified the general movement as it rose from 82.9 in January to the peak level of 87.9 in July, and then receded gradually to a closing average of 87.2. An annual index for the group of 86.3 was well above the 1936 mark of 79.6.

*Tea, Coffee, Cocoa, and Spices.*—Tea prices were firm throughout the year, and in the last half showed moderate improvement. An index for tea sustained the opening average of 82.6 until May, and then gained steadily to close the year at 91.1. Coffee beans after advancing sharply during January and February, lost ground in the remaining months. The most pronounced break occurred in November, when Brazil's decision to abandon its coffee program caused a deluge of selling on the already weakened market. Santos coffee dropped from a relative price of 62.4 in October to 47.7 in November, representing the greatest decline since 1930. World production of coffee increased substantially by approximately 6,000,000 bags over 1936, while consumption showed a slight decline after the rising trend of the previous year. An eventful year was experienced in the cocoa bean trade. Reaching the peak of its 1936 price boom in January of 1937, the market reacted in February and after a slight rally in March subsequently collapsed. Fear of a world shortage in supplies was chiefly responsible for the boom, but a weak technical position caused most professional traders to stop buying. Consumption reached a new high record with supplies more than sufficient. World stocks were reported to have risen from 328,600 metric tons in September 1936, to 361,000 a year later. An index for cocoa beans dropped from a January level of 124.3 to the extremely low figure of 61.0 in the final month. Black pepper declined early from 12c. per pound to 10c., which was sustained at that level to the close of the year, except for a brief reaction to 9c. per pound in November. The total index for the group eased from 81.5 at the opening, to end the year at 75.2 in spite of the stabilizing influence of advancing tea prices.

*Tobacco.*—Domestic tobacco prices were inert over the greater part of the year. However, during the final two months an index for tobacco eased moderately from 55.5, the level sustained since January, to 52.4 in December. The outstanding feature of the industry was the decided increase in domestic production, which proved the largest yield of any year to date. Production was estimated at approximately 71,000,000 pounds as compared with 44,000,000 pounds for 1936.

*Vegetables.*—Drastic reductions in potato prices were mainly responsible in causing an index of vegetables to fall from 80.9 in January to 50.7 in December. In addition, the average price level of 64.8 was less than that for 1936, in which the group index stood at 69.7. Potatoes, prices declined almost continuously throughout the year from an opening average of 80.3, to 30.7 in the final month. In contrast, onions advanced from 77.8 in January to a high mark of



140.9 at the close. Canned vegetables, while relatively firm, weakened in the last stages to a moderate degree.

*Miscellaneous Vegetable Products.*—Hay and straw prices improved considerably, an index of their movements rising from 56.4 in the early months to 77.2 in December. The total group average reflected this improvement in an increase of 4.5 points between the opening and closing months.

### ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

All sub-groups in the animal products section, with the exception of eggs, reached higher levels in 1937 than in 1936. Gains ranged from 2.9 per cent to 25.9 per cent with the greatest advances made by hides and skins, livestock, meats, and furs. Price movements were irregular until May when a steady advance commenced, and the annual index for 1937 was 78.4 as compared with 71.8 for 1936.

*Livestock.*—Price advances were common to all classes of livestock in 1937. Cattle markets displayed noteworthy firmness, opening unusually strong and continuing upward until August. Shipments to the United States, where relatively high prices prevailed, were the chief sustaining factor during this period. With the filling of the export quota to that country, Canadian markets receded until the end of the year. Demand from the United Kingdom was moderate, but exerted considerable steadying influence, particularly during the closing months. An average price for all cattle grades of \$4.15 per cwt., was 70 cents per cwt., higher than the 1936 level. A remarkable feature of the situation was the capability of the market to absorb record offerings without serious disturbance to the price structure. Sales at all stockyards at 999,332 head exceeded the previous record high of 1936 by 113,855 head. Calves advanced also and the average price was quoted at \$5.65 per cwt. in 1937 compared with \$5.20 per cwt. in 1936. Sales at 859,258 head reached new high levels in both domestic and export markets, with the high quality of offerings regarded as an outstanding feature. Hog markets also made a good showing and the average prices of \$8.30 per cwt. was 35 cents higher than in 1936. The volume of sales rose from 3,796,952 head in 1936 to 3,926,310 head in 1937, but the United Kingdom readily absorbed offerings due to the continued keen demand for bacon. Owing to a shortage of hog products in the United States, that country also furnished a ready outlet for sizable shipments. An average weighted price for sheep and lambs showed a gain of 55 cents to \$7.35 per cwt. in 1937. Offerings were light and sales at all stockyards at 395,957 were 5,905 head below the 1936 figure.

*Furs.*—Marked gains occurred in Canadian fur prices in 1937. These may be gauged by advances of \$5.27 per pelt for beaver, \$6.50 for white fox, and \$7.96 for marten. Nearly all classes were higher, although silver fox declined \$1.32, while lynx remained practically the same. The index for all furs averaged 70.4 in 1937 compared with 59.8 in 1936. Trade in both the domestic and foreign markets increased and total value of pelts rose from \$15,465,000 in the 1935-36 season to \$16,666,000 in 1936-37. On the other hand, exports for the calendar year 1937 were valued at \$17,515,000 or \$151,000 less than in 1936.

*Fishery Products.*—Higher prices for most varieties of fresh and cured fish raised the index for fishery products from 72.1 in 1936 to 74.2 in 1937. Trade in both domestic and foreign markets expanded and the value of fish caught and landed rose from \$22,084,000 in 1936 to \$23,195,000 in 1937. Exports of all fishery products were valued at \$27,984,000 or 13 per cent greater than in 1936. An index for fish declined gradually from 71.6 in January to 70.2 in May. This average mounted to 79.6 in October, but receded during the last two months to close at 75.8. Composite average prices paid to fishermen were \$2.12 in 1937 against \$1.90 per cwt. in 1936.

*Hides and Leather Products.*—Hide prices moved irregularly upward until April, when the index reached 120.9 and then tended downward to close at 73.0. Yearly figures were 101.4 for 1937 and 80.4 for 1936. Leather quotations moved somewhat independently of hides, rising irregularly from 93.0 in January to 100.0 in July. After resting at this level for the next two months, prices eased and by December the index had receded to 94.3. The annual average was 97.7, about 12 per cent greater than in the previous year. Quotations for boots and shoes rose steadily from January to October as indicated by indexes of 89.4 for the former and 96.0 for the latter month. By December, the index had fallen to 95.5, but yearly figures showed a gain of more than 6 per cent over the 1936 average.

*Oils and Fats.*—A drop of 24 per cent occurred in lard prices from January to December, with the greatest losses coming in the last two months of the year. Despite this recession the yearly index of 75·7 was 8 per cent higher than in 1936.

*Meats.*—Meat prices followed much the same trend as those for livestock. However, the latter group showed a minor recession in May, whereas meat prices declined slightly in March. From a January index of 70·5 the general upward movement brought the index to 86·9 in August. Prices then eased and by December the index rested at 74·3 with the year averaging 77·9 in contrast to 70·0 in 1936.

*Milk and Its Products.*—Fresh milk delivered at Canadian dairies averaged 21·4 cents or two cents per gallon more in 1937 than in 1936. Butter and cheese were also higher with indexes of 69·0 and 62·2 for the former and 68·4 and 62·6 for the latter during these respective years. The general movement of prices of milk and its products may be gauged from the following: the January index level of 77·9 was reduced by irregular gains and losses to 74·5 by August. From then onward, the index rose steadily to 82·6 in December. The Canadian production of milk at 17,189,000,000 pounds was approximately 190,000,000 pounds more than in 1936 and cheese at 129,677,000 pounds was almost 9,677,000 pounds greater. On the other hand, butter output declined about 5,500,000 pounds to a total of 359,471,000 pounds.

*Eggs.*—Egg values averaged lower in 1937 than in 1936, despite the fact that production was down 51,000 dozen to a total of 219,443,000 dozen. Stocks in cold storage at the end of the year were shown by the Agriculture Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at 1,336,359 dozen or 67 per cent greater than at the close of 1936. The egg price index was 64·2 in January and by March had fallen to 52·5, the low for the year. From June onward, it mounted steadily to 80·0 in November, but dropped back to 70·8 in December. The yearly average was 63·2 as compared with 67·3 in 1936.

## FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

In general, prices of textiles and fibre products were higher in 1937 than in 1936, with the exception of raw cotton. Raw wool and woollen blankets registered noteworthy gains of about 31 p.c. and 25 p.c. respectively, while advances for woollen cloth and cotton fabrics amounted to approximately 6 p.c. Raw silk was also higher with an index of 30·3 in 1937 compared with 28·8 in the previous year. The index for the group at 76·8 in 1937 was 4 p.c. above 1936 figure, and marked the highest level since 1931.

*Cotton.*—Spot cotton at New York held close to 13 cents per pound throughout January, February, and the early part of March. Keen speculative interest coupled with good consumptive demand carried prices sharply upward to 15 cents per pound by March 16th, the highest level since 1930. A prolonged reaction, one of the severest ever recorded, followed almost immediately, and by November 4 prices had reached the year's low of 7·84 cents per pound. During this period, United States crop estimates were repeatedly revised upward and reports indicated that production in other countries was also greater. Final figures placed the output of American staple cotton at 18,746,000 bales, 51 per cent higher than in 1936 and 769,000 bales more than the previous record crop of 1926. World supplies on December 31st aggregated 7,672,000 bales compared with 6,622,000 bales at the close of 1936.

*Wool.*—Early strength in primary wool markets prevailed for approximately the first half of 1937. The 1936-37 clip had been readily absorbed and it became evident by the opening of 1937-38 sales that only small quantities would remain unsold in the principal producing centres. Despite this fact, an almost unprecedented decline set in as international affairs became unsettled and stock markets depressed. This continued unchecked until late November. Canadian wool markets followed in close conjunction with the course of world prices. The raw wool index rose irregularly from 89·3 in January to 100·5 in May, held at 96·8 and 98·0 in the next two months, respectively, then dropped steadily to 68·6 in December. Canadian raw wool production was estimated at 19,000,000 pounds in 1937, compared with 18,900,000 pounds in 1936.

*Silk.*—Silk futures at New York reached \$2.15 per pound during the first half of January, marking the highest level since 1933. Irregular advances and declines followed in the next six months, but in August prices turned definitely downward and by December 31st had reached

\$1.48 per pound, more than 30 per cent below the January high. Consumption continued to decrease, while the 1937 United States mill absorption was reported the lowest since 1924. The unsettled Sino-Japanese situation acted as a depressing market factor at this time.

*Rayon.*—Consumption of rayon continued to increase during 1937 and prices remained firm. World production of filament rayon rose from 997,206 thousand pounds in 1936 to 1,119,150 thousand pounds in 1937 despite a severe decline in the United States production rate in the closing months. Quotations for yarn 100 deniers, 40 filaments remained at 70 cents per pound which represented the same price that had prevailed since May, 1936.

*Miscellaneous Fibre Products.*—Steady buying by Great Britain and the United States, combined with some shortage of certain grades, forced prices of hemp upward until July. Reductions then followed, which were attributed chiefly to the placing of an embargo on the purchases of Manila hemp by the Japanese government. Raw jute fluctuated erratically throughout the year, but sisal remained firm until September, when slackening demand sent prices downward.

### WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER

Prices of wood and its products moved steadily upward from January 1937 to the year's high of 78.9 in May. From then onward, the movement was generally downward and by December the index had fallen to 75.5. An average for the year of 76.7 compared with 68.5 in 1936, and was the highest since 1931. All sub-groups shared in the advance and gains ranged from 24 p.c. for wood pulp to slightly better than 1 p.c. for wrapping paper.

*Lumber and Timber.*—The rise in prices during the first four months of 1937 was followed by downward revisions until November, when prices steadied somewhat. Exports proved disappointing owing largely to unstable freight rates. As the year opened, British Columbia mills showed heavy bookings for shipment to the United Kingdom. Orders thinned with freight rates becoming unsettled and shipments of sawn lumber to Great Britain at 640,000,000 bd. ft. fell slightly below the 1936 total. Demand from the Prairies and Eastern Canada was greater than in 1936, but still below trade expectations. Good orders for future delivery had been placed by buyers early in the year and these were later supplemented by considerable contracts from mining companies. The British Columbia log scale reached a record of 300,000,000 bd. ft. and in the case of cedar, the cut was large, while business in shingles stayed dull.

*Newsprint.*—Increased world demand and better price levels led to considerable expansion of, and additions to, Canadian newsprint plants and equipment in 1937. One new mill was built, and operations generally were maintained at about 90 p.c. of capacity. The output reached a new high of 3,645,000 tons as compared with the 1936 peak of 3,192,000 tons. During the year, there was less evidence of close control over newsprint prices. Another important development was the arranging with Australian and New Zealand publishers of a seven year agreement for considerable supplies of Canadian newsprint paper.

*Wood Pulp.*—A rise of more than 21 p.c. occurred in wood pulp prices, with all classes sharing. The most noteworthy gains were made by bleached sulphite pulp. Quotations for this grade rose from \$55.00 in January to \$62.00 in April, then up to \$71.50 in July and to \$74.00 per ton in October. Unbleached sulphite and groundwood pulp prices followed much the same courses, rising until September and then easing gradually until the close of the year. With the production of newsprint at record levels, sales of wood pulp also reached new highs and exports at 17,414,000 cwt. were over 2,000,000 cwt, greater than in 1936.

### IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS

*Iron and Steel.*—A gain of over 11 p.c. was shown in Canadian prices of iron and steel products in 1937. The wholesale price index of these commodities rose steadily from 92.1 in January to 105.3 in September and then dropped back to close the year at 103.9. Steel mills and blast furnaces operated at high levels and the output of steel ingots and castings mounted from 1,115,779 long tons in 1936 to 1,402,882 long tons in 1937. The production of pig iron moved up almost 221,000 tons to a total of 898,855 long tons. Orders originating from firms manufacturing automobiles and agricultural implements were greater than in 1936 and so were requirements for building and construction. Demand for steel rails was lower, but sales of other railway supplies advanced.



*Hardware.*—Hardware prices tended upward in 1937 and the index number of wholesale prices averaged 90.0 as against 86.3 in the previous year. A drop of 2.8 points between February and March was followed by steady advances so that in November and December a high of 91.7 was recorded, marking a gain of about 7 p.c. in the last nine months. The value of retail sales of hardware was estimated as 12 p.c. higher than in 1936. The greater part of these were made during the first six months as latterly dealers proceeded cautiously owing to the general decline in basic commodity prices.

### NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Led by copper and zinc, which showed gains of almost 36 p.c. and 35 p.c. respectively, the index for non-ferrous metals and their products rose from 70.0 in 1936 to 83.8 in 1937, marking the highest annual average since 1929. Tin, antimony and aluminium were also higher, but silver averaged slightly less than in 1936. A peak of 97.6 was reached by the non-ferrous group in March, but from then on, prices ruled easier except for a moderate upturn in July and August. The closing figure of 72.5 was approximately 12 p.c. below the opening level.

*Copper.*—Noteworthy changes occurred in copper prices in 1937. These were well illustrated by the behaviour of standard cash grades at London. From an opening of £49 per ton, quotations rose to £78 by March 11, dropped back to £36 3½s. by November 23 and closed at £39 7½s. per ton. Following the repeated upward revisions of quota allotments in 1936, production restrictions were removed entirely early in 1937. Owing to keen speculative buying, prices continued upward, however, to reach the year's high in March. Subsequently, as the slackening in demand by the United States continued, prices moved downward and restrictive measures were again imposed on December 1. World consumption was estimated at 2,230,000 long tons in 1937 as compared with 1,900,000 in 1936. World stocks at 425,000 tons at the end of the year were 110,000 tons greater than at the close of 1936.

*Tin.*—Tin declined early in 1937, then moved sharply upward after the commencement of the British armament program. The first quarter quota was 100 p.c. of standard tonnage, but the rate was later revised to 110 p.c. for the remainder of the year. Despite this rise there was considerable irregularity of supplies as some countries belonging to the cartel were delayed in filling allotments. In autumn, a decline set in with the lessening of industrial activity in the United States and in addition as shipments became heavier by countries desirous of advancing exports before the close of the year. World visible supplies were estimated at the close of the year at 25,700 long tons as compared with 22,700 long tons at the end of the previous year. The yearly average price of Straits tin at Toronto at 58.3 cents per pound reached the highest level since 1927.

*Lead.*—After remaining comparatively steady during January and February, lead prices advanced to the year's high in March. A shortage of supplies was anticipated early in the year, but this failed to develop and price moved downward. The decline gained momentum when demand from the United States and the United Kingdom decreased. World consumption at 1,695,000 metric tons was about 15,000 tons in excess of world production. An index of domestic lead prices dropped from 81.8 in January to 54.0 in December 1937.

*Zinc.*—Fluctuations in zinc prices followed those of other base metals generally, and reached the year's high around mid-March. Speculative interest, combined with intimations that the United States would likely import considerable quantities, were the chief sustaining factors. With the weakening of these supports, prices fell almost steadily till the close of the year. New records of 1,640,000 long tons for production and 1,615,000 for consumption were established in 1937. Canadian output at 165,000 long tons was 30,000 tons greater than in 1936.

*Silver.*—Silver prices fluctuated narrowly in 1937, as indicated by a 2-cent range between the year's high and low compared with a range of 4 cents per ounce in 1936. Highs for the year of 46¼ cents and 21½d. per ounce were established at New York and London respectively on April 6th. These gains coincided with increased buying by India following the announcement of an advance in duty to 3 annas per ounce on silver imports into that country. Except for a sharp recession in August, markets then remained comparatively firm till early in December, with the steadiness credited mostly to the United States governmental policy concerning silver. As the expiration of this plan approached, uncertainty regarding the future program affected

markets adversely and prices at London receded to the year's low of 18 3/16d. per ounce on December 28th. A new high world production of 276,000,000 ounces was reached in 1937 as compared with 251,000,000 ounces in 1936. Canadian output at 24,300,000 ounces was 5,000,000 ounces greater than in 1936.

### NON-METALLIC MINERALS

Upward revisions in the prices of coal, coke, petroleum products and most building materials were chiefly instrumental in raising the index for Non-Metallic Minerals from 85.5 in 1936 to 86.6 in 1937.

*Clay and Allied Products.*—Quotations for most clay products were firm throughout 1937, but hollow building blocks eased sufficiently to reduce the index for this sub-group from 88.0 in 1936 to 87.9 in 1937, despite a slight advance in stucco prices. An increase in building, as indicated by a 35 p.c. rise in building permits issued, was reflected in the output of clay products. The value of manufactured clay products during 1937 totalled \$4,589,933 which was over \$1,000,000 greater than in 1936. Prices showed customary stability, with dry press brick at Montreal and Toronto unchanged at \$27.55 and \$25.00 per M respectively. Hollow building blocks, f.o.b. plant Quebec moved down from \$82.50 to \$81.67 per M, while mixing plant stucco rose from \$12.83 to \$13.00 per ton between 1936 and 1937.

*Coal.*—A rise of  $\frac{1}{2}$  of one per cent in 1937 brought the index for coal prices up to 92.0. Imported coals showed the greatest change, while domestic grades fluctuated narrowly. The output from Canadian mines at 15,775,000 tons was about 546,000 tons greater than in 1936, while imports at 16,000,000 tons were 2,269,000 higher.

*Coke.*—Ontario and Nova Scotia coke prices advanced sufficiently in 1937 to raise the index from 94.5 in 1936 to 111.0. Statistics showed a gain of more than 165,000 tons in output which stood at 2,569,833 tons in 1937. Imports decreased from 612,858 to 417,760 tons, while exports doubled from 18,215 to 36,959 tons. Metallurgical coke, f.o.b. Ontario plant, rose from \$7.13 in 1936 to \$8.50 per ton in 1937 and by-product quotations advanced an equal amount.

*Petroleum Products.*—Advances in the price of fuel and crude oils and gasolene caused the index for petroleum products to move up from 73.4 in 1936 to 74.1 in 1937. Canadian production of crude petroleum and natural gasolene at 2,978,268 barrels reached a new high record due to the drilling into production of several new wells in the southern part of the Turner Valley field. Mid-continent crude oil f.o.b. Sarnia rose from \$2.80 to \$2.93 per barrel. Variation in the prices of gasolene were narrow with Toronto up 1 cent to 15.9 cents and Calgary down 1.7 cents at 20.5 cents per gallon.

*Lime.*—A rise of about 4 p.c. occurred in lime prices, as indicated by indexes of 104.5 in 1936 and 108.2 in 1937. With the increased demand for building materials, the Canadian output of lime rose over 78,000 tons to 546,671 tons in 1937.

*Cement.*—Gains of slightly over 1 cent per barrel were sufficient to raise the index for cement from 105.8 in 1936 to 106.2 in 1937. The apparent consumption in Canada was 1,677,000 barrels more than in 1936 and only 11,500 barrels below the 6,169,000 barrels produced in 1937.

*Asbestos and Its Products.*—An advance of \$4.17 per ton was recorded for No. 1 crude asbestos but other grades remained unchanged and the index rested at 75.8, the same level as in 1936. Sales from Canadian mines rose 109,000 tons to 410,000 tons in 1937, the highest on record.

### CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

Higher prices for commodities in the organic chemicals, tanning, drugs, and paint materials sub-groups were mainly responsible for the index for Chemicals and Allied Products moving up from 78.0 in 1936 to 81.4 in 1937. Canadian output of chemical products reached a record value of \$144,993,000 or 14 p.c. above the 1936 total. Demand from textile, rubber and automobile manufacturing firms increased, while mining and metallurgical plants and pulp and paper mills also contributed largely to the greater sales.

TABLE I—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1937

CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION

(1926=100)

Groups	Number of commodities	1890-1912 1913-1925 1926-1933 1934-1937	I Vegetable Products	II Animals and Their Products	III Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	IV Wood, Wood Products and Paper	V Iron and Its Products	VI Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	VII Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	VIII Chemicals and Allied Products	IX All Commodities
			59 67 124 135	47 50 74 76	23 28 60 85	26 21 44 49	30 26 39 44	14 15 15 18	21 16 73 83	27 13 73 77	247 236 502 567
1890			55.5	45.5	53.8	38.5	77.9	109.4	50.0	49.6	51.5
1891			58.8	45.2	49.2	38.2	72.1	101.9	48.7	49.8	51.5
1892			47.9	45.2	46.8	38.8	69.5	92.8	49.4	48.9	47.8
1893			48.3	47.6	46.7	38.6	67.9	86.0	49.0	48.6	48.5
1894			44.2	43.6	43.9	39.6	63.2	73.1	47.9	48.2	45.3
1895			44.3	42.3	43.7	37.3	61.0	72.0	47.0	47.6	44.4
1896			42.2	39.9	44.5	35.9	61.6	75.4	46.9	47.9	42.9
1897			43.5	42.2	43.7	35.8	56.4	70.4	46.0	46.8	43.6
1898			48.5	43.6	43.0	36.1	56.2	72.9	45.6	46.6	45.6
1899			45.4	45.9	43.4	37.1	64.4	95.3	45.8	46.3	46.5
1900			42.9	48.5	48.4	40.6	75.1	102.4	48.5	49.0	47.9
1901			47.1	48.3	46.4	40.3	67.9	100.2	51.7	51.1	48.9
1902			50.1	51.2	46.6	42.6	67.7	84.3	53.6	49.9	51.1
1903			51.6	49.5	47.0	47.9	67.3	82.7	55.5	50.2	51.8
1904			54.0	48.2	51.0	48.0	62.9	85.1	54.7	51.7	52.4
1905			55.3	52.4	50.6	49.3	62.0	93.8	53.2	52.0	54.0
1906			52.2	53.2	54.4	52.6	65.8	108.3	52.1	50.8	54.2
1907			59.1	57.1	56.1	55.3	68.9	115.3	54.2	58.3	58.6
1908			61.7	56.5	50.8	54.4	66.6	86.9	55.6	57.5	58.5
1909			62.0	60.3	52.4	53.3	63.3	84.6	54.7	53.4	59.5
1910			59.0	63.1	55.8	58.5	62.3	87.8	54.1	54.8	60.2
1911			62.5	60.9	54.3	62.1	63.2	87.0	53.3	59.1	62.2
1912			68.0	67.6	52.5	62.2	64.0	100.0	56.8	61.9	65.4
1913			58.1	70.9	58.2	63.9	68.9	98.4	56.8	63.4	64.0
1914			64.8	72.6	56.9	60.3	67.3	94.7	53.7	65.3	65.5
1915			75.6	74.0	58.3	56.5	73.9	106.9	52.7	68.1	70.4
1916			87.0	85.0	77.6	64.0	104.6	135.1	58.0	78.0	84.3
1917			124.5	110.4	114.6	79.8	151.8	143.9	71.6	98.1	114.3
1918			127.9	127.1	157.1	89.1	156.9	141.9	82.3	118.7	127.4
1919			136.1	140.8	163.8	109.6	139.1	133.5	93.6	117.5	134.0
1920			167.0	145.1	176.5	154.4	168.4	135.5	112.2	141.5	155.9
1921			103.5	109.6	96.0	129.4	128.0	97.0	116.6	117.0	110.0
1922			86.2	96.0	101.7	106.3	104.6	97.3	107.0	105.4	97.3
1923			83.7	95.0	116.9	113.0	115.8	95.3	104.4	104.4	98.0
1924			89.2	91.8	117.9	105.9	111.0	94.8	104.1	102.5	99.4
1925			100.6	100.3	112.5	101.6	134.5	103.9	100.3	99.6	102.6
1926			100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927			98.3	101.9	93.7	98.5	96.2	91.5	96.5	98.3	97.7
1928			93.0	108.1	94.5	98.7	93.2	92.0	92.5	95.3	96.4
1929			91.6	109.0	91.3	93.9	93.7	99.2	92.9	95.4	95.6
1930			77.7	99.1	81.8	88.7	91.1	80.7	91.3	92.8	86.6
1931			56.9	73.9	73.4	79.1	87.4	64.6	86.5	86.7	72.1
1932			54.8	59.7	69.7	69.1	86.3	59.0	85.5	83.9	68.7
1933			59.3	59.4	69.7	62.8	85.4	64.3	84.4	81.3	67.1
1934			66.6	67.2	72.9	65.4	87.0	64.3	86.0	81.2	71.6
1935			67.3	70.4	70.2	64.6	87.2	69.1	85.5	79.1	72.1
1936			72.6	71.8	69.7	68.5	88.0	70.0	85.5	78.0	74.6
1937			88.4	78.4	72.8	76.7	101.8	83.8	86.6	81.4	84.6
1936											
January			67.7	72.9	69.9	67.4	87.2	68.3	85.3	77.3	72.9
February			66.4	72.1	69.5	67.8	87.3	68.4	85.9	77.2	72.5
March			66.7	70.5	69.6	67.8	87.3	69.2	85.9	77.2	72.4
April			66.5	69.9	69.5	68.0	87.4	69.1	85.5	77.4	72.2
May			65.7	69.1	69.1	68.2	87.8	68.3	85.4	77.2	71.9
June			66.9	69.7	69.1	68.1	87.7	67.7	85.7	77.2	72.3
July			73.1	70.5	69.5	68.2	87.8	68.1	85.1	78.3	74.3
August			77.5	72.3	69.9	68.6	87.9	69.1	85.2	78.4	76.1
September			77.4	73.4	69.6	68.8	88.2	70.2	85.4	78.5	76.4
October			79.6	73.4	69.5	69.3	88.2	70.4	85.0	78.7	77.1
November			79.1	73.5	69.6	69.4	88.3	74.0	85.0	78.8	77.2
December			84.0	73.9	71.1	69.6	91.4	77.8	85.9	79.1	79.6
1937											
January			87.6	75.4	72.2	73.0	92.1	82.5	85.6	79.2	81.9
February			88.6	75.2	73.3	74.2	94.1	86.2	86.0	80.0	82.9
March			90.6	74.9	73.9	77.3	100.1	97.6	85.5	81.6	85.4
April			91.3	77.1	75.4	78.5	102.9	99.6	85.6	82.7	86.2
May			88.7	76.8	75.3	78.9	102.8	85.9	86.6	82.2	85.5
June			87.0	77.5	75.0	77.8	103.0	84.3	86.8	81.6	84.6
July			95.5	78.9	74.6	78.0	103.9	85.9	87.0	81.7	87.6
August			87.7	81.0	73.7	77.9	104.5	86.3	87.2	81.8	85.6
September			86.5	81.8	71.8	77.2	105.3	83.4	87.4	81.7	85.0
October			87.6	81.7	70.7	76.2	105.0	77.4	87.3	81.9	84.7
November			84.5	80.7	69.2	75.7	104.1	73.7	87.4	81.3	83.1
December			85.2	78.2	69.0	75.5	103.9	72.5	87.2	80.7	82.7



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CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1913=100)

Groups	Number of commodities	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	All Commodities
		Vegetable Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	
	1890-1899	59	47	23	26	30	14	21	27	247
	1900-1912	51	39	20	18	22	11	19	23	203
	1913-1925	67	50	28	21	26	15	16	13	236
	1926-1933	124	74	60	44	39	15	73	73	502
	1934-1937	135	76	85	49	44	18	83	77	567
1890		95.6	64.2	92.4	60.2	113.1	111.2	88.1	78.3	80.5
1891		101.2	63.8	84.5	59.8	104.6	103.6	85.8	78.6	80.5
1892		82.5	63.7	80.4	60.7	100.9	94.3	86.9	77.1	74.7
1893		83.2	67.2	80.2	60.4	98.6	87.4	86.3	76.6	75.8
1894		76.1	61.5	75.5	61.9	91.7	74.3	84.3	76.1	70.8
1895		76.3	59.7	75.1	58.4	88.5	73.2	82.8	75.0	69.4
1896		72.6	56.3	76.4	56.2	89.4	76.6	82.5	75.5	67.0
1897		74.9	59.5	75.0	56.1	81.9	71.5	81.0	73.8	68.1
1898		83.5	61.5	73.9	56.5	81.6	74.1	80.2	73.5	71.3
1899		79.9	64.7	74.6	58.0	93.4	96.8	80.6	73.1	72.6
1900		73.9	68.4	83.2	63.5	109.0	104.0	85.4	77.4	74.8
1901		81.1	68.1	79.7	63.1	98.5	101.8	91.1	80.6	76.4
1902		86.2	72.3	80.1	66.6	98.3	85.6	94.4	78.8	79.8
1903		88.9	69.8	80.7	75.0	97.6	84.0	97.7	79.2	80.9
1904		94.0	68.0	87.6	75.1	91.3	86.5	96.3	81.6	81.8
1905		95.2	74.0	87.0	77.2	89.9	95.3	93.6	82.0	84.4
1906		89.9	75.0	93.5	82.3	95.5	110.0	91.8	80.1	84.6
1907		101.7	80.6	96.3	86.5	100.0	117.1	95.4	92.0	91.6
1908		106.2	79.7	87.3	85.1	96.7	88.3	97.9	90.8	91.4
1909		106.7	85.1	90.0	83.4	91.8	86.0	96.3	84.2	92.9
1910		101.6	89.1	95.8	91.6	90.4	89.2	95.2	86.5	94.0
1911		107.6	86.0	93.3	97.2	91.7	88.4	93.8	93.3	97.2
1912		117.1	95.4	90.2	97.4	92.8	101.6	100.0	97.6	102.2
1913		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914		111.6	102.5	97.8	94.3	97.7	96.2	94.5	103.0	102.3
1915		130.2	104.4	100.2	88.5	107.2	108.6	92.8	107.4	109.9
1916		149.8	119.9	133.3	100.1	151.8	137.3	102.2	123.1	131.6
1917		214.4	155.8	196.8	124.9	220.2	146.2	126.0	154.8	178.5
1918		220.2	179.4	269.9	139.4	227.3	144.2	144.9	187.3	199.0
1919		234.4	198.7	281.4	171.6	201.8	135.6	163.8	185.4	209.2
1920		287.6	204.8	303.3	241.6	244.4	137.7	197.5	223.3	243.5
1921		178.2	154.6	165.0	202.5	185.7	98.6	205.4	184.7	171.8
1922		148.4	135.4	174.7	166.4	151.8	98.9	188.4	166.4	152.0
1923		144.2	134.1	200.9	176.8	168.0	96.8	183.8	164.8	153.0
1924		153.6	129.5	202.5	165.8	161.0	96.3	183.4	161.8	155.2
1925		173.3	141.5	193.3	159.0	151.6	105.6	176.6	157.1	160.3
1926		172.2	141.1	171.8	156.5	145.1	101.6	176.1	157.8	156.2
1927		169.3	143.8	161.0	154.2	139.6	93.0	169.9	155.1	152.6
1928		160.1	152.5	162.4	154.5	135.2	93.5	162.9	150.4	150.6
1929		157.7	153.8	156.9	147.0	136.0	100.8	163.6	150.5	149.3
1930		133.8	139.8	140.5	138.8	132.2	82.0	160.8	146.4	135.3
1931		98.0	104.3	126.1	123.8	126.8	65.6	152.3	136.8	112.6
1932		94.4	84.2	119.7	108.1	125.2	59.9	150.6	132.4	104.2
1933		102.1	83.8	119.7	98.3	123.9	65.3	148.6	128.3	104.8
1934		114.7	94.8	125.2	102.4	126.2	65.3	151.4	128.1	111.8
1935		115.9	99.3	120.6	101.1	126.5	70.2	150.6	124.8	112.6
1936		125.0	101.3	119.7	107.2	127.7	71.1	150.6	123.1	116.5
1937		152.2	110.6	125.1	120.0	147.7	85.1	152.5	128.4	132.1
1936										
January		116.6	102.9	120.1	105.5	126.5	69.4	150.2	122.0	113.9
February		114.3	101.7	119.4	106.1	126.7	69.5	151.3	121.8	113.1
March		114.9	99.5	119.6	106.1	126.7	70.3	151.3	121.8	113.2
April		114.5	98.6	119.4	106.4	126.8	70.2	150.6	122.1	112.8
May		113.1	97.5	118.7	106.7	127.4	69.4	150.4	121.8	112.3
June		115.2	98.3	118.7	106.6	127.3	68.8	150.9	121.8	112.9
July		125.9	99.5	119.4	106.4	127.4	69.2	149.9	123.6	116.1
August		133.5	102.0	120.1	107.4	127.5	70.2	150.0	123.7	118.9
September		133.3	103.6	119.6	107.7	128.0	71.3	150.4	123.9	119.3
October		137.1	103.6	119.4	108.5	128.0	71.5	149.7	124.2	120.4
November		136.2	103.7	119.6	108.6	128.1	75.2	149.7	124.3	120.6
December		144.6	104.3	122.1	108.9	132.6	79.0	151.3	124.8	124.6
1937										
January		150.8	106.4	124.0	114.2	133.6	83.8	150.7	125.0	127.9
February		152.6	106.1	125.9	116.1	136.5	87.6	151.4	126.2	129.5
March		156.0	105.7	127.0	121.0	145.2	99.2	150.6	128.8	133.4
April		157.2	108.8	129.5	122.9	149.3	91.0	150.7	130.5	134.6
May		152.7	108.4	129.4	123.5	149.2	87.3	152.5	129.7	132.2
June		149.8	109.4	128.9	121.8	149.5	85.6	152.9	128.8	132.1
July		164.5	111.3	128.1	122.1	150.8	87.3	153.2	128.9	136.8
August		151.0	114.3	126.6	121.9	151.6	87.7	153.6	129.1	133.7
September		149.0	115.4	123.4	120.8	152.8	84.7	153.9	128.9	132.8
October		150.8	115.3	121.6	119.3	152.4	78.6	153.7	129.2	132.3
November		145.5	113.9	118.9	118.5	151.0	74.9	153.9	128.3	129.8
December		146.7	110.3	118.5	118.2	150.8	73.7	153.6	127.3	129.2

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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.</b>									
Fruits, Fresh, Dried and Canned.....			66.6		67.3		72.6		88.4
Bananas, 7 hands.....	per pound	2-971	85.7	2-892	83.4	2-896	73.3	3-052	68.7
Lemons, 300's.....	per box	5-377	124.8	5-081	117.9	6-163	144.4	6-427	161.2
Oranges, California.....	per case	4-929	77.6	4-579	72.1	4-630	74.0	5-508	93.9
Fruits, Dried.....			86.6		82.6		81.4		84.1
Currants, Australian, 2 Crown.....	per pound	1-112	89.2	1-101	80.5	1-101	80.5	1-105	83.7
Currants, Australian, 3 Crown.....	"	1-117	104.6	1-109	97.4	1-113	101.0	1-123	109.9
Raisins, Thompson's seedless.....	"	1-118	90.4	1-125	95.7	1-125	95.7	1-130	99.5
Raisins, Australian 3-Crown.....	"	1-109		1-099		1-101		1-103	
Prunes, California, 50's-60's.....	"	1-108	83.2	1-099	76.3	1-089	68.6	1-092	70.9
Fruits, Canned.....			68.5		70.0		67.9		67.8
Peaches, 2's, heavy syrup, standard(2).....	per dozen	1-604	80.2	1-604	80.2	1-423	71.2	1-442	66.8
Cherries, 2's, heavy syrup, red, pitted(2).....	"	1-288	64.4	1-329	66.5	1-096	54.8	1-359	62.9
Raspberries, 2's, heavy syrup, red(2).....	"	1-833	62.1	1-675	56.8	1-546	48.5	1-586	49.7
Corn Syrup.....	case	3-825		3-950		4-017		4-050	
Orange Marmalade.....	4 lb. tins	4-428		4-428		4-438		4-421	
Strawberry Jam.....	"	6-633		6-658		6-639		6-645	
<b>Grains.</b>									
Barley, No. 3 C.W.....	per bushel	4-464	74.7	3-396	63.7	4-493	79.3	6-689	110.9
Barley, No. 4 C.W.....	"	4-444	75.9	3-360	61.5	4-467	79.8	6-656	112.1
Barley, Ontario, good malting.....	"	4-480	78.7	3-588	63.2	4-685	96.9	6-823	116.4
Barley, No. 6.....	"	4-410	74.4	3-334	60.6	4-432	78.3	6-624	113.2
Corn, Ontario yellow, kiln dried(3).....	"	1-035	124.0	1-239	148.4	1-185	141.8	1-950	159.6
Corn, American yellow, No. 3.....	"	1-028	125.1	1-228	149.5	1-167	142.1		
Flax, No. 1 C.W.....	"	1-498	75.2	1-359	68.2	1-600	80.3	1-743	87.5
Flax, No. 2 C.W.....	"	1-458	74.7	1-319	67.6	1-559	79.9	1-703	87.3
Flax, No. 3 C.W.....	"	1-353	75.5	1-178	65.7	1-455	81.2	1-535	85.6
Oats, No. 2 C.W.....	"	3-386	70.4	3-385	70.2	4-401	73.1	5-546	99.6
Oats, No. 3 C.W.....	"	3-357	75.2	3-341	71.8	3-361	76.0	5-524	110.4
Oats, Ontario.....	"	3-364	80.5	3-324	71.7	3-357	79.0	5-519	114.8
Oats, No. 1 feed Western.....	"	3-347	76.2	3-322	70.8	3-340	74.7	5-509	111.8
Oats, No. 2 feed Western.....	"	3-322	78.0	2-294	69.1	3-322	75.7	4-479	112.6
Peas, No. 2 white, Ontario.....	"	1-175	95.9	1-108	90.4	1-246	101.7	1-500	122.4
Rye, No. 2 C.W., Ontario.....	"	5-538	58.0	4-442	47.7	5-574	61.9	1-015	109.4
Rye, No. 3 C.W.....	"	5-501	57.4	4-403	46.2	5-540	61.9	9-978	112.1
Rye, rejected.....	"	4-478	56.2	3-373	43.9	5-504	59.3	9-916	107.8
Rye, No. 2 Ontario.....	"	5-502	57.7	4-459	48.5	5-566	59.8	9-960	101.4
Wheat, No. 2 Ontario.....	"	8-881	67.4	7-779	59.6	8-868	66.4	1-193	91.3
Wheat, No. 1 Manitoba Northern.....	"	7-748	50.0	8-844	56.5	9-937	62.7	1-340	89.6
Wheat, No. 2 Manitoba Northern.....	"	7-715	49.6	8-814	56.4	9-917	63.6	1-304	90.4
Wheat, No. 3 Manitoba Northern.....	"	6-694	49.8	7-769	55.2	8-883	63.4	1-231	88.4
<b>Flour and Other Milled Products.</b>									
Flour, spring, No. 1 patent, Montreal.....	per 2-98's jute	5-500	62.4	5-425	61.5	6-083	68.9	7-725	87.6
Flour, No. 1 patent, at Winnipeg.....	per bbl.	4-758		5-192		5-742		7-683	
Flour, spring, No. 2 patent, Montreal.....	per 2-98's jute	4-975	59.8	5-017	60.3	5-683	68.3	7-325	88.0
Flour, No. 2 patent, at Winnipeg.....	per bbl.	4-458		4-867		5-342		7-283	
Flour, Ontario.....	"	3-928	67.2	3-662	62.6	4-046	69.2	5-272	90.2
Oatmeal.....	per 98 lb. sack	3-238	90.1	3-162	88.0	3-288	91.6	3-962	110.3
Rolled oats.....	per 98 lb. sack	2-942	89.6	2-858	87.1	2-967	90.2	3-712	113.1
Corn Meal.....	per 98's jute	2-679		2-900		2-929		3-200	
Malt.....	per bushel	9-955	87.6	1-045	95.9	1-088	99.8	1-348	123.7
Gluten Meal.....	per ton	25-000	64.0	24-250	62.0	24-250	62.0	29-958	76.7
Bran, Manitoba.....	"	23-879	80.7	23-950	81.0	23-717	80.2	29-820	100.8
Shorts, Manitoba.....	"	24-918	79.1	25-150	79.8	25-288	80.3	31-900	101.2

(1) New source, 1937.

(2) Sales tax included in 1937.

(3) Previous to 1937, American yellow No. 2.

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Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Bakery Products.....			82.8		83.0		84.0		91.1
Bread, plain white, Halifax.....	per pound	0.00	81.9	0.00	81.9	0.00	81.9	0.00	81.9
Bread, plain white, Saint John.....	"	0.09	73.8	0.00	75.0	0.00	75.0	0.00	82.5
Bread, plain white, Montreal.....	"	0.00	81.9	0.00	81.9	0.00	81.9	0.00	88.7
Bread, plain white, Toronto.....	"	0.00	90.1	0.00	90.1	0.00	90.1	0.00	96.1
Bread, plain white, Winnipeg.....	"	0.00	83.3	0.00	83.3	0.00	83.3	0.00	81.7
Bread, plain white, Regina.....	"	0.08	66.7	0.00	69.4	0.09	81.5	0.08	94.4
Bread, plain white, Calgary.....	"	0.03	60.9	0.04	62.4	0.05	72.3	0.02	87.9
Bread, plain white, Vancouver.....	"	0.03	79.6	0.03	79.6	0.05	82.6	0.09	103.8
Biscuits, soda.....	"	0.15	87.1	0.12	97.7	0.13	103.0	0.14	108.3
Vegetable Oils.....			56.3		70.8		74.5		80.1
Cottonseed oil, refined.....	per pound	0.82	58.4	0.99	70.5	0.99	70.5	1.01	71.9
Linseed oil, raw.....	per gallon	7.47	76.0	6.96	70.8	8.00	81.4	8.19	83.3
Cocconut oil, Manila.....	per cwt.	3.445	34.4	5.607	56.0	6.096	60.9	7.104	70.9
Olive oil, Italian.....	per 128 fluid ozs.	1.610	85.1	1.624	85.8	1.797	94.9	2.392	126.4
Peanut oil, oriental crude.....	per cwt.	4.138	42.4	6.687	68.5	6.863	70.3	6.971	71.4
Chinawood oil.....	per pound	0.37	67.1	0.155	127.2	0.159	122.6	0.158	121.8
Soya bean oil, crude.....	per cwt.	5.375		5.450		5.942		6.517	
Palm oil, crude.....	"	3.292		5.050		4.742		5.442	
Rubber and Its Products.....			55.7		56.8		58.4		63.3
Rubber, raw, plantation, Ceylon, ribbed, smoked sheets.....	per pound	0.128	26.2	0.124	25.4	0.165	33.8	0.195	40.0
Rubber, raw, plantation, standard latex thick crepe.....	"	0.141	28.5	0.126	25.5	0.170	34.4	0.218	44.1
Rubber, raw, upriver, fine, Para.....	"	0.105	24.2	0.103	23.7	0.185	42.6	0.205	47.2
Rubbers, men's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	per pair	0.686	66.0	0.686	66.6	0.693	67.3	0.719	69.8
Rubbers, women's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	"	0.598		0.598		0.605		0.625	
Rubber tires, balloon, 4-75-19(1).....		7.250	49.3	9.340	51.9	9.220	51.2	10.026	55.7
Rubber tires, balloon, 5-50-17(2).....		11.921	46.0	11.990	47.7	11.822	47.0	13.112	52.2
Tubes, B19(4).....		1.255		1.810		1.832		2.007	
Tubes, C17(2).....		1.836		2.210		2.231		2.457	
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose.....			93.9		82.7		79.6		86.3
Sugar, granulated, Montreal.....	per cwt.	5.557	93.3	4.832	81.1	4.626	77.6	5.006	84.0
Sugar, granulated, Vancouver.....	"	5.392	91.1	4.698	79.4	4.529	76.5	4.846	81.9
Sugar, yellow, No. 1, Montreal.....	"	5.272	94.5	4.547	81.5	4.341	77.8	4.721	84.7
Sugar, yellow, No. 3, Vancouver.....	"	5.023		4.388		4.203		4.516	
Glucose, 44", Beaume.....	"	4.681	118.5	4.404	111.5	4.378	110.8	4.200	113.8
Molasses, Barbados, extra fancy.....	per gallon	0.434	92.5	0.431	91.8	0.414	88.2	0.424	90.3
Sugar, raw, preferential, B.W.I.....	per cwt.	1.973	40.0	1.899	38.5	1.890	38.3	2.235	45.3
Sugar, raw, Vancouver.....	"	2.415	61.2	2.282	57.8	2.259	57.2	2.598	65.8
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.....			71.7		70.7		73.2		79.0
Cocoa beans, green, Estates.....									
Trinidad.....	per pound	0.076	53.0	0.068	47.5	0.113	78.9	0.128	89.3
Cocoa beans, Grenada.....	"	0.066		0.064		0.098		0.112	
Cocoa beans, Jamaica.....	"	0.059		0.060		0.079		0.090	
Cocoa beans, Accra, good, fermented.....	"	0.072	62.8	0.070	61.0	0.089	77.6	0.106	92.4
Chocolate liquor, cheapest grade.....	"	0.110	60.7	0.110	60.7	0.129	71.2	0.178	98.2
Chocolate liquor best grade.....	"	0.170	61.6	0.170	61.6	0.170	61.6	0.208	75.4
Cocoa butter, imported.....	"	0.134	48.4	0.134	48.4	0.182	65.7	0.208	75.4
Coffee, green, Santos, good quality.....	"	0.161	59.8	0.153	56.1	0.147	55.2	0.164	60.2
Coffee, green, Bogota, good quality.....	"	0.208	59.9	0.197	56.7	0.180	51.8	0.183	52.7
Coffee, green, Jamaica, good quality.....	"	0.155	62.0	0.141	56.4	0.128	51.2	0.129	58.5
Coffee, green, Kenya, best.....	"	0.253		0.246		0.250		0.250	
Coffee, green, African, medium.....	"	0.201		0.157		0.148		0.157	
Tea, Pekoe, Ceylon and India.....	"	0.437	82.1	0.440	82.6	0.440	82.2	0.454	85.3
Tea, Japan, choice to medium.....	"	0.450	82.2	0.450	82.2	0.450	82.7	0.456	83.3
Pepper, black.....	"	0.204	56.0	0.179	49.1	0.155	42.2	0.101	32.3

(1) Previous to 1935—4-40-21.

(2) Previous to 1935—5-25-21.



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Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.									
Vegetables.....			45.7		46.0		69.7		64.8
Potatoes.....			33.9		33.4		67.5		54.6
Potatoes, Canada "A", Charlottetown.....	per 90-lb. bag	-564	33.9	-418	25.1	-980	58.9	-705	42.4
Potatoes, Halifax.....	"	-933	39.3	-763	32.1	1 450	61.2	1 171	49.3
Potatoes, Canada "A", Saint John.....	per cwt.	-919	30.9	-753	25.4	1 308 (a)	55.1	-944	39.7
Potatoes, Quebec whites.....	per 80-lb. bag	-701	37.4	-671	35.8	1 229	65.5	-890	47.5
Potatoes, Ontario.....	per 90-lb. bag	-631	23.2	-706	26.0	1 592	58.5	1 145	42.1
Potatoes, Manitoba.....	per cwt.	-612	46.4	-589	45.4	1 157 (b)	97.4	1 197	100.8
Potatoes, Canada "B", Vancouver.....	"	-775	38.5	-729	36.3	1 504	74.8	1 515	75.3
Onions.....			71.7		81.0		71.3		101.5
Onions, Ontario.....	"	1 644	68.5	1 758	72.3	1 405	57.8	2 081	85.6
Onions, British Columbia.....	"	1 643	79.5	2 064	101.7	2 100	103.4	2 834	139.6
Canned Vegetables.....			73.4		72.2		76.2		81.9
Canned corn, 2's, standard, Ontario (3).....	per dozen	-804	69.9	-875	76.1	-919	79.9	-974	84.7
Canned peas, 2's, standard, No. 4 (2).....	"	1 063	82.9	-931	72.6	-852	66.4	-963	75.6
Canned tomatoes, 2½ standard (2).....	"	-883	67.3	-779	62.9	-916	71.6	1 103	89.1
Baked beans, 18 ounce tins.....	"	1 113		1 150		1 188		1 292	
Tobacco.....			41.4		42.6		48.9		54.9
Tobacco, Ontario, burley (1).....	per pound	-090	50.0	-093	51.7	-126	70.0	-119	66.1
Tobacco, light cigarette, high grade.....	"	-275	47.4	-292	50.3				
Tobacco, light pipe.....	"	-214	42.8	-224	44.8				
Tobacco, mahogany pipe.....	"	-160	35.6	-169	37.6				
Tobacco, dark pipe.....	"	-084	24.0	-121	34.6				
Tobacco, dark type, air cured, high grade (1).....	"	-093	33.0	-085	30.4	-080	30.4	-100	38.0
Tobacco, dark type, fired, high grade (1).....	"	-113	37.5	-105	35.0	-130	33.4	-125	32.1
Tobacco, No. 1, Quebec leaf.....	"	-113		-113					
Tobacco, flue cured (2).....	"					-252	50.3	-291	58.8
Tobacco, large pipe (2).....	"					-080	37.1	-081	37.5
Tobacco, small pipe, including aromatic (2).....	"					-150	45.0	-150	45.0
Tobacco, cigar leaf (2).....	"					-105	60.4	-106	61.0
Miscellaneous.....			71.4		67.0		60.1		66.4
Hay, timothy, No. 2, Quebec.....	per ton	12 833	88.8	10 167	70.3	7 583	52.4	8 146	56.3
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Quebec.....	"	11 000	88.3	8 625	69.2	5 917	47.5	6 146	49.3
Hay, timothy, No. 2—good No. 2, Ontario.....	"	16 078	96.6	13 495	81.1	9 896	59.5	10 625	63.8
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Ontario.....	"	14 271	95.5	11 542	77.3	8 396	56.2	8 833	59.1
Hay, alfalfa, Ontario.....	"	16 542	66.7	14 750	59.5	10 792	43.5	13 667	55.1
Hay, Saskatchewan.....	"	12 479	59.1	12 250	56.0	11 333	51.8	12 958	59.3
Hay, Edmonton.....	"	6 167	57.7	9 917	82.9	13 833	77.7	16 500	92.7
Straw, oat, Montreal.....	"	7 478	106.1	5 542	78.6	4 271	60.6	4 396	62.4
Straw, wheat, baled, Toronto.....	"	9 820	94.0	9 375	89.7	5 625	53.9	4 000	38.3
Straw, oat, baled, Toronto.....	"	8 606	84.8	8 563	84.4	5 667	55.0	3 750	37.0
Straw, wheat, Edmonton.....	"	2 875	32.5	3 250	36.8	6 250	70.8	8 000	90.6
Straw, oat, Edmonton.....	"	3 167	30.2	4 375	41.7	7 250	69.0	10 000	95.2
Rosin.....	per barrel	8 133	46.1	8 775	49.7	9 101	51.5	12 254	69.4
Turpentine.....	per gallon	-829	60.7	-804	58.9	-717	52.5	-650	47.6
Starch, laundry.....	per pound	-080	100.0	-083	103.8	-084	105.0	-085	106.3
Vinegar, pure spirit, XXX grade..	per gallon	-272	80.0	-272	80.0	-230	67.6	-248	72.9
Rice, Rangoon "B".....	per cwt.	2 862	66.1	2 791	64.5	2 956	68.3	3 434	79.3
Rice, Japan.....	"	3 353	47.2	3 570	50.3	4 615	65.0	4 725	66.5
Rice, Chinese Paking.....	"	3 392	64.5	3 961	75.3	4 068	77.3	4 365	82.9
Rice, Blue Rose.....	"	5 212		4 720		4 781		5 195	
Tapioca, Singapore, medium pearl.....	per pound	-070	106.2	-070	106.2	-070	105.2	-070	106.2
Tapioca, Penang.....	"	-068	111.7	-068	111.7	-068	111.7	-068	111.7

(1) New source in 1934. (2) New item in 1936. (3) Sales tax included in 1937. (a) Per 80-lb. bag. (b) Per 60-lb. bag.

TABLE III—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1934-1937—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....			67.2		70.4		71.8		78.4
Fishery Products.....			70.9		71.5		72.1		74.2
Dry shore cod fish.....	per quintal	4.489	81.6	4.094	74.4	3.771	68.6	4.458	81.1
Cod, fresh steak, headless(1).....	per pound			.045		.048		.048	
Mackerel, salt, spring(2).....	per barrel	6.583	24.9	7.667	29.0	6.417	24.3	8.031	30.4
Kippered herring.....	box	1.688	84.4	1.500	75.0	1.533	76.7	1.621	81.1
Smoked finnan haddie.....	per pound	.094	104.9	.088	98.2	.090	100.4	.091	101.6
Sole, fresh(1).....	"			.055		.063		.060	
Smoked filets, cod.....	"	.106	81.0	.093	71.1	.095	72.6	.097	74.2
Haddock, fresh.....	"	.051	82.6	.045	76.1	.048	81.1	.051	82.6
Filets of haddock, fresh(1).....	"			.108		.113		.123	
Whitefish (fresh and frozen).....	"	.120	88.1	.119	87.3	.132	96.9	.137	100.5
Halibut, No. 1.....	per cwt.	7.110	47.2	7.075	47.0	8.133	54.0	9.067	60.2
Salmon, canned, sockeye.....	per case	15.169	81.0	14.995	80.1	14.670	78.3	14.480	77.3
Salmon, canned, coho.....	"	8.579	62.8	9.220	67.5	9.738	71.3	10.040	73.4
Salmon, canned, pinks.....	"	5.198	69.3	5.402	72.0	4.947	65.9	4.720	62.9
Salmon, canned, chums.....	"	4.509	72.8	4.226	68.2	3.717	60.0	3.610	58.3
Lobsters, canned.....	"	21.375	71.3	22.583	75.3	24.210	80.7	23.458	78.2
Furs.....			56.9		51.7		59.8		70.4
Beaver.....	per skin	10.852	38.1	9.331	32.7	12.979	42.4	17.351	60.9
Weasel.....	"	.774	36.0	.678	31.6	.853	39.7	1.087	50.6
Red fox.....	"	8.000	55.4	6.850	47.4	7.205	49.9	8.913	61.7
Silver fox.....	"	40.828	53.7	39.048	51.3	33.555	44.2	32.241	42.4
White fox.....	"	24.350	66.7	17.792	48.7	17.750	48.6	24.250	66.4
Marten.....	"	11.900	68.1	11.672	66.8	18.249	104.4	26.200	149.9
Mink.....	"	11.638	67.4	9.750	56.5	15.862	91.9	18.170	105.3
Lynx.....	"	17.938	77.6	25.563	110.5	42.330	183.1	42.300	182.9
Muskrat, spring.....	"	1.158	54.3	1.119	52.5	1.663	78.0	1.678	78.7
Muskrat, fall and winter.....	"	.831	53.0	.885	56.5	1.206	76.9	1.264	80.7
Hides and Skins.....			57.7		69.2		80.4		101.9
Beef hides, country cured.....	per pound	.046	34.6	.063	57.4	.075	56.6	.100	75.2
Packer hides, native steers.....	"	.094	69.8	.122	90.6	.129	96.0	.160	118.8
Packer hides, native cows (1).....	"	.080		.096		.105		.136	
Calf skins, city cured.....	"	.085	28.7	.105	35.5	.125	42.1	.148	50.0
Sheep skins, city cured.....	per skin	.922	79.3	.817	70.2	1.092	93.8	1.342	115.4
Sheep skins, country cured.....	"	.689	131.7	.696	133.1	.954	181.6	1.171	223.9
Leather.....			77.7		79.0		87.1		97.7
Packer Crops, No. I and II(1).....	per pound	.305	79.1	.318	82.4	.363	94.0	.433	112.2
Packer Crops, No. III(1).....	"	.285		.298		.343		.413	
Packer Bends, No. I and II(1).....	"	.336		.360		.413		.473	
Packer Bends, No. III(1).....	"	.309		.328		.391		.453	
Shoulders(1).....	"	.234		.233		.248		.298	
Bellies(1).....	"	.183		.186		.187		.200	
Box sides, B.....	per foot	.206	78.5	.212	80.8	.240	91.4	.253	96.4
Harness leather, No. 1.....	per pound	.358	80.8	.360	81.2	.371	83.7	.400	90.2
Gun metal calf, M No. I.....	per foot	.321	79.4	.312	77.1	.347	85.7	.393	97.2
Boots and Shoes.....			87.3		85.3		88.4		93.7
Women's shoes.....	per pair	1.966	85.6	1.795	81.2	1.817	82.2	1.895	85.7
Men's shoes.....	"	3.549	87.5	3.761	87.3	3.948	91.6	4.225	98.0
Live Stock.....			69.4		79.4		72.5		91.3
Steers, Toronto, over 1,050 lbs.....	per cwt.	5.506	75.1	6.438	87.8	5.539	75.6	7.626	104.0
Steers, Winnipeg, over 1,050 lbs.....	"	4.180	69.8	5.362	89.5	4.063	77.8	6.412	107.0
Calves, good veal, Toronto.....	"	6.609	56.2	7.733	65.7	8.538	72.6	9.237	78.5
Calves, good veal, Winnipeg.....	"	4.973	66.7	5.789	77.6	5.937	79.6	6.620	87.4
Hogs, bacon, Montreal.....	"	8.724	64.4	8.982	66.3	8.969	66.2	9.251	68.3
Hogs, bacon, Toronto.....	"	8.608	64.6	8.973	67.4	8.461	63.5	9.068	68.1
Hogs, bacon, Winnipeg.....	"	7.728	63.5	8.001	65.7	8.130	66.8	8.422	69.2
Lambs, good handyweight, Montreal.....	"	6.985	58.9	7.536	63.6	8.318	70.2	8.841	74.6
Lambs, good handyweight, Toronto.....	"	7.622	58.4	7.706	59.0	9.000	69.0	9.609	73.6
Lambs, good handyweight, Winnipeg.....	"	6.018	56.3	6.355	58.6	7.489	69.0	7.873	72.6

(1) New item. (2) New source in 1934.

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Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$	\$	\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Meats and Poultry.....			67.9		70.6		70.0		77.9
Meats, Fresh.....			65.4		73.8		71.1		85.3
Beef, carcass, good steer, Montreal.....	per pound	.099	71.7	.114	82.6	.102	74.1	.132	95.7
Beef, carcass, good steer, Toronto.....	"	.092	80.0	.103	93.9	.095	83.5	.127	110.4
Beef, carcass, good steer, Winnipeg.....	"	.076	61.2	.084	67.6	.088	70.9	.127	102.3
Beef, carcass, good steer, Vancouver.....	"	.096	75.1	.113	88.4	.108	84.7	.137	107.1
Beef, carcass, good cow, Montreal.....	"	.074	65.3	.081	71.5	.076	66.9	.090	79.4
Beef, carcass, good cow, Toronto.....	"	.063	72.4	.076	87.4	.072	82.8	.092	105.7
Beef, carcass, good cow, Winnipeg.....	"	.047	48.5	.058	59.8	.056	57.8	.082	84.5
Beef, carcass, good cow, Vancouver.....	"	.071	70.4	.075	74.4	.069	68.2	.093	92.3
Veal, good carcass, Montreal.....	"	.098	57.6	.107	62.9	.114	66.9	.127	74.7
Veal, good carcass, Toronto.....	"	.099	50.8	.121	62.1	.134	68.7	.142	72.8
Veal, good carcass, Winnipeg.....	"	.089	56.5	.104	66.0	.107	68.2	.114	72.4
Lamb, good, Montreal.....	"	.145	66.7	.145	66.7	.178	81.6	.172	79.1
Lamb, good, Toronto.....	"	.149	58.8	.152	60.0	.175	69.1	.180	71.1
Lamb, good, Winnipeg.....	"	.138	55.2	.141	56.4	.154	61.6	.162	64.8
Lamb, good, Vancouver.....	"	.154	52.8	.154	52.8	.176	60.3	.178	61.0
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Montreal.....	"	.127	58.2	.131	60.0	.127	58.2	.128	58.6
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Toronto.....	"	.124	60.1	.133	64.5	.129	62.3	.134	65.0
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Winnipeg.....	"	.120	58.5	.127	62.0	.123	60.0	.129	62.9
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Vancouver.....	"	.134	63.2	.140	66.0	.143	67.5	.150	70.7
Pork, carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Toronto.....	"	.132	62.0	.139	65.3	.134	62.7	.145	68.1
Pork, carcass, 115-200 lbs., abattoir, Winnipeg.....	"	.126	61.5	.130	63.4	.126	61.5	.136	66.3
Fowl, dressed.....	"	.118	51.5	.121	52.8	.147	64.1	.172	65.6
			73.7		70.4		69.8		71.8
Meats, Prepared.....									
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.....	per pound	.234	69.0	.227	66.9	.213	62.6	.200	59.0
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.....	"	.267	80.9	.238	71.2	.239	72.3	.242	73.3
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.....	"	.270	75.5	.243	68.0	.240	67.1	.241	67.4
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.....	"	.275	67.4	.243	59.5	.249	61.0	.261	63.9
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.....	"	.211	65.3	.223	69.0	.215	66.6	.220	68.1
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.....	"	.224	70.2	.245	76.8	.244	76.5	.255	79.9
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.....	"	.222	68.8	.247	74.1	.242	74.9	.264	81.9
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.....	"	.218	62.3	.229	65.4	.242	69.1	.243	69.4
Mess pork, barrelled, Montreal.....	per barrel	21.333	53.7	23.583	59.3	23.833	59.9	23.792	59.9
Mess pork, barrelled, Toronto.....	"	25.958	72.9	25.083	70.4	23.625	66.3	26.250	73.7
Mess pork, barrelled, Winnipeg.....	"	28.458	72.0	26.750	67.7	27.750	70.3	28.417	71.9
Mess pork, barrelled, Vancouver.....	"	22.417	47.2	24.167	50.9	27.000	56.8	28.583	60.2
Milk and Its Products.....			64.7		68.2		71.0		87.0
Milk, Charlottetown.....	per gallon	.127	63.5	.158	79.0	.160	80.0	.170	85.0
Milk, Halifax.....	"	.220	90.4	.215	88.3	.215	88.3	.236	97.0
Milk, Saint John.....	"	.200	75.5	.187	70.6	.200	75.5	.212	80.0
Milk, Montreal.....	per cwt.	1.575	66.9	1.697	72.1	1.743	74.0	2.044	86.8
Milk, Quebec.....	per gallon	.150	61.2	.162	66.1	.171	69.8	.200	81.6
Milk, Ottawa.....	per cwt.	1.537	62.7	1.813	74.0	2.050	83.7	2.050	83.7
Milk, Toronto.....	per 8 gallon can	1.551	77.1	1.730	86.0	1.730	86.0	1.806	89.7



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Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
<b>Milk and Its Products—Con.</b>									
Milk, Hamilton.....	per gallon	188	70.9	210	79.2	210	79.2	228	86.0
Milk, Winnipeg.....	per cwt.	1 570	72.6	1 668	77.1	1 695	78.4	1 862	86.1
Milk, Saskatoon.....	per pound	467	74.7	480	76.8	488	78.1	614	98.2
	butter fat								
Milk, Regina.....	per gallon	175	76.1	185	80.4	185	80.4	221	96.1
Milk, Calgary.....	per cwt.	1 883	78.7	1 950	81.5	2 083	87.0	2 350	98.2
Milk, Edmonton.....	"	1 788	76.6	1 850	79.3	1 913	82.0	2 230	95.6
Milk, Vancouver.....	per pound	430	58.0	522	70.5	530	71.5	509	68.7
	butter fat								
Milk, Victoria.....	per gallon	193	82.8	199	85.4	200	86.0	225	96.6
Condensed milk.....	per case	8 100	100.0	8 100	100.0	8 100	100.0	8 100	100.0
Evaporated milk.....	"	3 600	70.6	3 600	70.6	3 600	70.6	3 600	70.6
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Montreal.....	per pound	243	62.3	249	63.8	253	64.9	280	71.8
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Toronto.....	"	247	59.5	251	60.5	257	61.9	285	68.7
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Winnipeg.....	"	232	58.6	235	59.4	247	62.4	272	68.7
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Regina.....	"	238	61.3	253	65.2	254	65.5	284	73.2
Butter, No. 1 creamery, Calgary.....	"	234	61.9	238	62.9	248	65.6	278	73.5
Butter, No. 1 prints, Vancouver <sup>(1)</sup> .....	"	245		253		269		296	
Cheese, new, large, at Montreal.....	"	104	52.8	115	58.3	131	66.5	148	75.1
Cheese, old, large, at Montreal.....	"	154	67.8	150	66.0	161	70.8	181	79.6
Cheese, large, coloured, new, at Toronto.....	"	128	50.4	136	53.5	153	60.2	164	64.6
<b>Oils and Fats</b>									
Lard, Montreal.....	per pound	089	51.4	126	72.8	115	66.2	125	72.3
Lard, Toronto.....	"	106	60.0	142	80.4	130	73.6	141	79.8
Lard, Winnipeg.....	"	106	56.4	139	73.9	124	66.0	137	72.0
Lard, Vancouver.....	"	120	60.8	140	70.9	132	66.8	143	72.4
Tallow.....	"	047	53.4	064	72.7	055	62.5	068	65.6
<b>Eggs</b>									
			60.2		60.5		67.3		63.2
Fresh, Grade A, large, Halifax.....	per dozen	324	68.6	321	68.0	340	72.0	328	69.1
Fresh, Grade A large, Saint John.....	"	309	66.2	311	66.6	330	70.7	319	68.3
Fresh, Grade A large, Montreal.....	"	315	67.7	312	67.1	340	73.1	316	68.6
Fresh, grade A large, Toronto.....	"	297	64.3	293	63.4	317	68.6	294	63.0
Fresh, Grade A large, Winnipeg.....	"	249	59.1	256	60.8	295	70.1	295	70.1
Fresh, Grade A large, Saskatoon.....	"	212	52.2	220	54.2	250	61.6	262	64.6
Fresh, grade A large, Calgary.....	"	232	56.2	274	66.3	274	66.3	285	69.0
Fresh, Grade A large, Vancouver.....	"	262	66.5	252	64.0	292	74.1	278	70.1
Fresh, Grade B, Halifax.....	per dozen	245	57.1	240	55.9	255	59.4	248	57.0
Fresh, Grade B, Saint John.....	"	225	53.3	233	55.2	252	59.7	242	57.0
Fresh, Grade B, Montreal.....	"	227	55.1	238	57.8	265	64.3	252	61.0
Fresh, Grade B, Toronto.....	"	229	56.3	228	56.0	253	62.2	238	58.0
Fresh, Grade B, Winnipeg.....	"	207	54.6	211	55.7	235	62.0	234	61.0
Fresh, Grade B, Saskatoon.....	"	185	50.0	179	48.4	207	55.9	208	56.0
Fresh, Grade B, Calgary.....	"	188	50.3	213	57.0	218	58.3	209	55.0
Fresh, Grade B, Vancouver.....	"	236	65.2	217	59.9	286	79.0	242	66.0
Fresh, Grade C, Halifax.....	per dozen	213	64.0	202	60.7	215	64.6	204	61.0
Fresh, Grade C, Saint John.....	"	192	56.1	203	59.4	227	66.4	201	58.0
Fresh, Grade C, Montreal.....	"	204	60.4	212	62.7	228	70.4	219	64.0
Fresh, Grade C, Toronto.....	"	214	66.7	207	64.5	230	71.7	213	66.0
Fresh, Grade C, Winnipeg.....	"	176	58.5	179	59.5	203	67.4	193	64.0
Fresh, Grade C, Saskatoon.....	"	162	53.8	155	51.5	179	59.5	180	59.0
Fresh, Grade C, Calgary.....	"	151	50.5	177	59.2	189	63.2	173	57.0
Fresh, Grade C, Vancouver.....	"			155	48.3	192	59.8	163	50.0
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS</b>									
			72.9		70.2		69.8		72.0
Raw Cotton			70.4		69.6		71.1		67.0
Raw cotton, upland middling.....	per pound	122	69.8	119	68.0	121	69.4	114	65.0
Raw cotton, middling, 1 <sup>st</sup> to 1-1/16 <sup>th</sup> .....	"	138	71.1	138	71.1	141	72.6	136	70.0
Yarn and Thread			86.9		83.5		83.9		86.0
Cotton thread, 6 cord.....	per gross	10 480	90.0	10 080	86.6	10 150	87.2	10 200	87.0
Cotton yarn, 10's, white, single hosiery cop.....	per pound	303	82.3	296	80.4	295	80.2	311	84.0
Cotton yarn, 24's, hosiery cones <sup>(1)</sup> .....	"	349		338		339		365	
Cotton yarn, 20's, white cop. <sup>(1)</sup> .....	"	333		323		329		354	
Cotton yarns, 30's, white cop. <sup>(1)</sup> .....	"	373		345		350		383	

<sup>(1)</sup> New item. No index comparison possible.

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Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Cotton Fabrics.									
Cottonades, 8 oz. cloth, 2-00 yds. to lb.	per pound		78.7		76.4		72.6		76.9
Denim, black, 2-40 yds. to lb.	"	432	74.2	430	73.8	411	70.6	425	73.0
Denim, blue, 2-40 yds. to lb.	"	418	77.8	400	74.5	404	75.2	422	78.6
Ticking, 2-00 yds. to lb.	"	403	70.7	386	67.7	389	68.1	401	70.4
Shirting, 4-00 yds. to lb.	"	453	74.9	434	71.7	428	70.7	437	72.2
Flannelette, about 5-00 yds. to lb.	"	572	82.9	580	84.1	588	85.2	612	88.7
Dress gingham, 6-50-7-75 yds. to lb.	"	516	67.4	511	66.7	504	65.8	527	68.8
Apron gingham, 4-20 yds to lb.	"	959	88.3	905	83.3	816	75.1	903	83.1
Cotton blankets, 12/4 (3½ lbs. per pr.)	"	695	87.1	704	88.2	704	88.2	720	90.2
Pillow cotton, 42" wide (1)	per yard	502	22.9	495	91.6	482	89.2	496	91.8
Wide cotton duck, 30", No. 1 (1)	"	227		225		222		228	
Bleached flannelette, about 4-50 yds. to lb.	per pound	1-001		996		964		1-016	
Bleached flannelette, about 5-75 yds. to lb.	"	481	67.1	477	66.5	471	65.7	473	66.0
Napped sheeting, 72", unbleached.	"	507	68.9	495	67.3	485	65.9	495	67.3
Grey cotton.	per yard	425	72.8	425	72.8	374	64.0	384	65.8
Bleached cotton.	"	098	76.4	097	75.6	097	75.6	099	77.2
Cotton sheeting, 8/4.	"	094	88.6	094	88.6	095	89.5	096	90.4
Print.	"	229	79.7	227	79.0	224	78.0	231	80.4
Gingham, Canadian, 6-37 yds. to lb.	"	136	96.4	135	95.7	126	89.3	132	91.7
		175	104.1	168	99.9	152	90.4	170	101.1
<b>Knit Cotton Goods</b>									
Men's cotton underwear, Balbriggan.	per dozen pr.		82.0		82.6		82.3		84.0
Men's cotton combinations (1)	"	3-688	82.0	3-675	81.7	3-600	80.0	3-725	82.8
Men's cotton combinations, 34-44 (1)	"	9-250		9-667		9-750		8-742	
		7-296		7-350		7-350		7-350	
<b>Miscellaneous Cotton Products.</b>									
Sash cord, Hercules, No. 8*	per pound	434	109.1	406	102.1	372	93.5	398	92.6
<b>Miscellaneous Fibres and Their Products</b>									
Linen thread, 3 cord, best quality.	per dozen		51.5		50.9		46.3		49.8
Raw jute, first marks.	per cwt.	960	97.1	1-023	103.4	1-015	102.6	960	97.1
Hessian, 10½ oz., 40" wide.	per 100 yds.	4-271	54.7	4-333	55.5	4-625	59.2	4-833	61.9
Manila hemp, "I", 12½ p.c. fair current.	per pound	6-146	54.3	5-604	49.5	5-058	44.7	4-913	43.4
Mexican sisal.	"	038	25.7	059	39.9	086	57.9	104	70.3
Binder twine, sisal, 500 feet.	"	036	40.1	047	45.7	063	69.6	058	64.6
Rope, Manila.	"	075	56.9	064	48.6	072	54.2	076	57.7
Linen huck towelling, 18" (1)	per yard	144	52.9	152	55.9	185	68.0	221	75.2
Jute Bags, No. 98 (1)	per 1000 bags	395		393		420		470	
		104-354		104-625		91-958		99-833	
Burlaps bags, No. 100 (1)		101-771		100-750		85-292		89-417	
<b>Raw Silk.</b>									
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c. 13/15 denier (1)	per pound		21.0		27.0		28.8		30.3
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 13/15 denier (1)	"	1-536		1-904		1-897		2-106	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 13/15 denier (1)	"	1-418		1-812		1-851		2-018	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 13/15 denier (1)	"	1-362		1-746		1-821		1-930	
Silk, raw, XX, 73 p.c., 13/15 denier (1)	"	1-325		1-700		1-789		1-886	
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c., 20/22 denier (1)	"	1-297		1-677		1-759		1-857	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 20/22 denier (1)	"	1-313		1-701		1-825		1-892	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 20/22 denier (1)	"	1-286		1-671		1-786		1-825	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 20/22 denier (1)	"	1-264		1-649		1-758		1-801	
		1-245		1-631		1-743		1-788	

(1) New item. No index comparison possible.

\* New basis of quoting in 1934.

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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Silk Thread and Yarn			63.9		63.9		62.3		64.0
Silk spool, 50 yds., letter "A".....	per dozen	600	66.7	600	66.7	605	67.2	610	67.8
Silk machine twist, 16 oz.....	per pound	9.500	63.7	9.500	63.7	9.250	62.0	9.513	63.8
Silk Hosiery			65.9		65.8		65.8		65.3
Hosiery, men's, pure silk.....	per dozen	5.888	76.0	5.758	74.3	5.883	75.9	5.900	76.1
Hosiery, women's pure silk.....	"	5.921	61.3	6.025	62.4	5.913	61.2	5.800	60.0
Silk Fabrics			49.4		46.3		45.5		47.0
Crepe de Chine (1).....	per yard	456	64.4	440	62.1	458	64.7	467	66.0
Flat crepe (1).....	"	729	42.9	700	41.2	521	30.6	538	31.6
Georgette, 3 thread (1).....	"	679	51.5	658	49.9	635	48.2	660	50.1
Faille (1).....	"	1.017	49.6	888	43.3	900	43.9	929	45.3
Artificial Silk and Its Products.....			56.1		50.5		46.2		43.5
Rayon yarn, 150 deniers.....	per pound	763	50.0	713	46.8				
Rayon yarn, 100 deniers (1).....	"	888		813					
Rayon yarn, 150 deniers, weaving	"	671	44.0	600	39.3	580	33.0	570	37.4
Rayon yarn, 100 deniers, bright	"	808		725		708		700	
weaving (1).....	"								
Hosiery, women's, artificial silk (2)	per dozen	4.220	70.3	2.500	62.5	2.350	58.8	2.214	51.3
Raw Wool			61.3		50.4		68.1		89.3
Raw wool, eastern bright, 1/2 blood.	per pound	181	59.2	153	50.0	208	68.0	292	95.4
Raw wool, western domestic,	"	190	64.1	151	50.9	204	68.8	258	87.0
semi-bright, 1/2 blood.....	"								
Raw wool, western domestic,	"	199	63.0	160	50.7	214	67.8	251	79.5
semi-bright, 1/2 blood.....	"								
Yarns, Wool			88.5		82.2		85.1		91.0
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36,	per pound	1.002	90.7	968	87.6	1.011	91.5	1.076	97.4
50's.....	"								
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36,	"	1.099	91.2	1.067	88.5	1.113	92.4	1.177	97.7
58's.....	"								
Worsted cloth yarn, 2/24, 58's (1)...	"	1.006		915		960		1.025	
Worsted cloth yarn, 2/24, 60's (1)...	"	1.069		956		993		1.045	
Worsted cloth yarn, fine, 2/45, 64's	"	1.217	79.2	1.121	72.9	1.161	75.6	1.206	78.5
Worsted cloth yarn, 4 ply, 8's, 46's	"	833	101.5	750	91.4	746	90.9	867	105.6
Hosiery and Knit Goods.....			91.3		87.1		86.8		89.0
Hosiery, men's woollen	per dozen	3.229	97.6	3.017	91.2	2.988	90.4	3.229	97.6
Men's cashmere half hose (1).....	dozen pair	4.750		4.150		4.150		4.167	
Knitted woollen underwear, men's	per dozen	15.454	88.6	14.917	85.5	14.954	86.7	15.550	89.1
Men's woollen combinations (4).....	"	32.000		31.167		31.000		14.633	
Men's woollen shirts and drawers	"	20.000		20.000		20.000		11.033	
(4).....	"								
Wool Blankets.....	per pound	816	83.3	750	76.5	797	81.3	1.073	101.4
Cloth.....			79.6		72.9		78.3		83.3
Woollen cloth, fine grade (3).....	per yard	2.063	77.8	1.529	70.7	1.696	78.4	1.750	80.9
Woollen cloth, coarse grade, 46's	"								
top (3).....	"	1.383	92.7	1.013	88.2	1.088	90.4	1.300	108.2
Serge, botany, 64's top, 16-17 oz.....	"	1.915	75.3	1.702	67.0	1.850	72.8	2.008	79.0
Serge, botany, 64's top, 13-14 oz.....	"	1.642	81.7	1.531	76.2	1.671	83.2	1.808	90.0
Flannel, white, 32" per yard (1).....	"	621		650		650		650	
Suiting, fancy, worsted, 13 oz. (1).....	"	1.983		1.721		1.846		1.900	
Carpets.....			88.5		92.5		90.6		95.0
Carpets, Wilton, 9' x 12' (2).....		38.513	88.8	40.300	92.9	38.933	89.7	41.593	95.9
Carpets, Axminster, 9' x 12'.....		24.700	88.6	25.760	92.4	25.760	92.4	24.014	94.0
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....</b>			65.4		64.6		68.5		76.7
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....			53.9		54.0		55.4		58.1
Newsprint paper rolls.....	cwt.	1.660	51.1	1.660	51.1	1.711	52.6	1.805	55.5
Paper, Manila, No. 1.....	"	5.363	82.3	5.400	82.9	5.400	82.9	5.471	84.0

(1) New item. No index comparison possible.  
(4) New grade in 1937.

(2) New price series in 1934.

(3) New grade.



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Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—</b>									
<i>Con.</i>									
Lumber and Timber.....			78.6		77.8		86.3		98.1
Canadian white pine.....			87.2		88.5		91.3		101.7
"C" selects and better, 1" thick.....	per M feet board measure								
No. 1 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 10'/16'.....	"	79.583	69.2	80.000	69.6	80.000	69.6	86.917	75.6
No. 2 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 10'/16'.....	"	89.583		92.500		95.833		108.750	
No. 1 and 2 common, 1 x 8-8'/16'.....	"	66.583		69.500		75.333		87.083	
No. 3 common, 1 x 8-6'/16'.....	"	44.750		45.000		45.000		47.750	
No. 4 common, 1 x 8-6'/16'.....	"	31.917		30.500		32.167		37.500	
No. 4 common, 1 x 4/9-6'/16'.....	"	26.583		27.000		27.167		31.500	
No. 5 common, 1 x 4/9-6'/16'.....	"	22.667		23.000		23.833		27.500	
No. 6 common, 1 x 4 and up, 6'/16'.....	"	14.750		16.833		19.083		22.750	
Lath, No. 1.....	per M	4.750	47.3	5.354	53.3	6.958	69.3	8.167	81.3
<b>Spruce</b>									
Quebec spruce deals, 2" x 4", 8'/16'.....	per M feet board measure		74.2		70.6		79.7		97.1
Quebec spruce lumber, 3" x 8", 8'/16'.....	"	25.545	82.6	26.583	86.0	25.792	90.1	33.875	118.4
Lath, spruce, Quebec, 1 1/2" x 4'.....	per M	3.750	56.2	3.750	56.2	4.146	62.2	5.500	82.4
Lath, Maritime, No. 1, 1 1/2" x 4'.....	"	2.250	44.3	2.250	44.3	2.958	58.3	3.375	66.5
Merchantable sawn spruce deals, 3" x 3" and up.....	per M feet board measure								
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 3" to 2" x 6'.....	"	18.208	83.2	15.083	69.0	18.792	85.9	22.083	101.0
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 7'.....	"	13.833	62.9	12.042	54.7	14.250	64.8	17.375	79.0
	"	16.354	72.7	14.542	60.6	16.750	69.8	19.875	82.8
<b>Hardwoods</b>									
Maple, hard, 4/4" f.a.s.....	per M feet board measure		71.2		75.3		77.3		87.0
Maple, soft, C. and B.....	"	54.000	64.1	60.000	71.2	61.250	72.7	69.583	82.6
Oak, red, plain, f.a.s.....	"	40.000	80.0	40.000	80.0	41.250	82.5	47.750	95.5
Birch, C. and B.....	"	75.000	67.9	75.000	67.9	75.750	68.6	84.417	76.5
	"	47.333	77.4	51.083	83.5	53.000	86.7	59.667	97.6
<b>Hemlock</b>									
Hemlock, 2" mill run.....	per M feet board measure		72.4		74.9		75.8		83.3
Hemlock, 2" culls.....	"	18.292	73.2	18.958	75.8	19.000	76.0	20.792	83.2
	"	12.000	63.7	12.083	64.2	13.917	73.9	15.917	84.5
<b>Fir</b>									
No. 1 common fir timber, 3' x 4' to 4' x 12', 12'-40'.....	per M feet board measure		85.2		78.4		92.4		101.4
No. 1 common fir timber, 6" x 6" to 12" x 12', 12'-40'.....	"	17.250	100.0	15.292	88.6	17.167	99.5	19.250	111.6
Clear fir, No. 1 and 2, D4S, 1 x 6 Drop siding, 1" x 6", No. 2 and better.....	"	17.333	96.5	15.292	85.2	17.167	95.6	19.250	107.2
Flooring, fir, 1" x 4", No. 1 and 2 f.g.....	"	49.292		43.854		49.354		51.417	
Clear fir casing, No. 1 and 2, 1 x 5.....	"	25.000	86.2	24.667	85.1	28.167	97.1	28.167	97.1
No. 1 common fir dimension, 2" x 4' 12'-14'.....	"	14.500	55.8	15.125	58.2	22.208	85.4	27.021	103.9
	"	53.729		50.021		59.646		63.750	
	"	13.000	87.4	12.042	81.0	14.958	100.6	17.250	116.0
<b>B.C. Cedar</b>									
No. 1 common cedar boards, 1" x 8"-10'.....	per M feet board measure		69.0		77.3		91.6		101.3
No. 1 common cedar shiplap, 1 x 8. Bevel siding, 1/2" x 6'.....	"	15.083	85.6	14.833	84.2	16.833	95.6	19.250	109.2
Clear cedar bungalow siding, 1/2" x 10-8" x 18'.....	"	24.460		25.125		29.146		31.854	
Shingles, XXX, 3 x 6/2, clear.....	per M	28.833	88.0	26.750	81.7	29.833	91.1	32.250	98.5
	"	53.792		52.896		57.625		66.417	
	"	2.013	63.4	2.429	76.5	2.960	93.2	3.250	102.4

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Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—</b>									
<i>Con.</i>									
Pulp.....			70.9		66.9		68.3		84.6
Sulphite pulp, unbleached, news-grade*	per ton	38.863	72.6	37.597	70.3	36.361	70.3	44.789	86.6
Sulphite pulp, bleached.....	"	55.000	68.8	53.500	66.9	53.000	66.3	65.625	82.0
Groundwood pulp, No. 1.....	"	20.896	70.4	19.154	64.6	20.098	67.7	24.980	84.2
Furniture (composite).....			65.7		66.8		69.5		82.0
Matches, silent 3's, non-poisonous(1).....	per case	10.540	76.2	8.680	76.2	8.810	77.4	8.875	77.9
<b>IRON AND IRON PRODUCTS.....</b>									
Pig iron and Steel Billets.....			87.0		87.2		88.0		101.8
Pig iron, No. 1 foundry.....	per gross ton	20.458	80.4	20.500	80.6	20.583	80.9	24.917	97.9
Pig iron, malleable(2).....	"	19.000	83.2	19.000	83.2	19.083	83.6	23.250	90.5
Steel billets, mild, 4 x 4 and larger (2).....	"	34.000	89.5	34.000	89.5	34.167	89.9	41.167	108.3
<b>Rolling Mill Products.....</b>									
Steel bars, structural grade.....	per cwt.	2.150	91.5	2.150	91.5	2.163	92.0	2.558	108.9
Merchant bars, mild steel.....	"	2.250	91.8	2.250	91.8	2.263	92.4	2.658	108.5
Steel rails, open hearth.....	per gross ton	43.333	90.7	43.000	90.0	43.167	90.3	46.667	97.6
Steel tank plates.....	per cwt.	1.758	92.5	1.810	95.3	1.858	97.8	2.216	116.6
Light cold rolled sheets, No. 20, U.S.G.(2).....	"	2.888	67.2	2.966	69.0	3.019	70.3	3.500	81.5
Structural shapes, open hearth.....	"	2.000	93.0	2.000	93.0	2.013	93.6	2.488	101.6
Steel sheets, galvanized, No. 24, U.S.G.....	"	3.808	77.5	4.008	81.6	4.158	84.6	5.292	107.7
Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 24, U.S.G.....	"	3.383	87.4	3.388	87.5	3.542	91.5	4.604	118.9
Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 10, U.S.G.....	"	3.150	84.9	3.233	87.1	3.275	88.3	4.175	112.5
Iron boiler plate, 1/2"(3).....	per pound net	.036		.034		.033		.039	
Galvanized corrugated iron sheets, No. 28 gauge.....	per 100 square ft.	4.758		4.850		5.063		6.188	
Steel sheets, black, No. 10 gauge.....	per cwt.	3.375		3.400		3.463		4.396	
Open hearth steel tank plates, quality, 1/2" to 1" thick.....	"	3.150		3.150		3.158		3.875	
Tin plate, standard coke (4).....	per box	5.825	105.6	6.079	110.2	6.100	110.6	7.188	130.4
<b>Pipe.....</b>									
Pipe, cast iron 4".....	per ton	48.000	87.3	48.000	87.3	49.750	90.5	55.667	101.2
Steel pipe, butt welded, black, 1".....	per foot	.073	89.6	.069	84.6	.068	83.3	.079	96.8
<b>Hardware.....</b>									
Tools and hand implements.....			87.3		87.5		86.3		90.0
Hammers, plain face.....	per dozen	10.720	79.4	10.720	79.4	10.720	79.4	10.260	76.0
Axes, chopping.....	"	12.093	80.6	12.010	80.1	12.010	80.1	12.254	81.7
Shovels and spades, plain back.....	"	11.292	80.5	11.500	88.1	11.500	88.1	12.125	92.9
<b>Other Hardware.....</b>									
Wash tubs, No. 1.....	per dozen	10.820	84.7	10.820	84.7	10.990	86.1	13.187	103.3
Pails, No. 12.....	"	3.520	77.5	3.520	77.5	3.574	78.6	4.293	94.6
Boilers, range, 30 gallon.....	each	7.433	78.3	7.650	80.6	7.638	80.6	9.117	96.1
Chain, 3" bright coil.....	per cwt.	8.550	96.6	8.550	96.6	8.550	96.6	10.283	116.2
Machine bolts, 1/2" diameter, 6" long (3).....	"	4.200		4.200		4.200		3.290	
Square nuts, hot pressed and forged (3).....	"	10.400		10.400		10.400		11.025	
Wire cloth, painted screen.....	per 100 square feet	1.900	93.3	1.850	90.8	1.850	90.8	2.061	93.7
Wire nails, base(7).....	per keg	2.800	86.0	2.800	86.0	2.713	83.4	3.353	95.4
Screws, wood, No. 6.....	per gross	.173	92.5	.171	91.4	.160	85.6	.207	110.7
Steel thumb latches, No. 2.....	per dozen	1.245	78.8	1.267	80.2	1.192	75.4	1.328	84.1
Bright steel safety hasps.....	"	.663	79.9	.636	76.6	.644	77.6	.657	79.2
Flat barn door track.....	per 100 ft.	7.924	94.9	8.056	96.5	8.157	97.7	8.937	107.0
Screen door hinges, No. 20.....	per gross	12.720	86.5	12.720	86.5	11.804	80.3	12.060	82.0
<b>Wire.....</b>									
Wire, barbed, galvanized.....	per cwt.	3.733	86.8	3.750	87.2	3.754	87.3	4.092	95.2
Wire, galvanized, No. 9.....	"	3.450	83.1	3.450	83.1	3.479	83.8	4.117	99.2
Wire, annealed, No. 9.....	"	3.500	89.7	3.500	89.7	3.513	90.1	3.942	101.1

(1) Previous to 1935—4's. (2) Previous to 1934—Automobile Body Plates No. 20. (3) New item in 1934.  
 (4) Previous to 1934—per box (100 pounds). \*New basis of quoting in 1936. (5) Standard 2.25 silicon in 1937.  
 (6) 6 x 6 to 9 x 9 in 1937. (7) Sales tax included in 1937.

TABLE III—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1934-1937—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Con.									
Scrap Iron and Steel.....			55.6		56.5		62.2		82.8
Steel scrap, heavy melting, charging box size.....	per gross ton	9.208	63.4	9.583	66.0	10.938	75.3	14.083	97.0
Steel scrap, heavy melting, over charging box size.....	"	7.458	57.5	7.500	57.8	8.354	64.4	11.563	89.1
Scrap, turnings and borings.....		6.375	51.7	6.417	52.0	6.500	52.7	6.333	51.4
Scrap, No. 1, machinery cast iron.....	per net ton	9.833	51.3	9.917	51.7	10.375	54.1	14.375	75.0
Scrap, No. 2, machinery cast iron.....	"	7.125	41.9	6.958	40.9	7.375	43.4	11.250	66.2
Miscellaneous									
Car axles.....	per ton	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0	76.000	95.0	84.333	105.4
NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....									
Aluminium and Its Products.....			64.3		69.1		70.0		83.8
Aluminium sheet.....	per pound	.270	80.4	.270	78.5	.280	81.6	.308	92.0
Aluminium, virgin, 98-99 p.c.....	"	.214	79.1	.207	76.5	.210	79.5	.239	90.5
Antimony, Chinese, 99 p.c.....	per cwt.	8.625	51.0	14.521	85.8	13.563	80.1	15.625	92.3
Copper, Brass, and Their Products.....			57.6		59.9		68.3		92.8
Copper, electrolytic, domestic.....	per cwt.	8.220	52.1	8.488	53.8	10.070	63.9	13.886	88.1
Copper sheets.....	per pound	.164	80.8	.177	87.2	.196	96.6	.251	123.6
Electrolytic copper wire bars.....	per cwt.	8.578	61.3	8.904	63.6	9.714	69.4	13.363	95.5
Copper wire, solid bare.....	per pound	.130	67.2	.135	69.8	.153	79.1	.196	101.3
Brass sheets, yellow.....	"	.157	75.4	.168	80.7	.184	88.4	.222	106.7
Brass valves.....	each	1.428	90.2	1.475	93.1	1.461	92.2	2.021	127.6
Lead and Its Products.....			42.8		48.9		57.5		72.2
Lead, domestic.....	per cwt.	3.409	41.8	3.925	48.1	4.642	56.9	5.799	71.1
Lead pipe.....	per pound	.113	75.0	.111	73.6	.116	76.7	.163	108.1
Silver.....	per ounce	.474	76.5	.643	103.7	.450	72.6	.449	72.4
Total Tin.....			81.3		78.8		73.4		85.2
Tin ingots, 99-25 p.c.....	per pound	.555		.537		.498		.585	
Tin ingots, straits.....	"	.569	85.0	.555	82.9	.625	78.5	.583	87.1
Zinc and Its Products.....			46.1		45.3		47.1		63.5
Zinc, domestic.....	per cwt.	4.059	46.0	3.992	45.2	4.153	47.1	5.593	63.4
Zinc sheets.....	per pound	.055	65.5	.053	63.1	.052	62.1	.071	84.5
Solder, 50-50.....	"	.318	81.9	.308	79.3	.306	78.8	.348	89.6
NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.....									
Clay and Allied Material Products.....			95.7		88.4		88.0		87.9
Brick, soft mud process, common.....	per M	19.000	106.4	19.000	106.4	19.000	106.4	19.000	106.4
Brick, stiff mud process, wire cut.....	"	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5	25.000	103.5
Brick, stiff mud process, No. 1.....	"	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8	22.500	97.8
Brick, common plastic.....	"	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1
Brick, dry press, No. 1, Quebec.....	"	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6
Brick dry press face, Toronto.....	"	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2
Brick, sand-lime.....	"	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7
Hollow blocks, building tile.....	"	92.500	83.3	90.000	81.1	82.500	74.3	81.667	73.6
Stucco, mixing plant.....	per ton	11.950		11.950		12.833		13.000	
Sewer pipe, vitrified, 6".....	per foot	.224		.150		.150		.150	
Pottery.....			87.7		88.2		90.9		94.6
Cups and saucers, No. 1.....	per dozen	1.100	81.5	1.100	81.5	1.150	85.2	1.200	88.9
Dinner sets, printed.....	per set	14.250	103.5	14.500	105.3	14.500	105.3	15.000	109.0
Coal.....			90.0		91.0		91.5		92.0
Coal, U.S. anthracite, egg (1).....	per ton	12.117	89.4	11.753	86.7	10.542	87.1	9.965	82.3
Coal, U.S. bituminous, run of mine.....	"	5.733	92.6	5.858	94.6	5.917	95.5	6.167	98.0
Coal, U.S. bituminous, slack.....	"	5.125	87.1	5.250	89.3	5.217	88.7	5.400	91.8
Coal, bituminous, run of mine, N.S. Coal, Welsh anthracite, No. 1 buckwheat.....	per ton	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3	5.250	86.3
Coal, Welsh cobbles.....	"	8.883		9.075		8.367		8.450	
Coal, western domestic double screened, lump, Drumheller.....	"	12.750		12.125		10.792		11.021	
Coal, western domestic, screened, lump, Lethbridge.....	"	3.513	72.3	3.625	74.6	3.729	76.8	3.554	73.2
Coal, western domestic, screened, lump, Lethbridge.....	"	4.250	78.2	4.150	76.3	4.117	75.7	4.250	78.2

(1) Previous to 1936 per gross ton.



TABLE III—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1934-1937—Continued

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.									
Coal—Con.									
Coal, western domestic, screened, lump, Edmonton.....	per ton	2-783	77-7	2-900	80-9	3-054	85-2	3-167	88-4
Coal, domestic, run of mine, B.C.....	"	3-500	82-0	3-792	88-8	3-708	86-8	3-625	84-9
Coal, domestic, slack, B.C.....	"	3-000	81-3	2-771	75-1	2-727	73-9	2-625	71-1
Coal, house lump, B.C.....	per gross ton	7-155	85-2	7-228	86-0	7-250	86-3	7-250	86-3
Coal, washed slack, B.C.....	"	3-401	82-9	3-990	97-2	4-500	109-6	4-500	109-6
Coal tar, crude.....	per barrel	10-230	107-7	10-273	108-1	10-615	111-7	8-833	93-0
Coke									
Coke.....			93-4		93-1		94-5		111-0
Coke, by-product, N.S.....	per ton	5-708	84-6	6-000	88-9	6-000	83-9	6-292	93-3
Coke, metallurgical, Ont.....	"	7-000	96-6	7-000	96-6	7-125	98-3	8-500	117-2
Coke, by-product, Ont.....	"	7-000	93-3	7-000	93-3	7-125	95-0	8-500	113-3
Coke, metallurgical, B.C.....	"	6-000	81-1	5-729	77-4	5-500	74-3	5-500	74-3
Coke, for domestic use, B.C.....	"	7-542	90-9	7-250	87-3	7-250	87-3	7-250	87-3
Manufactured gas.....	per 10,000 feet	12-154	98-0	12-154	98-0	12-154	98-0	12-362	99-7
Glass and Its Products									
Window glass.....			83-2		80-1		77-1		84-3
Window glass, 16 oz. 40 U.I.....	per box	4-464	96-3	3-921	84-6	3-810	82-2	4-836	104-3
Window glass, 21 oz. 60 U.I.....	"	9-792	114-0	8-601	100-2	8-357	97-3	10-608	123-5
Plate Glass.....			66-0		66-0		62-2		64-5
Plate glass, 3'-4', super.....	per square foot	525	59-1	525	59-1	546	61-4	646	72-7
Plate glass, 10'-12', super.....	"	800	61-8	800	61-8	747	57-7	766	59-2
Plate glass, 25'-50', super.....	"	1-006	71-0	1-006	71-0	929	65-5	934	65-9
Tumblers.....	per gross	4-408	96-9	4-450	97-8	4-383	96-3	4-310	94-7
Petroleum Products									
Crude Oil.....			76-3		74-9		73-4		74-1
Crude oil, mid-continent.....	per barrel	2-725	70-6	2-715	70-4	2-804	72-7	2-928	75-9
Crude oil, Salt Creek.....	"	2-946	73-7	2-968	74-2	2-963	74-1	2-961	74-0
Gasoline									
Halifax.....	per gallon	186	65-8	180	63-7	168	59-5	160	56-6
Montreal.....	"	180	71-3	161	63-8	131	51-9	140	55-4
Toronto.....	"	163	64-6	158	62-6	149	59-0	159	63-0
Winnipeg.....	"	217	76-4	217	76-4	217	76-4	210	73-9
Regina.....	"	230	71-9	230	71-9	230	71-9	224	70-0
Calgary.....	"	225	76-9	225	76-9	222	75-8	205	70-0
Vancouver (1).....	"	208	94-5	195	88-6	178	90-2	156	79-3
Coal oil									
Halifax.....	per gallon	209	78-6	195	77-8	193	78-6	185	78-2
Montreal.....	"	170	74-6	170	74-6	175	76-8	175	76-8
Toronto.....	"	175	76-8	173	75-9	170	74-6	170	74-6
Winnipeg.....	"	202	80-0	202	80-0	207	82-0	207	82-0
Regina.....	"	215	76-8	215	76-8	220	78-6	220	78-6
Calgary.....	"	210	79-8	210	79-8	215	81-7	214	81-4
Vancouver.....	"	240	104-3	240	104-3	235	102-2	230	100-0
Fuel oil, Toronto.....	"	080	84-9	080	84-9	081	86-0	084	89-2
Lubricating oil, Toronto.....	"	293	93-0	296	94-0	303	96-2	303	96-2
Asphalt									
Asphalt, Montreal.....	per ton	14-300	95-3	14-800	98-7	14-800	98-7	14-667	97-8
Asphalt, Toronto.....	"	17-600	83-8	18-100	86-2	18-100	86-2	18-033	85-9
Salt									
Salt, vacuum, fine.....	per barrel	1-750	125-0	1-550	110-7	1-357	96-9	1-310	93-6
Salt, vacuum, coarse.....	"	2-270	113-0	1-897	94-5	1-597	79-5	1-540	76-7
Salt, dairy.....	"	3-120	104-0	2-780	92-7	2-437	81-2	2-350	78-3
Salt, table.....	per barrel of 80 bags	4-160	111-5	3-240	86-9	2-840	76-1	2-740	73-5
Sulphur.....	per gross ton	21-729	92-5	22-220	94-6	22-086	94-0	22-631	96-3
Plaster									
Hard wall plaster, neat, N.B.....	per ton	9-592	101-0	10-350	108-9	10-558	111-1	10-600	111-6
Hard wall plaster, neat, Ontario.....	"	11-950	106-2	11-950	106-2	12-833	114-1	13-000	115-6
Plaster of Paris.....	per barrel	5-000	105-3	5-000	105-3	5-000	105-3	5-500	115-8

(1) New basis in 1936.

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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Lime.....			102.1		99.7		104.5		108.2
Quick lime, high calcium, Quebec.....	per ton	6 000	78.4	6 000	78.4	6 000	78.4	6 000	78.4
Quick lime, grey, Ontario.....	"	8 500	106.3	7 500	93.8	8 833	106.3	10 000	125.0
Hydrated lime, Quebec.....	"	8 000	92.7	8 000	92.7	8 000	92.7	8 000	92.7
Hydrated lime, Ontario.....	"	13 250	106.0	13 250	106.0	13 583	108.7	13 750	110.0
Cement.....			105.2		105.2		105.8		106.2
Portland cement, Montreal.....	per barrel	1 700	114.0	1 700	114.0	1 700	114.0	1 700	114.0
Portland cement, Toronto.....	"	2 100	107.5	2 100	107.5	2 120	108.6	2 130	109.1
Portland cement, Winnipeg.....	"	2 680	87.9	2 680	87.9	2 707	88.8	2 720	89.2
Portland cement, Regina.....	"	3 350	90.5	3 350	90.5	3 377	91.3	3 390	91.6
Portland cement, Vancouver.....	"	2 491	84.7	2 491	84.7	2 522	85.8	2 538	86.3
Sand and Gravel.....			91.2		88.0		91.4		91.5
Sand, concrete, Montreal.....	per ton	1 250	111.1	1 150	102.2	1 150	102.2	1 150	102.2
Sand, concrete, Toronto.....	"	1 000	74.1	1 000	74.1	1 000	74.1	1 000	74.1
Sand, concrete, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1 150	100.0	1 150	100.0	1 150	100.0	1 063	92.4
Sand, concrete, Vancouver.....	"	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9
Gravel, pit run, Montreal.....	per ton	1 000	80.0	1 000	80.0	1 000	80.0	1 083	86.6
Gravel, pit run, Toronto.....	"	1 632	93.3	1 563	89.3	1 850	105.7	1 850	105.7
Gravel, pit run, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1 150	100.0	1 150	100.0	1 150	100.0	1 063	92.4
Gravel, pit run, Vancouver.....	"	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9
Crushed Stone.....			81.8		73.4		83.6		85.8
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Montreal.....	per ton	600	42.9	613	43.8	646	46.1	750	53.6
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Toronto.....	"	1 829	98.9	1 588	85.8	1 850	100.0	1 850	100.0
Crushed stone, 1" to 2", Vancouver.....	per cubic yard	1 130	90.4	1 130	90.4	1 130	90.4	1 130	90.4
Building Stone.....			64.7		64.3		64.3		64.3
Stanstead granite, base stock blocks.....	per cubic foot	750	75.0	750	75.0	750	75.0	750	75.0
Stanstead granite, die stock blocks.....	"	1 250	83.3	1 021	68.1	1 000	66.7	1 000	66.7
Dolomite, silver grey, rough blocks.....	"	800	64.0	800	64.0	800	64.0	800	64.0
Asbestos and Its Products <sup>(1)</sup> .....			77.6		77.6		75.8		75.8
Asbestos, crude, No. 1.....	per ton	450 000	89.3	500 000	99.2	545 833	108.3	550 000	109.1
Asbestos, crude, No. 2.....	"	200 000	69.1	200 000	69.1	200 000	69.1	200 000	69.1
Spinning stocks.....	"	120 000	64.9	120 000	64.9	120 000	64.9	120 000	64.9
Shingle stock.....	"	60 000	92.3	60 000	92.3	60 000	92.3	60 000	92.3
Mill board and paper stocks.....	"	32 500	72.2	32 500	72.2	32 500	72.2	32 500	72.2
Fillers, floats and other short fibre.....	"	12 000	80.0	12 000	80.0	12 000	80.0	12 000	80.0
Asbestos, pipe covering, 3 ply <sup>(2)</sup> .....	per foot	551	91.4	558	92.5	543	90.0	543	90.0
Asbestos, mill board <sup>(3)</sup> .....	per cwt.	9 000	116.1	8 667	111.8	8 500	109.7	8 500	109.7
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.</b>									
			81.2		79.1		78.0		81.4
Inorganic Chemicals.....			89.5		87.9		88.6		87.6
Ammonia, anhydrous.....	per pound	165	101.5	165	101.5	165	101.5	155	95.4
Arsenious oxide (white arsenic).....	"	935	108.0	933	101.9	933	101.9	933	101.9
Nitric acid, 36°.....	per cwt.	7 750	96.9	7 750	96.9	7 750	96.9	7 750	96.9
Hydrochloric acid (muriatic), 18°.....	per ton	25 000	104.2	25 000	104.2	23 167	96.5	23 000	95.8
Sodium sulphate (Glauber's salt).....	per cwt.	817	81.7	800	80.0	800	80.0	800	80.0
Sodium bicarbonate, 99.8 p.c. pure.....	"	3 000	122.4	3 000	122.4	3 000	122.4	3 000	122.4
Bleaching powder, 35 p.c. available chlorine.....	"	1 750	102.2	1 750	102.2	1 750	102.2	1 900	110.9
Soda ash, 58 p.c. light.....	"	1 680	89.7	1 630	87.0	1 605	85.7	1 605	85.7
Caustic soda, 76-77 p.c.....	"	3 350	93.5	3 238	90.4	3 150	87.9	3 000	83.8
Calcium carbide.....	per ton	87 000	100.2	87 000	100.2	83 500	96.2	78 198	90.1
Grey acetate of lime.....	per cwt.	3 333	102.6	3 333	102.6	3 375	103.8	3 000	92.3
Alum, lump.....	"	2 116	97.1	2 040	93.6	2 062	94.6	2 064	94.7
Borax, commercial.....	"	3 500	69.1	3 600	71.1	3 700	73.1	3 758	74.2
Copper sulphate (blue vitriol) crystals.....	"	3 693	74.9	3 631	73.6	3 972	80.5	5 035	102.1
Magnesium sulphate (Epsom salts).....	per ton	25 000	100.0	25 000	100.0	34 583	138.3	48 333	135.3
Sulphuric acid, 66° Baumé.....	"	16 000	114.3	16 000	114.3	16 000	114.3	16 000	114.3
Chlorine, liquid <sup>(3)</sup> .....	per pound	0.093	100.0	0.093	100.0	0.093	100.0	0.075	100.0
Sodium cyanide, 98-99 p.c.....	"	153	75.7	147	72.8	155	76.7	159	78.7
Sodium bichromate.....	"	0.087	104.3	0.087	104.3	0.088	105.5	0.088	105.5
Sal ammoniac (ammonium chloride) grey.....	"	0.043	67.6	0.039	61.2	0.043	67.6	0.035	54.9
Calcium chloride, flake <sup>(3)</sup> .....	per ton	29 375	81.6	25 850	71.8	25 850	71.8	28 000	71.8
Aluminium sulphate.....	per cwt.	1 535	87.7	1 550	88.6	1 550	88.6	1 592	91.0

(1) Previous to 1934, Asbestos Crude.

(2) New item in 1934.

(3) New source in 1937.

TABLE III—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1934-1937—Concluded

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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1934		1935		1936		1937	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Con.									
Organic Chemicals.....			74.3		75.9		75.5		86.1
Acetic acid, 99 p.c. glacial, crystal	per pound	.120	100.0	.120	100.0	.100	83.3	.100	83.3
Alcohol, methyl, 97 p.c.....	per gallon	.654	75.2	.750	86.2	.739	84.9	.725	83.3
Alcohol, denatured.....	"	.400	72.7	.400	72.7	.450	81.8	.450	81.8
Cream of tartar, 98 p.c.....	per pound	.255	134.2	.255	134.2	.202	123.2	.212	129.3
Formaldehyde.....	"	.070	61.5	.068	59.8	.061	53.6	.065	57.1
Glycerine, refined.....	"	.138	49.7	.148	53.3	.173	62.3	.249	89.7
Coal Tar Products.....			90.4		86.4		88.5		92.4
Creosote oil, crude.....	per imperial gallon	.140	90.0	.149	96.1	.153	98.7	.164	105.8
Benzol, pure.....	"	.319	90.9	.253	72.1	.258	73.5	.255	72.7
Tanning and Dyeing Materials.....			107.2		105.7		104.5		106.2
Dyeing Materials.....			103.3		103.1		101.0		100.8
Direct black (oxydiamine black)	per pound	.300	102.6	.300	102.6	.277	94.7	.275	94.0
Sulphur black (katigen, deep black).....	"	.205	93.2	.205	93.2	.219	99.5	.220	100.0
Nigrosine soluble water.....	"	.400	102.6	.400	102.6	.363	93.1	.360	92.3
Methylene blue.....	per cwt.	.950	90.5	.950	90.5	.950	90.5	.950	90.5
Indigo, synthetic, 20 p.c. paste.....	per pound	.135	128.6	.135	128.6	.135	128.6	.135	128.6
Auramine O, yellow.....	"	.778	82.6	.770	81.8	.733	77.8	.730	77.5
Alkali blue.....	"	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3
Tanning Materials.....			112.0		108.9		108.8		112.9
Quebracho extract, liquid.....	per cwt.	4.200	120.0	4.225	120.7	4.379	125.1	4.692	134.1
Hemlock extract, liquid.....	"	5.134	105.6	4.861	100.0	4.708	96.9	4.750	97.7
Logwood extract, liquid.....	"	11.917	122.6	11.417	117.5	10.854	111.7	10.896	112.1
Explosives.....			83.4		77.9		77.5		75.8
Gunpowder.....	per 25 pound keg	8.459	100.7	8.459	100.7	8.565	102.0	7.917	101.8
Dynamite, 40 p.c. gelatine.....	per cwt.	12.604	82.8	11.750	77.2	11.667	76.6	11.417	75.0
Paint Materials.....			70.0		67.0		68.8		76.9
Shellac.....	per pound	.243	65.9	.161	43.6	.146	39.6	.131	35.5
White lead, basic carbonate.....	per cwt.	7.800	69.6	7.996	71.4	8.778	78.3	10.395	92.8
Zinc oxide.....	"	6.249	90.4	5.654	81.8	5.150	74.5	5.999	86.7
Red lead, 85 p.c.....	"	6.750	65.9	6.813	66.6	7.188	70.2	9.188	89.8
Lithopone.....	"	4.456	84.9	4.524	86.2	4.462	85.0	4.312	82.1
Litharge (2).....	per pound	.058	46.4	.054	43.2	.067	53.6	.068	69.5
Lamp black, pure dry.....	"	.105	75.0	.105	75.0	.105	75.0	.105	75.0
Carbon black.....	"	.080	68.1	.083	70.6	.083	70.6	.081	68.9
Putty, pure linseed oil.....	per cwt.	3.075	64.1	3.050	63.6	3.050	63.6	3.566	68.8
Paint, Prepared (1).....			78.6		74.4		65.5		72.4
Paint, pure white.....	per gallon	3.550	77.8	3.333	73.0	2.875	63.0	3.175	69.6
Paint, coloured.....	"	3.350	79.5	3.200	76.0	2.875	68.2	3.175	75.4
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals.....			74.9		73.7		74.7		76.1
Acid, citric.....	per pound	.200	75.4	.230	86.7	.243	91.6	.252	95.0
Acid tartaric, crystals.....	"	.263	105.2	.247	98.8	.230	92.0	.247	98.8
Chloroform, U.S.P. (4).....	"	.376	88.5	.335	90.6	.385	90.6	.310	90.6
Ether, commercial (2).....	"	.180	93.0	.180	93.0	.182	94.1	.172	88.9
Potassium iodide.....	"	1.948	45.0	1.600	37.0	1.508	34.9	1.217	30.3
Hydrogen peroxide, 10 vol.....	"	.050	81.6	.050	81.6	.040	65.3	.040	65.3
Camphor, refined, slabs (1).....	"	.653	63.7	.675	65.9	.675	65.9	.582	71.0
Quinine (4).....	per ounce	.547	104.2	.535	101.9	.568	108.2	.530	114.2
Castor oil (4).....	per pound	.090	58.1	.091	58.7	.100	64.5	.086	65.2
Iodine, crude.....	"	1.850	45.0	1.525	37.1	1.500	36.5	1.208	29.4
Fertilizers.....			75.9		75.8		74.5		74.5
Muriate of potash (2).....	per ton	48.000	127.4	48.000	127.4	38.833	103.1	38.875	103.2
Dried blood.....	"	57.483	71.9	54.000	67.5	54.000	67.5	54.000	67.5
Superphosphate.....	"	18.333	85.3	19.000	88.5	19.000	88.5	19.083	88.8
Basic slag.....	"	20.687	113.6	20.500	112.6	18.750	103.0	18.917	103.9
Sulphate of potash.....	"	54.000	104.8	50.000	97.0	50.333	97.7	52.167	101.2
Tankage.....	"	41.454	103.6	42.000	105.0	42.000	105.0	42.000	105.0
Bone meal.....	"	37.611	99.0	35.000	92.1	35.000	92.1	35.000	92.1
Cyanamid.....	"	35.500	71.0	35.000	70.0	35.000	70.0	35.000	70.0
Sulphate of ammonia.....	"	40.510	54.0	40.000	53.3	40.000	53.3	40.000	53.3
Nitrate of soda.....	"	44.250	65.3	46.000	67.9	45.833	67.7	45.000	66.4
Industrial Gases.....			88.7		88.7		92.4		92.4
Acetylene.....	per 100 cubic feet	2.750	91.7	2.750	91.7	2.558	95.7	2.585	96.0
Oxygen (2).....	"	1.575	78.8	1.575	78.8	.999	81.2	.983	79.9
Soap.....			87.1		85.1		85.4		91.1
Soap, common laundry.....	per case	4.800	88.9	5.000	92.6	5.000	92.6	5.250	97.2
Soap, toilet.....	"	5.650		4.808		4.850		5.373	

(1) New item in 1934.

(2) Previous to 1934 ether, anaesthetic.

(3) New basis of quoting in 1936.

(4) New source in 1937.

(5) Bases of quotation changed to cwt. in 1937.



TABLE IV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
IN CANADA, 1937

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>VEGETABLE PRODUCTS</b>	87.6	88.6	90.6	91.3	88.7	87.0	95.5	87.7	86.5	87.6	84.5	85.2
Fruits—												
Fresh, Dried and Canned	82.7	85.2	82.6	85.2	89.2	96.3	103.0	99.1	94.6	98.1	80.2	73.5
Fruits, Fresh	84.1	87.6	84.2	87.8	93.3	102.8	112.1	107.1	101.5	106.2	82.4	73.4
Fruits, Dried	85.0	86.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	84.2	82.3	82.3	81.9	81.9
Fruits, Canned	71.9	70.3	70.3	69.7	69.1	68.7	66.1	66.0	65.4	65.4	65.4	65.4
Grains	90.8	91.7	96.6	98.5	93.1	89.3	102.5	89.7	90.4	92.1	87.0	89.2
Flour and other Milled Products	97.0	97.3	99.3	99.6	97.7	94.0	107.7	98.1	92.9	95.0	93.0	94.5
Bakery Products	83.9	85.3	85.3	89.7	89.7	92.5	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0
Vegetable Oils	87.7	84.2	86.4	85.0	81.8	79.9	78.8	77.1	78.1	77.8	73.3	71.2
Rubber and Its Products	62.4	62.4	63.5	63.4	63.2	64.0	63.5	63.2	64.6	63.7	63.1	63.2
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose	80.9	82.8	85.6	85.8	85.6	86.7	87.9	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.6	87.2
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices	81.5	81.6	81.7	80.2	79.1	78.9	78.2	78.4	78.4	76.8	76.8	75.2
Vegetables	80.9	86.5	81.5	74.0	67.5	62.4	73.2	54.3	47.1	48.7	50.0	50.7
Potatoes	80.3	87.8	80.3	69.4	59.3	52.0	64.0	37.8	31.5	31.3	30.6	30.7
Onions	77.8	83.3	85.5	83.9	89.3	89.3	115.8	110.9	94.8	112.8	134.3	140.9
Vegetables, Canned	84.1	83.7	83.7	84.7	84.7	84.9	84.7	83.6	77.6	77.6	76.4	76.4
Tobacco	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.4
Miscellaneous	64.8	64.7	64.5	64.3	65.1	64.8	67.3	67.0	67.0	67.8	69.2	69.9
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>	75.4	75.2	74.9	77.1	76.8	77.5	78.9	81.0	81.0	81.7	80.7	78.2
Fishery Products	71.6	72.0	68.1	70.4	70.2	73.6	73.0	77.6	79.6	79.6	78.9	75.8
Furs	62.9	75.1	73.6	73.6	72.8	72.8	67.2	67.2	64.3	64.3	64.3	62.6
Hides and Skins	114.1	109.3	114.2	120.9	112.4	84.2	99.4	107.2	107.2	95.1	85.2	73.0
Leather, unmanufactured	93.0	93.7	97.8	99.6	99.6	99.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.6	95.5	94.3
Boots and Shoes	89.4	90.2	91.2	92.2	93.8	95.1	95.1	95.1	95.1	96.1	95.5	95.5
Live Stock	78.7	80.0	87.6	94.2	92.8	98.9	101.6	104.2	100.1	88.7	85.2	83.1
Meats and Poultry	70.5	71.1	71.0	74.9	78.0	80.6	81.5	86.9	84.7	82.4	77.5	74.3
Meats, Fresh	74.5	75.6	79.2	86.3	90.7	95.7	93.6	93.1	89.4	85.1	80.7	77.7
Meats, Canned, Cured, etc.	68.4	68.0	63.6	64.6	66.2	66.5	70.9	83.4	81.6	81.2	75.6	71.5
Milk and Its Products	77.9	77.1	77.6	78.6	75.2	74.0	75.5	74.5	77.9	79.6	82.6	82.6
Oils and Fats	81.9	81.5	76.1	78.9	76.5	77.6	75.7	75.9	74.2	75.1	71.0	62.4
Eggs	64.2	56.9	52.5	53.1	52.7	54.0	62.0	64.8	71.6	78.3	80.0	70.8
<b>FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS</b>	72.2	73.3	73.9	75.4	75.3	75.0	74.6	73.7	71.8	70.8	69.2	69.0
Cotton, Raw	75.9	77.2	84.3	82.1	78.0	75.3	74.8	63.7	53.9	50.9	48.5	50.1
Cotton Yarn and Thread	86.4	87.2	88.5	90.2	90.2	88.5	88.5	86.7	84.6	82.1	82.1	82.1
Cotton Fabrics	74.4	76.0	78.8	79.4	79.4	79.4	79.3	79.3	79.3	75.0	73.7	73.7
Cotton Knit Goods	82.3	82.3	83.2	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	85.0	85.0	83.9	83.9
Sash Cord	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	91.4	91.4	87.7
Flax, Hemp and Jute Products	47.9	48.0	48.0	53.7	54.0	53.7	49.4	49.5	49.5	49.3	47.7	47.7
Silk, Raw	33.3	32.4	32.4	31.9	30.2	30.4	32.3	30.9	30.2	27.7	28.7	25.6
Silk Thread and Yarn	62.3	62.3	62.3	64.6	64.6	64.6	64.6	64.6	64.6	64.6	64.6	64.6
Silk Hosiery	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3	65.3
Silk Fabrics	44.6	48.0	48.0	48.0	48.0	48.0	48.0	48.0	48.0	47.2	43.9	43.9
Artificial Silk Products	45.8	45.8	45.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8
Wool, Raw	92.3	94.7	92.3	91.5	100.9	96.8	98.0	96.0	90.7	78.0	71.9	68.6
Wool Yarns	90.7	91.1	90.9	92.3	93.1	93.1	93.5	93.7	93.0	80.2	89.2	80.5
Wool Hosiery and Knit Goods	87.4	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	89.7	89.7	89.7	89.7
Wool Blankets	68.6	68.6	68.6	68.6	72.2	72.2	72.2	72.2	72.2	72.2	72.2	72.2
Wool Cloth	84.4	84.4	83.1	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	82.8	82.8	80.7	79.7
Carpets	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
<b>WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER</b>	73.0	74.2	77.3	78.5	78.9	77.8	78.0	77.9	77.2	76.2	75.7	75.5
News Print and Wrapping Paper	58.0	58.0	58.0	58.1	58.1	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.1	58.1	58.2
Lumber and Timber	92.7	96.1	104.5	105.0	104.9	101.1	99.5	98.6	96.4	93.5	92.4	92.5
Canadian White Pine	93.4	99.5	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7	102.7
Spruce	89.3	93.0	100.4	102.0	102.4	102.4	101.3	98.9	97.0	94.4	92.3	91.5
Hardwoods	81.2	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.5
Hemlock	78.1	80.4	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1	84.1
Fir	102.4	102.8	113.7	113.7	112.6	108.5	103.2	102.4	96.1	87.9	86.1	87.0
B.C. Cedar	94.7	95.7	118.7	119.2	119.2	97.5	96.9	96.7	95.6	94.4	93.5	94.0
Pulp	73.2	73.6	75.9	81.9	83.8	84.8	89.9	81.0	91.5	91.1	90.2	88.7
Furniture (composite)	79.0	79.0	79.1	81.1	83.1	83.1	83.1	83.1	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5
Matches	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
<b>IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS</b>	92.1	94.1	100.1	102.9	102.8	103.0	103.9	104.5	105.3	105.0	104.1	103.9
Pig Iron and teel Billets	87.2	91.0	101.3	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7
Rolling Mill Products	97.8	99.5	106.5	109.3	109.4	110.4	110.4	111.6	111.6	111.6	111.6	111.4
Pipe	86.5	86.5	93.9	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7
Total Hardware	88.4	88.4	85.6	86.4	89.3	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.7	91.7
Tools and Hand Implements	86.3	86.3	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3
Other Hardware	89.4	89.4	84.9	85.9	89.4	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.3
Wire	91.7	91.7	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2
Scrap Iron and Steel	69.3	81.9	88.8	97.6	90.6	81.7	81.7	81.7	91.3	86.9	72.2	70.5
Miscellaneous	95.0	95.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5
<b>NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>												
Aluminum	82.5	86.2	97.5	89.6	85.9	84.3	85.9	86.3	83.4	77.4	73.7	72.5
Antimony	85.6	85.6	91.1	91.1	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9	93.9
Copper, Brass and Products	81.0	81.2	96.0	93.1	90.1	88.6	88.6	90.1	100.4	103.4	100.4	94.5
Lead and Its Products	86.0	93.4	112.2	103.7	97.8	96.1	97.9	98.6	94.6	83.3	75.9	73.7
Silver	82.6	84.0	95.4	78.2	73.4	70.0	73.0	70.9	66.3	60.3	57.4	55.3
Tin Ingots	72.4	72.3	72.8	73.2	72.4	72.3	72.3	72.3	72.3	72.1	72.1	72.3
Zinc and Its Products	81.4	80.3	101.1	91.9	85.6	84.7	90.5	92.3	90.6	80.8	72.6	70.4
Solder	60.8	70.2	88.2	71.8	64.5	60.5	63.3	68.0	61.7	53.9	49.6	48.8
	84.9	84.4	101.7	94.0	88.3	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7	89.6	81.1	81.1

TABLE IV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
IN CANADA, 1937—Concluded  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>	85.6	86.0	85.5	85.6	86.7	86.8	87.0	87.2	87.4	87.3	87.4	87.5
Clay and Allied Material Products	87.4	87.4	87.4	87.4	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2
Pottery	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	93.5	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6
Coal	91.2	91.0	89.6	89.6	92.2	92.3	92.6	92.6	93.1	93.2	93.5	93.5
Coke	110.9	110.9	110.9	110.9	110.9	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0
Manufactured Gas	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	98.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0
Coal Tar	89.5	89.5	89.5	89.5	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7
Glass and Its Products	82.1	83.9	83.9	89.0	84.0	84.0	84.0	84.0	84.0	84.0	84.0	84.0
Window Glass	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8	116.8
Plate Glass	60.6	63.9	63.9	73.6	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9
Glassware	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9
Petroleum Products	72.4	73.9	73.9	73.9	73.9	74.4	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.4	74.4	73.8
Crude Oil	73.4	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.0	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1	75.1
Gasoline	63.2	65.1	65.1	65.1	65.1	65.9	66.4	66.4	66.4	65.9	65.9	65.0
Kerosene	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	77.6
Asphalt	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	90.6	90.6	90.6	90.6	90.6	90.6	90.6	90.6
Salt	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7
Sulphur	93.9	93.9	93.8	93.7	93.7	98.1	98.3	98.1	98.1	98.0	98.0	98.1
Plaster	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1	115.1
Lime	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2
Cement	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2	106.2
Sand and Gravel	91.4	91.4	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.7	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4
Crushed Stone	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8
Building Stone	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3
Asbestos and Its Products	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8	75.8
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS</b>	79.2	80.0	81.6	82.7	82.2	81.6	81.7	81.8	81.7	81.9	81.3	80.7
Inorganic Chemicals	87.3	87.5	87.8	87.6	87.5	87.5	87.5	87.9	87.8	87.8	88.0	86.4
Organic Chemicals	87.3	93.1	93.3	93.3	86.9	84.4	84.4	84.5	84.5	84.5	83.0	77.7
Coal Tar Products	88.8	88.8	92.2	92.2	92.2	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4	93.4
Dyeing and Tanning Materials	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.1	106.0	106.1	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.0
Dyeing Materials	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8
Tanning Materials	112.4	112.4	112.4	112.5	112.4	112.5	112.4	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6
Explosives	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4
Paint Materials	73.7	73.7	81.0	80.1	79.5	77.3	77.6	77.6	77.6	77.6	77.6	77.6
Paints, Prepared	67.2	67.2	67.2	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals	75.3	75.3	77.1	77.1	76.8	75.3	75.3	75.5	75.5	77.2	76.0	76.0
Fertilizers	74.2	74.2	74.2	74.5	74.5	74.5	74.5	74.5	74.5	74.5	74.5	75.2
Industrial Gases	91.2	90.0	92.8	93.8	92.5	93.0	95.2	95.1	93.4	92.0	90.4	90.1
Soap	85.4	88.3	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH USED

Both the Producers' and Consumers' groups contain a representation of primary as well as manufactured products and their movements are broadly similar. The large representation of primary products among producers' materials, however, causes the fluctuations of the Producers' Goods index to be slightly wider than those for the Consumers' Goods group.

From 1890 to 1913 there is little in the behaviour of price group relationships to attract special attention. The gradual decline in the first six years of this period, and the subsequent rise still in progress when the Great War began, failed to produce any serious problems related to price disequilibrium. Interest in prices during these years was concentrated for the most part upon broader problems such as the effect of gold discoveries upon general price levels, and the interaction of cyclical movements in prices and business conditions.

During the war years, however, the relationships of prices were complicated by the unequal reactions of price groups to inflationary stimuli and to the deflationary forces which followed later. The index for Producers' Goods which had trailed along below the Consumers' Goods index from 1890 to 1913, reversed its position in 1914, and reached a post-war peak in 1920, appreciably higher than that for Consumers' Goods. When readjustment followed, the decline for Producers' Goods was of greater magnitude than that for Consumers' Goods, and from 1921 to the present the Producers' Goods index has reverted to its former position. In 1931 and 1932, it declined so rapidly that the gap between these two series assumed abnormal proportions judged upon the basis of their historical relationships. It was in these years that the failure of Producers' prices to resist decline as did Consumers' prices, created so serious a shortage of purchasing power in the hands of farmers and other primary producers. The correctional movement commencing in 1933 was at first very gradual, but by the end of 1935, the producers' and consumers' indexes were approaching a position of equilibrium. In the rapid rise of commodity prices during the latter half of 1936, Producers' Goods moved above Consumers' Goods for the first time since early post-war years. Both indexes continued upward until July, 1937, when Producers' Goods reached 90.3, and Consumers' Goods 81.2. The gap between the two groups was almost removed by price declines in the next five months. The December index for Producers' Goods was 82.6 against 79.1 for Consumers' Goods.

# CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE, 1890-1937 1913=100

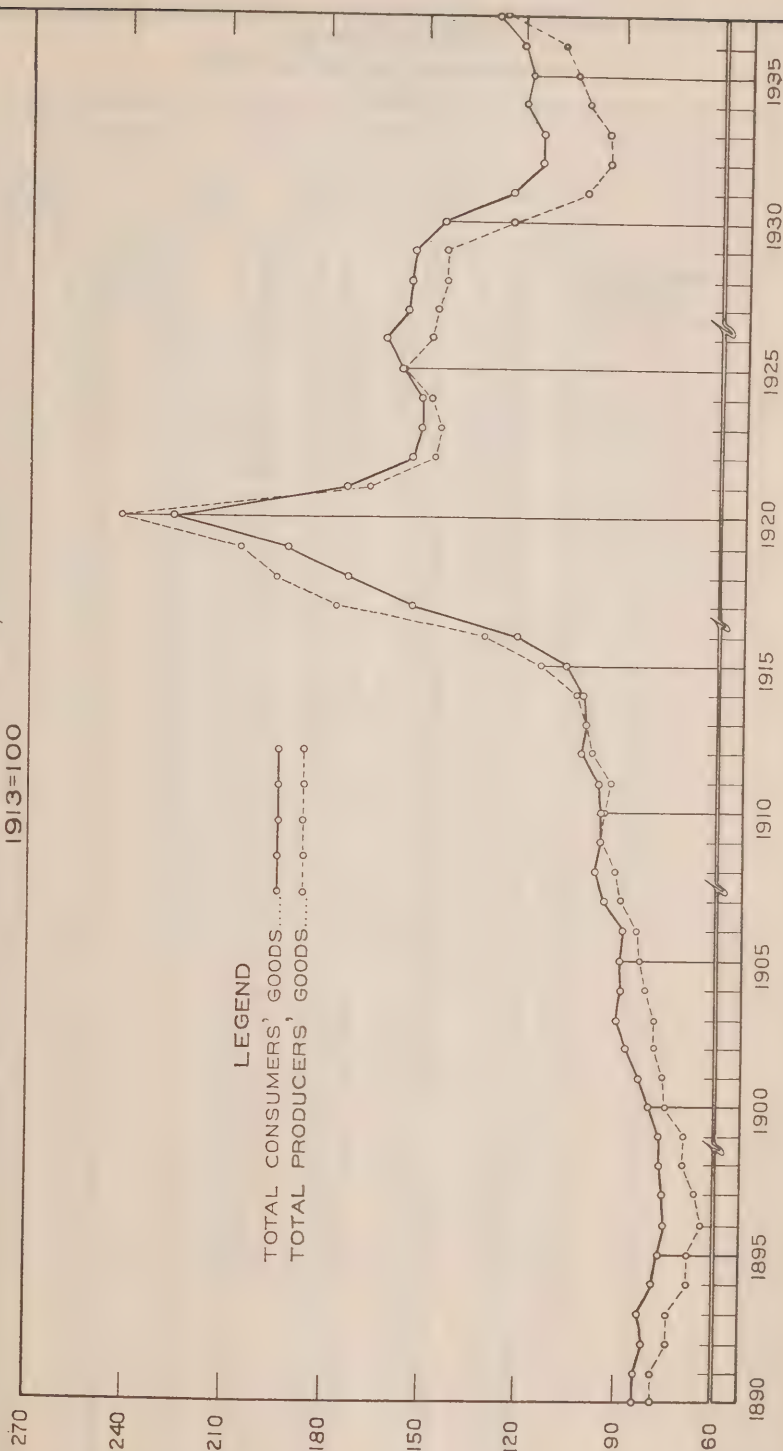




TABLE V—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1937

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Groups	I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods					
	All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials			
						All	Building and Con- struction	Manu- facturers'	
Number of commodities	(1890-1912) 1913-1925 1926-1933 1934-1937	76 98 204 236	45 74 116 126	31 24 88 110	112 146 351 402	8 15 22 24	104 131 329 378	34 32 97 111	70 99 232 267
1890		52.0	51.4	52.4	54.3	47.2	55.1	49.1	56.1
1891		52.4	52.2	52.5	54.6	47.1	55.4	46.9	56.8
1892		50.9	48.3	52.6	50.9	47.8	51.2	47.5	51.8
1893		51.4	49.4	52.8	50.3	48.0	50.5	46.9	51.1
1894		49.5	47.0	51.1	45.5	46.1	45.4	46.8	45.2
1895		48.2	45.3	50.2	46.2	45.6	46.3	44.8	46.6
1896		46.9	41.6	50.4	43.0	45.5	42.7	44.6	42.4
1897		47.5	43.7	50.0	45.5	45.1	45.5	41.5	46.2
1898		47.9	46.3	49.0	48.3	44.2	48.7	42.3	49.8
1899		47.9	46.5	48.9	47.2	44.1	47.5	44.8	48.0
1900		50.0	46.8	52.1	50.9	46.8	51.3	50.2	51.5
1901		52.2	47.2	55.5	51.6	51.1	51.7	48.6	52.2
1902		54.2	49.9	57.1	53.8	53.0	53.9	50.2	54.5
1903		56.1	52.3	58.6	53.3	54.9	53.1	54.1	52.9
1904		55.8	52.4	58.0	55.3	53.6	55.5	55.7	55.5
1905		55.5	54.0	56.5	56.4	50.9	57.0	55.2	57.3
1906		55.0	53.5	56.0	56.1	50.1	56.8	58.0	56.6
1907		58.1	57.6	58.5	59.8	52.1	60.6	60.1	60.7
1908		59.9	59.4	60.2	61.1	54.1	61.9	65.0	61.4
1909		58.7	58.9	58.6	63.9	53.2	65.1	63.5	65.4
1910		58.8	59.0	58.7	63.9	52.2	65.2	62.0	65.7
1911		59.5	60.8	58.7	61.9	52.1	63.0	65.1	62.7
1912		62.4	65.8	60.1	66.7	53.9	68.1	64.9	68.7
1913		62.0	61.8	62.2	67.7	55.1	69.1	67.0	69.5
1914		62.1	65.0	60.1	70.1	52.4	72.1	62.8	74.2
1915		62.8	68.7	58.8	77.1	51.2	80.0	60.5	84.6
1916		72.2	81.2	66.2	89.7	55.7	93.5	69.5	99.1
1917		90.5	109.1	78.1	120.6	65.3	127.7	87.4	136.0
1918		102.7	119.0	91.9	133.3	81.9	139.0	100.7	148.1
1919		115.2	127.9	106.7	139.8	90.7	145.2	117.8	151.6
1920		136.1	150.8	126.3	164.3	108.6	171.0	144.0	177.3
1921		108.9	105.1	111.5	113.3	113.8	113.3	122.7	110.8
1922		96.9	90.2	101.4	98.8	104.1	98.2	108.7	95.8
1923		94.7	91.2	97.0	97.6	102.5	97.1	111.9	93.7
1924		94.2	90.4	96.8	99.4	102.7	99.0	106.6	97.5
1925		97.0	97.7	96.5	104.9	99.2	105.5	102.9	106.2
1926		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927		95.7	99.4	93.3	98.5	101.1	98.2	96.1	98.6
1928		95.6	99.6	92.9	96.7	93.7	97.0	97.4	96.9
1929		94.7	100.0	91.1	96.1	94.6	96.3	99.0	95.9
1930		89.3	93.1	86.8	82.5	92.9	81.3	90.8	79.7
1931		76.2	70.4	80.0	67.1	90.0	64.6	81.9	61.7
1932		71.3	61.5	77.8	62.4	88.7	59.5	77.2	56.5
1933		71.1	63.8	76.0	63.1	86.0	60.5	78.3	57.5
1934		74.1	69.7	77.0	67.8	88.9	65.5	82.5	62.6
1935		73.6	70.4	75.7	69.5	89.8	67.2	81.2	64.8
1936		74.7	73.4	75.5	72.4	90.0	70.4	85.3	67.9
1937		79.5	81.2	78.4	86.1	93.8	85.2	94.4	83.6
1936—January		74.2	72.4	75.4	69.8	90.0	67.5	83.6	64.8
February		73.9	71.3	75.7	69.3	90.2	67.0	84.2	64.1
March		73.8	70.8	75.8	69.3	90.2	67.0	84.2	64.1
April		73.3	70.3	75.4	69.1	90.2	66.7	84.6	63.7
May		73.2	70.1	75.3	67.9	89.9	65.5	85.0	62.2
June		73.7	71.2	75.4	68.5	90.0	66.1	84.8	62.9
July		74.3	73.3	75.0	72.1	89.7	70.1	85.2	67.5
August		75.5	75.6	75.4	74.6	89.7	72.9	85.6	70.8
September		75.5	75.6	75.5	75.0	89.6	73.4	85.8	71.3
October		75.8	76.4	75.4	76.3	89.5	74.8	86.4	72.8
November		76.0	76.2	75.8	76.3	89.5	74.8	86.6	72.8
December		76.9	77.5	76.5	80.4	91.8	79.1	87.8	77.6
1937—January		78.0	79.4	77.1	83.5	92.1	82.5	90.0	81.2
February		78.6	79.7	77.8	84.7	92.3	83.8	91.8	82.5
March		78.3	79.4	77.5	88.7	92.3	88.3	97.3	86.8
April		79.1	80.7	78.1	89.2	92.4	88.8	98.2	87.2
May		79.2	80.0	78.7	87.3	94.1	86.5	98.0	84.6
June		79.5	80.3	79.0	85.8	94.3	84.9	96.4	83.0
July		81.2	84.4	79.1	90.3	94.3	89.8	95.7	88.8
August		80.6	82.8	79.2	86.8	94.6	85.9	95.4	84.3
September		80.3	82.1	79.1	85.9	94.5	84.9	94.3	83.3
October		80.6	83.0	79.0	84.8	94.5	83.7	92.6	82.2
November		79.7	81.6	78.5	82.4	94.5	81.0	91.8	79.2
December		79.1	80.2	78.3	82.6	94.3	81.3	91.1	79.5

TABLE VI.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1937

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1913=100)

Groups	I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
	All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
						All	Building and Con- struction	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	(1890-1912) 76 (1913-1925) 98 (1926-1933) 204 (1934-1937) 236	45 74 116 126	31 24 88 110	112 146 351 402	8 15 22 24	104 131 329 378	34 32 97 111	70 99 232 267
1890.....	83.7	83.1	84.3	79.1	85.6	78.6	73.3	80.7
1891.....	84.4	84.5	84.4	78.8	85.5	78.3	70.0	81.7
1892.....	81.6	78.1	84.6	74.4	86.7	73.5	70.9	74.5
1893.....	82.6	80.0	84.9	73.5	87.1	72.5	70.0	73.5
1894.....	79.3	76.0	82.2	67.7	83.6	66.4	69.9	65.0
1895.....	77.3	73.3	80.7	68.1	82.8	67.0	66.9	67.0
1896.....	74.7	67.3	81.1	64.0	82.6	62.6	66.5	61.0
1897.....	75.9	70.7	80.4	66.4	81.8	65.2	62.0	66.5
1898.....	77.0	74.9	78.8	69.9	80.2	69.1	63.2	71.6
1899.....	77.1	75.3	78.6	69.2	80.1	68.4	66.8	69.1
1900.....	80.0	75.8	83.7	75.1	85.0	74.3	74.9	74.1
1901.....	83.3	76.4	89.2	75.7	92.8	74.3	72.5	75.1
1902.....	86.6	80.7	91.8	78.7	96.1	77.4	74.9	78.4
1903.....	89.8	84.7	94.2	79.1	99.6	77.5	80.7	76.1
1904.....	89.3	84.8	93.2	82.0	97.2	80.8	83.2	79.9
1905.....	89.2	87.4	90.8	83.2	92.3	82.5	82.4	82.5
1906.....	88.4	86.6	90.0	83.5	91.0	82.9	86.5	81.4
1907.....	93.7	93.2	94.0	88.6	94.6	88.1	89.7	87.4
1908.....	96.5	96.1	96.8	91.4	98.1	90.9	97.0	88.3
1909.....	94.7	95.3	94.2	94.5	96.5	94.3	94.8	94.1
1910.....	94.9	95.5	94.4	94.8	94.8	94.0	92.5	94.6
1911.....	96.2	98.4	94.3	92.4	94.5	92.2	97.1	90.2
1912.....	101.2	106.5	96.7	98.3	97.8	98.3	96.8	98.9
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	101.4	105.1	96.7	103.4	95.1	104.3	93.8	106.8
1915.....	103.9	111.2	94.5	113.5	92.9	115.8	90.3	121.7
1916.....	120.4	131.4	106.5	131.9	101.0	135.5	103.7	142.6
1917.....	154.1	176.5	125.6	177.0	118.6	183.4	130.5	195.7
1918.....	172.9	192.5	147.8	196.1	148.7	201.2	150.3	213.1
1919.....	191.7	207.0	171.6	205.8	164.6	210.1	175.8	218.1
1920.....	226.3	244.0	203.1	242.7	197.1	247.5	214.9	255.1
1921.....	174.0	170.0	179.2	167.9	206.5	163.9	183.2	159.4
1922.....	153.6	146.0	163.1	146.8	189.0	142.2	162.2	137.7
1923.....	151.3	147.6	155.9	145.0	186.1	140.6	167.0	134.7
1924.....	150.5	146.3	155.7	147.6	186.4	143.4	159.1	140.2
1925.....	156.9	158.2	155.2	155.5	180.1	152.8	153.5	152.7
1926.....	161.2	161.9	160.8	148.5	181.5	144.8	149.2	143.8
1927.....	154.4	160.9	150.0	146.3	183.5	142.2	143.4	141.8
1928.....	154.2	161.3	149.4	143.5	170.1	140.5	145.3	139.3
1929.....	152.7	161.9	165.5	142.6	171.7	139.4	147.7	137.9
1930.....	144.0	150.7	139.6	122.8	168.6	117.7	135.5	114.6
1931.....	122.8	114.0	128.6	100.5	163.4	93.5	122.2	88.7
1932.....	114.9	99.6	125.1	93.7	161.0	86.2	115.2	81.2
1933.....	114.6	103.3	122.2	94.5	156.1	87.6	116.8	82.7
1934.....	119.4	112.8	123.8	101.5	161.4	94.8	123.1	90.0
1935.....	118.6	114.0	121.7	103.9	163.0	97.3	121.2	93.2
1936.....	120.4	118.8	121.4	108.1	163.4	101.9	127.3	97.6
1937.....	128.3	131.5	126.1	127.9	170.2	123.2	140.8	120.2
1936 January.....	119.6	117.2	121.2	104.4	163.4	97.8	124.7	93.2
February.....	119.2	115.4	121.7	103.7	163.7	97.0	125.6	92.2
March.....	119.0	114.6	121.9	103.7	163.7	97.0	125.6	92.2
April.....	118.2	113.8	121.2	103.3	163.7	96.6	126.2	91.6
May.....	118.1	113.5	121.1	100.6	163.2	93.6	126.8	89.4
June.....	118.8	115.3	121.2	104.5	163.4	95.7	126.5	90.5
July.....	119.8	118.7	120.6	107.6	162.8	101.5	127.1	97.1
August.....	121.7	122.4	121.2	111.3	162.8	105.6	127.7	101.8
September.....	121.8	122.4	121.4	111.8	162.6	106.2	128.0	102.5
October.....	122.2	123.7	121.2	113.6	162.4	108.2	128.9	104.7
November.....	122.5	123.4	121.9	113.7	162.4	108.3	129.2	104.7
December.....	124.0	125.5	123.0	119.6	166.6	114.4	131.0	111.6
1937 January.....	125.8	128.5	124.0	124.1	167.2	119.3	134.3	116.8
February.....	126.7	129.0	125.1	125.9	167.5	121.3	137.0	118.6
March.....	126.2	128.5	124.6	131.8	167.5	127.8	145.2	124.8
April.....	127.6	130.7	125.6	132.4	167.7	128.5	146.5	125.4
May.....	127.7	129.5	126.5	129.9	170.8	125.3	146.2	121.7
June.....	128.2	130.0	127.0	127.7	171.2	122.9	143.8	119.4
July.....	131.0	136.6	127.2	134.0	171.2	129.9	142.8	127.7
August.....	130.1	134.1	127.4	129.0	171.7	124.3	142.3	121.2
September.....	129.5	132.9	127.2	127.7	171.5	122.8	140.7	119.8
October.....	130.0	134.4	127.0	126.1	171.5	121.1	138.2	118.2
November.....	128.6	132.1	126.2	122.6	171.5	117.2	137.0	113.9
December.....	127.5	129.8	125.9	122.9	171.2	117.6	136.8	114.3

TABLE VII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1934-1937

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of com- modities	1934	1935	1936	1937
	1934-37				
TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.....	567	71.6	72.1	74.6	84.6
CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B).....	236	74.1	73.6	74.7	79.5
A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco.....	126	69.7	70.4	73.4	81.2
Beverages.....	9	75.2	74.2	73.8	78.8
Flour and other milled products.....	12	68.3	69.8	75.5	97.1
Bakery products.....	2	82.8	83.0	84.0	91.1
Fish.....	16	70.9	71.5	72.1	74.2
Fruits, fresh.....	4	82.7	77.3	80.4	93.6
Fruits, dried.....	5	86.6	82.6	81.4	84.1
Fruits, canned.....	6	68.5	70.0	67.9	67.8
Meats, fresh.....	6	65.4	73.8	71.1	85.3
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	3	73.7	70.4	69.8	71.8
Poultry.....	1	51.5	52.8	64.1	65.6
Milk and its Products.....	12	64.7	68.2	71.0	77.8
Sugar and its products.....	8	93.9	82.7	79.6	86.3
Vegetables.....	(13)				
Potatoes.....	7	33.9	33.4	67.5	54.6
Onions.....	2	72.3	81.0	71.3	101.5
Vegetables, canned.....	4	73.4	72.2	76.3	81.9
Eggs.....	3	60.2	60.5	67.3	63.2
Tobacco.....	8	41.4	42.7	48.9	54.9
Miscellaneous.....	18	61.3	74.8	71.8	78.3
B. Other Consumers' Goods.....	110	77.0	75.7	75.5	78.4
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and under- wear).....	52	77.4	74.6	74.6	78.2
Household equipment and supplies.....	58	76.7	76.5	76.2	78.6
Coal.....		89.6	89.1	89.1	88.0
Coke.....		93.0	92.7	94.2	110.6
Coal oil, gasoline fuel oil and lubricating oil.....		76.3	74.9	73.4	74.1
Drugs and pharmaceuticals.....		74.9	73.7	74.7	76.1
Rubber tires and tubes.....		48.6	50.8	50.3	54.9
PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D).....	402	67.8	69.5	72.4	86.1
C. Producers' Equipment.....	24	88.9	89.8	90.0	93.8
Tools.....	3	85.4	86.6	86.6	90.4
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies.....	17	89.3	90.4	90.6	94.5
Explosives.....	2	83.4	77.9	77.5	75.8
Miscellaneous.....	2	84.0	84.5	84.5	87.8
D. Producers' Materials.....	378	65.5	67.2	70.4	85.2
Building and construction materials.....	111	82.5	81.2	85.3	94.4
Lumber.....	33	78.6	77.8	86.3	98.1
Paint materials.....	13	75.0	71.1	68.2	74.6
Miscellaneous.....	63	88.2	87.0	88.6	95.9
Manufacturers' Materials.....	267	62.6	64.8	67.9	83.6
For textile and clothing industries.....	64	71.4	68.0	67.5	71.1
For the fur and leather industries.....	24	67.7	68.2	76.7	88.9
For the metal working industries.....	41	68.5	72.5	73.5	87.8
For chemical using industries.....	93	89.6	88.8	89.2	90.6
For meat packing industries.....	4	69.4	79.4	72.5	91.3
For milling and other industries.....	23	54.9	58.8	66.3	92.6
Miscellaneous Producers' Materials.....	68	59.7	59.8	62.0	72.0
For farm supplies.....		74.9	72.1	69.4	78.8
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.....		57.9	57.1	58.5	64.4
For rubber working industries.....		27.1	25.3	34.9	42.5
Other producers' materials.....		58.2	60.7	65.8	82.2



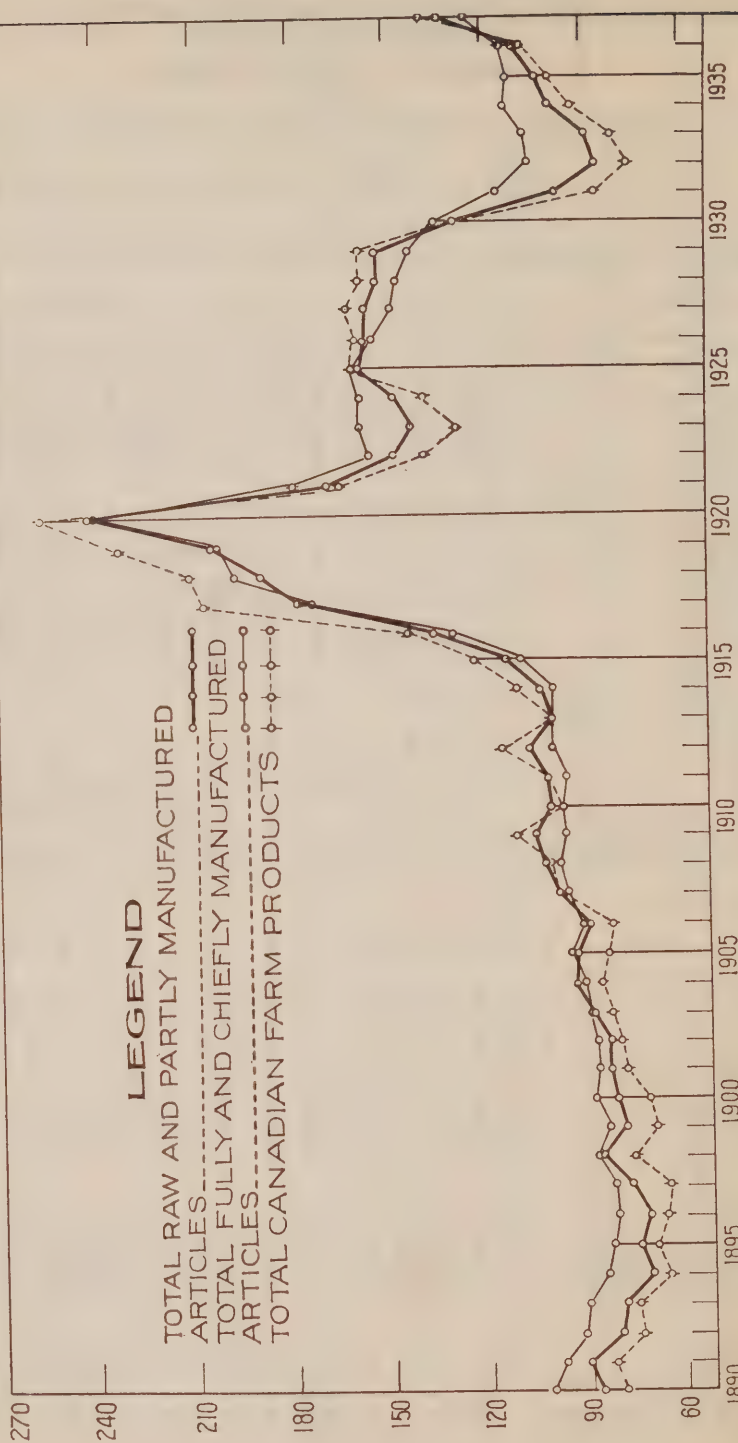
TABLE VIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1937

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES</b>	567	81.9	82.9	85.4	86.2	85.3	84.6	87.6	85.6	85.0	84.7	83.1	82.7
<b>CONSUMERS' GOODS</b> (GROUPS A AND B).....	236	78.0	78.6	78.3	79.1	79.2	79.5	81.2	80.6	80.3	80.6	79.7	79.1
<b>A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco</b> .....	126	79.4	79.7	79.4	80.7	80.0	80.3	84.4	82.8	82.1	83.0	81.6	80.2
Beverages.....	9	75.7	79.1	78.8	77.6	78.5	79.4	79.3	78.8	78.8	78.9	80.0	78.9
Flour and other milled products.....	12	97.0	97.3	99.3	99.6	97.7	94.0	107.7	98.1	92.9	95.0	93.0	94.5
Bakery products.....	2	83.9	85.3	85.3	89.7	89.7	92.5	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.0
Fish.....	16	71.6	72.0	68.1	70.4	70.2	73.6	73.0	77.6	79.6	79.6	78.9	75.8
Fruits, fresh.....	4	84.1	87.6	84.2	87.8	93.3	102.8	112.1	107.1	101.5	106.2	82.4	73.4
Fruits, dried.....	5	85.0	86.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	84.2	82.3	82.3	81.9	81.9
Fruits, canned.....	6	71.9	70.3	70.3	69.7	69.1	68.7	66.1	66.0	65.4	65.4	65.4	65.4
Meats, fresh.....	6	74.5	75.6	79.2	86.3	90.7	95.7	93.6	93.1	89.4	85.1	80.7	77.7
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	3	68.4	68.0	63.6	64.6	66.2	66.5	70.9	83.4	81.6	81.2	75.6	71.5
Poultry.....	1	57.6	61.1	61.1	61.1	64.9	64.9	64.9	68.7	72.5	72.5	68.7	68.7
Milk and its products.....	12	77.9	77.1	77.6	78.6	75.2	74.0	75.5	74.5	77.9	79.6	82.5	82.6
Sugar and its products.....	8	82.9	82.8	85.6	85.8	85.8	86.6	87.9	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.6	87.2
<b>Vegetables</b> .....	(13)												
Potatoes.....	7	80.3	87.8	80.3	69.4	59.3	52.0	64.0	37.8	31.5	31.3	30.6	30.7
Onions.....	2	77.8	83.3	85.5	83.9	89.3	89.3	115.8	110.9	94.8	112.8	134.3	140.9
Vegetables, canned.....	4	84.1	83.7	83.7	84.7	84.7	84.9	84.7	83.6	77.6	77.5	77.6	76.4
Eggs.....	3	69.2	66.9	62.5	53.1	52.7	54.0	62.0	64.8	71.6	78.3	80.0	70.8
Tobacco.....	8	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	51.5	52.4
Miscellaneous.....	18	81.6	81.3	78.4	80.4	78.3	79.1	78.0	78.4	78.0	79.4	75.8	70.4
<b>B. Other Consumers' Goods</b> .....	110	77.1	77.8	77.5	78.1	78.7	79.0	79.1	79.2	79.1	79.0	78.5	78.3
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and underwear).....	52	76.4	77.5	77.8	78.9	79.3	79.6	79.6	79.6	78.4	78.1	76.8	76.6
Household equipment and supplies.....	58	77.6	78.1	77.4	77.5	78.2	78.5	78.8	78.9	79.6	79.6	79.8	79.6
Coal.....	85.9	88.6	85.6	85.6	87.0	87.1	87.8	87.9	88.9	89.0	89.6	89.6	89.6
Coke.....	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6
Coal oil, gasoline fuel oil and lubricating oil.....	72.4	73.9	73.9	73.9	73.9	74.4	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.4	74.4	73.8
Drugs and pharmaceuticals.....	75.3	75.3	77.1	77.1	76.8	75.3	75.3	75.5	75.5	77.2	76.0	76.0	76.0
Rubber tires and tubes.....	53.3	53.3	53.3	53.3	54.1	54.7	54.7	54.7	57.0	57.0	57.0	57.0	57.0
<b>PRODUCERS' GOODS</b> (GROUPS C AND D).....	402	83.5	84.7	88.7	89.2	87.3	85.8	90.3	86.8	85.9	84.8	82.4	82.6
<b>C. Producers' Equipment</b> .....	24	92.1	92.3	92.3	92.4	94.1	94.3	94.3	94.6	94.5	94.5	94.5	94.3
Tools.....	3	86.3	86.3	91.1	91.1	91.1	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies.....	17	92.9	93.1	93.1	93.1	94.9	95.0	95.0	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.1
Explosives.....	2	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7
Miscellaneous.....	2	84.5	84.5	83.9	85.9	85.9	89.4	89.4	89.4	89.4	89.4	89.4	89.4
<b>D. Producers' Materials</b> .....	378	82.5	83.8	88.3	88.8	86.5	84.9	89.8	85.9	84.9	83.7	81.0	81.3
Building and construction materials.....	111	90.0	91.8	97.3	98.2	98.0	96.4	95.7	95.4	94.3	92.6	91.8	91.7
Lumber.....	33	92.7	96.1	104.5	105.0	104.9	101.1	99.5	98.6	96.4	93.5	92.4	92.5
Paint materials.....	13	70.7	70.6	72.7	76.8	76.6	76.0	75.8	75.7	75.6	75.4	74.8	74.3
Miscellaneous.....	65	92.2	93.0	96.5	97.0	96.7	96.9	97.1	97.2	96.9	96.1	95.4	95.3
<b>Manufacturers' Materials</b> .....	267	81.2	82.5	86.8	87.2	84.6	83.0	88.8	84.3	83.3	82.2	79.2	79.5
For textile and clothing industries.....	64	70.0	71.4	71.6	73.3	73.5	73.1	73.0	72.7	70.6	69.4	67.7	67.4
For the fur and leather industries.....	24	85.5	89.4	91.7	93.6	92.1	88.2	88.6	89.7	88.7	86.3	83.8	80.4
For metal working industries.....	41	84.4	88.1	98.7	93.0	89.9	88.5	89.8	90.3	88.3	83.4	80.1	79.0
For chemical using industries.....	43	90.5	91.1	91.5	91.4	90.4	90.4	90.5	90.9	90.8	90.6	90.1	88.8
For meat packing industries.....	4	78.7	80.0	87.6	94.2	92.8	98.9	101.6	104.2	100.1	88.7	85.2	83.1
For milling and other industries.....	23	90.8	91.7	96.6	98.5	93.1	89.3	102.5	89.7	90.4	92.1	87.0	89.2
<b>Miscellaneous Producers' Materials</b> .....	68	71.1	70.9	72.0	72.7	72.0	71.0	75.4	73.1	71.8	72.1	71.1	71.4
For farm supplies.....	80.2	78.8	79.4	83.9	83.0	78.0	79.9	75.0	74.3	75.5	78.1	79.8	79.8
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.....	61.6	61.7	62.3	63.8	64.2	64.5	65.7	66.0	66.1	66.0	65.7	65.5	65.5
For rubber working industries.....	46.3	46.8	52.8	52.2	48.2	44.6	41.8	39.6	39.6	39.4	31.3	32.0	32.0
Other producers' materials.....	82.7	82.5	84.5	82.3	80.5	79.3	89.8	84.8	81.0	81.9	78.5	78.9	78.9

1913=100  
**CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS**  
 CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE  
 1890-1937



## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE

The broad movements of raw and partly manufactured, fully and chiefly manufactured, and Canadian farm products during the past forty-seven years may be observed from Chart III. The violent shifts in price levels since the beginning of the Great War stand out in clear contrast to the minor fluctuations of the preceding twenty-four years. Throughout the whole period, the relatively sensitive behaviour of farm product prices is plainly evident. The index for this group fluctuates more widely than that of raw and partly manufactured materials chiefly because of the presence of ferrous metals and non-metallic minerals among the latter. Price movements for such commodities are characteristically more rigid than those for most other commodity groups.

The advance in prices which commenced in 1936 continued into 1937. The 1937 annual average index for raw and partly manufactured goods reached 84·3, the highest point since 1929, while that for fully and chiefly manufactured goods was 80·5, the highest since 1930. Especially marked was the sharp rise in the prices of farm products, with field crops showing the greatest gain. Only in the case of products of mineral origin was the rise in prices of fully and chiefly manufactured goods proportionate to that in raw and partly manufactured goods. The difference was most apparent in commodities of forest origin, raw and partly manufactured goods gaining 13·2 points, while fully and chiefly manufactured goods gained only 3·6 points.

Details of index numbers of wholesale commodity prices classified according to origin and degree of manufacture may be found in Tables IX-XII following.



TABLE IX—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1890-1937  
(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1926=100)

Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)										Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin		
	Total Raw and Partly Manufactured	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)				Animal		Total	Field	Animal	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total		
		Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total															
*Number of Commodities...	245	95	91	186	46	59	105	52	18	70		37	20	57	62	141	203					
1890.....	56.1	54.0	67.0	61.0	45.3	44.3	44.7	47.9	48.7	48.2		40.6	35.6	37.9	62.0	82.0	73.1					
1895.....	47.8	44.9	49.1	47.2	43.0	42.5	42.7	41.2	45.6	42.8		39.5	36.8	38.1	52.4	70.5	62.4					
1900.....	52.3	47.2	51.7	49.6	49.5	49.4	49.5	41.3	52.2	45.4		43.3	42.4	42.8	60.9	73.6	67.9					
1905.....	58.9	57.1	60.6	59.0	53.9	51.9	52.8	49.7	55.7	51.9		51.5	48.4	49.8	59.2	69.1	64.7					
1910.....	64.2	63.0	61.8	62.4	64.9	64.3	64.6	55.8	68.7	60.6		60.5	49.7	54.7	59.0	65.3	62.5					
1913.....	63.8	58.4	59.9	59.2	73.0	67.8	70.1	56.4	77.0	64.1		67.0	54.0	60.1	64.1	70.9	67.9					
1914.....	66.2	65.9	64.6	65.2	75.6	70.7	70.7	65.4	78.3	70.2		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1915.....	72.5	71.1	77.8	73.7	76.0	72.7	73.7	76.9	79.5	77.9		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1916.....	86.4	86.4	85.4	87.6	86.8	85.8	86.1	88.8	91.4	88.8		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1917.....	113.6	113.5	131.2	113.3	111.8	111.8	112.5	134.5	118.4	128.5		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1918.....	120.8	127.7	132.7	133.2	125.7	129.0	129.0	142.6	133.6	146.7		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1919.....	130.3	132.1	144.8	140.5	146.4	139.7	142.6	165.5	150.8	160.6		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1920.....	154.1	156.5	176.9	176.4	146.8	145.4	146.0	166.5	150.8	163.7		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1921.....	107.2	116.1	101.8	110.7	106.6	104.7	111.0	108.2	109.5	103.7		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1922.....	94.7	100.4	86.3	95.3	91.2	95.3	96.3	81.4	99.0	88.0		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1923.....	91.1	103.1	83.6	101.2	93.1	90.8	99.4	95.7	73.3	95.1		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1924.....	94.8	101.9	89.4	102.7	96.6	91.5	90.4	90.9	82.7	97.2		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1925.....	100.8	103.8	100.6	105.9	104.0	100.0	100.0	98.2	105.6	101.0		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.2	105.6	101.0		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1927.....	99.9	96.5	99.0	99.9	106.6	95.8	100.5	99.9	105.7	102.1		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1928.....	97.4	95.0	90.2	93.9	92.2	91.7	105.1	92.6	104.3	100.7		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1929.....	97.5	93.0	89.5	90.7	114.7	98.5	105.5	93.8	112.5	100.8		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1930.....	82.2	87.3	67.4	84.0	103.7	89.4	95.6	70.0	102.9	82.3		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1931.....	61.9	74.8	44.0	69.5	77.6	71.6	73.9	43.6	73.9	56.3		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1932.....	55.0	69.8	41.0	67.1	55.1	59.9	61.1	60.6	41.1	60.7		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1933.....	56.6	70.2	45.3	59.3	59.0	62.5	61.0	45.8	59.7	51.0		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1934.....	63.5	73.4	54.2	73.9	64.8	69.0	68.2	53.8	67.7	59.0		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1935.....	66.0	72.8	56.2	69.9	71.6	69.9	70.6	57.8	74.0	63.5		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1936.....	70.8	73.6	63.8	73.8	69.2	73.6	72.4	65.8	71.4	69.4		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					
1937.....	84.3	80.5	82.8	83.1	82.7	76.2	79.0	88.3	85.0	87.1		67.0	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9					

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.

TABLE X.—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1890-1937

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913 = 100)

## PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES, 1913-1937

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Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)						Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin		
	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)			Animal			Field	Animal	Total	Articles of Marine Origin		Articles of Forest Origin		Articles of Mineral Origin				
	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total				Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total			
*Number of Commodities...	245	322	95	91	186	105	52	18	70	5	11	16	37	20	57	62	141	203
1890.....	88.0	101.8	92.5	111.8	98.1	63.7	84.9	63.3	79.5	60.6	64.8	63.9	60.6	66.0	61.1	96.8	115.6	104.8
1895.....	74.9	83.1	76.9	81.9	78.4	60.8	73.0	59.2	69.6	62.7	63.1	63.0	58.9	68.1	59.7	81.8	99.5	89.3
1900.....	81.9	88.7	80.9	86.3	82.5	70.3	73.2	67.8	71.9	69.7	66.4	67.1	64.6	78.6	65.8	95.0	103.8	98.8
1905.....	92.3	94.0	97.7	101.2	98.7	75.2	88.1	72.4	84.2	71.8	71.8	71.8	76.9	89.6	78.0	92.4	97.5	94.6
1910.....	100.7	97.3	107.9	103.2	106.5	91.9	98.9	89.2	96.5	93.3	83.8	85.7	90.3	92.0	90.4	92.0	92.1	92.0
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	103.8	101.3	112.8	107.9	109.6	103.6	108.7	101.9	110.8	92.1	99.2	97.6	92.3	102.8	96.0	96.0	95.5	96.0
1915.....	113.5	109.7	133.3	123.0	125.4	105.0	136.4	103.6	124.3	93.7	100.6	97.9	85.7	101.6	88.9	106.7	97.7	99.8
1916.....	178.0	175.3	224.6	198.4	209.4	158.6	238.4	153.8	207.5	127.6	134.5	133.0	122.6	134.1	124.9	154.0	162.1	133.7
1918.....	189.3	189.3	227.2	227.9	225.0	185.4	234.0	173.5	211.9	127.5	137.5	137.5	122.0	135.5	124.9	163.6	174.3	167.1
1919.....	204.2	203.9	247.9	234.6	239.2	206.1	252.8	199.3	233.1	152.5	171.5	171.5	137.5	163.6	141.3	174.3	167.1	167.1
1920.....	168.1	179.2	192.1	184.8	177.6	143.4	163.7	156.2	144.3	114.6	149.7	149.7	143.4	143.4	143.4	143.4	143.4	143.4
1921.....	148.5	155.0	147.7	169.1	152.9	130.6	142.1	135.2	138.5	114.7	150.7	150.7	142.7	142.7	142.7	142.7	142.7	142.7
1922.....	142.8	159.1	143.2	168.9	153.4	124.4	146.6	135.7	130.6	126.5	130.6	130.6	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5	126.5
1923.....	148.6	157.3	153.1	171.5	161.3	125.3	133.3	130.7	132.1	121.8	143.7	143.7	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.8
1924.....	158.0	160.2	172.2	178.5	175.7	137.6	148.3	142.9	174.1	137.2	150.0	150.0	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7
1925.....	156.7	158.3	172.2	167.0	171.7	136.9	147.4	142.9	174.1	137.2	150.0	150.0	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7
1926.....	156.5	148.9	165.3	161.8	165.3	145.9	141.2	143.2	177.2	137.2	150.0	150.0	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7	143.7
1928.....	152.6	146.6	154.6	156.8	152.7	144.0	149.6	164.3	158.2	122.9	165.9	155.4	148.4	181.4	166.0	147.4	139.3	135.2
1929.....	152.8	143.5	153.2	151.5	153.2	145.0	144.0	166.4	158.8	123.0	177.3	162.6	150.0	162.7	156.8	144.7	138.0	137.0
1930.....	128.8	134.7	115.4	140.3	128.8	135.2	140.3	135.2	140.3	127.7	110.4	160.8	146.3	135.7	148.7	134.4	127.8	130.9
1931.....	97.0	115.4	115.4	116.1	97.3	105.1	105.5	105.3	127.7	100.7	86.1	89.4	126.8	116.7	118.5	145.8	120.3	120.7
1932.....	86.2	107.7	70.2	112.1	82.8	82.0	90.1	86.6	72.9	78.8	75.1	71.4	68.8	75.1	71.4	68.8	75.1	75.1
1933.....	88.7	108.3	77.6	118.9	89.8	80.8	92.1	87.2	81.2	77.5	79.8	75.1	71.4	68.8	75.1	71.4	68.8	75.1
1934.....	99.5	113.3	92.8	123.4	103.3	90.4	102.9	97.5	95.4	87.9	92.6	76.6	72.7	110.2	113.9	118.9	118.9	118.9
1935.....	103.4	112.8	96.2	121.6	106.9	90.8	103.0	100.8	101.7	96.1	99.6	78.5	75.1	104.0	108.6	121.2	121.2	121.2
1936.....	110.9	113.6	109.2	123.2	116.8	90.8	105.2	103.3	116.7	97.7	109.6	85.3	82.3	113.1	113.1	122.2	122.2	122.2
1937.....	132.1	124.2	141.8	139.3	140.4	112.7	156.6	110.3	139.3	91.6	117.2	110.3	140.3	140.3	139.3	133.0	129.2	130.9

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.

TABLE XI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1935-1937

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	64.7	64.9	65.2	66.4	66.3	65.0	64.9	65.0	67.3	67.9	67.2	67.2
1936.....	68.0	67.5	67.3	66.8	66.2	66.6	69.7	73.0	73.9	75.2	75.8	79.3
1937.....	82.5	83.8	86.8	87.6	85.8	83.2	88.3	83.6	83.7	83.5	81.1	80.8
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	72.6	73.4	73.3	73.3	72.3	71.5	71.8	72.3	72.4	73.3	72.9	72.9
1936.....	72.7	72.2	72.1	72.3	71.7	71.9	73.3	74.8	74.9	75.2	75.4	77.3
1937.....	78.5	78.7	79.6	80.6	80.1	80.3	82.3	81.9	81.3	81.4	80.7	80.3
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	55.4	55.4	55.7	58.4	57.0	54.9	55.2	54.9	57.3	57.9	56.4	56.2
1936.....	57.2	55.9	56.3	56.2	55.0	57.1	63.8	70.3	70.4	72.1	71.8	73.0
1937.....	82.7	83.9	87.4	88.1	83.8	81.1	91.0	80.4	79.8	80.8	76.4	77.6
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	73.4	73.7	73.7	74.5	73.7	72.5	72.0	72.1	71.7	72.6	71.8	71.8
1936.....	72.0	71.3	71.4	71.1	70.5	70.3	73.2	75.6	75.5	77.5	77.6	80.7
1937.....	81.7	82.0	83.2	84.4	83.9	83.3	87.3	84.6	83.0	83.3	82.3	82.5
<b>Total—</b>												
1935.....	65.1	65.3	65.4	67.1	66.0	64.4	64.2	64.2	65.1	65.8	64.7	64.6
1936.....	65.2	64.2	64.4	64.2	63.3	64.2	68.9	73.1	73.1	75.0	74.9	79.5
1937.....	82.2	82.9	85.1	86.1	83.8	82.3	89.0	82.7	81.5	82.1	79.6	80.2
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	68.9	69.6	70.4	70.0	71.8	70.6	69.7	70.1	73.3	74.4	74.3	74.6
1936.....	75.8	75.8	73.9	72.4	72.6	70.3	70.1	70.5	72.9	74.3	76.8	78.0
1937.....	79.5	80.5	81.4	83.8	84.4	80.8	81.8	82.7	85.2	84.5	84.5	81.6
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	67.6	70.1	69.7	69.1	67.9	66.9	67.7	69.7	71.1	73.4	72.7	72.4
1936.....	71.5	70.0	69.5	70.3	68.9	69.9	71.1	73.1	73.9	72.3	72.6	73.5
1937.....	75.2	74.8	73.8	75.0	73.7	74.8	76.3	78.6	78.6	79.1	77.7	76.1
<b>Total—</b>												
1935.....	68.2	69.9	70.0	69.5	69.6	68.5	68.6	69.9	72.1	73.8	73.4	73.4
1936.....	73.4	72.5	71.4	71.2	70.5	70.1	70.7	72.0	73.5	73.2	74.4	75.5
1937.....	77.1	77.3	77.1	78.8	78.3	77.4	78.7	80.4	81.5	81.4	80.6	78.5
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
<b>Field (grains, etc.)—</b>												
1935.....	55.8	55.8	56.4	59.8	58.0	55.1	55.2	56.0	59.1	59.4	58.0	58.1
1936.....	59.0	58.9	59.2	59.8	59.9	60.8	63.2	74.1	74.2	76.4	75.6	83.4
1937.....	88.3	89.6	93.4	94.4	89.0	85.1	97.7	84.6	84.8	86.3	81.8	83.9
<b>Animal—</b>												
1935.....	71.0	72.5	73.3	72.9	74.4	72.0	71.1	72.4	75.5	76.7	77.1	77.9
1936.....	77.5	77.8	76.0	73.8	73.0	70.4	71.6	71.9	74.7	76.2	79.5	80.8
1937.....	82.1	82.6	84.2	86.3	85.7	81.4	83.9	85.5	88.8	86.9	87.4	84.6
<b>Total—</b>												
1935.....	61.5	62.9	62.7	64.7	64.1	61.4	61.1	62.1	65.2	65.9	65.1	65.5
1936.....	65.9	66.0	65.5	65.0	64.8	64.4	66.3	73.3	74.4	76.3	77.1	82.4
1937.....	86.0	87.0	90.0	91.4	87.8	83.7	92.5	84.9	86.3	86.5	83.9	84.2
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	63.2	61.9	61.7	58.7	54.1	61.4	54.6	61.1	68.6	69.4	64.4	61.9
1936.....	61.0	63.7	68.5	64.0	56.0	62.9	61.6	68.9	73.6	79.6	75.2	69.5
1937.....	68.7	69.1	57.2	60.9	62.1	70.5	68.5	83.0	84.7	85.6	82.1	72.8
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	75.5	75.4	75.5	73.6	71.4	72.0	72.5	69.9	68.8	68.6	70.7	70.3
1936.....	69.4	70.0	69.6	69.3	68.7	69.7	70.6	72.0	71.2	70.5	69.9	69.6
1937.....	69.3	69.5	69.7	72.1	71.3	72.2	72.4	70.9	73.4	72.6	73.7	73.8
<b>Total—</b>												
1935.....	72.2	71.7	71.8	69.6	66.7	69.1	67.7	67.5	68.7	68.8	69.0	68.0
1936.....	67.1	68.3	69.3	67.9	65.3	67.9	68.2	71.2	71.8	73.0	71.3	69.6
1937.....	69.1	69.4	66.3	69.1	68.8	71.7	71.3	74.2	76.4	76.1	76.0	73.5



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(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1935.....	74.7	74.9	74.2	73.2	73.2	73.1	74.0	73.8	75.5	74.8	75.4	76.8
1936.....	78.7	79.5	79.4	79.8	80.3	80.1	80.7	81.2	81.6	82.8	82.9	83.3
1937.....	86.8	89.3	95.8	98.0	98.5	96.1	96.6	96.3	94.9	92.8	91.7	91.3
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1935.....	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.0	56.1	56.5	56.5	56.5
1936.....	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.4	57.4	57.4	57.3	57.4	57.4	57.5
1937.....	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.9	61.1	61.2	61.2	61.2	61.3	61.2	61.2	61.3
Total—												
1935.....	64.7	64.8	64.5	64.0	64.0	64.0	64.4	64.3	65.1	65.0	65.3	66.0
1936.....	67.4	67.8	67.7	67.9	68.1	68.0	68.3	68.5	68.6	69.2	69.3	69.5
1937.....	72.9	74.0	77.1	78.2	78.5	77.5	77.7	77.6	77.0	75.9	75.4	75.3
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1935.....	78.0	78.0	78.1	79.2	79.0	79.2	79.2	79.8	80.5	81.5	81.4	80.8
1936.....	79.6	79.9	80.1	79.6	79.0	78.9	78.8	79.2	79.9	80.0	81.1	82.7
1937.....	84.0	85.6	88.8	86.3	86.4	85.4	86.0	86.1	85.6	84.0	82.7	82.3
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1935.....	85.8	85.9	86.0	85.6	83.7	83.5	84.9	85.1	84.7	84.5	84.5	84.7
1936.....	84.3	84.8	84.8	85.0	85.0	85.2	85.1	85.2	85.3	84.9	85.1	87.2
1937.....	87.4	88.2	91.0	92.0	91.9	92.2	92.7	93.2	93.3	92.8	92.6	92.2
Total—												
1935.....	82.3	82.4	82.5	82.7	81.9	81.6	82.4	82.7	82.8	83.2	83.1	83.0
1936.....	82.2	82.6	82.7	82.5	82.3	82.4	82.3	82.5	82.9	82.7	83.3	85.1
1937.....	85.9	87.1	90.0	89.5	89.5	89.2	89.7	90.1	89.9	88.9	88.2	87.8

TABLE XII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY  
GROUPS IN CANADA, 1935-1937

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	101.4	101.7	102.2	104.0	103.9	101.9	101.7	101.9	105.5	106.4	105.3	105.3
1936.....	106.6	105.8	105.5	104.7	103.7	104.4	109.2	114.4	115.8	117.8	118.8	124.3
1937.....	129.3	131.3	136.0	137.3	134.4	130.4	138.4	131.0	131.2	130.8	127.1	126.6
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1935.....	112.0	113.3	113.1	113.1	111.6	110.3	110.8	111.6	111.7	113.1	112.5	112.5
1936.....	112.2	111.4	111.3	111.6	110.6	110.9	113.1	115.4	115.6	116.0	116.3	119.3
1937.....	121.1	121.4	122.8	124.4	123.6	123.9	127.0	126.4	125.4	125.6	124.5	123.9
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1935.....	94.8	94.8	95.4	100.0	97.6	94.0	94.5	94.0	98.1	99.1	96.6	96.2
1936.....	97.9	95.7	96.4	96.2	94.2	97.8	109.2	120.4	120.5	123.4	122.9	133.5
1937.....	141.6	143.6	149.6	150.8	143.5	138.8	155.8	137.6	136.6	138.3	130.8	132.9
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1935.....	122.6	123.1	123.1	124.4	123.1	121.1	120.2	120.4	119.7	121.2	119.9	119.9
1936.....	120.2	119.1	119.2	118.7	117.7	117.4	122.2	126.3	126.1	129.4	129.6	134.8
1937.....	136.4	136.9	138.9	140.9	140.0	139.1	145.8	141.3	138.6	139.1	137.4	137.8
Total—												
1935.....	109.8	110.0	110.3	113.1	111.3	108.6	108.3	108.2	109.7	111.0	109.1	109.0
1936.....	109.9	108.3	108.7	108.3	106.9	108.3	116.2	123.5	123.5	126.7	126.5	134.2
1937.....	138.8	140.0	143.8	145.5	141.6	139.0	150.4	139.6	137.7	138.7	134.3	135.5

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(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1935.....	94.3	95.3	96.4	95.8	98.3	96.7	95.4	96.0	100.3	101.9	101.7	102.1
1936.....	103.8	103.8	101.2	99.1	99.4	96.2	96.0	96.5	99.8	101.7	105.1	106.8
1937.....	108.8	110.2	111.4	114.7	115.5	110.6	112.0	113.2	116.6	115.6	115.6	111.7
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1935.....	99.6	103.3	102.7	101.9	100.1	98.6	99.8	102.7	104.8	108.2	107.2	106.7
1936.....	105.4	103.2	102.4	103.6	101.6	103.0	104.8	107.7	108.9	106.6	107.0	108.3
1937.....	110.8	110.3	108.8	110.6	108.6	110.3	112.5	115.9	115.9	116.6	114.5	112.2
Total—												
1935.....	97.3	99.8	100.0	99.3	99.3	97.8	97.9	99.8	102.8	105.5	104.8	104.7
1936.....	104.7	103.4	101.9	101.7	100.6	100.1	101.0	102.9	105.0	104.5	106.2	107.7
1937.....	109.9	110.3	109.9	112.4	111.6	110.4	112.3	114.7	116.2	116.2	115.0	112.0
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
Field (grains, etc.)—												
1935.....	99.0	99.0	100.1	106.1	102.9	97.7	97.9	99.3	104.8	105.4	102.9	103.1
1936.....	104.7	104.5	105.0	106.1	106.3	107.9	112.1	131.5	131.6	135.5	134.1	148.0
1937.....	156.6	159.0	165.7	167.5	157.9	151.0	173.3	150.1	150.4	153.1	145.1	148.8
Animal—												
1935.....	92.2	94.1	95.1	94.6	96.6	93.5	92.3	94.0	98.0	99.6	100.1	101.1
1936.....	100.6	101.0	98.6	95.8	94.8	91.4	92.9	93.3	97.0	98.9	103.2	104.9
1937.....	106.6	107.2	109.3	112.0	111.2	105.7	108.9	111.0	115.3	112.8	112.4	109.8
Total—												
1935.....	96.5	97.2	98.2	101.8	100.5	96.1	95.8	97.3	102.3	103.2	101.9	102.4
1936.....	103.2	103.2	102.6	102.2	102.0	101.7	104.9	117.2	118.7	121.8	122.5	131.9
1937.....	137.9	139.6	144.6	146.7	140.4	134.1	149.2	135.5	137.3	138.0	133.2	134.2
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1935.....	80.3	78.7	78.4	74.6	68.8	78.0	69.4	77.7	87.2	88.2	81.9	78.7
1936.....	77.5	81.0	87.1	81.3	71.2	79.9	78.3	87.6	93.5	101.2	95.6	88.3
1937.....	87.3	87.8	72.7	77.4	78.9	89.6	87.0	105.5	107.7	108.8	104.3	92.5
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1935.....	123.4	123.2	123.4	120.3	116.7	117.6	118.5	114.2	112.4	112.1	115.5	114.9
1936.....	113.4	114.4	113.7	113.2	112.3	113.9	115.4	117.6	116.3	115.2	114.2	113.7
1937.....	113.2	113.6	113.9	117.8	116.5	118.0	118.3	115.9	119.9	118.6	120.4	120.6
Total—												
1935.....	111.7	111.2	111.2	107.9	103.7	106.9	105.2	104.3	105.6	105.6	106.4	105.1
1936.....	103.7	105.3	106.5	104.6	101.1	104.7	105.3	109.5	110.2	111.4	109.2	106.9
1937.....	106.2	106.6	102.8	106.9	106.3	110.3	109.8	113.1	116.6	115.9	116.0	113.0
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1935.....	111.5	111.8	110.8	109.3	109.3	109.1	110.5	110.2	112.7	111.7	112.6	114.7
1936.....	117.5	118.7	118.5	119.1	119.9	119.6	120.5	121.2	121.8	123.6	123.8	124.4
1937.....	129.6	133.3	143.0	146.3	147.0	143.5	144.2	143.8	141.7	138.6	136.9	136.3
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1935.....	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8	104.0	104.7	104.7	104.7
1936.....	106.5	106.7	106.5	106.7	106.5	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.2	106.4	106.4	106.5
1937.....	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.8	113.2	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.6	113.4	113.4	113.6
Total—												
1935.....	107.4	107.5	107.1	106.4	106.4	106.3	106.9	106.8	108.1	108.0	108.4	109.4
1936.....	111.7	112.3	112.1	112.5	112.8	112.5	112.9	113.3	113.5	114.4	114.5	114.9
1937.....	120.5	122.2	126.7	128.4	129.0	127.4	127.8	127.6	126.7	125.1	124.4	124.2
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1935.....	121.8	121.8	121.9	123.6	124.3	123.6	123.6	124.6	125.7	127.2	127.1	126.1
1936.....	124.3	124.7	125.0	124.3	123.3	123.2	123.0	123.6	124.7	124.9	126.6	129.1
1937.....	131.1	133.6	138.6	134.7	134.9	133.3	134.2	134.4	133.6	131.1	129.1	128.5
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1935.....	121.0	121.1	121.3	120.7	118.0	117.7	119.7	120.0	119.4	119.1	119.1	119.4
1936.....	118.9	119.6	119.6	119.9	119.9	120.1	120.0	120.1	120.3	119.7	120.0	123.0
1937.....	123.2	124.4	128.3	129.7	129.6	130.0	130.7	131.4	131.6	130.8	130.6	130.0
Total—												
1935.....	121.4	121.4	121.6	122.0	120.8	120.3	121.4	122.1	122.2	122.7	122.7	122.4
1936.....	121.3	121.9	122.0	121.8	121.4	121.5	121.3	121.7	122.3	122.0	122.9	125.7
1937.....	126.7	128.5	132.9	131.9	132.0	131.5	132.3	132.7	132.5	130.9	129.9	129.3

TABLE XIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1933-1937

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)					
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	45.3	54.2	56.2	63.8	82.8
Fruits, fresh, domestic.....	74.4				
Fruits, fresh.....	78.7	82.7	77.3	80.4	93.6
Fruits, dried.....	86.0	86.6	82.6	81.4	84.1
Grains.....	44.3	54.9	58.8	66.3	92.6
Rubber, raw.....	14.3	27.1	25.3	34.9	42.5
Sugar, raw.....	51.4	41.1	39.3	39.1	45.8
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	63.6	71.7	70.7	73.2	79.0
Tobacco.....	43.4	41.4	42.7	48.9	54.9
Vegetables.....					
Potatoes.....	44.4	33.9	33.4	67.5	54.6
Onions.....	73.5	73.2	81.0	71.3	
Roots.....	71.8				101.5
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	57.4	77.1	71.7	64.2	72.9
Cotton, raw.....	53.7	70.4	69.6	71.1	67.7
Miscellaneous fibres.....	46.0	30.7	42.0	61.3	68.4
Pharmaceuticals.....	66.7	70.0	69.9	75.8	70.0
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	71.2	73.9	72.8	73.8	83.4
Evaporated apples.....	68.1				
Canned fruits.....	68.7	68.5	70.0	67.9	67.8
Flour and other milled products.....	58.3	68.3	69.8	75.5	97.1
Bakery products.....	81.7	82.8	83.0	84.0	91.1
Vegetable oils.....	56.1	56.3	70.8	74.5	80.1
Rubbers.....	66.7	67.1	67.1	67.8	70.2
Tires and tubes.....	47.3	48.6	50.8	50.3	54.9
Sugar products and glucose.....	97.8	93.8	82.1	78.8	84.8
Chocolate and cocoa butter.....	62.3	57.6	57.6	65.5	81.8
Canned vegetables.....	76.1	73.4	72.2	76.2	81.9
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	72.3	76.0	76.0	68.6	69.0
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	48.7	55.6	50.3	50.2	52.5
Cotton yarn and thread.....	82.3	85.5	82.2	82.7	86.4
Sash cord.....	105.2	109.1	102.1	93.5	92.6
Cotton fabrics.....	77.6	78.7	76.4	72.6	76.9
Cotton knit goods.....	77.8	81.1	82.6	82.3	84.0
Chemicals.....	77.3	80.9	80.8	87.0	87.9
Soap.....	92.6	87.1	85.1	85.4	91.1
(c) Total.....	59.3	64.8	65.1	69.2	83.1
(B) ANIMAL					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	59.0	66.0	71.6	73.6	82.7
Live Stock.....	55.3	69.4	79.4	72.5	91.3
Furs.....	55.7	56.9	51.7	59.8	70.4
Hides and skins.....	56.4	57.7	69.2	80.4	101.9
Meats.....	55.6	65.4	73.8	71.1	85.3
Poultry.....	48.4	51.5	52.8	64.1	65.6
Milk.....	64.8	71.2	77.3	79.1	87.0
Eggs.....	53.2	60.2	60.5	67.3	63.2
Silk, raw.....	28.2	21.0	27.0	28.8	30.3
Wool, raw.....	47.0	61.3	50.4	68.1	89.3
Shellac.....	37.1	65.9	43.6	39.6	35.5
Fertilizers.....	87.8	100.8	99.3	99.3	99.3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	62.5	69.8	69.9	71.4	76.4
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	49.8	73.7	70.4	69.8	71.8
Oils, fats, etc.....	54.4	57.8	77.1	69.9	75.7
Leather.....	79.3	77.7	79.0	87.1	97.7
Boots and shoes.....	89.4	87.3	85.3	88.4	93.7
Milk, condensed and evaporated.....	88.5	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2
Butter.....	56.0	59.2	60.6	62.2	69.0
Cheese.....	52.5	58.9	62.7	70.5	77.1
Silk products.....	55.5	53.9	51.7	51.0	52.1
Spool and machine twist.....	62.8	63.9	63.9	62.3	64.0
Silk fabrics.....	51.5	49.4	46.3	45.5	47.0
Silk hosiery.....	66.5	65.9	65.8	65.8	65.3
Wool products.....	76.0	82.8	77.5	81.1	86.0
Wool yarns.....	69.3	88.5	82.2	85.1	91.0
Wool cloth.....	73.9	79.6	72.9	78.3	83.3
Wool blankets.....	67.7	83.3	76.5	81.3	101.4

\* Previous to 1934: Tires.



TABLE XIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1933-1937—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)— <i>Concluded</i>					
(B) ANIMAL— <i>Concluded</i>					
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles— <i>Con.</i>					
Wool products— <i>Con.</i>					
Wool carpets.....	85.4	88.5	92.5	90.6	95.0
Wool hosiery and knit goods.....	81.5	91.3	87.1	86.8	89.0
Glycerine.....	41.1	49.7	53.3	62.3	69.7
(c) Total.....	61.0	68.2	70.6	72.4	79.0
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS					
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	45.8	53.8	57.3	65.8	88.3
(b) Animal.....	59.7	67.7	74.0	75.3	85.0
(c) Total.....	51.0	59.0	63.5	69.4	87.1
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	56.2	60.3	61.8	67.1	72.1
Fish, salt.....	39.7	28.4	31.8	26.6	33.3
Fish, fresh.....	59.1	65.9	67.1	74.2	78.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	65.4	75.1	72.0	70.1	71.7
Dried or prepared fish.....	64.9	78.7	67.7	64.8	72.6
Canned fish.....	65.6	73.2	74.2	72.8	71.3
(c) Total.....	62.9	71.1	69.2	69.3	71.8
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	69.7	76.3	74.5	80.8	94.0
Lumber and Timber.....	70.8	78.6	77.8	86.3	98.1
Camphor.....	53.2	63.7	65.9	65.9	71.0
Woodpulp.....	67.3	70.9	66.9	68.3	84.6
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	57.2	56.1	56.1	57.5	61.1
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	55.3	53.9	54.0	55.4	58.1
Furniture.....	63.9	65.7	66.8	69.5	82.0
Matches.....	76.2	76.2	76.2	77.4	77.9
Artificial Silk Products.....	60.9	56.1	50.5	46.2	43.5
Alcohol, methyl.....	80.5	75.2	86.2	84.9	83.3
Formaldehyde.....	72.9	61.5	59.8	53.6	57.3
Tanning extracts.....	105.9	112.0	108.9	108.8	112.9
(c) Total.....	63.0	65.5	64.7	68.4	76.4
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	75.6	77.5	79.6	79.9	85.2
Pig Iron.....	83.0	82.8	83.0	83.3	99.5
Scrap.....	40.7	55.6	56.5	62.2	82.8
Non-ferrous metals.....	65.5	64.9	70.0	69.9	80.8
Non-metallic minerals.....	82.8	85.7	86.2	86.6	87.3
Chemicals.....	77.6	76.6	77.9	76.1	75.2
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	84.6	86.0	85.3	85.2	91.6
Pipe.....	89.0	89.0	85.2	85.1	97.9
Rolling mill products.....	90.9	90.9	92.0	93.0	108.5
Wire and wire goods.....	81.8	86.7	86.8	87.2	99.1
Hardware.....	86.7	87.3	87.5	86.3	90.0
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	105.4
Non-ferrous metal products.....	64.2	67.6	70.5	76.7	100.4
Non-metallic mineral products.....	82.3	84.9	83.6	83.5	85.2
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	86.1	84.5	82.4	79.7	81.8
(c) Total.....	80.6	82.2	82.8	82.8	88.8

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)												
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials	82-7	83-9	87-4	88-1	83-8	81-1	91-0	80-4	79-8	80-8	76-4	77-6
Fruits, fresh	84-1	87-6	84-2	87-8	93-3	102-8	112-1	107-1	101-5	106-2	82-4	73-4
Fruits, dried	85-0	86-0	85-0	85-0	85-0	85-0	85-0	84-2	82-3	82-3	81-9	81-1
Grains	90-8	91-7	96-6	98-5	93-1	89-3	102-5	89-7	90-4	92-1	87-0	89-2
Rubber, raw	46-3	46-8	52-8	52-2	48-2	44-6	41-8	39-6	39-6	34-9	31-3	32-0
Sugar, raw	44-1	43-4	45-8	45-2	44-2	47-4	47-6	47-6	46-6	46-6	45-8	45-5
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices	81-5	81-6	81-7	80-2	79-1	78-9	78-2	78-4	78-4	76-8	76-8	75-2
Tobacco	55-5	55-5	55-5	55-5	55-5	55-5	55-5	55-5	55-5	55-5	51-5	52-4
Vegetables												
Potatoes	80-3	87-8	80-3	69-4	59-3	52-0	64-0	37-8	31-5	31-3	30-6	30-7
Onions	77-8	83-3	85-5	83-9	89-3	89-3	115-8	110-9	94-8	112-8	134-3	140-9
Miscellaneous Vegetable products	69-9	69-5	69-4	69-3	70-4	70-0	73-1	72-9	73-0	74-2	75-9	76-8
Cotton, raw	75-9	77-2	84-3	82-1	78-0	75-3	74-8	63-7	53-9	50-9	48-8	50-1
Miscellaneous fibres	66-9	66-8	68-2	73-3	74-4	74-4	74-3	70-6	70-0	62-6	61-3	58-9
Pharmaceuticals	69-5	69-5	71-0	71-0	70-0	69-5	69-5	69-0	69-0	73-5	68-5	68-5
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles	81-7	82-0	83-2	84-4	83-8	83-3	87-3	84-6	83-0	83-3	82-3	82-5
Canned fruits	71-9	70-3	70-3	69-7	69-7	68-7	66-1	66-0	65-4	65-4	65-4	65-4
Flour and other milled products	97-0	97-3	99-3	99-6	97-7	94-0	107-0	98-1	92-9	95-0	93-0	94-5
Bakery products	83-9	85-3	85-3	89-7	89-7	92-5	94-0	94-0	94-0	94-0	94-0	94-0
Vegetable oils	87-7	84-2	86-4	85-0	81-8	79-9	78-8	77-1	78-1	77-8	73-3	71-2
Rubbers	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	71-7	71-7	71-7	71-7	71-7	71-7	71-7
Tires and tubes	53-3	53-3	53-3	53-3	54-1	54-7	54-7	54-7	57-0	57-0	57-0	57-0
Sugar products and glucose	81-4	81-5	84-1	84-4	84-6	84-9	86-2	86-1	86-3	86-3	86-2	85-8
Chocolate and cocoa butter	94-0	87-8	87-8	86-7	82-6	80-9	79-5	80-8	80-8	77-4	72-7	71-6
Canned vegetables	84-1	83-7	83-7	84-7	84-7	84-9	84-7	83-6	77-6	77-6	76-4	76-4
Miscellaneous vegetable products	70-5	72-4	71-3	70-1	69-9	69-7	69-1	68-5	67-7	66-7	66-5	66-2
Miscellaneous fibre products	50-7	50-7	50-7	53-8	55-4	53-9	52-8	52-8	52-8	52-8	52-5	52-7
Cotton yarn and thread	86-4	87-2	88-5	90-2	90-2	88-5	88-5	86-7	84-6	82-1	82-1	82-1
Sash cord	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-5	93-6	93-5	91-4	91-4	87-4
Cotton fabrics	74-4	76-0	76-8	79-4	79-4	79-4	79-3	79-3	76-3	75-0	73-7	73-7
Cotton knit goods	82-3	82-3	83-2	84-6	84-6	84-6	84-6	84-6	85-0	85-0	83-9	83-9
Chemicals	87-0	87-0	87-4	87-4	87-4	88-4	88-4	88-4	88-4	88-4	88-5	88-5
Soap	85-4	88-3	91-9	91-9	91-9	91-9	91-9	91-9	91-9	91-9	91-9	91-9
(c) Total	82-2	82-9	85-1	86-1	83-8	82-3	89-0	82-7	81-5	82-1	79-6	80-2
(B) ANIMAL												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials	79-5	80-5	81-4	83-8	84-4	80-8	81-8	82-7	85-2	84-5	84-5	81-6
Live stock	78-7	80-0	87-6	94-2	92-8	98-9	101-6	104-2	100-1	88-7	85-2	83-1
Furs	62-9	75-1	73-6	73-6	72-8	72-8	67-2	67-2	64-3	64-3	64-3	62-0
Hides and skins	114-1	109-3	114-2	120-9	112-4	84-2	99-4	107-2	107-2	95-1	85-2	73-0
Meats, fresh	57-6	75-6	79-2	86-3	90-7	95-7	93-6	93-1	89-4	85-1	80-7	77-7
Poultry	57-6	61-1	61-1	61-1	64-9	94-9	64-9	68-7	72-5	68-7	68-7	68-7
Milk, fresh	86-4	88-6	88-8	89-0	89-0	80-8	80-7	80-7	87-0	88-6	92-4	91-6
Eggs	64-2	56-9	52-5	53-1	52-7	54-0	62-0	64-8	71-6	78-3	80-0	70-8
Silk, raw	33-3	32-4	32-4	31-9	30-2	30-4	32-3	30-8	30-2	27-7	26-7	25-6
Wool raw	92-3	94-7	92-3	91-5	100-9	96-8	98-0	96-0	90-0	78-0	71-9	68-6
Shellac	38-5	38-8	38-5	38-5	36-6	34-4	33-6	33-6	33-6	33-6	33-6	33-6
Fertilizers	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3	99-3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles	75-2	74-8	73-8	75-0	73-7	74-8	76-3	78-6	78-6	79-1	77-7	76-1
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared	68-4	68-0	63-6	64-6	66-2	66-5	70-9	83-4	81-6	81-2	75-6	71-5
Oils, fats, etc.	81-9	81-5	76-1	78-9	76-5	77-6	75-7	75-9	74-2	75-1	71-0	62-4
Leather	93-0	93-7	97-8	99-6	99-6	99-6	100-0	100-0	98-0	96-6	94-3	84-3
Boots and shoes	89-4	90-2	91-2	92-2	93-8	95-1	95-1	95-1	96-1	95-5	95-5	95-5
Milk, condensed and evaporated	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2	87-2
Butter	69-1	66-7	67-8	70-8	60-8	63-7	66-7	69-3	69-1	71-1	75-8	76-8
Cheese	78-2	75-2	75-5	74-0	77-0	79-2	80-9	71-0	77-6	79-0	77-6	77-6
Silk products	50-3	52-7	52-7	52-9	52-9	52-9	52-9	52-9	52-9	52-3	50-0	50-0
Spool and machine twist	62-3	62-3	62-3	64-6	64-6	64-6	64-6	64-6	64-6	64-6	64-6	64-6
Silk fabrics	44-6	48-0	48-0	48-0	48-0	48-0	48-0	48-0	48-0	47-2	43-9	43-9
Silk hosiery	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3	65-3
Wool products	86-1	86-4	85-5	86-4	86-6	87-0	87-0	87-0	86-0	86-0	84-5	83-7
Wool yarns	90-7	91-1	90-9	92-3	93-1	93-1	93-5	93-7	93-0	90-2	89-2	80-5
Wool cloth	84-4	84-4	83-1	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	82-8	82-8	80-7	79-7
Wool blankets	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1

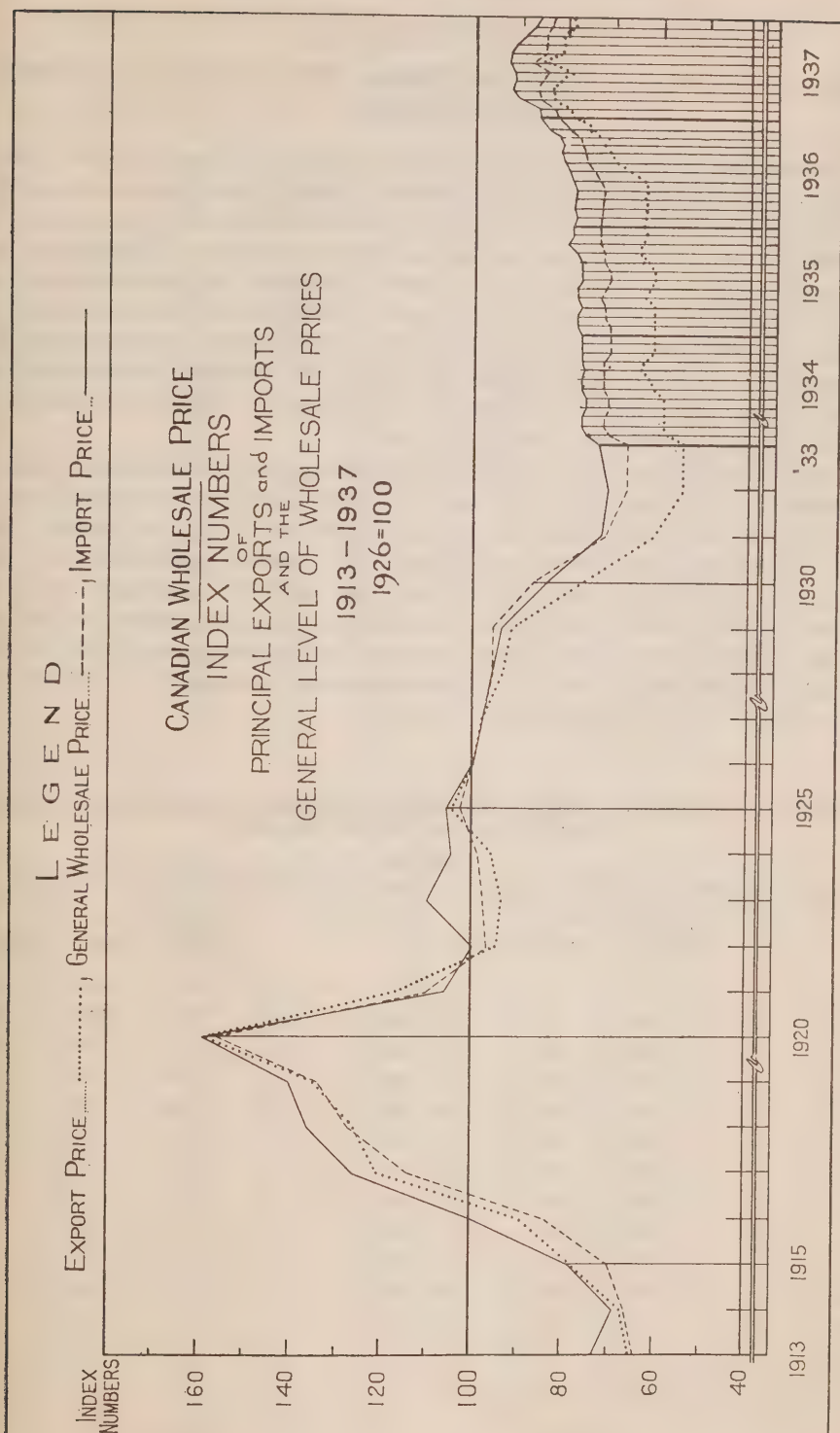
TABLE XIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1937—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)— <i>Concluded</i>												
(B) ANIMAL— <i>Con.</i>												
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles— <i>Con.</i>												
Wool products— <i>Con.</i>												
Wool carpets.....	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1	92.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
Wool hosiery and knit goods.....	87.4	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	89.7	89.7	89.7	89.7
Glycerine.....	94.1	108.5	108.5	108.5	92.3	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	85.0	74.2	67.0
(c) Total.....	77.1	77.3	77.1	78.8	78.3	77.4	78.7	80.4	81.5	81.4	80.6	78.5
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS												
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	88.3	89.6	93.4	94.4	89.0	85.1	97.7	84.6	84.8	86.3	81.8	83.9
(b) Animal.....	82.1	82.6	84.2	86.3	85.7	81.4	83.9	85.5	88.8	86.9	87.4	84.6
(c) Total.....	86.0	87.0	90.0	91.4	87.8	83.7	92.5	84.9	86.3	86.5	83.9	84.2
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	68.7	69.1	57.2	60.9	62.1	70.5	68.5	83.0	84.7	85.6	82.1	72.8
Fish, salt.....	24.9	29.1	33.2	43.6	42.5	37.4	32.7	30.6	32.2	32.2	32.2	29.6
Fish, fresh.....	76.4	76.2	61.4	64.0	65.5	76.3	74.8	92.2	94.0	95.0	90.9	80.4
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	69.3	69.5	69.7	72.1	71.3	72.2	72.4	70.9	73.4	72.6	73.7	73.8
Dried or prepared fish.....	67.3	67.3	67.9	75.3	75.3	75.9	75.3	69.9	74.7	72.0	74.7	74.7
Canned fish.....	70.4	70.6	70.7	70.4	69.2	70.2	70.9	71.4	72.7	72.9	73.2	73.4
(c) Total.....	69.1	69.4	66.3	69.1	68.8	71.7	71.3	74.2	76.4	76.1	76.0	73.5
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	86.8	89.3	95.8	98.0	98.5	96.1	96.6	96.3	94.9	92.8	91.7	91.3
Lumber and timber.....	92.7	96.1	104.5	105.0	104.9	101.1	99.5	98.6	96.4	93.5	92.4	92.5
Camphor.....	65.9	65.9	68.3	68.3	68.3	68.3	68.3	73.2	73.2	73.2	79.3	79.3
Woodpulp.....	73.2	73.6	75.9	81.9	83.8	84.8	89.9	91.0	91.5	91.1	90.2	88.7
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.9	61.1	61.2	61.2	61.2	61.3	61.2	61.2	61.3
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	58.0	58.0	58.0	58.1	58.1	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.2	58.1	58.1	58.2
Furniture.....	70.0	70.0	79.1	81.1	83.1	83.1	83.1	83.1	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5
Matches.....	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
Artificial silk products.....	45.8	45.8	45.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8
Alcohol, methyl.....	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	82.8
Formaldehyde.....	43.9	57.1	65.9	65.9	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1	57.1	52.7	61.5
Tanning extracts.....	112.4	112.4	112.4	112.5	112.4	112.5	112.4	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6
(c) Total.....	72.9	74.0	77.1	78.2	78.5	77.5	77.7	77.6	77.0	75.9	75.4	75.3
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	84.0	85.6	88.8	86.3	86.4	85.4	86.0	86.1	85.6	84.0	82.7	82.3
Pig iron.....	87.2	91.0	101.3	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7
Scrap.....	69.3	81.9	88.8	97.6	90.6	81.7	81.7	81.7	91.3	86.9	72.2	70.5
Non-ferrous metals.....	81.3	84.4	93.5	85.1	83.2	80.6	82.1	82.4	79.5	74.9	72.0	71.1
Non-metallic minerals.....	86.4	86.6	85.7	87.4	87.6	87.8	87.8	88.1	88.2	88.4	88.4	88.4
Chemicals.....	74.9	74.5	74.9	75.8	75.4	75.3	76.2	76.4	76.1	75.9	74.6	73.8
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	87.4	88.2	91.0	92.0	91.9	92.2	92.7	93.2	93.3	92.8	92.6	92.2
Pipe.....	86.5	86.5	93.9	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	100.4	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7
Rolling mill products.....	97.8	99.5	106.5	109.3	109.4	110.4	110.4	111.6	111.6	111.6	111.4	111.4
Wire and wire goods.....	91.7	91.7	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2
Hardware.....	88.4	88.4	85.6	86.4	89.3	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.7	91.7
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5
Non-ferrous metal products.....	94.8	97.6	119.0	114.3	105.9	103.4	103.8	104.2	103.4	91.5	85.9	81.6
Non-metallic mineral products.....	83.9	84.7	84.7	84.9	85.0	85.2	85.4	85.8	85.9	85.7	85.7	85.4
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	80.2	80.2	81.3	82.5	82.3	82.2	82.4	82.5	82.2	82.0	81.9	81.4
(c) Total.....	85.9	87.1	90.0	89.5	89.5	89.2	89.7	90.1	89.9	88.9	88.2	87.8





## WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

The index numbers of wholesale prices of principal exports and imports presented herewith have been designed primarily to indicate the influence of commodities entering into international trade upon internal price levels. For that reason, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics general wholesale price index number has been used as a pattern for construction. The base year, 1926, is the same for both series, and the weighted arithmetic aggregative method of compilation was employed in both cases. The prices used in the export and import series have been taken from the general wholesale series. Only in weighting did it appear advisable to use slightly different procedure. Instead of referring to the base year, weights were computed from averages of the volumes of imports and exports for the years 1926-1931 inclusive. The rapidly changing volume of trade for certain commodities made this seem advisable.

The predominant position of raw materials in Canada's export trade contributed largely to a pronounced rise in an index of wholesale prices for more important exports from May, 1936, to July, 1937. A corresponding series for imports advanced less rapidly but remained higher relative to 1926 price levels than the export index. The margin of import prices over export prices on this basis has been reduced from almost 30 per cent at the beginning of 1934 to approximately 10 per cent at the end of 1937. During 1937, however, the price position of imports improved slightly relative to that for exports, with the import index advancing from 83.4 to 86.0 and that for exports from 75.7 to 78.9. December figures for both series were well below mid-summer peaks of 92.5 for imports and 85.8 for exports.

**TABLE XV—CANADIAN INDEX NUMBERS OF GENERAL WHOLESALE PRICES,  
EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1937**

(1926=100)

—	General Wholesale Prices	Exports	Imports	—	General Wholesale Prices	Exports	Imports
1913.....	64.0	64.7	73.0	1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	65.5	66.5	69.3	1927.....	97.7	97.8	97.7
1915.....	70.4	78.1	77.5	1928.....	96.4	94.2	96.1
1916.....	84.3	88.7	100.0	1929.....	95.6	92.2	94.2
1917.....	114.3	120.5	125.6	1930.....	86.6	77.4	83.7
1918.....	127.4	126.2	135.5	1931.....	72.1	60.5	72.4
1919.....	134.0	134.8	139.6	1932.....	66.7	54.9	70.5
1920.....	155.9	158.1	158.8	1933.....	67.1	55.2	73.0
1921.....	110.0	116.5	105.8	1934.....	71.6	60.6	76.5
1922.....	97.3	94.7	100.4	1935.....	72.1	62.2	77.9
1923.....	98.0	93.5	110.0	1936.....	74.6	66.8	79.4
1924.....	90.4	95.7	105.0	1937.....	84.6	81.1	89.8
1925.....	102.6	104.5	105.6				

TABLE XVI—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF EXPORTS  
AND IMPORTS, 1913-1937

(1926=100)

## EXPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Exports
913.....	60.6	61.3	63.2	58.3	73.9	89.0	98.7	75.3	64.7
914.....	67.8	60.2	59.6	58.4	71.6	82.6	80.1	75.1	66.5
915.....	84.7	63.3	66.4	57.3	82.7	113.7	106.6	75.1	78.1
916.....	91.9	74.3	82.7	63.4	111.9	143.7	106.6	74.2	88.7
917.....	142.4	94.9	166.3	78.6	160.6	141.8	122.0	85.6	120.5
918.....	145.5	107.5	196.1	88.9	177.9	126.1	128.7	105.6	126.2
919.....	151.1	142.8	181.7	106.4	148.3	119.3	128.3	108.2	134.8
920.....	168.2	136.9	139.7	156.2	196.1	129.9	152.4	128.9	158.1
921.....	109.9	96.5	95.5	141.6	137.9	90.3	138.6	120.6	116.5
922.....	84.4	96.5	82.5	105.9	110.3	90.2	129.1	106.9	94.7
923.....	77.1	92.6	94.9	114.2	124.0	92.9	101.7	100.4	93.5
924.....	88.2	82.6	104.4	108.9	118.8	96.2	99.7	98.1	95.7
925.....	107.7	94.7	114.3	103.9	107.1	106.1	93.4	98.1	104.5
926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
927.....	97.0	105.3	88.1	99.1	97.4	90.7	89.2	100.7	97.8
928.....	88.8	111.3	95.3	98.7	91.9	87.5	83.8	98.2	94.2
929.....	89.3	107.9	85.8	91.9	91.3	83.0	83.7	95.6	92.2
930.....	65.3	94.2	69.5	87.3	87.4	75.4	81.5	92.9	77.4
931.....	41.7	70.7	56.7	78.3	82.7	66.2	67.8	87.9	60.5
932.....	40.4	55.7	39.6	68.1	81.3	65.2	66.1	68.3	54.9
933.....	44.9	58.0	46.1	60.0	75.8	68.6	65.7	69.9	55.2
934.....	53.4	64.5	59.1	62.5	78.0	67.6	71.2	72.2	60.6
935.....	56.7	65.7	49.5	60.8	78.0	73.8	70.5	71.7	62.2
936.....	63.9	69.5	61.4	65.0	80.1	71.1	69.4	71.8	66.8
937.....	87.2	76.5	73.1	72.1	95.2	79.9	69.7	72.1	81.1

## IMPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Imports
913.....	78.0	92.3	63.3	.....	75.7	93.6	61.9	51.9	73.0
914.....	80.2	95.6	60.5	.....	68.6	79.1	55.2	55.4	69.3
915.....	92.1	104.9	57.0	.....	77.7	98.2	64.7	61.4	77.5
916.....	105.7	129.0	79.8	.....	112.2	146.9	67.6	88.5	100.0
917.....	122.1	148.0	117.4	.....	154.6	160.4	75.8	102.7	125.6
918.....	132.2	147.0	150.2	.....	152.3	162.9	86.4	116.9	135.5
919.....	145.6	212.9	167.6	.....	137.5	115.6	96.4	99.5	139.6
920.....	200.6	178.8	172.7	.....	152.1	116.4	118.5	114.1	158.8
921.....	102.8	101.4	98.4	.....	116.8	76.8	114.0	105.9	105.8
922.....	98.4	102.4	105.7	.....	101.2	79.2	104.4	99.2	100.4
923.....	113.7	191.6	127.7	.....	114.2	88.5	94.0	97.1	110.0
924.....	105.7	97.1	113.5	.....	113.2	88.2	93.8	95.7	105.0
925.....	111.9	108.2	112.9	.....	104.7	96.0	95.7	95.5	105.6
926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
927.....	102.0	111.7	92.4	.....	98.1	94.7	93.2	98.0	97.7
928.....	94.0	132.0	94.7	.....	94.8	99.7	88.4	92.3	96.1
929.....	85.6	113.3	93.4	.....	95.0	116.9	89.4	92.0	94.2
930.....	75.0	94.5	75.5	.....	91.1	84.7	87.3	87.5	83.7
931.....	60.1	72.5	59.9	.....	88.7	57.5	80.3	83.3	72.4
932.....	57.6	59.1	52.6	.....	91.1	46.5	84.8	86.3	70.5
933.....	61.4	67.7	57.3	.....	92.2	59.1	79.4	86.9	73.0
934.....	65.0	69.7	64.2	.....	92.7	66.7	83.6	88.0	76.5
935.....	68.5	74.6	63.6	.....	94.4	68.0	82.5	89.7	77.9
936.....	68.4	78.7	67.7	.....	96.3	71.5	82.0	86.9	79.4
937.....	79.7	89.9	72.1	.....	114.5	93.6	82.8	85.1	89.8



TABLE XVII—MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1936 AND 1937

(1926=100)

Commodity Groups	—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
EXPORTS														
Total Exports .....	1936 1937	63.1 78.7	62.6 80.0	62.5 83.7	62.5 83.8	61.9 81.3	62.5 79.6	66.9 85.8	69.6 81.0	70.4 80.7	72.2 80.7	71.9 78.4	75.7 78.9	66.8 81.1
Vegetable Products .....	1936 1937	57.9 85.0	56.3 86.1	56.3 90.7	55.7 91.4	53.7 86.6	54.9 83.3	64.3 96.3	70.0 85.5	70.7 85.5	74.8 87.3	73.6 82.9	81.5 85.3	63.9 87.2
Animals and Their Products .....	1936 1937	68.4 73.3	67.2 73.8	65.9 74.5	65.7 75.6	66.9 73.9	68.7 75.8	70.2 78.5	71.5 78.7	72.9 78.8	72.4 77.8	72.4 77.2	71.3 74.8	69.5 76.5
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products .....	1936 1937	56.0 74.7	57.7 75.5	58.1 74.3	61.3 74.9	60.0 79.1	61.3 77.4	63.0 77.4	63.0 76.6	63.0 74.1	62.1 66.9	63.8 64.8	67.6 63.1	61.4 73.1
Wood, Wood Products and Paper .....	1936 1937	62.6 69.5	63.5 70.7	63.5 73.0	64.1 74.1	64.9 74.3	64.6 73.1	65.0 73.9	65.5 73.0	66.1 71.8	66.9 70.9	66.7 70.1	66.2 70.0	65.0 72.1
Iron and Its Products .....	1936 1937	78.0 86.2	78.0 90.6	78.0 97.3	79.7 98.8	80.3 97.0	80.3 94.6	80.3 94.6	80.3 94.6	80.3 97.5	80.3 97.5	80.3 97.5	85.0 96.3	80.1 95.2
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products .....	1936 1937	70.0 80.6	70.0 82.6	70.6 90.1	70.7 83.0	69.5 80.8	69.2 79.4	69.4 80.6	70.0 80.9	71.0 78.7	71.0 75.5	73.8 73.8	77.7 73.0	71.1 79.9
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products .....	1936 1937	68.8 69.1	69.5 69.3	69.5 69.3	69.5 69.3	69.5 69.3	69.5 69.7	69.5 70.1	69.5 70.1	69.5 70.1	69.1 70.1	69.1 70.1	69.1 70.1	69.4 69.7
Chemicals and Allied Products .....	1936 1937	71.7 72.0	71.7 72.0	71.7 72.0	71.7 72.0	71.7 72.0	71.7 72.1	71.9 72.1	71.9 72.1	71.9 72.1	71.9 72.1	71.9 72.1	71.9 72.1	71.8 72.1
IMPORTS														
Total Imports .....	1936 1937	78.4 86.2	78.1 86.7	78.2 90.8	78.1 91.8	77.9 91.0	78.3 91.4	79.4 92.5	80.3 92.1	81.1 91.3	80.9 89.8	81.5 87.5	83.4 86.0	79.4 89.8
Vegetable Products .....	1936 1937	64.3 80.8	63.1 79.6	64.9 80.1	64.8 80.6	65.7 80.8	67.4 82.8	71.0 84.3	72.6 81.2	74.6 80.7	74.3 80.6	73.1 73.6	75.1 70.8	68.4 79.7
Animals and Their Products .....	1936 1937	84.7 90.0	79.4 87.7	77.3 89.5	77.4 93.2	73.4 88.6	72.5 84.1	72.1 90.1	76.7 94.6	79.9 94.0	80.8 91.4	82.9 90.3	87.2 85.3	78.4 89.4
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products .....	1936 1937	67.0 74.0	66.5 74.2	66.3 75.4	66.9 75.7	66.4 75.5	66.7 74.9	68.3 75.5	68.3 73.1	67.9 68.6	67.9 66.6	68.6 65.9	70.9 65.2	67.4 72.1
Iron and Its Products .....	1936 1937	94.6 100.6	95.4 102.8	95.4 112.4	95.4 116.1	95.6 115.8	95.5 116.8	95.9 116.8	96.7 118.6	96.8 118.9	96.8 118.8	97.2 118.5	99.5 118.0	96.4 114.4
Non-ferrous Metals and Their Products .....	1936 1937	69.0 88.5	69.2 91.0	69.4 113.3	70.6 106.4	70.4 96.7	69.0 97.2	69.5 98.9	70.4 98.8	71.3 98.9	70.8 84.9	78.0 77.4	80.4 71.4	71.1 93.3
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products .....	1936 1937	83.0 82.1	84.0 82.9	83.9 80.5	82.0 80.8	81.8 81.9	82.1 82.4	81.6 83.0	81.6 83.1	82.5 83.9	81.4 83.9	81.5 84.4	81.7 84.4	82.0 82.2
Chemicals and Allied Products .....	1936 1937	90.3 83.8	90.3 84.5	86.1 84.6	86.2 85.5	86.2 85.6	86.2 85.3	86.4 85.5	86.4 85.5	86.7 85.5	86.2 85.5	86.0 84.9	86.0 85.4	86.0 85.5

# WHOLESALE PRICES

## TABLE OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1937

### I. VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—

Fruits  
Grains  
Flour and milled products  
Bakery products  
Vegetable oils  
Rubber and its products  
Sugar and its products and glucose  
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices  
Vegetables  
Tobacco  
Miscellaneous

### II. ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Fishery products  
Furs  
Hides and skins  
Leather, unmanufactured  
Boots and shoes  
Live stock  
Meats and poultry  
Milk and its products  
Oils and fats, etc.  
Eggs

### III. FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—

Cotton, raw  
Cotton yarn and thread  
Cotton fabrics  
Knit goods (cotton)  
Sash cord  
Miscellaneous fibres and their products  
Silk and its products  
Artificial silk and its products  
Wool and yarns  
Woollen hosiery, underwear and cloth  
Carpets

### IV. WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—

Newsprint paper rolls  
Lumber  
Pulp  
Furniture  
Matches

### V. IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—

Pig iron and steel billets  
Rolling mill products  
Pipe  
Hardware  
Wire  
Metal scrap  
Car axles

### VI. NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Aluminium  
Antimony  
Copper, brass and products  
Lead and its products  
Silver  
Tin ingots  
Zinc and its products  
Solder

### VII. NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—

Clay and Allied Material Products  
Pottery  
Coal and its products  
Glass and its products  
Petroleum products  
Asphalt  
Salt  
Sulphur  
Building materials  
Asbestos

### VIII. CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—

Inorganic chemicals  
Organic chemicals  
Coal tar products  
Dyeing and tanning materials  
Explosives  
Paint materials  
Prepared paints  
Drugs and pharmaceutical chemicals  
Fertilizers  
Industrial gases  
Soap

## TABLE OF WHOLESALE PRICES AND INDEX NUMBERS, 1937

NOTE.—Price quotations shown are those prevailing at the middle of the month, except where otherwise specified. All quotations are given in Canadian funds.  
(1926=100 for all indexes shown in this table. Commodities without indexes have been added since 1934.)

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

FRUITS				FRUITS—Continued				FRUITS—Concluded					
BANANAS				RAISINS, UNCLEANED, AUSTRALIAN				STRAWBERRY JAM					
Price per 100 pounds in bunches of 7 hands, f.o.b. track, Montreal				3 CROWN SULTANAS, 56's				Price per 4 pound tin, net delivered					
Price Index		Price Index		Price per pound at Toronto		Price Index		Price Index		Price Index			
J.	\$3.00	86-5	J.	\$3.20	92-3	J.	\$ .103	J.	\$ .620	—	—		
F.	3-20	92-3	A.	3-00	86-5	F.	.103	A.	.620	—	—		
M.	3-20	92-3	S.	3-00	86-5	M.	.103	S.	.620	—	—		
A.	3-20	92-3	O.	2-80	80-8	A.	.103	O.	.620	—	—		
M.	3-00	86-5	N.	2-80	80-8	M.	.103	N.	.620	—	—		
J.	3-20	92-3	D.	3-20	92-3	J.	.103	D.	.620	—	—		
Av. 1937: Price \$3.067; Index 88-5				Av. 1937: Price \$0.103;				Av. 1937: Price \$0.645					
BANANAS				PRUNES, 50's-60's (25-LB. BOX)				GRAINS					
Price per pound at Toronto				CALIFORNIA'S				BARLEY, No 3, CANADA WESTERN					
J.	.055	72-7	J.	.053	70-0	J.	.100	J.	.719	115-7	—		
F.	.055	72-7	A.	.051	67-4	F.	.100	F.	.783	134-1	A.	.583	93-8
M.	.055	72-7	S.	.051	67-4	M.	.095	M.	.814	131-0	S.	.592	95-3
A.	.053	70-0	O.	.050	66-1	A.	.095	A.	.747	120-2	O.	.621	100-0
M.	.053	70-0	N.	.048	63-4	M.	.095	M.	.711	114-4	N.	.586	94-3
J.	.053	70-0	D.	.048	63-4	J.	.095	J.	.660	106-2	D.	.572	92-1
Av. 1937: Price \$0.052; Index 68-7				Av. 1937: Price \$0.092; Index 70-9				Av. 1937: Price \$0.689; Index 110-9					
LEMONS, CALIFORNIA				CANNED PEACHES, STANDARD 2's				BARLEY, No 4, CANADA WESTERN					
Price per box at Toronto				SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP				Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average					
J.	6-750	169-3	J.	7-125	178-7	J.	1-647	J.	.791	135-2	J.	.673	115-0
F.	6-750	169-3	A.	5-750	144-2	F.	1-647	F.	.783	133-8	A.	.558	95-4
M.	6-250	156-8	S.	6-250	156-8	M.	1-647	M.	.768	131-3	S.	.576	98-4
A.	6-375	159-9	O.	7-375	185-0	A.	1-512	A.	.707	120-8	O.	.607	103-7
M.	7-500	188-1	N.	5-750	144-2	M.	1-404	M.	.671	114-7	N.	.567	96-9
J.	6-875	172-4	D.	4-375	109-7	J.	1-404	J.	.613	104-8	D.	.561	95-9
Av. 1937: Price \$6.427; Index 161-2				Av. 1937: Price \$1.442; Index 66-8				Av. 1937: Price \$0.656; Index 112-1					
ORANGES, CALIFORNIA				CANNED CHERRIES STANDARD 2's				BARLEY, No 6, CANADA WESTERN					
Price per case at Toronto				SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP				Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average					
J.	4-500	76-7	J.	7-125	121-4	J.	1-296	J.	.733	132-0	J.	.653	118-4
F.	4-750	80-9	A.	7-000	113-3	F.	1-296	F.	.713	129-3	A.	.538	97-6
M.	4-500	76-7	S.	6-375	108-6	M.	1-296	M.	.712	129-1	S.	.556	100-8
A.	4-875	83-1	O.	6-750	115-0	A.	1-242	A.	.675	122-4	O.	.587	106-5
M.	5-313	90-5	N.	4-750	80-9	M.	1-242	M.	.645	117-0	N.	.547	92-7
J.	6-250	106-5	D.	3-913	66-7	J.	1-242	J.	.589	106-8	D.	.541	98-1
Av. 1937: Price \$5.508; Index 93-9				Av. 1937: Price \$1.359; Index 62-9				Av. 1937: Price \$0.624; Index 113-2					
CURRENTS, AUSTRALIAN, 2 CROWN, 56's				CANNED RASPBERRIES, STANDARD 2's				BARLEY, ONTARIO, GOOD MALTING					
Price per pound at Toronto				SQUAT, HEAVY SYRUP				Price per bushel at Toronto					
J.	.110	87-6	J.	.110	87-6	J.	1-674	J.	1-050	148-5	J.	.725	102-5
F.	.110	87-6	A.	.098	78-1	F.	1-674	F.	1-025	145-0	A.	.690	97-6
M.	.110	87-6	S.	.098	78-1	M.	1-674	M.	1-085	153-5	S.	.670	94-8
A.	.110	87-6	O.	.098	78-1	A.	1-674	A.	.900	127-3	O.	.725	102-5
M.	.110	87-6	N.	.098	78-1	M.	1-674	M.	.800	113-2	N.	.720	101-8
J.	.110	87-6	D.	.098	78-1	J.	1-593	J.	.750	106-1	D.	.740	104-7
Av. 1937: Price \$0.105; Index 83-7				Av. 1937: Price \$1.586; Index 49-7				Av. 1937: Price \$0.823; Index 116-4					
CURRENTS, AUSTRALIAN, 3 CROWN, 56's				CORN SYRUP				CORN, ONTARIO YELLOW, kiln dried.					
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per case (24-2 lb. tins) to retail, freight prepaid				Per bushel, c.i.f. Toronto.					
J.*	.128	114-4	J.*	.128	114-4	J.	\$4.050	J.	.950	159-6	J.	1-080	181-4
F.*	.128	114-4	A.*	.115	102-8	F.	4.050	F.	.920	154-5	A.	1-010	169-7
M.*	.128	114-4	S.*	.115	102-8	M.	4.050	M.	.880	147-8	S.	.950	159-6
A.*	.128	114-4	O.*	.115	102-8	A.	4.050	A.	.960	161-3	O.	.900	151-2
M.*	.128	114-4	N.*	.115	102-8	M.	4.050	M.	1-035	173-9	N.	.860	144-5
J.*	.128	114-4	D.*	.115	102-8	J.	4.050	J.	1-040	174-7	D.	.810	136-1
Av. 1937: Price \$0.123; Index 109-9				Av. 1937: Price \$4.050				Av. 1937: Price \$0.950; Index 159-6					
*Nominal.				ORANGE MARMALADE				FLAX, No 1, WESTERN CANADA					
RAISINS, THOMPSON SEEDLESS (25-lb. box)				Price per 4 pound tin, net delivered				Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average					
J.	.125	95-7	J.	.130	99-5	J.	.520	J.	1-695	85-1	J.	1-860	90-4
F.	.130	99-5	A.	.130	99-5	F.	.435	F.	1-701	85-4	A.	1-733	87-0
M.	.130	99-5	S.	.130	99-5	M.	.435	M.	1-789	89-8	S.	1-759	88-3
A.	.130	99-5	O.	.130	99-5	A.	.435	A.	1-822	91-5	O.	1-780	89-4
M.	.130	99-5	N.	.130	99-5	M.	.415	M.	1-726	86-7	N.	1-740	87-4
J.	.130	99-5	D.	.130	99-5	J.	.415	J.	1-656	83-2	D.	1-701	85-4
Av. 1937: Price \$0.130; Index 99-5				Av. 1937: Price \$0.421				Av. 1937: Price \$1.743; Index 87-5					



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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

### GRAINS—Continued

#### FLAX, No. 2, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$1-654 84.8	J. \$1-760 90.2
F. 1-660 85.1	A. 1-693 86.8
M. 1-748 89.6	S. 1-719 88.1
A. 1-780 91.2	O. 1-740 89.2
M. 1-686 86.4	N. 1-700 87.1
J. 1-616 82.8	D. 1-661 85.1

Av. 1937: Price \$1-703; Index 87.3

#### FLAX, No. 3, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. 1-568 87.5	J. 1-599 89.2
F. 1-592 88.8	A. 1-502 83.8
M. 1-645 91.8	S. 1-517 84.6
A. 1-536 85.7	O. 1-530 85.4
M. 1-527 85.2	N. 1-490 83.1
J. 1-464 81.7	D. 1-451 81.0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-535; Index 85.6

#### OATS, No. 2, WESTERN CANADA

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. .545 99.4	J. .637 116.2
F. .550 100.3	A. .509 92.8
M. .564 102.9	S. .521 95.0
A. .588 107.2	O. .533 97.2
M. .562 102.5	N. .474 86.4
J. .571 104.1	D. .495 90.3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-546; Index 99.6

#### OATS, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. .521 109.7	J. .612 128.9
F. .532 112.0	A. .496 104.5
M. .548 115.4	S. .498 104.9
A. .572 120.5	O. .497 104.7
M. .543 114.4	N. .460 96.9
J. .558 117.5	D. .443 93.3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-524; Index 110.4

#### OATS, No. 1, FEED, WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. .512 112.5	J. .590 129.6
F. .521 114.5	A. .481 105.7
M. .539 118.4	S. .482 105.9
A. .567 124.6	O. .484 106.4
M. .533 117.1	N. .430 94.5
J. .546 120.0	D. .422 92.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-509; Index 111.8

#### OATS, No. 2, FEED, WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. .489 114.9	J. .532 125.0
F. .504 118.4	A. .432 101.5
M. .517 121.5	S. .455 106.9
A. .543 127.6	O. .462 108.6
M. .502 118.0	N. .399 93.8
J. .519 122.0	D. .394 92.6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-479; Index 112.6

#### OATS, ONTARIO, GOOD SOUND HEAVY

Price per bushel in carlots, f.o.b. shipping points outside Toronto

Price Index	Price Index
J. .600 132.8	J. .585 129.5
F. .605 133.9	A. .430 95.2
M. .570 126.1	S. .425 94.0
A. .580 128.3	O. .425 94.0
M. .570 126.1	N. .430 95.2
J. .565 125.0	D. .440 97.4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-519; Index 114.8

#### PEAS, No. 2, WHITE, ONTARIO

Price per bushel, f.o.b. shipping point

Price Index	Price Index
J. 1-500 122.4	J. 1-500 122.4
F. 1-500 122.4	A. 1-500 122.4
M. 1-500 122.4	S. 1-500 122.4
A. 1-500 122.4	O. 1-500 122.4
M. 1-500 122.4	N. 1-500 122.4
J. 1-500 122.4	D. 1-500 122.4

Av. 1937: Price \$1-500; Index 122.4

### GRAINS—Continued

#### RYE, No. 2, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$1-031 111.2	J. 1-472 \$158.7
F. 1-050 113.2	A. .875 94.3
M. 1-070 115.4	S. .895 96.5
A. 1-135 122.4	O. .845 91.1
M. 1-144 123.4	N. .737 79.5
J. 1-161 125.2	D. .753 81.2

Av. 1937: Price \$1-015; Index 109.4

#### RYE, No. 3, CANADA WESTERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. .989 113.4	J. 1-422 163.0
F. 1-010 115.8	A. .844 96.8
M. 1-029 118.0	S. .874 100.2
A. 1-095 125.5	O. .819 93.9
M. 1-095 125.5	N. .710 81.4
J. 1-113 127.6	D. .723 82.9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-978; Index 112.1

#### RYE, CANADA WESTERN, REJECTED

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. .971 114.2	J. 1-060 124.7
F. .990 116.5	A. .806 94.8
M. 1-011 118.9	S. .828 97.4
A. 1-062 124.9	O. .775 91.2
M. 1-069 125.7	N. .670 78.8
J. 1-068 125.6	D. .683 80.3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-916; Index 107.8

#### RYE, No. 2, ONTARIO

Price per bushel at Toronto

Price Index	Price Index
J. 1-000 105.6	J. \$1-100 116.2
F. 1-050 110.9	A. .810 85.5
M. 1-000 105.6	S. .850 89.8
A. 1-100 116.2	O. .820 86.6
M. 1-100 116.2	N. .790 83.4
J. 1-100 116.2	D. .800 84.5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-960; Index 101.4

#### WHEAT, No. 1, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. 1-247 83.4	J. 1-456 97.4
F. 1-270 84.9	A. 1-318 88.2
M. 1-357 90.8	S. 1-336 89.4
A. 1-389 92.9	O. 1-423 95.2
M. 1-306 87.4	N. 1-346 90.0
J. 1-242 83.1	D. 1-374 91.9

Av. 1937: Price \$1-340; Index 89.6

#### WHEAT, No. 2, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. 1-230 85.3	J. 1-428 99.0
F. 1-250 86.6	A. 1-256 87.1
M. 1-341 93.0	S. 1-290 89.4
A. 1-364 94.5	O. 1-357 94.1
M. 1-279 88.7	N. 1-296 89.8
J. 1-220 84.6	D. 1-326 91.9

Av. 1937: Price \$1-304; Index 90.4

#### WHEAT, No. 3, MANITOBA NORTHERN

Price per bushel, Fort William and Port Arthur basis—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. 1-203 86.3	J. 1-392 99.9
F. 1-214 87.1	A. 1-221 87.6
M. 1-302 93.5	S. 1-211 86.9
A. 1-329 95.4	O. 1-173 84.2
M. 1-253 89.9	N. 1-103 79.2
J. 1-198 86.0	D. 1-164 83.5

Av. 1937: Price \$1-231; Index 88.4

#### WHEAT

Weighted average price of Manitoba Northern Wheat, per bushel

Price Index	Price Index
J. 1-225 85.0	J. 1-423 98.8
F. 1-243 86.2	A. 1-264 87.7
M. 1-331 92.4	S. 1-275 88.4
A. 1-359 94.3	O. 1-307 90.7
M. 1-278 88.7	N. 1-236 85.8
J. 1-219 84.6	D. 1-278 88.7

Av. 1937: Price \$1-287; Index 89.3

### GRAINS—Concluded

#### WHEAT, ONTARIO, GOOD MILLING

Price per bushel, f.o.b. shipping point

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$1-325 101.4	J. \$1-335 102.1
F. 1-300 99.5	A. 1-105 84.5
M. 1-280 97.9	S. 1-100 84.2
A. 1-365 104.0	O. 1-020 78.0
M. 1-275 97.6	N. .980 75.0
J. 1-250 95.6	D. .980 75.0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-193; Index 91.3

#### FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS

##### FLOUR, MANITOBA, FIRST PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute, carlots delivered Montreal rate points

Price Index	Price Index
J. 7-500 85.0	J. 8-800 99.8
F. 7-600 86.2	A. 8-100 91.8
M. 7-900 89.6	S. 7-600 86.2
A. 7-500 85.0	O. 7-800 88.4
M. 7-400 83.9	N. 7-400 83.9
J. 7-300 82.8	D. 7-800 88.4

Av. 1937: Price \$7-725; Index 87.6

##### FLOUR, MANITOBA, FIRST PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute carlots, delivered to dealers at Winnipeg

Price Index	Price Index
J. 7-200 —	J. 8-700 —
F. 7-300 —	A. 8-300 —
M. 7-400 —	S. 7-700 —
A. 7-500 —	O. 7-900 —
M. 7-400 —	N. 7-900 —
J. 7-200 —	D. 7-700 —

Av. 1937: Price \$7-683

##### FLOUR, MANITOBA, SECOND PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute, carlots delivered Montreal rate points

Price Index	Price Index
J. 7-100 85.3	J. 8-400 100.9
F. 7-200 86.5	A. 7-700 92.5
M. 7-500 90.1	S. 7-200 86.5
A. 7-100 85.3	O. 7-400 88.9
M. 7-000 84.1	N. 7-000 84.1
J. 6-900 82.9	D. 7-400 88.9

Av. 1937: Price \$7-325; Index 89.0

##### FLOUR, MANITOBA, SECOND PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute, carlots, delivered to dealers at Winnipeg

Price Index	Price Index
J. 6-800 —	J. 8-300 —
F. 6-900 —	A. 7-900 —
M. 7-000 —	S. 7-300 —
A. 7-100 —	O. 7-500 —
M. 7-000 —	N. 7-500 —
J. 6-800 —	D. 7-300 —

Av. 1937: Price \$7-283

##### FLOUR, ONTARIO, 90 PER CENT PATENT

Price per barrel of 2-98's jute, sea board, in bulk—average of weekly prices

Price Index	Price Index
J. 5-463 93.4	J. 5-625 96.2
F. 5-638 96.4	A. 5-081 86.9
M. 5-700 97.5	S. 5-030 86.0
A. 5-944 101.7	O. 4-817 82.4
M. 5-550 94.9	N. 4-606 78.8
J. 5-406 92.5	D. 4-438 75.9

Av. 1937: Price \$5-272; Index 90.2

#### OATMEAL

Price per 98 pound jute, f.o.b. Montreal rate points

Price Index	Price Index
J. 3-850 107.2	J. 4-730 131.7
F. 3-960 110.2	A. 3-950 110.0
M. 4-070 113.3	S. 3-800 105.8
A. 3-960 110.2	O. 3-800 105.8
M. 3-960 110.2	N. 3-800 105.8
J. 3-960 110.2	D. 3-700 103.0

Av. 1937: Price \$3-962; Index 110.3

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## FLOUR AND MILLED PRODUCTS—Concluded

## ROLLED OATS

Price per 90 pound jute, f.o.b. Montreal rate points

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	\$3.550	108-1	J.	\$4.404	134-1
F.	3.650	111-2	A.	3.675	111-9
M.	3.750	114-2	S.	3.544	108-0
A.	3.650	111-2	O.	3.544	108-0
M.	3.696	112-6	N.	3.544	108-0
J.	4.106	125-1	D.	3.431	104-5

Av. 1937: Price \$3.712; Index 113-1

## CORN MEAL

Price per 98 pound jute, f.o.b. Montreal rate points

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	3.400	—	J.	3.250	—
F.	3.250	—	A.	3.100	—
M.	3.250	—	S.	3.100	—
A.	3.250	—	O.	3.100	—
M.	3.250	—	N.	3.100	—
J.	3.250	—	D.	3.100	—

Av. 1937: Price \$3.200

## MALT

Price per bushel of 36 pounds, carlots to manufacturers, f.o.b. Ontario points

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	1.520	139-4	J.	1.430	131-2
F.	1.530	140-4	A.	1.310	120-2
M.	1.500	137-6	S.	1.300	119-3
A.	1.385	127-1	O.	1.320	121-1
M.	1.400	128-4	N.	1.060	97-2
J.	1.370	125-7	D.	1.050	96-3

Av. 1937: Price \$1.348; Index 123-7

## GLUTEN FEED

Price per ton, f.o.b. Cardinal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	32.500	83-2	J.	28.000	71-6
F.	32.500	83-2	A.	28.000	71-6
M.	29.500	75-5	S.	29.000	74-2
A.	31.000	79-3	O.	29.000	74-2
M.	31.000	79-3	N.	30.000	76-8
J.	29.000	74-2	D.	30.000	76-8

Av. 1937: Price \$29.958; Index 76-7

## BRAN, MANITOBA

Price per ton, including bags, ex track Montreal—monthly average

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	33.930	114-7	J.	28.365	95-9
F.	32.580	110-1	A.	25.100	84-9
M.	32.750	110-7	S.	24.560	83-0
A.	36.634	123-9	O.	25.480	86-1
M.	35.250	119-2	N.	27.250	92-1
J.	28.290	95-6	D.	28.250	95-5

Av. 1937: Price \$29.820; Index 100-8

## SHORTS, MANITOBA

Price per ton including bags, ex track Montreal—monthly average

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	35.010	111-1	J.	33.365	105-9
F.	33.580	106-6	A.	27.330	86-7
M.	33.750	107-1	S.	26.560	84-3
A.	37.635	119-4	O.	27.480	87-2
M.	36.250	115-1	N.	29.250	92-8
J.	32.750	103-9	D.	30.250	96-0

Av. 1937: Price \$31.900; Index 101-2

## BAKERY PRODUCTS

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Halifax

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.060	81-9	J.	0.060	81-9
F.	0.060	81-9	A.	0.060	81-9
M.	0.060	81-9	S.	0.060	81-9
A.	0.060	81-9	O.	0.060	81-9
M.	0.060	81-9	N.	0.060	81-9
J.	0.060	81-9	D.	0.060	81-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0.060; Index 81-9

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Saint John

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.060	75-0	J.	0.067	83-8
F.	0.067	83-8	A.	0.067	83-8
M.	0.067	83-8	S.	0.067	83-8
A.	0.067	83-8	O.	0.067	83-8
M.	0.067	83-8	N.	0.067	83-8
J.	0.067	83-8	D.	0.067	83-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0.066; Index 82-5

## BAKERY PRODUCTS—Concluded

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	\$ .060	81-9	J.	\$ .067	91-4
F.	0.060	81-9	A.	0.067	91-4
M.	0.060	81-9	S.	0.067	91-4
A.	0.067	91-4	O.	0.067	91-4
M.	0.067	91-4	N.	0.067	91-4
J.	0.067	91-4	D.	0.067	91-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0.065; Index 88-7

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.060	90-1	J.	0.067	100-6
F.	0.060	90-1	A.	0.067	100-6
M.	0.060	90-1	S.	0.067	100-6
A.	0.060	90-1	O.	0.067	100-6
M.	0.060	90-1	N.	0.067	100-6
J.	0.067	100-6	D.	0.067	100-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0.064; Index 96-1

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.045	75-0	J.	0.050	83-3
F.	0.045	75-0	A.	0.050	83-3
M.	0.045	75-0	S.	0.050	83-3
A.	0.050	83-3	O.	0.050	83-3
M.	0.050	83-3	N.	0.050	83-3
J.	0.050	83-3	D.	0.050	83-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0.049; Index 81-7

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Regina

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.064	88-9	J.	0.072	100-0
F.	0.064	88-9	A.	0.072	100-0
M.	0.064	88-9	S.	0.072	100-0
A.	0.064	88-9	O.	0.072	100-0
M.	0.064	88-9	N.	0.072	100-0
J.	0.064	88-9	D.	0.072	100-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.068; Index 94-4

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Calgary

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.056	79-4	J.	0.064	90-7
F.	0.056	79-4	A.	0.064	90-7
M.	0.056	79-4	S.	0.064	90-7
A.	0.064	90-7	O.	0.064	90-7
M.	0.064	90-7	N.	0.064	90-7
J.	0.064	90-7	D.	0.064	90-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.062; Index 87-9

## BREAD, PLAIN WHITE

Price per pound at Vancouver

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.065	97-6	J.	0.065	97-6
F.	0.065	97-6	A.	0.075	112-6
M.	0.065	97-6	S.	0.075	112-6
A.	0.065	97-6	O.	0.075	112-6
M.	0.065	97-6	N.	0.075	112-6
J.	0.065	97-6	D.	0.075	112-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0.069; Index 103-8

## BISCUITS, SODA

Price per pound at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.143	108-3	J.	0.143	108-3
F.	0.143	108-3	A.	0.143	108-3
M.	0.143	108-3	S.	0.143	108-3
A.	0.143	108-3	O.	0.143	108-3
M.	0.143	108-3	N.	0.143	108-3
J.	0.143	108-3	D.	0.143	108-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0.143; Index 108-3

## VEGETABLE OILS

COTTON SEED OIL, REFINED

Price per pound at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	0.105	74-8	J.	0.100	71-2
F.	0.105	74-8	A.	0.098	69-8
M.	0.105	74-8	S.	0.098	69-8
A.	0.105	74-8	O.	0.098	69-8
M.	0.105	74-8	N.	0.098	69-8
J.	0.100	71-2	D.	0.098	69-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0.101; Index 71-9

## VEGETABLE OILS—Concluded

## LINSEED OIL, RAW

Price per gallon, 6 to 10 drums, at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	\$ .770	81-4	J.	\$ .830	87-7
F.	.770	81-4	A.	.830	87-7
M.	.790	83-5	S.	.830	87-7
A.	.840	88-8	O.	.830	87-7
M.	.840	88-8	N.	.830	87-7
J.	.840	88-8	D.	.830	87-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.819; Index 86-6

## COCONUT OIL, MANILA CRUDE

Price per 100 pounds at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	10.500	104-8	J.	6.500	64-9
F.	9.000	89-8	A.	5.750	57-4
M.	9.900	93-8	S.	5.250	52-4
A.	8.250	82-4	O.	5.550	55-4
M.	7.500	74-9	N.	5.200	51-9
J.	7.000	69-9	D.	4.850	48-4

Av. 1937: Price \$7.100; Index 70-9

## OLIVE OIL

Price per 128 fluid ounces, in 128 fluid ounce tins, at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	\$2.150	113-6	J.	\$2.500	132-1
F.	2.400	126-8	A.	2.500	132-1
M.	2.500	132-1	S.	2.400	126-8
A.	2.500	132-1	O.	2.550	124-1
M.	2.500	132-1	N.	2.200	116-2
J.	2.500	132-1	D.	2.200	116-2

Av. 1937: Price \$2.392; Index 126-4

## PEANUT OIL, ORIENTAL, CRUDE

Price per 100 pounds in bulk at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	8.000	81-9	J.	6.900	70-7
F.	7.400	75-8	A.	6.900	70-7
M.	7.400	75-8	S.	6.900	70-7
A.	7.550	77-3	O.	6.900	70-7
M.	6.900	70-7	N.	6.150	63-0
J.	7.100	72-7	D.	5.650	57-9

Av. 1937: Price \$6.971; Index 71-4

## CHINA WOOD OIL

Price per pound in tank cars, delivered at Canadian centers

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	138	106-4	J.	133	102-5
F.	154	118-7	A.	122	94-1
M.	145	112-6	S.	233	179-6
A.	145	111-8	O.	242	186-6
M.	133	102-5	N.	167	128-8
J.	127	97-9	D.	150	115-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.158; Index 121-8

## SOYA BEAN OIL, CRUDE

Price per 100 pounds in bulk, f.o.b. mill

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	7.700	—	J.	6.600	—
F.	7.000	—	A.	6.500	—
M.	7.250	—	S.	6.500	—
A.	7.100	—	O.	6.300	—
M.	6.800	—	N.	5.250	—
J.	6.350	—	D.	4.850	—

Av. 1937: Price \$6.517

## PALM OIL, CRUDE

Price per 100 pounds in bulk at Toronto

J.	6.750	—	J.	5.450	—
F.	6.100	—	A.	5.500	—
M.	6.250	—	S.	5.250	—
A.	6.000	—	O.	4.300	—
M.	5.750	—	N.	4.350	—
J.	5.250	—	D.	4.350	—

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## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

### RUBBER AND ITS PRODUCTS —Continued

#### RAW RUBBER, PLANTATION STANDARD THICK LATEX CREPE

Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—  
monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .229	46.3	J. \$ .216	43.7
F. .234	47.4	A. .198	40.1
M. .274	55.5	S. .197	39.9
A. .277	56.1	O. .173	35.0
M. .259	52.4	N. .156	31.6
J. .242	49.0	D. .159	32.2

Av. 1937: Price \$0.218; Index 44.1

#### RAW RUBBER, UPRIVER, FINE PARA

Price per pound, f.o.b. New York—  
monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .250	57.6	J. .201	46.3
F. .234	57.6	A. .198	45.6
M. .236	54.4	S. .197	45.4
A. .225	51.8	O. .181	41.7
M. .221	50.9	N. .154	35.5
J. .202	46.5	D. .152	35.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.205; Index 47.2

#### RUBBERS, MEN'S REGULAR No. 1, STANDARD GRADE

Price per pair at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .696	67.6	J. .735	71.4
F. .696	67.6	A. .735	71.4
M. .696	67.6	S. .735	71.4
A. .696	67.6	O. .735	71.4
M. .696	67.6	N. .735	71.4
J. .735	71.4	D. .735	71.4

Av. 1937: Price \$0.719; Index 69.8

#### RUBBERS, WOMEN'S REGULAR No. 1, STANDARD GRADE

Price per pair at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .608	—	J. .637	—
F. .608	—	A. .637	—
M. .608	—	S. .637	—
A. .608	—	O. .637	—
M. .608	—	N. .637	—
J. .637	—	D. .637	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0.625

#### RUBBER TIRES, BALLOON, 4-75-19 (4 PLY, FIRST LINE)

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada  
(sales and excise tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 9.770	54.3	J. 9.921	55.1
F. 9.770	54.3	A. 9.921	55.1
M. 9.770	54.3	S. 10.425	57.9
A. 9.770	54.3	O. 10.425	57.9
M. 9.770	54.3	N. 10.425	57.9
J. 9.921	55.1	D. 10.425	57.9

Av. 1937: Price \$10.026; Index 55.7

#### RUBBER TIRES, BALLOON, 5-50-17 (4 PLY, FIRST LINE)

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada  
(sales and excise tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 12.530	49.9	J. 13.074	52.0
F. 12.530	49.9	A. 13.074	52.0
M. 12.530	49.9	S. 13.732	54.6
A. 12.530	49.9	O. 13.732	54.6
M. 13.074	52.0	N. 13.732	54.6
J. 13.074	52.0	D. 13.732	54.6

Av. 1937: Price \$13.112; Index 52.2

#### RUBBER TUBES, B19

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada  
(sales and excise tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.940	—	J. 2.040	—
F. 1.940	—	A. 2.040	—
M. 1.940	—	S. 2.040	—
A. 1.940	—	O. 2.040	—
M. 2.040	—	N. 2.040	—
J. 2.040	—	D. 2.040	—

Av. 1937: Price \$2.007

### RUBBER AND ITS PRODUCTS —Concluded

#### RUBBER TUBES, C17

Price to retail trade, Eastern Canada  
(sales and excise tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$2.370	—	J. \$2.500	—
F. 2.370	—	A. 2.500	—
M. 2.370	—	S. 2.500	—
A. 2.370	—	O. 2.500	—
M. 2.500	—	N. 2.500	—
J. 2.500	—	D. 2.500	—

Av. 1937: Price \$2.457

### SUGAR AND ITS PRODUCTS AND GLUCOSE

#### RAW SUGAR, B.W.I. PREFERENTIAL

Price per cwt., c.i.f. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2.170	44.0	J. 2.320	47.0
F. 2.120	42.9	A. 2.325	47.1
M. 2.250	45.6	S. 2.250	45.6
A. 2.210	44.8	O. 2.255	45.7
M. 2.150	43.6	N. 2.225	45.1
J. 2.325	47.1	D. 2.225	45.1

Av. 1937: Price \$2.235; Index 45.3

#### RAW SUGAR

Price per cwt. at Vancouver, duty  
paid

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2.450	62.1	J. 2.710	68.6
F. 2.450	62.1	A. 2.700	68.4
M. 2.560	64.8	S. 2.700	68.4
A. 2.560	64.6	O. 2.700	68.4
M. 2.520	63.8	N. 2.620	66.4
J. 2.650	67.1	D. 2.570	65.1

Av. 1937: Price \$2.598; Index 65.8

#### GRANULATED SUGAR, STANDARD

Price per cwt. at Montreal  
f.o.b. factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.800	80.6	J. 5.085	85.4
F. 4.800	80.6	A. 5.085	85.4
M. 4.990	83.8	S. 5.085	85.4
A. 4.990	83.8	O. 5.085	85.4
M. 4.990	83.8	N. 5.085	85.4
J. 4.990	83.8	D. 5.085	85.4

Av. 1937: Price \$5.006; Index 84.0

#### GRANULATED SUGAR

Price per cwt. at Vancouver  
f.o.b. factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.620	78.0	J. 4.950	83.6
F. 4.650	78.5	A. 4.930	83.3
M. 4.700	79.4	S. 5.000	84.5
A. 4.700	80.6	O. 4.980	84.1
M. 4.850	81.9	N. 4.950	83.6
J. 4.920	83.1	D. 4.830	81.6

Av. 1937: Price \$4.846; Index 81.9

#### SUGAR, No. 1 YELLOW (LIGHT)

Price per cwt. at Montreal  
f.o.b. factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.515	81.0	J. 4.800	86.1
F. 4.515	81.0	A. 4.800	86.1
M. 4.705	84.4	S. 4.800	86.1
A. 4.705	84.4	O. 4.800	86.1
M. 4.705	84.4	N. 4.800	86.1
J. 4.705	84.4	D. 4.800	86.1

Av. 1937: Price \$4.721; Index 84.7

#### SUGAR, No. 3 YELLOW

Price per cwt. at Vancouver  
f.o.b. factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.290	—	J. 4.620	—
F. 4.320	—	A. 4.600	—
M. 4.370	—	S. 4.670	—
A. 4.440	—	O. 4.650	—
M. 4.520	—	N. 4.620	—
J. 4.590	—	D. 4.500	—

Av. 1937: Price \$4.516

### SUGAR AND ITS PRODUCTS AND GLUCOSE—Concluded

#### GLUCOSE, 44° BAUMÉ

Price per 100 pounds in carload lots,  
delivered Toronto and Western  
Ontario points

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4.200	113.8	J. \$4.200	113.8
F. 4.200	113.8	A. 4.200	113.8
M. 4.200	113.8	S. 4.200	113.8
A. 4.200	113.8	O. 4.200	113.8
M. 4.200	113.8	N. 4.200	113.8
J. 4.200	113.8	D. 4.200	113.8

Av. 1937: Price \$4.200; Index 113.8

#### MOLASSES, BARBADOS, EXTRA FANCY

Price per gallon, f.o.b. cars, Saint John

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .415	88.4	J. .428	91.2
F. .415	88.4	A. .423	91.2
M. .415	88.4	S. .423	91.2
A. .423	90.1	O. .428	91.2
M. .423	90.1	N. .428	91.2
J. .428	91.2	D. .433	92.2

Av. 1937: Price \$0.424; Index 90.3

### TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES

#### GREEN COCOA BEANS, ESTATES TRINIDAD

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .160	111.7	J. .115	80.3
F. .148	103.3	A. .125	87.2
M. .150	104.7	S. .120	83.7
A. .150	104.7	O. .105	73.3
M. .145	101.2	N. .095	66.3
J. .140	97.7	D. .080	55.8

Av. 1937: Price \$0.128; Index 89.3

#### GREEN COCOA BEANS, GRENADA

Price per pound c.i.f. Canadian  
Atlantic seaboard

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .141	—	J. .110	—
F. .120	—	A. .112	—
M. .135	—	S. .115	—
A. .140	—	O. .095	—
M. .130	—	N. .078	—
J. .105	—	D. .066	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0.112

#### GREEN COCOA BEANS, JAMAICA

Price per pound, c.i.f.  
Canadian Atlantic seaboard

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .141	—	J. .075	—
F. .113	—	A. .080	—
M. .113	—	S. .092	—
A. .103	—	O. .080	—
M. .083	—	N. .068	—
J. .076	—	D. .056	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0.099

#### GREEN COCOA BEANS, GOOD FERMENTED ACCRA

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .150	130.8	J. .098	85.4
F. .123	107.2	A. .100	87.2
M. .135	117.7	S. .101	88.1
A. .127	110.7	O. .084	73.2
M. .095	82.8	N. .080	69.7
J. .093	81.1	D. .080	69.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.106; Index 92.4

### UNSWEETENED CHOCOLATE LIQUOR, GUARANTEED PURE, CHEAPEST GRADE

Price per pound net, in 10 pound cakes

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .180	99.3	J. .180	99.3
F. .180	99.3	A. .180	99.3
M. .180	99.3	S. .180	99.3
A. .180	99.3	O. .180	99.3
M. .180	99.3	N. .170	93.8
J. .180	99.3	D. .165	91.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.178; Index 98.2



## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES—Continued				TEA, COFFEE, COCOA AND SPICES—Continued				VEGETABLES—Concluded			
UNSWEETENED CHOCOLATE LIQUOR, GUARANTEED PURE, BEST GRADE				TEA, PEKOE, CEYLON AND INDIA				POTATOES, ONTARIO, No. 1 WHITE			
Price per pound net, in 10 pound cakes				Price per pound, to retail trade duty paid				Price per 90 pound bag at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .210	76-1	J. \$ .210	76-1	J. \$ .440	82-6	J. \$ .455	85-4	J. \$1.706	62-7	J. \$1.590	57-4
F. .210	76-1	A. .210	76-1	F. .440	82-6	A. .455	85-4	F. 1.831	67-3	A. .756	27-8
M. .210	76-1	S. .210	76-1	M. .440	82-6	S. .455	85-4	M. 1.625	59-7	S. .640	23-5
A. .210	76-1	O. .210	76-1	A. .440	82-6	O. .455	85-4	A. 1.425	52-4	O. .606	22-3
M. .210	76-1	N. .200	72-5	M. .440	82-6	N. .485	91-1	M. 1.225	45-0	N. .594	21-8
J. .210	76-1	D. .200	72-5	J. .455	85-4	D. .485	91-1	J. 1.188	43-7	D. .580	21-3
Av. 1937: Price \$0-208; Index 75-4				Av. 1937: Price \$0-454; Index 85-3				Av. 1937: Price \$1-145; Index 42-1			
COCOA BUTTER, IMPORTED				BLACK PEPPER				POTATOES, MANITOBA, No. 2			
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per pound, bulk, in barrels at Toronto				Price per 90 lb. bag at Winnipeg			
J. .320	115-5	J. .180	65-0	J. .120	38-4	J. .090	28-8	J. \$1.663	140-0	J. \$1.663	140-0
F. .260	93-8	A. .193	69-6	F. .110	35-2	A. .100	32-0	F. 1.775	149-4	A. .878	73-9
M. .260	93-8	S. .193	69-6	M. .100	32-0	S. .100	32-0	M. 1.638	137-9	S. .565	47-6
A. .250	90-2	O. .160	57-7	A. .100	32-0	O. .100	32-0	A. 1.670	140-6	O. .568	47-8
M. .210	75-8	N. .145	52-3	M. .100	32-0	N. .090	28-8	M. 1.675	132-6	N. .513	43-2
J. .190	68-6	D. .140	50-5	J. .100	32-0	D. .100	32-0	J. 1.325	111-5	D. .525	44-2
Av. 1937: Price \$0-208; Index 75-1				Av. 1937: Price \$0-101; Index 32-3				Av. 1937: Price \$1-197; Index 100-8			
GREEN COFFEE, SANTOS, GOOD QUALITY				VEGETABLES				POTATOES, WHITE, No. 1, LOCAL			
Price per pound at Toronto				ONIONS, ONTARIO, STANDARD GRADE				Price per cwt. at Vancouver			
J. .140	51-4	J. .170	62-4	J. 1.500	61-7	J. 2.591	106-6	J. 1.938	96-4	J. .979	48-7
F. .190	69-7	A. .170	62-4	F. 1.338	55-1	A. 2.419	99-5	F. 2.538	126-2	A. 1.125	55-9
M. .180	66-1	S. .170	62-4	M. 1.288	53-0	S. 1.965	80-9	M. 2.331	130-8	S. 1.225	60-9
A. .170	62-4	O. .170	62-4	A. 1.390	57-2	O. 2.550	104-9	A. 2.045	101-7	O. 1.250	62-2
M. .170	62-4	M. .130	47-7	M. 1.675	68-9	N. 3.200	131-7	M. 1.525	75-8	N. 1.000	49-7
J. .180	66-1	D. .125	45-9	J. 1.675	68-9	D. 3.380	139-1	J. .900	44-8	D. 1.019	50-7
Av. 1937: Price \$0-164; Index 60-2				Av. 1937: Price \$2-081; Index 85-6				Av. 1937: Price \$1-515; Index 75-3			
GREEN COFFEE, JAMAICA, GOOD QUALITY				ONIONS, B.C., STANDARD GRADE				CANNED CORN, STANDARD 2's			
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per cwt. at Vancouver				Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario) sales tax included			
J. .125	50-0	J. .130	59-0	J. 2.363	116-4	J. 2.800	137-9	J. 1.053	91-6	J. .999	86-9
F. .150	68-0	A. .120	54-4	F. 2.063	150-9	A. 2.800	137-9	F. 1.026	89-2	A. .999	86-9
M. .150	68-0	S. .125	56-7	M. 3.313	163-2	S. 2.600	128-1	M. 1.026	89-2	S. .918	79-8
A. .130	59-0	O. .120	54-4	A. 3.000	147-8	O. 2.670	131-5	A. .999	86-9	O. .891	77-5
M. .150	68-0	N. .120	54-4	M. 2.800	137-9	N. 2.850	140-4	M. .999	86-9	N. .891	77-5
J. .130	59-0	D. .100	45-4	J. 2.800	137-9	D. 2.950	145-3	J. .999	86-9	D. .891	77-5
Av. 1937: Price \$0-129; Index 58-5				Av. 1937: Price \$2-834; Index 139-6				Av. 1937: Price \$0-974; Index 84-7			
GREEN COFFEE BOGOTA, GOOD QUALITY				POTATOES, CANADA GRADE "A"				CANNED PEAS, No. 4, STANDARD 2's			
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per 90 pound bag at Charlottetown				Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario) sales tax included			
J. .180	51-8	J. .190	54-7	J. 1.250	75-1	J. .500	30-0	J. .986	76-9	J. .986	76-9
F. .190	54-7	A. .190	54-7	F. 1.250	75-1	A. .650	39-1	F. .986	76-9	A. .891	69-5
M. .190	54-7	S. .180	51-8	M. 1.050	63-1	S. .500	30-0	M. .986	76-9	S. .918	71-6
A. .190	54-7	O. .190	54-7	A. .877	52-7	O. .450	27-0	A. .986	76-9	O. .945	73-7
M. .190	54-7	N. .160	46-0	M. .517	31-1	N. .450	27-0	M. .986	76-9	N. .945	73-7
J. .190	54-7	D. .150	43-2	J. .517	31-1	D. .450	27-0	J. .999	77-9	D. .945	73-7
Av. 1937: Price \$0-183; Index 52-7				Av. 1937: Price \$0-705; Index 42-4				Av. 1937: Price \$0-963; Index 75-6			
GREEN COFFEE, KENYA, BEST				POTATOES, WHITES, CANADA GRADE "A"				CANNED TOMATOES, STANDARD 2's			
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per 90 pound bag at Halifax				Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario) sales tax included			
J. .250	—	J. .250	—	J. 1.850	77-8	J. 1.250	52-6	J. 1.134	91-6	J. 1.188	96-0
F. .250	—	A. .250	—	F. 1.850	77-8	A. 1.000	42-1	F. 1.134	91-6	A. 1.188	96-0
M. .250	—	S. .250	—	M. 1.500	63-1	S. .750	31-6	M. 1.134	91-6	S. .972	78-5
A. .250	—	O. .250	—	A. 1.500	63-1	O. .750	31-6	A. 1.188	96-0	O. .972	78-5
M. .250	—	N. .250	—	M. 1.150	48-4	N. .750	31-6	M. 1.188	96-0	N. .972	78-5
J. .250	—	D. .250	—	J. 1.000	42-1	D. .700	29-4	J. 1.188	96-0	D. .972	78-5
Av. 1937: Price \$0-250				Av. 1937: Price \$1-171; Index 49-3				Av. 1937: Price \$1-103; Index 89-1			
GREEN COFFEE, AFRICAN, MEDIUM				POTATOES, CANADA No. 1				BAKED BEANS, 18 OUNCE TINS			
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per 80 pound bag at Saint John				Price per dozen, f.o.b. factory (Ontario and Quebec)			
J. .150	—	J. .180	—	J. 1.413	59-5	J. 1.015	42-7	J. 1.300	—	J. 1.300	—
F. .180	—	A. .150	—	F. 1.488	62-6	A. .844	35-5	F. 1.300	—	A. 1.300	—
M. .180	—	S. .150	—	M. 1.388	58-4	S. .630	26-5	M. 1.300	—	S. 1.300	—
A. .150	—	O. .140	—	A. 1.185	49-9	O. .600	25-3	A. 1.300	—	O. 1.300	—
M. .180	—	N. .140	—	M. .750	31-6	N. .600	25-3	M. 1.300	—	N. 1.250	—
J. .150	—	D. .130	—	J. .794	33-4	D. .620	26-1	J. 1.300	—	D. 1.250	—
Av. 1937: Price \$0-157				Av. 1937: Price \$0-944; Index 39-7				Av. 1937: Price \$1-292			
TEA, JAPAN, CHOICE TO MEDIUM				POTATOES, QUEBEC WHITES				TOBACCO			
Price per pound, to retail trade duty paid				Price per 80 pound bag at Montreal				RAW LEAF, BARN RUN			
J. .450	82-2	J. .450	82-2	J. 1.388	74-0	J. .950	50-7	J. .295	58-9	J. .295	58-9
F. .450	82-2	A. .450	82-2	F. 1.500	80-0	A. .567	30-2	F. .295	58-9	A. .295	58-9
M. .450	82-2	S. .450	82-2	M. 1.350	72-0	S. .512	27-3	M. .295	58-9	S. .295	58-9
A. .450	82-2	O. .460	84-0	A. 1.049	55-0	O. .517	27-6	A. .295	58-9	O. .295	58-9
M. .450	82-2	N. .480	87-7	M. .889	47-4	N. .567	30-2	M. .295	58-9	N. .270	53-9
J. .450	82-2	D. .480	87-7	J. .813	43-4	D. .575	30-7	J. .295	58-9	D. .270	53-9
Av. 1937: Price \$0-456; Index 83-3				Av. 1937: Price \$0-890; Index 47-5				Av. 1937: Price \$0-291; Index 58-8			

## GROUP I—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## TOBACCO—Concluded

## TOBACCO, BURLEY

## Farm price per pound

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .118	65-6	J. \$ .118	65-6
F. .118	65-6	A. .118	65-6
M. .118	65-6	S. .118	65-6
A. .118	65-6	O. .118	65-6
M. .118	65-6	N. .118	65-6
J. .118	65-6	D. .133	73-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-119; Index 66-1

## TOBACCO, DARK AIR CURED

## Farm price per pound

J. .100	38-0	J. .100	38-0
F. .100	38-0	A. .100	38-0
M. .100	38-0	S. .100	38-0
A. .100	38-0	O. .100	38-0
M. .100	38-0	N. .100	38-0
J. .100	38-0	D. .100	38-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-100; Index 38-0

## TOBACCO, DARK FIRE CURED

## Farm price per pound

J. .125	32-1	J. .125	32-1
F. .125	32-1	A. .125	32-1
M. .125	32-1	S. .125	32-1
A. .125	32-1	O. .125	32-1
M. .125	32-1	N. .125	32-1
J. .125	32-1	D. .125	32-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-125; Index 32-1

## TOBACCO, LARGE PIPE

## Farm price per pound

J. .080	37-1	J. .080	37-1
F. .080	37-1	A. .080	37-1
M. .080	37-1	S. .080	37-1
A. .080	37-1	O. .080	37-1
M. .080	37-1	N. .080	37-1
J. .080	37-1	D. .090	41-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-081; Index 37-5

## TOBACCO, SMALL PIPE

## (INCLUDING AROMATIC)

## Farm price per pound

J. .150	45-0	J. .150	45-0
F. .150	45-0	A. .150	45-0
M. .150	45-0	S. .150	45-0
A. .150	45-0	O. .150	45-0
M. .150	45-0	N. .150	45-0
J. .150	45-0	D. .150	45-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-150; Index 45-0

## TOBACCO, CIGAR LEAF

## Farm price per pound

J. .105	60-4	J. .105	60-4
F. .105	60-4	A. .105	60-4
M. .105	60-4	S. .105	60-4
A. .105	60-4	O. .105	60-4
M. .105	60-4	N. .105	60-4
J. .105	60-4	D. .120	69-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-106; Index 61-0

## MISCELLANEOUS

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 2

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

J. 7-500	51-9	J. 8-250	57-1
F. 7-500	51-9	A. 8-500	58-8
M. 7-500	51-9	S. 8-500	58-8
A. 7-500	51-9	O. 8-500	58-8
M. 8-000	55-3	N. 9-000	62-2
J. 8-000	55-3	D. 9-000	62-2

Av. 1937: Price \$8-146; Index 56-3

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 3

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

J. 5-500	44-1	J. 6-250	50-2
F. 5-500	44-1	A. 6-250	50-2
M. 5-500	44-1	S. 6-250	50-2
A. 6-000	48-2	O. 6-000	48-2
M. 6-500	52-2	N. 6-500	52-2
J. 6-500	52-2	D. 7-000	56-2

Av. 1937: Price \$6-146; Index 49-3

## MISCELLANEOUS—Continued

HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, RANGE No. 2  
—Good No. 2

## Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$10-250	61-6	J. \$10-750	64-6
F. 10-250	61-6	A. 9-750	58-6
M. 10-750	64-6	S. 10-250	61-6
A. 10-750	64-6	O. 10-750	64-6
M. 10-750	64-6	N. 11-250	67-6
J. 10-250	61-6	D. 11-750	70-6

Av. 1937: Price \$10-625; Index 63-8

## HAY, TIMOTHY, BALED, No. 3

## Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

J. 8-500	56-9	J. 8-500	56-9
F. 8-500	56-9	A. 8-500	56-9
M. 9-500	63-6	S. 8-500	56-9
A. 8-500	56-9	O. 8-500	56-9
M. 8-500	56-9	N. 9-500	63-6
J. 8-500	56-9	D. 10-500	70-3

Av. 1937: Price \$8-833; Index 59-1

## HAY, ALFALFA, BALED

## Price per ton, ex track, Toronto

J. 15-000	60-4	J. 15-000	60-4
F. 15-000	60-4	A. 15-000	60-4
M. 13-000	52-4	S. 10-000	40-3
A. 15-000	60-4	O. 12-000	48-4
M. 15-000	60-4	N. 12-000	48-4
J. 15-000	60-4	D. 12-000	48-4

Av. 1937: Price \$13-667; Index 55-1

## PRAIRIE HAY

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Saskatoon

J. 11-500	—	J. 13-000	—
F. 11-500	—	A. 13-500	—
M. 12-000	—	S. 13-500	—
A. 12-500	—	O. 14-000	—
M. 13-000	—	N. 14-000	—
J. 13-000	—	D. 14-000	—

Av. 1937: Price \$12-958

## PRAIRIE HAY

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

J. 15-000	84-3	J. 18-000	101-1
F. 15-000	84-3	A. 18-000	101-1
M. 15-000	84-3	S. 18-000	101-1
A. 15-000	84-3	O. 18-000	101-1
M. 15-000	84-3	N. 18-000	101-1
J. 15-000	84-3	D. 18-000	101-1

Index 1937: Price \$16-500; Index 92-7

## STRAW, OAT, BALED

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Montreal

J. \$4-000	56-7	J. \$3-000	42-6
F. 4-000	56-7	A. 3-000	42-6
M. 4-000	56-7	S. 5-000	70-9
A. 4-250	60-3	O. 5-250	74-5
M. 4-250	60-3	N. 5-250	74-5
J. 4-500	63-8	D. 6-250	88-7

Av. 1937: Price \$4-396; Index 62-4

## STRAW, WHEAT, BALED

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Toronto

J. 4-000	38-3	J. 4-000	38-3
F. 4-000	38-3	A. 4-000	38-3
M. 4-000	38-3	S. 4-000	38-3
A. 4-000	38-3	O. 4-000	38-3
M. 4-000	38-3	N. 4-000	38-3
J. 4-000	38-3	D. 4-000	38-3

Av. 1937: Price \$4-000; Index 38-3

## MISCELLANEOUS—Continued

## STRAW, OAT, BALED

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-500	34-5	J. \$3-500	34-5
F. 3-500	34-5	A. 3-500	34-5
M. 3-500	34-5	S. 3-500	34-5
A. 3-500	34-5	O. 3-500	34-5
M. 3-500	34-5	N. 5-000	49-3
J. 3-500	34-5	D. 5-000	49-3

Av. 1937: Price \$3-750; Index 37-0

## STRAW, WHEAT, BALED

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

J. 7-000	79-2	J. 9-000	101-9
F. 7-000	79-2	A. 9-000	101-9
M. 7-000	79-2	S. 9-000	101-9
A. 7-000	79-2	O. 9-000	101-9
M. 7-000	79-2	N. 9-000	101-9
J. 7-000	79-2	D. 9-000	101-9

Av. 1937: Price \$8-000; Index 90-6

## STRAW, OAT, BALED

## Price per ton, carlots, ex track, Edmonton

J. 8-000	76-2	J. 12-000	114-3
F. 8-000	76-2	A. 12-000	114-3
M. 8-000	76-2	S. 12-000	114-3
A. 8-000	76-2	O. 12-000	114-3
M. 8-000	76-2	N. 12-000	114-3
J. 8-000	76-2	D. 12-000	114-3

Av. 1937: Price \$10-000; Index 95-2

## ROSIN, WHITE WHITE

## Price per barrel of 280 pounds, Montreal and Toronto

J. \$16-000	90-6	J. \$11-700	66-3
F. 15-000	84-9	A. 11-400	64-6
M. 13-750	77-9	S. 11-650	66-0
A. 12-000	68-0	O. 11-400	64-6
M. 12-150	68-8	N. 10-500	59-5
J. 11-900	67-4	D. 9-600	54-4

Av. 1937: Price \$12-254; Index 69-4

## TURPENTINE

## Price per imperial gallon, 10 barrel lots, ex dock, New York, with charges added to give approximate price ex store, Montreal.

J. .773	56-6	J. .646	47-3
F. .755	55-3	A. .625	45-8
M. .718	52-6	S. .597	43-7
A. .678	49-7	O. .564	41-3
M. .673	49-3	N. .557	40-8
J. .667	48-9	D. .547	40-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-650; Index 47-6

## STARCH, LAUNDRY

## Price per pound, freight paid, in 5 case lots

J. .085	106-3	J. .085	106-3
F. .085	106-3	A. .085	106-3
M. .085	106-3	S. .085	106-3
A. .085	106-3	O. .085	106-3
M. .085	106-3	N. .085	106-3
J. .085	106-3	D. .085	106-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-085; Index 106-3

## VINEGAR, PURE SPIRIT, XXX GRADE

## Price per gallon, ex factory

J. .230	67-6	J. .250	73-5
F. .250	73-5	A. .250	73-5
M. .250	73-5	S. .250	73-5
A. .250	73-5	O. .250	73-5
M. .250	73-5	N. .250	73-5
J. .250	73-5	D. .250	73-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-248; Index 72-9

## GROUP I.—VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

MISCELLANEOUS—Continued				MISCELLANEOUS—Continued				MISCELLANEOUS—Concluded			
RICE, RANGOON B (CLEANED OR POLISHED)				RICE CHINESE, PAKING				TAPIOCA, SINGAPORE, MEDIUM PEARL			
Price per cwt. duty paid, Montreal				Price per cwt. ton lots to jobbers, f.o.b. mill				Price per pound, 10 bags or upwards spot, ex warehouse, Saint John			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-564	82-3	J. \$3-294	76-1	J. \$4-093	77-8	J. \$4-093	77-8	J. \$-070	106-2	J. \$-070	106-2
F. 3-564	82-3	A. 3-294	76-1	F. 4-093	77-8	A. 4-093	77-8	F. -070	106-2	A. -070	106-2
M. 3-564	82-3	S. 3-294	76-1	M. 4-093	77-8	S. 4-698	89-3	M. -070	106-2	S. -070	106-2
A. 3-564	82-3	O. 3-294	76-1	A. 4-093	77-8	O. 4-979	94-6	A. -070	106-2	O. -070	106-2
M. 3-294	76-1	N. 3-510	81-1	M. 4-093	77-8	N. 4-979	94-6	M. -070	106-2	N. -070	106-2
J. 3-294	76-1	D. 3-672	84-8	J. 4-093	77-8	D. 4-979	94-6	J. -070	106-2	D. -070	106-2
Av. 1937: Price \$3-434; Index 79-3				Av. 1937: Price \$4-365; Index 82-9				Av. 1937: Price \$0-070; Index 106-2			
RICE, JAPAN, MONARCH				RICE, BLUE ROSE (CLEANED OR POLISHED)				TAPIOCA, PENANG, MEDIUM PEARL			
Price per cwt., ton lots to jobbers, f.o.b. mill				Price per cwt., duty paid, Montreal				Price per pound, 10 bags or upwards spot, ex warehouse, Saint John			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4-644	65-4	J. 4-752	66-9	J. 4-995	—	J. 5-265	—	J. -068	111-7	J. -068	111-7
F. 4-644	65-4	A. 4-752	66-9	F. 5-265	—	A. 5-265	—	F. -068	111-7	A. -068	111-7
M. 4-644	65-4	S. 4-672	66-9	M. 5-265	—	S. 5-265	—	M. -068	111-7	S. -068	111-7
A. 4-752	66-9	O. 4-752	66-9	A. 5-265	—	O. 5-265	—	A. -068	111-7	O. -068	111-7
M. 4-752	66-9	N. 4-752	66-9	M. 5-265	—	N. 5-265	—	M. -068	111-7	N. -068	111-7
J. 4-752	66-9	D. 4-752	66-9	J. 5-265	—	D. 4-698	—	J. -068	111-7	D. -068	111-7
Av. 1937: Price \$4-725; Index 66-5				Av. 1937: Price \$5-195				Av. 1937: Price \$0-068; Index 111-7			

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

FISH				FISH—Continued				FISH—Continued			
DRY SHORE COD FISH				FINNAN HADDIE, STANDARD				WHITEFISH			
Price paid to fishermen per quintal at Halifax				Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points				Price per pound at Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4-000	72-7	J. \$4-750	83-4	J. \$-090	100-4	J. \$-090	100-4	J. \$-110	80-7	J. \$-160	117-4
F. 4-000	72-7	A. 4-250	77-3	F. -090	100-4	A. -090	100-4	F. -105	77-1	A. -170	124-7
M. 4-000	72-7	S. 4-625	84-1	M. -090	100-4	S. -090	100-4	M. -100	75-4	S. -180	132-1
A. 4-750	86-4	O. 4-375	79-5	A. -090	100-4	O. -090	100-4	A. -100	73-4	O. -180	132-1
M. 4-750	86-4	N. 4-625	84-1	M. -090	100-4	N. -090	100-4	M. -100	73-4	N. -180	117-4
J. 4-750	86-4	D. 4-625	84-1	J. -095	105-9	D. -090	100-4	J. -160	117-4	D. -120	88-7
Av. 1937: Price \$4-453; Index 81-1				Av. 1937: Price \$0-091; Index 101-4				Av. 1937: Price \$0-137; Index 100-5			
COD, FRESH STEAK, HEADLESS				SOLE, FRESH				SALMON, "SCKEY" Price per case at Montreal			
Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points				Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points				Price per case at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -050	—	J. -035	—	J. -050	—	J. -050	—	J. 14-450	77-2	J. 14-590	77-9
F. -055	—	A. -045	—	F. -060	—	A. -060	—	F. 14-470	77-3	A. 14-590	77-9
M. -050	—	S. -050	—	M. -060	—	S. -060	—	M. 14-600	78-0	S. 14-570	77-8
A. -050	—	O. -055	—	A. -060	—	O. -060	—	A. 14-430	77-1	O. 14-590	77-9
M. -050	—	N. -050	—	M. -060	—	N. -060	—	M. 14-270	76-2	N. 14-470	77-3
J. -040	—	D. -050	—	J. -060	—	D. -060	—	J. 14-450	77-2	D. 14-420	77-0
Av. 1937: Price \$0-048				Av. 1937: Price \$0-060				Av. 1937: Price \$14-480; Index 77-3			
FILLETS OF COD, SMOKED				KIPPERED HERRING				SALMON, "COHOE" Price per case at Montreal			
Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points				Price per 20 pound box, f.o.b. Maritime points				Price per case at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -095	72-6	J. -095	72-6	J. 1-650	82-5	J. 1-500	75-0	J. 9-690	70-9	J. 9-760	71-4
F. -095	72-6	A. -095	72-6	F. 1-650	82-5	A. 1-500	75-0	F. 9-670	70-7	A. 9-780	71-1
M. -095	72-6	S. -100	76-4	M. 1-650	82-5	S. 1-750	87-5	M. 9-780	71-6	S. 10-455	76-5
A. -095	72-6	O. -100	76-4	A. 1-500	75-0	O. 1-750	87-5	A. 9-760	71-4	O. 10-600	77-5
M. -095	72-6	N. -100	76-4	M. 1-500	75-0	N. 1-750	87-5	M. 9-640	70-5	N. 10-990	77-9
J. -095	72-6	D. -100	76-4	J. 1-500	75-0	D. 1-750	87-5	J. 9-600	70-2	D. 10-930	79-0
Av. 1937: Price \$0-097; Index 74-1				Av. 1937: Price \$1-621; Index 81-0				Av. 1937: Price \$10-040; Index 73-4			
FRESH HADDOCK (HEADS ON)				SALT SPRING MACKEREL				SALMON, "PINKS" Price per case at Montreal			
Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points				Predominant wholesale selling price per barrel, f.o.b. Maritime points				Price per case at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -055	93-0	J. -040	67-6	J. 6-000	22-7	J. 7-875	29-7	J. 4-500	50-9	J. 4-610	61-4
F. -055	93-0	A. -055	93-0	F. 7-000	26-5	A. 7-375	27-9	F. 4-520	60-2	A. 4-770	63-5
M. -050	84-5	S. -055	92-0	M. 8-000	30-3	S. 7-750	29-3	M. 4-540	60-5	S. 5-010	66-7
A. -050	84-5	O. -055	93-0	A. 10-500	39-7	O. 7-750	29-3	A. 5-580	60-3	O. 5-010	66-7
M. -050	84-5	N. -060	101-4	M. 10-250	39-0	N. 7-750	29-3	M. 4-500	59-9	N. 5-040	67-1
J. -035	59-1	D. -050	84-5	J. 9-000	34-5	D. 7-125	26-9	J. 4-540	60-5	D. 5-070	67-5
Av. 1937: Price \$0-051; Index 86-2				Av. 1937: Price \$8-031; Index 30-4				Av. 1937: Price \$4-720; Index 62-9			
FILLETS OF HADDOCK, FRESH				HALIBUT, B.C., MEDIUM				SALMON, "CHUMS" Price per case at Montreal			
Price per pound, f.o.b. Maritime points				Canners' price per cwt. to fishing vessels, Prince Rupert				Price per case at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -130	—	J. -110	—	J. 9-700	64-4	J. 7-700	51-1	J. 3-450	55-7	J. 3-560	57-5
F. -130	—	A. -120	—	F. 9-700	64-4	A. 11-000	73-0	F. 3-530	57-0	A. 3-600	58-1
M. -120	—	S. -120	—	M. 6-000	39-1	S. 10-600	70-3	M. 3-410	55-1	S. 3-770	60-8
A. -120	—	O. -130	—	A. 6-800	45-1	O. 10-600	70-3	A. 3-410	55-1	O. 3-800	61-3
M. -120	—	N. -140	—	M. 7-300	48-4	N. 10-600	70-3	M. 3-410	55-1	N. 3-850	62-1
J. -110	—	D. -130	—	J. 8-200	54-4	D. 10-600	70-3	J. 3-520	56-8	D. 3-940	63-6
Av. 1937: Price \$0-123				Av. 1937: Price \$9-067; Index 60-2				Av. 1937: Price \$3-610; Index 58-3			



GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

FISH—Concluded

LOBSTERS, CANNED

Price per case (96— $\frac{1}{2}$ 's), delivered at Halifax, based on choice grades of Atlantic Coast and Magdalen Islands packs.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$24-000	80-0	J. \$23-500	78-3
F. 24-000	80-0	A. 23-500	78-3
M. 24-000	80-0	S. 23-000	76-7
A. 24-000	80-0	O. 23-000	76-7
M. 23-000	76-7	N. 23-000	76-7
J. 23-500	78-3	D. 23-000	76-7

Av. 1937: Price \$23-458; Index 78-2

FURS

BEAVER, I AND II, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin (Ontario, Quebec, Western Canada, Alaska, and Yukon, British Columbia), at Montreal.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. —	—	J. 15-099	53-0
F. 17-819	62-5	A. —	—
M. 19-578	68-7	S. 14-679	51-5
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. 19-578	68-7	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. —	—

Av. 1937: Price \$17-351; Index 60-9

ERMINE (WEASEL)

Average price per skin (Western Canada, Eastern Canada), at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. —	—	J. .995	46-3
F. 1-290	60-0	A. —	—
M. 1-195	55-6	S. .830	38-6
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. 1-125	52-4	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. —	38-6

Av. 1937: Price \$1-087; Index 50-6

RED FOX, I AND II

Average price per skin (Ontario and Quebec), at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. —	—	J. 8-938	61-9
F. 8-750	60-6	A. —	—
M. 8-375	58-0	S. 8-938	61-9
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. 9-563	66-2	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. —	—

Av. 1937: Price \$8-913; Index 61-7

SILVER FOX,  $\frac{1}{2}$  TO  $\frac{3}{4}$  SILVER

Average price per skin at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 32-400	42-6	J. 33-320	43-8
F. 32-500	42-7	A. —	—
M. 32-720	43-0	S. 32-870	43-2
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. 32-000	42-1	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. 29-880	39-3

Av. 1937: Price \$32-241; Index 42-4

WHITE FOX, I AND II

Average price per skin at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 24-750	67-8	J. 24-750	67-8
F. 24-750	67-8	A. —	—
M. 24-750	67-8	S. 22-25	61-0
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. —	—	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. —	—

Av. 1937: Price \$24-250; Index 66-4

MARTEN, PALE, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin (Ontario and Quebec), at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 33-250	190-2	J. 20-500	117-3
M. 29-250	167-3	A. —	—
A. —	—	S. 22-500	128-7
M. —	—	O. —	—
M. 25-500	145-8	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. —	—

Av. 1937: Price \$26-200; Index 149-9

FURS—Concluded

MINK, 1 PART II, DARK

Average price per skin (Quebec, Northern Ontario, Southern Ontario, British Columbia), at Montreal.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$23-533	136-3	J. \$16-594	96-1
F. 22-750	131-8	A. —	—
M. 19-188	111-2	S. 13-358	77-4
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. 19-344	112-1	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. 12-422	72-0

Av. 1937: Price \$18-170; Index 105-3

LYNX, I AND II, EXTRA LARGE AND LARGE

Average price per skin at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. —	—	J. 41-000	177-3
F. 43-000	185-9	A. —	—
M. 43-500	188-1	S. 40-000	173-0
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. 44-000	190-3	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. —	—

Av. 1937: Price \$42-300; Index 182-9

MUSKRAT, SPRING

Average price per skin (Eastern Canada) at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. —	—	J. 1-633	76-6
F. 1-840	86-3	A. —	—
M. 1-660	77-8	S. 1-681	78-8
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. 1-580	74-1	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. —	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-678; Index 78-7

MUSKRAT, WINTER AND FALL

Average price per skin (Eastern Canada) at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. —	—	J. 1-158	73-9
F. 1-320	84-2	A. —	—
M. 1-190	75-9	S. 1-280	81-7
A. —	—	O. —	—
M. 1-370	87-4	N. —	—
J. —	—	D. —	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-264; Index 80-7

HIDES AND SKINS

BEEF HIDES, COUNTRY CURED FLAT NO. 1 AND 2

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .100	75-2	J. .115	86-5
F. .090	67-7	A. .120	90-2
M. .110	82-7	S. .110	82-7
A. .105	78-9	O. .100	75-2
M. .100	75-2	N. .090	67-7
J. .100	75-2	D. .060	45-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-100; Index 75-2

PACKER HIDES, NATIVE STEERS

Price per pound, basis Toronto freight

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .160	118-8	J. .170	126-2
F. .153	113-6	A. .183	135-9
M. .169	113-8	S. .175	129-9
A. .170	126-2	O. .160	118-8
M. .150	111-4	N. .155	115-1
J. .145	107-6	D. .140	103-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-160; Index 118-8

PACKER HIDES, NATIVE COWS

Price per pound, basis Toronto freight

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .133	—	J. .145	—
F. .128	—	A. .160	—
M. .138	—	S. .150	—
A. .150	—	O. .140	—
M. .140	—	N. .118	—
J. .130	—	D. .098	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-136.

HIDES AND SKINS—Concluded

CALF SKINS, CITY CURED No. 1 AND II

Price per pound at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .160	54-1	J. .150	50-7
F. .150	50-7	A. .160	54-1
M. .170	57-4	S. .150	50-7
A. .170	57-4	O. .140	47-3
M. .160	54-1	N. .130	43-9
J. .150	50-7	D. .090	30-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-148; Index 50-0

SHEEP SKINS, CITY CURED

Price per skin at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2-000	172-0	J. .850	73-1
F. 2-000	172-0	A. .900	77-4
M. 1-850	159-1	S. 1-150	98-9
A. 2-100	180-6	O. 1-000	86-0
M. 2-000	172-0	N. .800	68-8
J. .600	51-6	D. .850	73-1

Av. 1937: Price \$1-342; Index 115-4

SHEEP SKINS, COUNTRY CURED

Price per skin at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-850	353-7	J. .850	124-3
F. 1-850	353-7	A. .750	143-4
M. 1-650	315-5	S. 1-100	210-3
A. 1-850	353-7	O. .750	143-4
M. 1-750	334-6	N. .650	123-9
J. .400	76-5	D. .800	153-0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-171; Index 223-9

LEATHER

PACKER CROPS, No. I AND II

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .410	106-3	J. .440	114-0
F. .410	106-3	A. .440	114-0
M. .440	114-0	S. .440	114-0
A. .440	114-0	O. .430	111-5
M. .440	114-0	N. .430	111-5
J. .440	114-0	D. .430	111-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-433; Index 112-2

PACKER CROPS, No. III

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .390	—	J. .420	—
F. .390	—	A. .420	—
M. .420	—	S. .420	—
A. .420	—	O. .410	—
M. .420	—	N. .410	—
J. .420	—	D. .410	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-413

PACKER BENDS, No. I AND II

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .450	—	J. .480	—
F. .450	—	A. .480	—
M. .480	—	S. .480	—
A. .480	—	O. .470	—
M. .480	—	N. .470	—
J. .480	—	D. .470	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-473

PACKER BENDS, No. III

Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .430	—	J. .460	—
F. .430	—	A. .460	—
M. .460	—	S. .460	—
A. .460	—	O. .450	—
M. .460	—	N. .450	—
J. .460	—	D. .450	—

Av. 1933: Price \$0-453

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

LEATHER—Concluded				LIVESTOCK—Continued				LIVESTOCK—Concluded			
SHOULDERS				STEERS, GOOD (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)				LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT			
Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener				Price per cwt. at Winnipeg				Price per cwt. at Winnipeg			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .270	—	J. \$ .310	—	J. \$5-320	88-8	J. \$7-270	121-4	J. \$3-060	74-3	J. \$3-150	75-1
F. .280	—	A. .310	—	F. 5-480	91-5	A. 7-040	117-5	F. 8-430	77-7	A. 7-780	71-7
M. .300	—	S. .310	—	M. 6-390	106-7	S. 6-810	113-7	M. 8-620	79-4	S. 7-070	65-2
A. .300	—	O. .300	—	A. 7-080	118-2	O. 6-030	100-7	A. 7-960	73-4	O. 6-220	57-3
M. .300	—	N. .300	—	M. 7-150	119-4	N. 5-610	93-7	M. 8-970	91-9	N. 6-720	61-9
J. .300	—	D. .300	—	J. 7-500	125-2	D. 5-260	87-8	J. 8-670	79-9	D. 6-820	62-9
Av. 1937: Price \$0-298				Av. 1937: Price \$6-412; Index 107-0				Av. 1937: Price \$7-873; Index 72-6			
BELLIES				CALVES, GOOD VEAL				FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY			
Price per pound, basis f.o.b. Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, London, Kitchener				Price per cwt. at Toronto				BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER			
J. .180	—	J. .210	—	J. 10-930	92-9	J. 8-170	69-4	Price per pound at Montreal			
F. .190	—	A. .210	—	F. 9-410	79-9	A. 9-280	78-8	J. .113	81-9	J. .155	112-3
M. .210	—	S. .210	—	M. 9-240	78-5	S. 9-610	80-9	F. .110	79-7	A. .133	96-4
A. .210	—	O. .200	—	A. 9-190	78-1	O. 9-610	81-6	M. .125	90-6	S. .135	97-8
M. .210	—	N. .180	—	M. 8-370	71-1	N. 9-630	81-6	A. .143	103-6	O. .125	90-6
J. .210	—	D. .180	—	J. 7-780	66-1	D. 9-710	82-5	M. .135	97-8	N. .130	94-2
Av. 1937: Price \$0-200				Av. 1937: Price \$9-237; Index 78-5				J. .155	112-3	D. .120	87-0
BOX SIDES "B"				CALVES, GOOD VEAL				Av. 1937: Price \$0-132; Index 95-7			
Price per foot at Oshawa				Price per cwt. at Winnipeg				BEEF CARCASS—GOOD BUTCHER			
J. .250	95-2	J. .260	99-0	J. 7-690	103-1	J. 5-110	68-5	Price per pound at Toronto.			
F. .250	95-2	A. .260	99-0	F. 7-200	96-5	A. 5-330	78-2	J. .105	91-3	J. .145	126-1
M. .250	95-2	S. .260	99-0	M. 6-530	87-5	S. 6-120	82-0	F. .106	92-2	A. .147	127-8
A. .260	99-0	O. .260	99-0	A. 6-330	84-9	O. 6-420	86-1	M. .112	97-4	S. .142	123-5
M. .260	99-0	N. .240	91-4	M. 6-490	87-0	N. 6-810	91-3	A. .126	109-6	O. .135	117-4
J. .260	99-0	D. .230	87-6	J. 5-730	76-8	D. 7-980	107-0	M. .129	112-2	N. .123	107-0
Av. 1937: Price \$0-253; Index 96-4				Av. 1937: Price \$6-520; Index 87-4				J. .139	120-9	D. .114	99-1
HARNESS LEATHER, No. 1				HOGS, BACON				Av. 1937: Price \$0-127; Index 110-4			
Price per pound at Toronto				Price per cwt. at Montreal				BEEF CARCASS—GOOD BUTCHER			
J. .380	85-7	J. .405	91-4	J. 8-680	64-1	J. 10-190	75-3	Price per pound at Winnipeg			
F. .380	85-7	A. .405	91-4	F. 8-570	63-3	A. 10-460	77-3	J. .099	79-7	J. .148	119-2
M. .400	90-2	S. .405	91-4	M. 8-880	65-6	S. 10-260	75-8	F. .107	86-2	A. .139	111-9
A. .405	91-4	O. .405	91-4	A. 9-230	68-2	O. 9-110	67-3	M. .115	92-6	S. .136	109-5
M. .405	91-4	N. .405	91-4	M. 9-140	67-5	N. 8-300	61-3	A. .127	102-3	O. .130	104-7
J. .405	91-4	D. .405	91-4	J. 9-520	70-3	D. 8-670	64-0	M. .132	106-3	N. .127	102-3
Av. 1937: Price \$0-400; Index 90-2				Av. 1937: Price \$9-251; Index 68-3				J. .146	117-6	D. .114	91-8
GUN METAL CALF, M. No. 1				Hogs, BACON				Av. 1937: Price \$0-127; Index 102-3			
Price per foot at factory				Price per cwt. at Toronto				BEEF CARCASS—GOOD STEER			
J. .380	93-9	J. .400	98-9	J. 8-530	64-0	J. 10-240	76-9	Price per pound at Vancouver			
F. .380	93-9	A. .400	98-9	F. 8-280	62-2	A. 10-620	79-7	J. .105	82-1	J. .150	117-3
M. .380	93-9	S. .400	98-9	M. 8-510	63-9	S. 10-520	79-0	F. .125	97-7	A. .150	117-3
A. .400	98-9	O. .400	98-9	A. 8-750	65-7	O. 8-740	65-6	M. .125	97-7	S. .140	109-5
M. .400	98-9	N. .400	98-9	M. 8-850	66-4	N. 8-200	61-6	A. .145	113-4	O. .140	109-5
J. .400	98-9	D. .370	91-5	J. 9-250	69-4	D. 8-320	62-5	M. .160	125-1	N. .120	93-8
Av. 1937: Price \$0-393; Index 97-2				Av. 1937: Price \$9-068; Index 68-1				J. .170	132-9	D. .110	86-0
BOOTS AND SHOES				Hogs, BACON				Av. 1937: Price \$0-137; Index 107-1			
MEN'S SHOES				Price per cwt. at Winnipeg				BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW			
Composite price per pair at factory				J. 7-710	63-4	J. 9-370	77-0	Price per pound at Montreal			
J. 4-033	93-6	J. 4-263	98-9	F. 7-740	63-6	A. 9-970	81-9	J. .080	70-6	J. .090	79-4
F. 4-050	94-0	A. 4-263	98-9	M. 8-100	66-6	S. 9-320	76-6	F. .080	70-6	A. .095	83-8
M. 4-070	94-4	S. 4-263	98-9	A. 8-410	69-1	O. 9-780	65-6	M. .095	83-8	S. .083	73-3
A. 4-140	96-1	O. 4-363	101-2	M. 8-050	66-1	N. 7-780	63-9	A. .095	83-8	O. .083	73-3
M. 4-220	97-9	N. 4-388	101-8	J. 8-600	70-7	D. 8-030	66-0	M. .105	92-7	N. .083	73-3
J. 4-263	98-9	D. 4-388	101-8	Av. 1937: Price \$8-422; Index 69-2				J. .115	101-5	D. .078	68-8
Av. 1937: Price \$4-225; Index 98-0				LAMBS, GOOD, HANDYWEIGHT				Av. 1937: Price \$0-090; Index 79-4			
WOMEN'S SHOES				Price per cwt. at Montreal				BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW			
Composite price at factory per pair				J. 8-670	73-2	J. 8-910	75-2	Price per pound at Toronto			
J. 1-806	81-7	J. 1-944	88-0	F. 9-210	77-7	A. 8-570	72-3	J. .077	88-5	J. .098	112-6
F. 1-838	83-2	A. 1-944	88-0	M. 9-320	78-6	S. 8-510	71-3	M. .087	100-0	S. .091	104-6
M. 1-881	85-1	S. 1-944	88-0	A. 9-320	78-6	O. 9-960	67-2	A. .098	112-6	O. .087	100-0
A. 1-881	85-1	O. 1-922	87-0	M. 9-320	78-6	N. 7-690	64-9	M. .108	124-1	N. .083	95-4
M. 1-906	86-2	N. 1-865	84-4	J. 10-610	89-5	D. 8-000	67-5	J. .110	126-4	D. .077	88-5
J. 1-944	88-0	D. 1-865	84-4	Av. 1937: Price \$8-841; Index 74-6				Av. 1937: Price \$0-092; Index 105-7			
Av. 1937: Price \$1-895; Index 85-7				LAMBS, GOOD HANDYWEIGHT				BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW			
LIVESTOCK				Price per cwt. at Toronto				Price per pound at Winnipeg			
STEERS, GOOD (OVER 1,050 POUNDS)				J. 9-810	75-2	J. 10-900	83-5	J. .070	72-2	J. .085	87-6
J. 6-120	83-5	J. 8-610	117-5	F. 9-640	73-9	A. 9-450	72-4	F. .081	83-5	A. .075	77-3
F. 6-400	87-3	A. 8-980	122-5	M. 10-080	77-2	S. 8-620	66-1	M. .081	83-5	S. .072	74-2
M. 7-140	97-4	S. 8-540	116-5	A. 10-880	83-4	O. 7-840	60-1	A. .089	91-8	O. .072	74-2
A. 7-800	106-4	O. 7-600	103-7	M. 10-880	83-4	N. 7-820	59-9	M. .099	102-1	N. .080	82-5
M. 7-600	103-7	N. 7-380	100-7	J. 11-710	89-7	D. 7-680	58-9	J. .100	103-1	D. .076	78-4
J. 8-290	113-1	D. 7-050	96-2	Av. 1937: Price \$9-609; Index 73-6				Av. 1937: Price \$0-082; Index 84-5			
Av. 1937: Price \$7-626; Index 104-0											

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY  
—Continued

## BEEF CARCASS—GOOD COW

Price per pound at Vancouver

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	055	54.6	J.	100	99.2
F.	085	84.3	A.	100	99.2
M.	085	84.3	S.	085	84.3
A.	115	114.1	O.	085	84.3
M.	120	119.0	N.	075	74.4
J.	130	129.0	D.	075	74.4

Av. 1937: Price \$0.093; Index 92.3

## VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	145	85.3	J.	110	64.7
F.	135	79.4	A.	125	73.5
M.	120	70.6	S.	155	91.2
A.	080	47.1	O.	150	88.2
M.	095	55.9	N.	150	88.2
J.	105	61.8	D.	150	88.2

Av. 1937: Price \$0.127; Index 74.7

## VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	162	83.1	J.	120	61.5
F.	150	76.9	A.	145	74.4
M.	140	71.8	S.	148	75.9
A.	135	69.0	O.	146	74.9
M.	123	63.1	N.	151	77.4
J.	120	61.5	D.	164	84.1

Av. 1937: Price \$0.142; Index 72.8

## VEAL CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	139	88.3	J.	090	57.1
F.	135	85.7	A.	100	63.5
M.	116	73.7	S.	110	69.8
A.	095	60.3	O.	115	73.0
M.	105	66.7	N.	131	83.2
J.	087	55.2	D.	146	92.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.114; Index 72.4

## LAMB CARCASS—CHOICE, FRESH

Price per pound at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	160	73.6	J.	195	89.7
F.	150	69.0	A.	160	73.6
M.	178	81.8	S.	145	66.7
A.	185	85.1	O.	150	69.0
M.	200	92.0	N.	150	69.0
J.	225	103.4	D.	165	75.9

Av. 1937: Price \$0.172; Index 79.1

## LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	170	67.1	J.	213	84.1
F.	163	64.4	A.	183	72.2
M.	173	68.3	S.	159	62.8
A.	190	75.0	O.	145	57.2
M.	218	86.1	N.	148	58.4
J.	242	95.5	D.	153	60.4

Av. 1937: Price \$0.180; Index 71.1

## LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	152	60.8	J.	169	67.6
F.	158	63.2	A.	150	60.0
M.	168	67.2	S.	136	54.4
A.	187	74.8	O.	128	51.2
M.	203	81.2	N.	143	57.2
J.	205	82.0	D.	150	60.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.162; Index 64.8

## LAMB CARCASS—GOOD

Price per pound at Vancouver

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	170	58.3	J.	200	68.6
F.	170	58.3	A.	190	65.1
M.	170	58.3	S.	170	58.3
A.	190	65.1	O.	170	58.3
M.	190	65.1	N.	150	51.4
J.	220	75.4	D.	150	51.4

Av. 1937: Price \$0.178; Index 61.0

FRESH MEATS AND POULTRY  
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## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	118	54.1	J.	143	65.5
F.	115	52.7	A.	150	68.7
M.	118	54.1	S.	137	62.8
A.	125	57.3	O.	135	61.8
M.	125	57.3	N.	115	52.7
J.	135	61.8	D.	118	54.1

Av. 1937: Price \$0.128; Index 58.6

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	125	60.6	J.	140	67.9
F.	123	59.6	A.	154	74.7
M.	122	59.2	S.	153	74.2
A.	128	62.1	O.	137	66.4
M.	134	65.0	N.	128	62.1
J.	136	65.9	D.	128	62.1

Av. 1937: Price \$0.134; Index 65.0

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	111	54.1	J.	143	69.8
F.	114	55.6	A.	157	76.6
M.	115	56.1	S.	153	74.6
A.	123	60.0	O.	133	64.9
M.	121	59.0	N.	129	62.9
J.	127	62.0	D.	126	61.5

Av. 1937: Price \$0.129; Index 62.9

## PORK CARCASS—SHOP HOGS

Price per pound at Vancouver

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	140	66.0	J.	150	70.7
F.	140	66.0	A.	160	75.4
M.	140	66.0	S.	170	80.2
A.	150	70.7	O.	170	80.2
M.	150	70.7	N.	140	66.0
J.	150	70.7	D.	140	66.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.150; Index 70.7

## PORK CARCASS—ABATTOIR HOGS

Price per pound at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	131	61.5	J.	155	72.8
F.	133	62.4	A.	168	78.9
M.	132	62.0	S.	163	76.5
A.	135	63.4	O.	151	70.9
M.	144	67.6	N.	138	64.8
J.	147	69.0	D.	139	65.3

Av. 1937: Price \$0.145; Index 68.1

## PORK CARCASS—ABATTOIR HOGS

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	120	58.5	J.	148	72.2
F.	123	60.0	A.	163	79.5
M.	129	62.9	S.	158	77.1
A.	130	63.4	O.	143	69.8
M.	129	62.9	N.	128	62.4
J.	133	64.9	D.	129	62.9

Av. 1937: Price \$0.136; Index 66.3

## FOWL, DRESSED, 4-5 POUNDS

Price per pound to shippers, Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	151	57.6	J.	170	64.9
F.	160	61.1	A.	180	68.7
M.	160	61.1	S.	190	72.5
A.	160	61.1	O.	190	72.5
M.	170	64.9	N.	180	68.7
J.	170	64.9	D.	180	68.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.172; Index 65.6

## MEATS, CANNED, CURED, OR OTHERWISE PREPARED

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	190	56.0	J.	210	61.9
F.	185	54.5	A.	210	61.9
M.	185	54.5	S.	240	70.8
A.	185	54.5	O.	220	64.9
M.	185	54.5	N.	210	61.9
J.	180	53.1	D.	200	59.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.200; Index 59.0

MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR OTHERWISE PREPARED  
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## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	240	72.7	J.	230	69.7
F.	240	72.7	A.	290	87.9
M.	213	64.5	S.	270	81.8
A.	215	65.2	O.	280	84.8
M.	215	65.2	N.	255	77.3
J.	215	65.2	D.	240	72.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.242; Index 73.3

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	215	60.1	J.	240	67.1
F.	220	61.5	A.	260	72.7
M.	225	62.9	S.	265	74.1
A.	225	62.9	O.	265	74.1
M.	225	62.9	N.	245	68.5
J.	240	67.1	D.	265	74.1

Av. 1937: Price \$0.241; Index 67.4

## BACON, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Vancouver

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	240	58.8	J.	270	66.1
F.	250	61.2	A.	270	66.1
M.	250	61.2	S.	290	71.0
A.	250	61.2	O.	280	68.6
M.	250	61.2	N.	270	66.1
J.	280	63.7	D.	250	61.2

Av. 1937: Price \$0.261; Index 63.9

## HAM SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Montreal

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	190	58.8	J.	250	77.4
F.	190	58.8	A.	260	80.5
M.	200	61.9	S.	250	77.4
A.	200	61.9	O.	240	74.3
M.	200	61.9	N.	230	71.2
J.	210	65.0	D.	220	68.1

Av. 1937: Price \$0.220; Index 68.1

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Toronto

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	240	75.2	J.	240	75.2
F.	240	75.2	A.	300	94.0
M.	230	72.1	S.	290	90.9
A.	240	75.2	O.	280	87.7
M.	245	76.8	N.	260	81.5
J.	245	76.8	D.	250	78.3

Av. 1937: Price \$0.255; Index 79.9

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Winnipeg

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	240	74.4	J.	270	83.7
F.	240	74.4	A.	295	91.5
M.	260	80.6	S.	295	91.5
A.	260	80.6	O.	280	86.8
M.	265	82.2	N.	250	77.5
J.	265	82.2	D.	245	76.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.264; Index 81.9

## HAM, SMOKED, STANDARD LIGHT

Price per pound at Vancouver

J.	Price	Index	J.	Price	Index
J.	220	62.9	J.	240	68.6
F.	220	62.9	A.	270	77.1
M.	220	62.9	S.	280	80.0
A.	230	65.0	O.	280	80.0
M.	230	65.0	N.	260	74.3
J.	240	68.6	D.	230	65.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.243; Index 69.4

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Montreal

20.000	50.3	N.	28.000	70.4
25.000	62.9	D.	24.000	60.4

Av. 1937: Price \$23.792; Index 59.9



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Prices in Dollars

MEATS, CANNED, CURED OR OTHERWISE PREPARED  
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## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$24.000	67.4	J. \$26.000	73.0
F. 23.000	64.6	A. 30.000	84.2
M. 22.000	61.8	S. 31.000	87.0
A. 23.000	64.6	O. 30.000	84.2
M. 26.000	73.0	N. 29.000	81.4
J. 25.000	70.2	D. 26.000	73.0

Av. 1937: Price \$26-250; Index 73.7

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 28.000	70.9	J. 30.000	75.9
F. 28.000	70.9	A. 34.000	86.1
M. 24.000	60.8	S. 32.000	81.0
A. 24.000	60.8	O. 32.000	81.0
M. 25.000	63.3	N. 29.000	73.4
J. 25.000	63.3	D. 30.000	75.9

Av. 1937: Price \$28-417; Index 71.9

## MESS PORK, BARRELLED

Price per barrel at Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$27.000	56.8	J. \$28.000	58.9
F. 28.000	58.9	A. 28.000	58.9
M. 28.000	58.9	S. 30.000	63.2
A. 28.000	58.9	O. 30.000	63.2
M. 28.000	58.9	N. 30.000	63.2
J. 28.000	58.9	D. 30.000	63.2

Av. 1937: Price \$28-583; Index 60.2

## MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Charlottetown

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .160	80.0	J. .160	80.0
F. .160	80.0	A. .160	80.0
M. .160	80.0	S. .160	80.0
A. .160	80.0	O. .200	100.0
M. .160	80.0	N. .200	100.0
J. .160	80.0	D. .200	100.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-170; Index 85.0

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Halifax

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .215	88.3	J. .215	88.3
F. .256	105.2	A. .215	88.3
M. .256	105.2	S. .215	88.3
A. .256	105.2	O. .215	88.3
M. .256	105.2	N. .256	105.2
J. .215	88.3	D. .256	105.2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-236; Index 97.0

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Saint John

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .210	79.2	J. .210	79.2
F. .210	79.2	A. .210	79.2
M. .210	79.2	S. .210	79.2
A. .210	79.2	O. .210	79.2
M. .210	79.2	N. .220	83.0
J. .210	79.2	D. .220	83.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-212; Index 80.0

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .207	84.5	J. .175	71.4
F. .207	84.5	A. .175	71.4
M. .207	84.5	S. .210	85.7
A. .207	84.5	O. .210	85.7
M. .207	84.5	N. .210	85.7
J. .175	71.4	D. .210	85.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-200; Index 81.6

MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS  
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## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at railway station, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$2.095	89.0	J. \$1.750	74.3
F. 2.095	89.0	A. 1.750	74.3
M. 2.095	89.0	S. 2.200	93.5
A. 2.095	89.0	O. 2.200	93.5
M. 2.095	89.0	N. 2.200	93.5
J. 1.750	74.3	D. 2.200	93.5

Av. 1937: Price \$2-044; Index 86.8

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy, Ottawa

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2.050	83.7	J. 2.050	83.7
F. 2.050	83.7	A. 2.050	83.7
M. 2.050	83.7	S. 2.050	83.7
A. 2.050	83.7	O. 2.050	83.7
M. 2.050	83.7	N. 2.050	83.7
J. 2.050	83.7	D. 2.050	83.7

Av. 1937: Price \$2-050; Index 83.7

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 8 gallon can, delivered at dairy, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.730	86.0	J. 1.730	86.0
F. 1.850	91.9	A. 1.730	86.0
M. 1.850	91.9	S. 1.730	86.0
A. 1.850	91.9	O. 1.730	86.0
M. 1.850	91.9	N. 1.978	93.3
J. 1.730	86.0	D. 1.912	95.0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-806; Index 89.7

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Hamilton

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .220	83.0	J. .227	85.6
F. .230	86.8	A. .226	85.3
M. .230	86.8	S. .224	84.5
A. .230	86.8	O. .226	85.3
M. .230	86.8	N. .229	86.4
J. .230	86.8	D. .230	86.8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-228; Index 86.0

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Winnipeg

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.920	88.8	J. 1.670	77.2
F. 1.920	88.8	A. 1.670	77.2
M. 1.920	88.8	S. 1.670	77.2
A. 1.950	90.2	O. 2.000	92.5
M. 1.950	90.2	N. 2.000	92.5
J. 1.670	77.2	D. 2.000	92.5

Av. 1937: Price \$1-862; Index 86.1

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per pound butterfat delivered at dairy, Saskatoon

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .580	92.8	J. .580	92.8
F. .580	92.8	A. .580	92.8
M. .580	92.8	S. .665	106.4
A. .580	92.8	O. .665	106.4
M. .580	92.8	N. .700	112.0
J. .580	92.8	D. .700	112.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-614; Index 98.2

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Regina

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .213	92.6	J. .213	92.6
F. .213	92.6	A. .213	92.6
M. .213	92.6	S. .213	92.6
A. .213	92.6	O. .246	107.0
M. .213	92.6	N. .246	107.0
J. .213	92.6	D. .246	107.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-221; Index 96.1

MILK AND ITS PRODUCTS  
—Continued

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds delivered at dairy, Calgary

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$2-350	98.2	J. \$2-350	98.2
F. 2-350	98.2	A. 2-350	98.2
M. 2-350	98.2	S. 2-350	98.2
A. 2-350	98.2	O. 2-350	98.2
M. 2-350	98.2	N. 2-350	98.2
J. 2-350	98.2	D. 2-350	98.2

Av. 1937: Price \$2-350; Index 98.2

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per 100 pounds, delivered at dairy, Edmonton

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2-230	95.6	J. 2-230	95.6
F. 2-230	95.6	A. 2-230	95.6
M. 2-230	95.6	S. 2-230	95.6
A. 2-230	95.6	O. 2-230	95.6
M. 2-230	95.6	N. 2-230	95.6
J. 2-230	95.6	D. 2-230	95.6

Av. 1937: Price \$2-230; Index 95.6

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per gallon, delivered at dairy, Victoria

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .200	85.8	J. .230	98.7
F. .200	85.8	A. .230	98.7
M. .230	98.7	S. .230	98.7
A. .230	98.7	O. .230	98.7
M. .230	98.7	N. .230	98.7
J. .230	98.7	D. .230	98.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-225; Index 96.6

## MILK, FRESH

Price to producers, per pound butterfat delivered at dairy, Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .530	71.5	J. .494	66.7
F. .530	71.5	A. .494	66.7
M. .530	71.5	S. .494	66.7
A. .530	71.5	O. .494	66.7
M. .530	71.5	N. .494	66.7
J. .494	66.7	D. .494	66.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-509; Index 68.7

## MILK, CONDENSED

Manufacturer's price per case of 48 15-ounce tins, cartons

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 8-100	100.0	J. 8-100	100.0
F. 8-100	100.0	A. 8-100	100.0
M. 8-100	100.0	S. 8-100	100.0
A. 8-100	100.0	O. 8-100	100.0
M. 8-100	100.0	N. 8-100	100.0
J. 8-100	100.0	D. 8-100	100.0

Av. 1937: Price \$8-100; Index 100.0

## MILK, EVAPORATED

Manufacturer's price per case of 48 1-pound tins

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-600	70.6	J. 3-600	70.6
F. 3-600	70.6	A. 3-600	70.6
M. 3-600	70.6	S. 3-600	70.6
A. 3-600	70.6	O. 3-600	70.6
M. 3-600	70.6	N. 3-600	70.6
J. 3-600	70.6	D. 3-600	70.6

Av. 1937: Price \$3-600; Index 70.6

## BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS

Jobbing price per pound at Montreal—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .276	70.8	J. .273	70.8
F. .266	68.2	A. .252	72.2
M. .273	70.0	S. .251	72.2
A. .277	71.0	O. .293	75.0
M. .246	63.1	N. .314	80.0
J. .261	66.9	D. .314	80.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-280; Index 71.8

GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

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BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS  
Jobbing price per pound at Toronto  
—monthly average

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .283	68-2	J. \$ .275	66-3
F. .274	66-0	A. .287	69-2
M. .278	67-0	S. .287	69-2
A. .288	69-4	O. .297	71-6
M. .251	60-5	N. .317	76-4
J. .262	63-1	D. .321	77-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-285; Index 68-7

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. plant, Winnipeg			
J. .270	68-2	J. .250	63-2
F. .265	67-0	A. .270	68-2
M. .270	68-2	S. .275	69-5
A. .288	72-8	O. .275	69-5
M. .240	60-6	N. .300	75-8
J. .245	61-9	D. .315	79-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-272; Index 68-7

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound at Regina			
J. .290	74-7	J. .280	72-2
F. .290	74-7	A. .280	72-2
M. .280	72-2	S. .280	72-2
A. .310	79-9	O. .280	72-2
M. .250	64-4	N. .300	77-3
J. .260	67-0	D. .310	79-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-284; Index 73-2

BUTTER, CREAMERY, FINEST PRINTS

Price per pound at Calgary			
J. .290	76-7	J. .270	71-4
F. .270	71-4	A. .280	74-0
M. .280	74-0	S. .275	72-7
A. .300	79-3	O. .285	75-3
M. .240	63-4	N. .295	78-0
J. .260	68-7	D. .295	78-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-278; Index 73-5

BUTTER, CREAMERY, No. 1 PRINTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Vancouver			
J. .300	—	J. .285	—
F. .290	—	A. .300	—
M. .290	—	S. .300	—
A. .300	—	O. .300	—
J. .285	—	N. .310	—
J. .270	—	D. .320	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-296

CHEESE, NEW, LARGE

Price per pound at Montreal			
J. .155	78-6	J. .160	81-
F. .140	71-0	A. .140	71-0
M. .140	71-0	S. .140	71-0
A. .140	71-0	O. .160	81-2
M. .140	71-0	N. .150	76-1
J. .155	78-6	D. .150	76-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-148; Index 75-1

CHEESE, OLD, LARGE

Price per pound at Montreal			
J. .195	85-8	J. .190	83-6
F. .170	74-8	A. .180	79-2
M. .180	79-2	S. .180	79-2
A. .180	79-2	O. .180	79-2
M. .180	79-2	N. .180	79-2
J. .180	79-2	D. .180	79-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-181; Index 79-6

CHEESE, LARGE, COLOURED, NEW

Price per pound Toronto area, delivered nearest railway station, 40 pounds or more			
J. .163	64-2	J. .170	66-9
F. .163	64-2	A. .148	58-3
M. .163	64-2	S. .170	66-9
A. .153	62-2	O. .165	65-0
M. .168	66-1	N. .165	65-0
J. .168	66-1	D. .165	65-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-164; Index 64-6

OILS AND FATS

LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tierces, at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .135	78-0	J. \$ .123	71-1
F. .125	72-3	A. .125	72-3
M. .120	69-4	S. .120	69-4
A. .135	78-0	O. .135	78-0
M. .125	72-3	N. .120	69-4
J. .125	72-3	D. .110	63-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-125; Index 72-3

LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tierces, at Toronto			
J. .153	86-6	J. .140	79-3
F. .153	86-6	A. .140	79-3
M. .138	78-1	S. .140	79-3
A. .143	81-0	O. .140	79-3
M. .143	81-0	N. .135	76-4
J. .143	81-0	D. .120	68-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-141; Index 79-8

LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tierces, at Winnipeg			
J. .140	74-5	J. .140	74-5
F. .140	74-5	A. .150	79-8
M. .138	73-4	S. .135	71-8
A. .138	73-4	O. .150	79-8
M. .133	70-7	N. .130	69-1
J. .140	74-5	D. .110	58-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-137; Index 72-9

LARD, PURE

Price per pound, in tierces, f.o.b. Vancouver			
J. .140	70-9	J. .145	73-4
F. .145	73-4	A. .145	73-4
M. .140	70-9	S. .145	73-4
A. .150	75-9	O. .145	73-4
M. .140	70-9	N. .150	75-9
J. .150	75-9	D. .125	63-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-143; Index 72-4

TALLOW, PRIME PACKERS'

Price per pound at Toronto			
J. .068	77-2	J. .050	67-0
F. .068	77-2	A. .056	63-6
M. .068	77-2	S. .053	60-2
A. .068	77-2	O. .048	54-7
M. .061	69-3	N. .045	51-2
J. .063	71-6	D. .038	43-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-058; Index 65-9

EGGS

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Halifax			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .298	63-1	J. .316	66-9
F. .266	56-4	A. .350	74-2
M. .247	52-3	S. .268	78-0
A. .244	51-7	O. .438	92-8
M. .246	52-1	N. .487	103-2
J. .254	53-8	D. .396	83-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-326; Index 69-1

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Saint John			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .308	66-0	J. .300	64-2
F. .248	53-1	A. .339	72-6
M. .252	54-0	S. .343	73-4
A. .243	49-9	O. .413	88-4
M. .234	50-1	N. .496	106-2
J. .244	52-2	D. .384	82-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-319; Index 68-3

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Montreal			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .296	63-7	J. .310	66-7
F. .263	56-6	A. .322	69-2
M. .244	52-5	S. .285	82-8
A. .246	52-9	O. .428	92-0
M. .243	52-3	N. .447	96-1
J. .255	54-8	D. .354	76-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-316; Index 68-0

EGGS—Continued

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Toronto			
—average of weekly prices			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .270	58-4	J. \$ .286	61-9
F. .236	51-1	A. .292	63-2
M. .220	47-6	S. .359	77-7
A. .234	50-6	O. .414	89-6
M. .226	48-9	N. .419	90-7
J. .237	51-3	D. .338	73-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-294; Index 63-6

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Winnipeg			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .321	76-2	J. .253	60-1
F. .286	67-9	A. .288	68-4
M. .258	61-3	S. .319	75-8
A. .216	51-3	O. .396	94-1
M. .219	52-0	N. .423	100-5
J. .222	52-7	D. .368	87-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-295; Index 70-1

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Saskatoon			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .303	74-6	J. .215	53-0
F. .295	72-7	A. .226	55-7
M. .259	63-8	S. .255	62-8
A. .200	49-3	O. .285	70-2
M. .208	51-2	N. .360	88-7
J. .197	48-5	D. .351	86-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-262; Index 64-5

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Calgary			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .254	61-5	J. .234	56-7
F. .285	69-0	A. .299	72-4
M. .248	59-6	S. .313	75-8
A. .183	44-3	O. .348	84-3
M. .195	47-2	N. .410	99-3
J. .215	52-1	D. .348	84-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-285; Index 69-0

EGGS, GRADE "A", LARGE

Price per dozen at Vancouver			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .261	66-2	J. .271	68-8
F. .240	60-9	A. .323	82-0
M. .228	57-9	S. .355	90-1
A. .220	55-8	O. .368	93-4
M. .220	55-8	N. .361	91-6
J. .220	55-8	D. .266	67-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-278; Index 70-6

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Halifax			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .230	53-6	J. .253	59-0
F. .210	49-0	A. .264	61-5
M. .203	47-3	S. .293	68-3
A. .205	47-8	O. .315	73-4
M. .205	47-8	N. .317	73-9
J. .209	48-7	D. .279	65-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-248; Index 57-8

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Saint John			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .244	57-8	J. .251	59-5
F. .188	44-5	A. .274	64-9
M. .203	48-1	S. .275	65-2
A. .196	46-4	O. .288	68-2
M. .194	46-0	N. .284	69-7
J. .202	47-9	D. .256	67-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-242; Index 57-3

EGGS, GRADE "B"

Price per dozen at Montreal			
—average of weekly prices			
J. .260	63-1	J. .243	59-0
F. .230	55-8	A. .259	62-9
M. .212	51-5	S. .286	69-4
A. .219	53-2	O. .310	75-2
M. .218	52-9	N. .304	73-8
J. .219	53-2	D. .265	64-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-252; Index 61-2

## GROUP II.—ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

EGGS—Continued				EGGS—Continued				EGGS—Concluded			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Toronto —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Halifax —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Winnipeg —average of weekly prices			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .238	58.5	J. \$ .245	60.2	J. \$ .200	60.1	J. \$ .214	64.3	J. \$ .209	69.4	J. \$ .179	59.5
F. .200	49.1	A. .250	61.4	F. .183	54.9	A. .210	63.1	F. .196	65.1	A. .193	64.1
M. .187	45.9	S. .279	68.6	M. .176	52.8	S. .220	66.1	M. .180	59.8	S. .198	65.8
A. .208	51.1	O. .285	72.5	A. .173	51.9	O. .248	74.5	A. .170	56.5	O. .215	71.4
M. .204	50.1	N. .282	69.3	M. .180	54.0	N. .255	76.6	M. .178	59.1	N. .216	71.8
J. .210	51.6	D. .263	64.6	J. .175	52.5	D. .230	69.1	J. .178	59.1	D. .203	67.4
Av. 1937: Price \$0.238; Index 58.5				Av. 1937: Price \$0.204; Index 61.3				Av. 1937: Price \$0.193; Index 64.1			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Winnipeg —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Saint John —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Saskatoon —average of weekly prices			
J. .254	67.0	J. .211	55.7	J. .216	63.2	J. .220	64.3	J. .204	67.8	J. .155	51.5
F. .233	61.5	A. .236	62.3	F. .162	47.4	A. .222	64.9	F. .200	66.4	A. .165	54.8
M. .213	56.2	S. .249	65.7	M. .170	49.7	S. .209	61.1	M. .178	59.1	S. .175	58.1
A. .193	50.9	O. .276	72.8	A. .168	49.1	O. .221	64.6	A. .140	46.5	O. .190	63.1
M. .199	52.5	N. .282	74.4	M. .163	47.7	N. .231	68.1	M. .145	48.2	N. .235	78.1
J. .199	52.5	D. .264	69.7	J. .173	50.6	D. .245	71.6	J. .153	50.8	D. .223	74.1
Av. 1937: Price \$0.234; Index 61.7				Av. 1937: Price \$0.201; Index 58.8				Av. 1937: Price \$0.180; Index 59.8			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Saskatoon —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Montreal —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Calgary —average of weekly prices			
J. .229	61.9	J. .178	48.1	J. .240	71.0	J. .214	63.3	J. .165	55.2	J. .161	53.8
F. .228	61.6	A. .185	50.0	F. .216	63.9	A. .220	65.1	F. .159	53.2	A. .188	62.9
M. .206	55.7	S. .208	56.2	M. .190	56.2	S. .228	67.5	M. .150	50.2	S. .193	64.5
A. .160	43.2	O. .230	62.2	A. .200	59.2	O. .236	69.8	A. .141	47.2	O. .201	67.2
M. .165	44.6	N. .279	75.4	M. .201	59.5	N. .243	71.9	M. .145	48.5	N. .203	67.9
J. .172	46.5	D. .269	72.7	J. .204	60.4	D. .235	69.5	J. .150	50.2	D. .210	70.2
Av. 1937: Price \$0.208; Index 56.2				Av. 1937: Price \$0.219; Index 64.8				Av. 1937: Price \$0.173; Index 57.9			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Calgary —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Toronto —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Vancouver —average of weekly prices			
J. .194	51.9	J. .183	50.3	J. .231	72.0	J. .219	68.2	J. —	—	J. .220	68.5
F. .206	55.1	A. .220	58.8	F. .198	61.7	A. .212	66.0	F. —	—	A. .152	47.4
M. .192	51.3	S. .223	59.6	M. .179	55.8	S. .226	70.4	M. —	—	S. .160	49.8
A. .163	43.6	O. .240	64.2	A. .198	61.7	O. .243	75.7	A. —	—	O. .170	53.0
M. .165	44.1	N. .253	67.6	M. .187	58.3	N. .243	75.7	M. —	—	N. —	—
J. .175	46.8	D. .257	68.7	J. .192	59.8	D. .239	74.5	J. —	—	D. —	—
Av. 1937: Price \$0.209; Index 55.9				Av. 1937: Price \$0.213; Index 66.4				Av. 1937: Price \$0.163; Index 50.8			
EGGS, GRADE "B"				EGGS, GRADE "C"				EGGS, GRADE "C"			
Price per dozen at Vancouver —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Montreal —average of weekly prices				Price per dozen at Toronto —average of weekly prices			
J. —	—	J. .257	71.0	J. .231	72.0	J. .219	68.2	J. .231	72.0	J. .219	68.2
F. —	—	A. .272	75.1	F. .198	61.7	A. .212	66.0	F. .198	61.7	A. .212	66.0
M. —	—	S. .271	74.9	M. .179	55.8	S. .226	70.4	M. .179	55.8	S. .226	70.4
A. .190	52.5	O. .271	74.9	A. .198	61.7	O. .243	75.7	A. .198	61.7	O. .243	75.7
M. .190	52.5	N. .275	76.0	M. .187	58.3	N. .243	75.7	M. .187	58.3	N. .243	75.7
J. .190	52.5	D. —	—	J. .192	59.8	D. .239	74.5	J. .192	59.8	D. .239	74.5
Av. 1937: Price \$0.242; Index 66.9				Av. 1937: Price \$0.213; Index 66.4				Av. 1937: Price \$0.213; Index 66.4			

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

RAW COTTON				YARNS AND THREAD				YARNS AND THREAD—Continued			
COTTON, RAW, UPLAND MIDDLING				COTTON THREAD, 6 CORD, 200 YARD SPOOL				COTTON YARN, 10's, WHITE SINGLE, HOSIERY COPS			
Price per pound at New York —monthly average				Price per gross at Montreal				Price per pound, freight paid			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .130	74.3	J. \$ .123	70.3	J. \$10.200	87.6	J. \$10.200	87.6	J. \$ .310	84.2	J. \$ .335	91.0
F. .132	75.5	A. .104	59.5	F. 10.200	87.6	A. 10.200	87.6	F. .320	87.0	A. .315	85.6
M. .144	82.3	S. .090	51.5	M. 10.200	87.6	S. 10.200	87.6	M. .335	91.0	S. .290	78.8
A. .142	81.2	O. .084	48.0	A. 10.200	87.6	O. 10.200	87.6	A. .355	96.5	O. .260	70.7
M. .133	76.0	N. .080	45.7	M. 10.200	87.6	N. 10.200	87.6	M. .355	96.5	N. .260	70.7
J. .127	72.6	D. .083	47.5	J. 10.200	87.6	D. 10.200	87.6	J. .335	91.0	D. .260	70.7
Av. 1937: Price \$0.114; Index 65.2				Av. 1937: Price \$10.200; Index 87.6				Av. 1937: Price \$0.311; Index 84.5			
COTTON, RAW, MIDDLING, 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "				COTTON YARN, 24's, HOSIERY, CONES, RING SPUN				COTTON YARN, 20's, WHITE RING SPUN OR CONES			
Price per pound, delivered at Hamilton				Price per pound, f.o.b. mill				Price per pound, f.o.b. works			
J. .150	77.2	J. .153	78.8	J. .368	—	J. .388	—	J. .353	—	J. .378	—
F. .153	78.8	A. .131	67.5	F. .378	—	A. .368	—	F. .363	—	A. .358	—
M. .167	86.0	S. .109	56.1	M. .388	—	S. .343	—	M. .378	—	S. .333	—
A. .161	82.9	O. .104	53.6	A. .408	—	O. .313	—	A. .398	—	O. .303	—
M. .155	79.8	N. .100	51.5	M. .408	—	N. .313	—	M. .398	—	N. .303	—
J. .151	77.8	D. .102	52.5	J. .388	—	D. .313	—	J. .378	—	D. .303	—
Av. 1937: Price \$0.136; Index 70.0				Av. 1937: Price \$0.365				Av. 1937: Price \$0.354			



GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

YARNS AND THREAD  
—Concluded

COTTON YARN, 30's, WHITE  
RING SPUN OR CONES

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .380	—	J. \$ .400	—
F. .390	—	A. .385	—
M. .400	—	S. .365	—
A. .420	—	O. .345	—
M. .420	—	N. .345	—
J. .400	—	D. .345	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-383

COTTON FABRICS

COTTONADES, 8 OUNCE CLOTH,  
2 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

J. .413	70-9	J. .430	73-8
F. .428	73-5	A. .430	73-8
M. .428	73-5	S. .430	73-8
A. .450	77-3	O. .418	71-8
M. .450	77-3	N. .388	66-6
J. .450	77-3	D. .388	66-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-425; Index 73-0

DENIM, BLACK, 2-40 YARDS TO THE  
POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

J. .408	76-0	J. .429	79-9
F. .426	79-3	A. .429	79-9
M. .426	79-3	S. .429	79-9
A. .450	83-8	O. .405	75-4
M. .450	83-8	N. .381	70-9
J. .450	83-8	D. .381	70-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-422; Index 78-6

DENIM, BLUE, 2-20 YARDS TO THE  
POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

J. .391	68-6	J. .407	71-4
F. .407	71-4	A. .407	71-4
M. .407	71-4	S. .407	71-4
A. .429	75-3	O. .385	67-5
M. .429	75-3	N. .358	62-8
J. .429	75-3	D. .358	62-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-401; Index 70-4

TICKING, 2-00 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

J. .430	71-1	J. .450	74-4
F. .440	72-7	A. .450	74-4
M. .440	72-7	S. .430	71-1
A. .450	74-4	O. .430	71-1
M. .450	74-4	N. .410	67-8
J. .450	74-4	D. .410	67-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-437; Index 72-2

SHEETING, 4-00 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

J. .590	85-5	J. .630	91-3
F. .600	87-0	A. .630	91-3
M. .600	87-0	S. .610	88-4
A. .630	91-3	O. .610	88-4
M. .630	91-3	N. .590	85-5
J. .630	91-3	D. .590	85-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-612; Index 88-7

FLANNELETTE, 5-00 YARDS TO THE  
POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

J. .513	67-0	J. .541	70-7
F. .519	67-8	A. .541	70-7
M. .519	67-8	S. .525	68-6
A. .541	70-7	O. .513	67-0
M. .541	70-7	N. .513	67-0
J. .541	70-7	D. .513	67-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-527; Index 68-8

COTTON FABRICS—Continued

DRESS GINGHAM,  
6-50-7-75 YARDS TO THE POUND

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

J. \$ .843	77-6	J. \$ .923	85-0
F. .714	80-9	A. .923	85-0
M. .879	80-9	S. .923	85-0
A. .923	85-0	O. .923	85-0
M. .923	85-0	N. .888	81-8
J. .923	85-0	D. .888	81-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-903; Index 83-1

APRON GINGHAM

4-20 YARDS TO THE POUND

J. .704	88-2	J. .735	92-1
F. .714	89-5	A. .735	92-1
M. .714	89-5	S. .714	89-5
A. .735	92-1	O. .714	89-5
M. .735	92-1	N. .704	88-2
J. .735	92-1	D. .704	88-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-720; Index 90-2

COTTON BLANKETS, 12 x 4

(3½ pounds per pair)

J. .490	90-7	J. .504	93-3
F. .490	90-7	A. .504	93-3
M. .490	90-7	S. .490	90-7
A. .504	93-3	O. .490	90-7
M. .504	93-3	N. .490	90-7
J. .504	93-3	D. .490	90-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-496; Index 91-8

PILLOW COTTON, 42" WIDE

J. .225	—	J. .236	—
F. .225	—	A. .236	—
M. .236	—	S. .225	—
A. .236	—	O. .213	—
M. .236	—	N. .213	—
J. .236	—	D. .213	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-228

WIDE COTTON DUCK, 60", No. 1

J. 1-008	—	J. 1-056	—
F. 1-008	—	A. 1-056	—
M. 1-056	—	S. .960	—
A. 1-056	—	O. .960	—
M. 1-056	—	N. .960	—
J. 1-056	—	D. .960	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-016

PRINT

J. .130	92-1	J. .133	97-8
F. .130	92-1	A. .133	97-8
M. .131	92-8	S. .125	88-7
A. .138	97-8	O. .125	88-7
M. .138	97-8	N. .125	88-7
J. .138	97-8	D. .125	88-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-132; Index 93-7

GINGHAM, CANADIAN

6-37 YARDS TO THE POUND

J. .158	94-0	J. .173	102-9
F. .165	98-2	A. .173	102-9
M. .165	98-2	S. .173	102-9
A. .173	102-9	O. .173	102-9
M. .173	102-9	N. .173	102-9
J. .173	102-9	D. .173	102-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-170; Index 101-1

FLANNELETTE, BLEACHED

4-50 YARDS TO THE POUND

J. .475	66-2	J. .484	67-5
F. .478	66-6	A. .484	67-5
M. .478	66-6	S. .473	66-0
A. .484	67-5	O. .450	62-7
M. .484	67-5	N. .450	62-7
J. .484	67-5	D. .450	62-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-473; Index 66-0

COTTON FABRICS—Concluded

FLANNELETTE, BLEACHED

5-75 YARDS TO THE POUND

J. \$ .488	66-3	J. \$ .518	70-4
F. .496	67-4	A. .518	70-4
M. .496	67-4	S. .489	66-4
A. .518	70-4	O. .460	62-5
M. .518	70-4	N. .460	62-5
J. .518	70-4	D. .460	62-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-495; Index 67-3

NAPPED SHEETING,  
72" UNBLEACHED AND COLOURED

J. .369	63-2	J. .400	68-5
F. .369	63-2	A. .400	68-5
M. .369	63-2	S. .375	64-2
A. .400	68-5	O. .375	64-2
M. .400	68-5	N. .375	64-2
J. .400	68-5	D. .375	64-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-384; Index 65-8

GREY COTTON, R. 14

J. .099	77-2	J. .106	82-7
F. .099	77-2	A. .106	82-7
M. .099	77-2	S. .090	70-2
A. .106	82-7	O. .090	70-2
M. .106	82-7	N. .090	70-2
J. .106	82-7	D. .090	70-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-099; Index 77-2

BLEACHED COTTON, O. 32

J. .096	90-4	J. .100	94-2
F. .096	90-4	A. .100	94-2
M. .096	90-4	S. .090	84-8
A. .100	94-2	O. .090	84-8
M. .100	94-2	N. .090	84-8
J. .100	94-2	D. .090	84-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-096; Index 90-4

COTTON SHEETING, No. 320

J. .229	79-7	J. .239	83-2
F. .229	79-7	A. .239	83-2
M. .229	79-7	S. .219	76-2
A. .239	83-2	O. .224	78-0
M. .239	83-2	N. .224	78-0
J. .239	83-2	D. .224	78-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-231; Index 80-4

KNIT GOODS

Men's COTTON UNDERWEAR,  
BALBRIGGAN

J. 3-60	80-0	J. 3-80	84-4
F. 3-60	80-0	A. 3-80	84-4
M. 3-60	80-0	S. 3-80	84-4
A. 3-80	84-4	O. 3-80	84-4
M. 3-80	84-4	N. 3-65	81-1
J. 3-80	84-4	D. 3-65	81-1

Av. 1937: Price \$3-725; Index 82-8

Men's COTTON COMBINATIONS,  
2 THREAD

J. 8-500	—	J. 8-750	—
F. 8-500	—	A. 8-750	—
M. 8-750	—	S. 8-850	—
A. 8-750	—	O. 8-850	—
M. 8-750	—	N. 8-850	—
J. 8-750	—	D. 8-850	—

Av. 1937: Price \$8-742

Men's COTTON COMBINATIONS, 34-44

J. 7-350	—	J. 7-350	—
F. 7-350	—	A. 7-350	—
M. 7-350	—	S. 7-350	—
A. 7-350	—	O. 7-350	—
M. 7-350	—	N. 7-350	—
J. 7-350	—	D. 7-350	—

Av. 1937: Price \$7-350

## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## SASH CORD, No. 8

Price per pound to wholesale jobbers,  
freight paid in Eastern Canada

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .402	93-5	J. \$ .402	93-5
F. .402	93-5	A. .402	93-5
M. .402	93-5	S. .402	93-5
A. .402	93-5	O. .393	91-4
M. .402	93-5	N. .393	91-4
J. .402	93-5	D. .377	87-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-398; Index 92-6

MISCELLANEOUS FIBRE  
PRODUCTSLINEN THREAD, 3 CORD, BEST QUALITY,  
100 YARD SPOOLS, Nos. 25-70

Price per dozen spools, f.o.b. Montreal	
J. .960	97-1
F. .960	97-1
M. .960	97-1
A. .960	97-1
M. .960	97-1
J. .960	97-1
J. .960	97-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-960; Index 97-1

## RAW JUTE, FIRST MARKS

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Kitchener	
J. 4-875	62-4
F. 4-625	59-2
M. 4-750	60-8
A. 4-625	59-2
M. 5-000	64-0
J. 5-000	64-0

Av. 1937: Price \$4-833; Index 61-9

HESSIAN, 10½ OUNCES, 40 INCHES WIDE

Price per 100 yards, f.o.b. Montreal	
J. 4-800	42-4
F. 4-800	42-4
M. 4-800	42-4
A. 5-150	45-5
M. 5-500	48-6
J. 5-050	44-6

Av. 1937: Price \$4-913; Index 43-4

MANILA HEMP, 12½ PER CENT,  
FAIR CURRENT

Price per pound in New York —monthly average	
J. .100	67-6
F. .100	67-6
M. .103	69-6
A. .114	77-0
M. .116	78-4
J. .116	78-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-104; Index 70-3

## MEXICAN SISAL

Price per pound at New York —monthly average	
J. .059	65-7
F. .059	65-7
M. .059	65-7
A. .059	65-7
M. .059	65-7
J. .059	65-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-058; Index 64-6

## BINDER TWINE, SISAL, 500 FEET

Price per pound—20,000 pounds or more f.o.b. delivery points (Ontario)	
J. .074	56-1
F. .074	56-1
M. .074	56-1
A. .077	58-4
M. .077	58-4
J. .077	58-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-076; Index 57-7

## BEST MANILA ROPE, ½-INCH BASIS

Price per pound f.o.b. factory	
J. .200	68-0
F. .200	68-0
M. .200	68-0
A. .220	74-8
M. .220	74-8
J. .235	79-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-221; Index 75-2

MISCELLANEOUS FIBRE  
PRODUCTS—Concluded

HUCK TOWELLING (LINEN) 18 INCHES

Price per yard, f.o.b. Toronto	
J. \$ .430	—
F. .460	—
M. .460	—
A. .460	—
M. .460	—
J. .460	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-470

## JUTE BAGS

Price per thousand, net at factory	
J. 96-000	—
F. 96-000	—
M. 96-000	—
A. 109-000	—
M. 109-000	—
J. 109-000	—

Av. 1937: Price \$99-833

## BURLAP BAGS

Price per thousand, net at factory	
J. 82-250	—
F. 82-250	—
M. 82-250	—
A. 98-750	—
M. 98-750	—
J. 98-750	—

Av. 1937: Price \$89-417

## RAW SILK

RAW SILK, SPECIAL GRAND, XX,  
85 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. 2-322	—
F. 2-281	—
M. 2-256	—
A. 2-215	—
M. 2-097	—
J. 2-107	—

Av. 1937: Price \$2-148

RAW SILK, GRAND XX, 83 PER CENT,  
13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. 2-202	—
F. 2-170	—
M. 2-138	—
A. 2-105	—
M. 1-987	—
J. 2-003	—

Av. 1937: Price \$2-018

RAW SILK, SPECIAL CRACK, XX,  
81 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. 2-097	—
F. 2-040	—
M. 2-061	—
A. 2-021	—
M. 1-897	—
J. 1-921	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-930

RAW SILK, CRACK, XX,  
78 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. 2-059	—
F. 2-000	—
M. 2-024	—
A. 1-987	—
M. 1-857	—
J. 1-881	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-886

## RAW SILK—Concluded

RAW SILK, XX,  
73 PER CENT, 13/15 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. \$2-039	—
F. 1-980	—
M. 1-994	—
A. 1-957	—
M. 1-821	—
J. 1-846	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-857

RAW SILK, SPECIAL GRAND, XX,  
85 PER CENT, 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. 2-094	—
F. 2-040	—
M. 2-047	—
A. 2-034	—
M. 1-917	—
J. 1-916	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-892

RAW SILK, GRAND XX,  
83 PER CENT, 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. 2-015	—
F. 1-940	—
M. 1-942	—
A. 1-925	—
M. 1-837	—
J. 1-842	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-825

RAW SILK, SPECIAL CRACK, XX,  
81 PER CENT, 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. 1-988	—
F. 1-910	—
M. 1-897	—
A. 1-884	—
M. 1-807	—
J. 1-819	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-801

RAW SILK, CRACK XX,  
78 PER CENT, 20/22 DENIER

Price per pound, New York basis	
J. 1-962	—
F. 1-890	—
M. 1-884	—
A. 1-874	—
M. 1-797	—
J. 1-810	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-788

## SILK THREAD AND YARN

SILK, SPOOL, 50 YARDS, LETTER "A"  
Price per dozen spools, f.o.b. Montreal,  
Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver

J.	.610	67-8	J.	.610	67-8
F.	.610	67-8	A.	.610	67-8
M.	.610	67-8	S.	.610	67-8
A.	.610	67-8	O.	.610	67-8
M.	.610	67-8	N.	.610	67-8
J.	.610	67-8	D.	.610	67-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-610; Index 67-8

SILK, MACHINE TWIST, 16 OUNCE  
Price per pound, f.o.b. Montreal,  
Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver

Price per pound, F.O.B. Montreal Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver					
J.	9-250	62-0	J.	9-600	64-4
F.	9-250	62-0	A.	9-600	64-4
M.	9-250	62-0	S.	9-600	64-4
A.	9-600	64-4	O.	9-600	64-4
M.	9-600	64-4	N.	9-600	64-4
J.	9-600	64-4	D.	9-600	64-4

Av. 1937: Price \$9-513; Index 63-8

GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

SILK HOSIERY

MEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY,  
MERCERIZED TOP, HEEL AND TOE

Price per dozen pairs (to retail dealer),  
f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$5-900	76-1	J. \$5-900	76-1
F. 5-900	76-1	A. 5-900	76-1
M. 5-900	76-1	S. 5-900	76-1
A. 5-900	76-1	O. 5-900	76-1
M. 5-900	76-1	N. 5-900	76-1
J. 5-900	76-1	D. 5-900	76-1

Av. 1937: Price \$5-900; Index 76-1

WOMEN'S PURE SILK HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs (to retail dealer),  
f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 5-800	60-0	J. 5-800	60-0
F. 5-800	60-0	A. 5-800	60-0
M. 5-800	60-0	S. 5-800	60-0
A. 5-800	60-0	O. 5-800	60-0
M. 5-800	60-0	N. 5-800	60-0
J. 5-800	60-0	D. 5-800	60-0

Av. 1937: Price \$5-800; Index 60-0

SILK FABRICS

CREPE DE CHINE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill	
J. .450	J. .475
F. .475	A. .475
M. .475	S. .475
A. .475	O. .450
M. .475	N. .450
J. .475	D. .450

Av. 1937: Price \$0-467;

FLAT CREPE

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill	
J. .500	J. .550
F. .550	A. .550
M. .550	S. .550
A. .550	O. .550
M. .550	N. .500
J. .550	D. .500

Av. 1937: Price \$0-538

GEORGETTE, 3 THREAD

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill	
J. .625	J. .675
F. .675	A. .675
M. .675	S. .675
A. .675	O. .650
M. .675	N. .625
J. .675	D. .625

Av. 1937: Price \$0-660

FAILLÉ

Price per yard, f.o.b. mill	
J. .900	J. .950
F. .950	A. .950
M. .950	S. .950
A. .950	O. .950
M. .950	N. .850
J. .950	D. .850

Av. 1937: Price \$0-929

ARTIFICIAL SILK AND ITS PRODUCTS

RAYON YARNS, 150 DENIER,  
"A" QUALITY, BRIGHT, IN SKEINS,  
36 FILAMENTS

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill	
J. .570	J. .570
F. .570	A. .570
M. .570	S. .570
A. .570	O. .570
M. .570	N. .570
J. .570	D. .570

Av. 1937: Price \$0-570; Index 37-4

RAYON YARN, 100 DENIER, 40 FILA-  
MENTS, BRIGHT

Price per pound, f.o.b. customer's mill	
J. .700	J. .700
F. .700	A. .700
M. .700	S. .700
A. .700	O. .700
M. .700	N. .700
J. .700	D. .700

Av. 1937: Price \$0-700

ARTIFICIAL SILK AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

WOMEN'S ARTIFICIAL SILK HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs (to retail dealer),  
f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$2-538	58-8	J. \$2-106	48-8
F. 2-538	58-8	A. 2-106	48-8
M. 2-538	58-8	S. 2-106	48-8
A. 2-106	48-8	O. 2-106	48-8
M. 2-106	48-8	N. 2-106	48-8
J. 2-106	48-8	D. 2-106	48-8

Av. 1937: Price \$2-214; Index 51-3

WOOL AND ITS PRODUCTS—  
RAW WOOL

EASTERN WOOL, BRIGHT, LOW, MEDIUM  
OR 1/2 BLOOD, STAPLE OR 50'S

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000  
pounds or more), f.o.b. Ontario

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .300	98-0	J. .320	104-6
F. .310	101-3	A. .310	101-3
M. .295	96-4	S. .300	98-0
A. .290	94-8	O. .255	83-3
M. .330	107-8	N. .245	80-1
J. .315	102-9	D. .235	76-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-292; Index 95-4

WESTERN WOOL, DOMESTIC, SEMI-  
BRIGHT, MEDIUM OR 3/8 BLOOD,  
STAPLE OR 56'S

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000 lbs  
or more), f.o.b. Ontario

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .260	87-7	J. .290	97-8
F. .270	91-0	A. .285	96-1
M. .270	91-0	S. .260	87-7
A. .270	91-0	O. .235	79-2
M. .295	99-5	N. .195	65-7
J. .280	94-4	D. .185	62-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-258; Index 87-0

WESTERN WOOL, RANGE, SEMI-BRIGHT,  
FINE MEDIUM OR 1/2 BLOOD, STAPLE OR  
50'S-60'S

Price per pound (quantities of 20,000 lbs.  
or more), f.o.b. Weston

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .270	85-5	J. .270	85-5
F. .270	85-5	A. .270	85-5
M. .270	85-5	S. .250	79-2
A. .270	85-5	O. .210	66-5
M. .280	88-7	N. .195	61-7
J. .275	87-1	D. .185	58-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-251; Index 79-5

YARNS

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, MEDIUM,  
2/36-56'S QUALITY

Price per pound delivered

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-090	98-6	J. 1-105	100-0
F. 1-087	98-4	A. 1-106	100-1
M. 1-084	98-1	S. 1-098	99-4
A. 1-088	98-5	O. 1-060	95-9
M. 1-100	99-5	N. 1-046	94-7
J. 1-100	99-5	D. .945	85-5

Av. 1937: Price \$1-076; Index 97-4

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE,  
2/24-58'S

Price per pound delivered

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-040	—	J. 1-053	—
F. 1-036	—	A. 1-055	—
M. 1-034	—	S. 1-047	—
A. 1-038	—	O. 1-009	—
M. 1-050	—	N. .995	—
J. 1-050	—	D. .893	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-025

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE,  
2/24'S-60'S

Price per pound delivered

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-060	—	J. 1-074	—
F. 1-056	—	A. 1-076	—
M. 1-054	—	S. 1-067	—
A. 1-058	—	O. 1-029	—
M. 1-070	—	N. 1-015	—
J. 1-070	—	D. .914	—

Av. 1937: Price \$1-045;

YARNS—Concluded

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, MEDIUM,  
2/36-58'S QUALITY

Price per pound delivered

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$1-191	98-8	J. \$1-207	100-2
F. 1-187	98-5	A. 1-209	100-3
M. 1-184	98-3	S. 1-200	99-6
A. 1-189	98-7	O. 1-162	96-4
M. 1-197	99-3	N. 1-149	95-4
J. 1-197	99-3	D. 1-048	87-0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-177; Index 97-7

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS, FINE,  
2/45'S-64'S

Price per pound delivered

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-222	79-5	J. 1-238	80-6
F. 1-217	79-2	A. 1-240	80-7
M. 1-214	79-0	S. 1-230	80-0
A. 1-219	79-3	O. 1-182	76-9
M. 1-227	79-8	N. 1-169	76-1
J. 1-227	79-8	D. 1-089	70-9

Av. 1937: Price \$1-236; Index 78-5

WORSTED CLOTH YARNS,  
4 FLY 8'S, 46'S

Price per pound (to jobbers),  
f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .775	94-4	J. .900	109-6
F. .825	100-5	A. .900	109-6
M. .825	100-5	S. .900	109-6
A. .900	109-6	O. .900	109-6
M. .900	109-6	N. .900	109-6
J. .900	109-6	D. .775	94-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-867; Index 105-6

MEN'S WOOLLEN HOSIERY

Price per dozen pairs, f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-000	90-7	J. 3-250	98-2
F. 3-250	98-2	A. 3-250	98-2
M. 3-250	98-2	S. 3-250	98-2
A. 3-250	98-2	O. 3-250	98-2
M. 3-250	98-2	N. 3-250	98-2
J. 3-250	98-2	D. 3-250	98-2

Av. 1937: Price \$3-229; Index 97-6

MEN'S CASHMERE HALF HOSE

Price per dozen pairs,  
f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4-150	—	J. 4-150	—
F. 4-150	—	A. 4-150	—
M. 4-150	—	S. 4-200	—
A. 4-150	—	O. 4-200	—
M. 4-150	—	N. 4-200	—
J. 4-150	—	D. 4-200	—

Av. 1937: Price \$4-167;

MEN'S  
KNITTED WOOLLEN UNDERWEAR

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 15-550	89-1	J. 15-550	89-1
F. 15-550	89-1	A. 15-550	89-1
M. 15-550	89-1	S. 15-550	89-1
A. 15-550	89-1	O. 15-550	89-1
M. 15-550	89-1	N. 15-550	89-1
J. 15-550	89-1	D. 15-550	89-1

Av. 1937: Price \$15-550; Index 89-1

MEN'S WOOLLEN COMBINATIONS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 14-500	—	J. 14-500	—
F. 14-500	—	A. 14-500	—
M. 14-500	—	S. 14-900	—
A. 14-500	—	O. 14-900	—
M. 14-500	—	N. 14-900	—
J. 14-500	—	D. 14-900	—

Av. 1937: Price \$14-633;

MEN'S WOOLLEN SHIRTS AND  
DRAWERS

Price per dozen f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 11-000	—	J. 11-000	—
F. 11-000	—	A. 11-000	—
M. 11-000	—	S. 11-100	—
A. 11-000	—	O. 11-100	—
M. 11-000	—	N. 11-100	—
J. 11-000	—	D. 11-100	—

Av. 1937: Price \$11-033



## GROUP III.—FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

BLANKETS				WOOLLEN CLOTH—Continued				WOOLLEN CLOTH—Concluded			
WOOL BLANKETS, WHITE, BLEACHED, SUPER QUALITY				BOTANY SERGE, 16-17 oz., 56" to 57", COLD WATER SHRUNK				SUITING, FANCY WORSTED, 13 oz. PER YARD			
Price per pound, f.o.b. Lachute, Quebec				Price per yard, f.o.b. mill				Price per yard, f.o.b. factory			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$1-037	98-0	J. \$1-091	103-1	J. \$2-025	79-7	J. \$2-075	81-6	J. \$1-900	—	J. \$1-900	—
F. 1-037	98-0	A. 1-091	103-1	F. 2-025	79-7	A. 2-075	81-6	F. 1-900	—	A. 1-900	—
M. 1-037	98-0	S. 1-091	103-1	M. 2-025	79-7	S. 1-975	77-7	M. 1-900	—	S. 1-900	—
A. 1-037	98-0	O. 1-091	103-1	A. 2-075	81-6	O. 1-975	77-7	A. 1-900	—	O. 1-900	—
M. 1-091	103-1	N. 1-091	103-1	M. 2-075	81-6	N. 1-850	72-8	M. 1-900	—	N. 1-900	—
J. 1-091	103-1	D. 1-091	103-1	J. 2-075	81-6	D. 1-850	72-8	J. 1-900	—	D. 1-900	—
Av. 1937: Price \$1-073; Index 101-4				Av. 1937: Price \$2-008; Index 79-0				Av. 1937: Price \$1-900			
WOOLLEN CLOTH				BOTANY SERGE, 13-14 oz., 55" to 56", COLD WATER SHRUNK				CARPETS			
FINE GRADE CLOTH, 66's TOP, 15½ oz., 57"/58" PER YARD				Price per yard, f.o.b. mill				CARPET, WILTON, 9' x 12'			
Price per yard (to jobbers), f.o.b. mill				Price per yard, f.o.b. mill				Price to jobbers, f.o.b. factory			
J. 1-825	84-4	J. 1-750	80-9	J. 1-825	90-8	J. 1-875	93-3	J. 40-000	92-2	J. 42-730	98-5
F. 1-825	84-4	A. 1-750	80-9	F. 1-825	90-8	A. 1-875	93-3	F. 40-000	92-2	A. 42-730	98-5
M. 1-700	78-6	S. 1-750	80-9	M. 1-825	90-8	S. 1-775	88-4	M. 40-000	92-2	S. 42-730	98-5
A. 1-750	80-9	O. 1-750	80-9	A. 1-875	93-3	O. 1-775	88-4	A. 40-000	92-2	O. 42-730	98-5
M. 1-750	80-9	N. 1-750	80-9	M. 1-875	93-3	N. 1-650	82-1	M. 40-000	92-2	N. 42-730	98-5
J. 1-750	80-9	D. 1-650	76-3	J. 1-875	93-3	D. 1-650	82-1	J. 42-730	98-5	D. 42-730	98-5
Av. 1937: Price \$1-750; Index 80-9				Av. 1937: Price \$1-808; Index 90-0				Av. 1937: Price \$41-593; Index 95-9			
COARSER GRADE CLOTH, 50's TOP, 13½ oz., 58" PER YARD				FLANNEL, WHITE, 32"				CARPET, AXMINSTER, 9' x 12'			
Price per yard (to jobbers), f.o.b. mill				Price per yard at Toronto				Price to jobbers, f.o.b. factory			
J. 1-300	108-2	J. 1-300	108-2	J. .650	—	J. .650	—	J. 23-600	92-4	J. 24-310	95-1
F. 1-300	108-2	A. 1-300	108-2	F. .650	—	A. .650	—	F. 23-600	92-4	A. 24-310	95-1
M. 1-300	108-2	S. 1-300	108-2	M. .650	—	S. .650	—	M. 23-600	92-4	S. 24-310	95-1
A. 1-300	108-2	O. 1-300	108-2	A. .650	—	O. .650	—	A. 23-600	92-4	O. 24-310	95-1
M. 1-300	108-2	N. 1-300	108-2	M. .650	—	N. .650	—	M. 23-600	92-4	N. 24-310	95-1
J. 1-300	108-2	D. 1-300	108-2	J. .650	—	D. .650	—	J. 24-310	95-1	D. 24-310	95-1
Av. 1937: Price \$1-300; Index 108-2				Av. 1937: Price \$0-650				Av. 1937: Price \$24-014; Index 94-0			

## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER

Prices in Dollars

NEWSPRINT AND WRAPPING PAPER				LUMBER—Continued				LUMBER—Continued			
NEWSPRINT PAPER ROLLS				CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 1 CUTS, 6/4 x 6 AND UP, 10/16				CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 3 COMMON, 1 x 8, 6/16			
Price per 100 pounds, carloads, net, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand board feet, carlots delivered to retail trade				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$1-805	55-5	J. \$1-807	55-6	J. \$100-000	—	J. \$110-000	—	J. \$34-000	—	J. \$38-000	—
F. 1-805	55-5	A. 1-805	55-5	F. 105-000	—	A. 110-000	—	F. 36-000	—	A. 38-000	—
M. 1-805	55-5	S. 1-805	55-5	M. 110-000	—	S. 110-000	—	M. 38-000	—	S. 38-000	—
A. 1-803	55-5	O. 1-804	55-5	A. 110-000	—	O. 110-000	—	A. 38-000	—	O. 38-000	—
M. 1-802	55-4	N. 1-804	55-5	M. 110-000	—	N. 110-000	—	M. 38-000	—	N. 38-000	—
J. 1-806	55-6	D. 1-806	55-6	J. 110-000	—	D. 110-000	—	J. 38-000	—	D. 38-000	—
Av. 1937: Price \$1-805; Index 55-5				Av. 1937: Price \$108-750				Av. 1937: Price \$37-500			
WRAPPING PAPER, MANILA No. 1				CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 2 CUTS, 6/4 x 6 AND UP, 10/16				CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 4 COMMON, 1 x 4/9, 6/16			
Price per 100 pounds, carloads, net, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade			
J. 5-400	82-9	J. 5-500	84-4	J. 80-000	—	J. 88-000	—	J. 28-000	—	J. 32-000	—
F. 5-400	82-9	A. 5-500	84-4	F. 85-000	—	A. 88-000	—	F. 30-000	—	A. 32-000	—
M. 5-350	82-1	S. 5-500	84-4	M. 88-000	—	S. 88-000	—	M. 32-000	—	S. 32-000	—
A. 5-500	84-4	O. 5-500	84-4	A. 88-000	—	O. 88-000	—	A. 32-000	—	O. 32-000	—
M. 5-500	84-4	N. 5-500	84-4	M. 88-000	—	N. 88-000	—	M. 32-000	—	N. 32-000	—
J. 5-500	84-4	D. 5-500	84-4	J. 88-000	—	D. 88-000	—	J. 32-000	—	D. 32-000	—
Av. 1937: Price \$5-471; Index 84-0				Av. 1937: Price \$87-083				Av. 1937: Price \$31-500			
LUMBER				CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 1 AND 2 COMMON, 1 x 8, 8/16				CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 5 COMMON, 1 x 4/9, 6/16			
CANADIAN WHITE PINE (PINUS STROBUS), "C" SELECTS AND BETTER, 1" THICK				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, delivered to retail trade			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 80-000	69-6	J. 88-000	76-5	J. 45-000	—	J. 48-000	—	J. 24-000	—	J. 28-000	—
F. 83-000	72-2	A. 88-000	76-5	F. 48-000	—	A. 48-000	—	F. 26-000	—	A. 28-000	—
M. 88-000	76-5	S. 88-000	76-5	M. 48-000	—	S. 48-000	—	M. 28-000	—	S. 28-000	—
A. 88-000	76-5	O. 88-000	76-5	A. 48-000	—	O. 48-000	—	A. 28-000	—	O. 28-000	—
M. 88-000	76-5	N. 88-000	76-5	M. 48-000	—	N. 48-000	—	M. 28-000	—	N. 28-000	—
J. 88-000	76-5	D. 88-000	76-5	J. 48-000	—	D. 48-000	—	J. 28-000	—	D. 28-000	—
Av. 1937: Price \$86-917; Index 75-6				Av. 1937: Price \$47-750				Av. 1937: Price \$27-500			

## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## LUMBER—Continued

CANADIAN WHITE PINE, No. 6 COMMON,  
1 x 4 AND UP, 6/16Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
delivered to retail trade

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$21-000	—	J. \$23-000	—
F. 22-000	—	A. 23-000	—
M. 23-000	—	S. 23-000	—
A. 23-000	—	O. 23-000	—
M. 23-000	—	N. 23-000	—
J. 23-000	—	D. 23-000	—
Av. 1937: Price \$22-750			

## WHITE PINE LATH, No. 1

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill

J. 7-250	72-2	J. 8-250	82-2
F. 8-250	82-2	A. 8-250	82-2
M. 8-250	82-2	S. 8-250	82-2
A. 8-250	82-2	O. 8-250	82-2
M. 8-250	82-2	N. 8-250	82-2
J. 8-250	82-2	D. 8-250	82-2
Av. 1937: Price \$8-167; Index 81-3			

SPRUCE LATH (MARITIME), No. 1, 1½" x 4'

Price per thousand, f.o.b. mill, carlots

J. 3-000	59-1	J. 3-500	68-9
F. 3-500	68-9	A. 3-500	68-9
M. 3-500	68-9	S. 3-500	68-9
A. 3-500	68-9	O. 3-500	68-9
M. 3-500	68-9	N. 3-000	59-1
J. 3-500	68-9	D. 3-000	59-1
Av. 1937: Price \$3-375; Index 66-5			

SPRUCE LATH (QUEBEC), No. 1, 1½" x 4'

Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill

J. 5-500	82-4	J. 5-500	82-4
F. 5-500	82-4	A. 5-500	82-4
M. 5-500	82-4	S. 5-500	82-4
A. 5-500	82-4	O. 5-500	82-4
M. 5-500	82-4	N. 5-500	82-4
J. 5-500	82-4	D. 5-500	82-4
Av. 1937: Price \$5-500; Index 82-4			

SPRUCE DEALS (QUEBEC), 2" x 4", 8-16'  
(PIS 25/32 or P2S 3/4)Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b.  
cars, Montreal

J. 27-000	94-3	J. 36-000	125-8
F. 28-500	99-6	A. 36-000	125-8
M. 33-000	115-3	S. 36-000	125-8
A. 34-000	118-8	O. 35-000	122-3
M. 36-000	125-8	N. 35-000	122-3
J. 36-000	125-8	D. 34-000	118-8
Av. 1937: Price \$33-875; Index 118-4			

SPRUCE (QUEBEC), 3" x 8", 8/16'  
(PIS 25/32 or P2S 3/4)Price per thousand board feet,  
f.o.b. cars, Montreal

J. 33-000	93-2	J. 38-000	107-4
F. 34-000	96-1	A. 38-000	107-4
M. 38-000	107-4	S. 38-000	107-4
A. 38-000	107-4	O. 38-000	107-4
J. 38-000	107-4	N. 38-000	107-4
J. 38-000	107-4	D. 38-000	107-4
Av. 1937: Price \$37-250; Index 105-3			

MERCHANTABLE SAWN SPRUCE DEALS  
3" x 6" AND UNDERPrice per thousand board feet, f.o.b.  
mill

J. 22-500	102-9	J. 24-000	109-7
F. 24-000	109-7	A. 21-500	98-3
M. 24-000	109-7	S. 20-500	93-7
A. 24-000	109-7	O. 19-500	89-1
M. 24-000	109-7	N. 18-500	84-6
J. 24-000	109-7	D. 18-500	84-6
Av. 1937: Price \$22-083; Index 101-0			

## LUMBER—Continued

MERCHANTABLE SPRUCE SCANTLING  
(MARITIME) 2" x 3" to 2" x 6"Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$17-500	79-5	J. \$17-000	77-3
F. 17-500	79-5	A. 17-500	79-5
M. 19-000	86-4	S. 16-500	75-0
A. 20-000	90-9	O. 15-500	70-5
M. 18-500	84-1	N. 15-500	70-5
J. 18-500	84-1	D. 15-500	70-5
Av. 1937: Price \$17-375; Index 79-0			

MERCHANTABLE SPRUCE SCANTLING  
(MARITIME) 2" x 7" AND UPPrice per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

J. 20-000	83-3	J. 19-500	81-3
F. 21-500	83-3	A. 20-000	83-3
M. 21-500	89-6	S. 19-000	79-2
A. 22-500	83-8	O. 18-000	75-0
M. 21-000	87-5	N. 18-000	75-0
J. 21-000	87-5	D. 18-000	75-0
Av. 1937: Price \$19-875; Index 82-8			

MAPLE, HARD, 4/4, FIRSTS AND SECONDS  
DRYPrice per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. Toronto

J. 65-000	77-1	J. 70-000	83-1
F. 70-000	83-1	A. 70-000	83-1
M. 70-000	83-1	S. 70-000	83-1
A. 70-000	83-1	O. 70-000	83-1
M. 70-000	83-1	N. 70-000	83-1
J. 70-000	83-1	D. 70-000	83-1
Av. 1937: Price \$69-583; Index 82-6			

MAPLE, SOFT, No. 1, COMMON AND  
BETTERPrice per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. Toronto

J. 45-000	90-0	J. 48-000	96-0
F. 48-000	96-0	A. 48-000	96-0
M. 48-000	96-0	S. 48-000	96-0
A. 48-000	96-0	O. 48-000	96-0
M. 48-000	96-0	N. 48-000	96-0
J. 48-000	96-0	D. 48-000	96-0
Av. 1937: Price \$47-750; Index 95-5			

OAK, RED, PLAIN, FIRSTS AND SECONDS

Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. Toronto

J. 78-000	70-6	J. 85-000	77-0
F. 85-000	77-0	A. 85-000	77-0
M. 85-000	77-0	S. 85-000	77-0
A. 85-000	77-0	O. 85-000	77-0
M. 85-000	77-0	N. 85-000	77-0
J. 85-000	77-0	D. 85-000	77-0
Av. 1937: Price \$84-417; Index 76-5			

## BIRCH, COMMON AND BETTER

Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. Toronto

J. 56-000	91-6	J. 60-000	98-1
F. 60-000	98-1	A. 60-000	98-1
M. 60-000	98-1	S. 60-000	98-1
A. 60-000	98-1	O. 60-000	98-1
M. 60-000	98-1	N. 60-000	98-1
J. 60-000	98-1	D. 60-000	98-1
Av. 1937: Price \$59-667; Index 97-6			

## HEMLOCK, 2", MILL RUN

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b.  
mill

J. 19-500	78-0	J. 21-000	84-0
F. 20-000	80-0	A. 21-000	84-0
M. 21-000	84-0	S. 21-000	84-0
A. 21-000	84-0	O. 21-000	84-0
M. 21-000	84-0	N. 21-000	84-0
J. 21-000	84-0	D. 21-000	84-0
Av. 1937: Price \$20-792; Index 83-2			

## LUMBER—Continued

HEMLOCK, 2" CULLS

[Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b.  
mill

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$15-000	79-7	J. \$16-000	85-0
F. 16-000	85-0	A. 16-000	85-0
M. 16-000	85-0	S. 16-000	85-0
A. 16-000	85-0	O. 16-000	85-0
M. 16-000	85-0	N. 16-000	85-0
J. 16-000	85-0	D. 16-000	85-0
Av. 1937: Price \$15-917; Index 84-5			

No. 1 COMMON FIR TIMBER,  
3" x 4" to 4" x 12", 12'/40'Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

J. 19-000	110-1	J. 20-000	115-9
F. 19-000	110-1	A. 20-000	115-9
M. 22-000	127-5	S. 18-000	104-3
A. 22-000	127-5	O. 16-000	92-8
M. 22-000	127-5	N. 16-000	92-8
J. 21-000	121-7	D. 16-000	92-8
Av. 1937: Price \$19-250; Index 111-6			

No. 1 COMMON FIR TIMBER,  
6" x 6" to 12" x 12", 12'/40'Price per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

J. 19-000	105-8	J. 20-000	111-4
F. 19-000	105-8	A. 20-000	111-4
M. 22-000	122-5	S. 18-000	100-2
A. 22-000	122-5	O. 16-000	89-1
M. 22-000	122-5	N. 16-000	89-1
J. 21-000	116-9	D. 16-000	89-1
Av. 1937: Price \$19-250; Index 107-2			

CLEAR FIR, No. 1 AND 2, 1" x 6", D4S

Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b.  
Toronto

J. 55-000	—	J. 50-000	—
F. 55-000	—	A. 50-000	—
M. 55-000	—	S. 50-000	—
A. 55-000	—	O. 47-000	—
M. 55-000	—	N. 45-000	—
J. 53-000	—	D. 47-000	—
Av. 1937: Price \$51-417			

FIR DROP SIDING, 1" x 6", No. 2 AND  
BETTERPrice per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

J. \$27-000	93-1	J. \$29-000	100-0
F. 28-000	96-6	A. 29-000	100-0
M. 31-000	106-9	S. 27-000	93-1
A. 31-000	106-9	O. 25-000	86-2
M. 31-000	106-9	N. 25-000	86-2
J. 30-000	103-4	D. 25-000	86-2
Av. 1937: Price \$28-167; Index 97-1			

FIR FLOORING, 1" x 4", No. 1 AND 2,  
FLAT GRAINPrice per thousand board feet, carlots,  
f.o.b. mill

J. 27-000	103-8	J. 28-000	107-7
F. 27-000	103-8	A. 26-000	100-0
M. 32-250	124-0	S. 25-000	96-2
A. 32-250	124-0	O. 24-500	94-2
M. 29-500	113-5	N. 22-000	84-6
J. 29-500	113-5	D. 21-250	81-7
Av. 1937: Price \$27-021; Index 103-9			

## GROUP IV.—WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

LUMBER—Continued				LUMBER—Concluded				WOOD PULP—Concluded			
CLEAR FIR CASING, No. 1 and 2, 1" x 5"				CEDAR BEVEL SIDING, 1/2" x 6"				GROUNDWOOD PULP No. 1			
Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill				Price per ton, f.o.b. mill			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$67-500	—	J. \$62-500	—	J. \$32-000	97-7	J. \$33-000	100-8	J. \$21-517	72-5	J. \$26-513	89-4
F. 67-500	—	A. 62-500	—	F. 32-000	97-7	A. 33-000	100-8	F. 21-611	72-8	A. 27-143	91-5
M. 67-500	—	S. 62-500	—	M. 35-000	106-9	S. 31-000	94-7	M. 23-151	78-0	S. 27-440	92-5
A. 67-500	—	O. 57-500	—	A. 35-000	106-9	O. 29-000	88-5	A. 24-134	81-3	O. 26-912	90-7
M. 67-500	—	N. 57-500	—	M. 35-000	106-9	N. 29-000	88-5	M. 24-124	81-3	N. 26-418	89-0
J. 65-500	—	D. 59-500	—	J. 34-000	103-8	D. 29-000	88-5	J. 24-714	83-3	D. 26-081	87-9
Av. 1937: Price \$63-750				Av. 1937: Price \$32-250; Index 98-5				Av. 1937: Price \$24-980; Index 84-2			
FIR DIMENSION, S'S/E or S4S, 2" x 4", 12'-14", No. 1 BASE				CLEAR CEDAR BUNGALOW SIDING 1/2" x 10", 8'-18				SULPHITE PULP, BLEACHED FOR PAPER MAKING			
Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per ton, f.o.b. mill			
J. 17-000	114-3	J. 18-000	121-0	J. 62-000	—	J. 68-000	—	J. 55-000	68-8	J. 71-500	89-4
F. 17-000	114-3	A. 18-000	121-0	F. 63-000	—	A. 68-000	—	F. 55-000	68-8	A. 71-500	89-4
M. 20-000	134-5	S. 16-000	107-6	M. 65-000	—	S. 68-000	—	M. 55-000	68-8	S. 71-500	89-4
A. 20-000	134-5	O. 14-000	94-1	A. 68-000	—	O. 68-000	—	A. 62-000	77-5	O. 74-000	92-5
M. 20-000	134-5	N. 14-000	94-1	M. 68-000	—	N. 65-000	—	M. 62-000	77-5	N. 74-000	92-5
J. 19-000	127-7	D. 14-000	94-1	J. 68-000	—	D. 66-000	—	J. 62-000	77-5	D. 74-000	92-5
Av. 1937: Price \$17-250; Index 116-0				Av. 1937: Price \$66-417				Av. 1937: Price \$65-625; Index 82-0			
BRITISH COLUMBIA CEDAR CEDAR BOARDS, No. 1, COMMON, 1" x 8'-10"				CEDAR SHINGLES, XXX, No. 1				MATCHES			
Price per thousand board feet, carlots, f.o.b. mill				Price per thousand, carlots, f.o.b. mill				MATCHES, SILENT 3's, NON-POISONOUS			
J. 19-000	107-8	J. 20-000	113-5	J. 3-000	94-5	J. 3-000	94-5	Price per case net, inclusive of sales and excise taxes, freight allowed in Ontario and Quebec.			
F. 19-000	107-8	A. 20-000	113-5	F. 3-000	94-5	A. 3-000	94-5	J. 8-875	77-9	J. 8-875	77-9
M. 22-000	124-8	S. 18-000	102-1	M. 4-000	126-0	S. 3-000	94-5	F. 8-875	77-9	A. 8-875	77-9
A. 22-000	124-8	O. 16-000	90-8	A. 4-000	126-0	O. 3-000	94-5	M. 8-875	77-9	S. 8-875	77-9
M. 22-000	124-8	N. 16-000	90-8	M. 4-000	126-0	N. 3-000	94-5	A. 8-875	77-9	O. 8-875	77-9
J. 21-000	119-1	D. 16-000	90-8	J. 3-000	94-5	D. 3-000	94-5	M. 8-875	77-9	N. 8-875	77-9
Av. 1937: Price \$19-250; Index 109-2				Av. 1937: Price \$3-250; Index 102-4				J. 8-875	77-9	D. 8-875	77-9
COMMON CEDAR SHIP LAP, No. 1, 1" x 8"				WOOD PULP				FURNITURE (COMPOSITE)			
Price per thousand board feet, f.o.b. Toronto				SULPHITE PULP, UNBLEACHED NEWSGRADE				J. —	79-0	J. —	83-1
J. 30-250	—	J. 32-500	—	Price per thousand, f.o.b. mill				F. —	79-0	A. —	83-1
F. 34-250	—	A. 31-500	—	J. 39-559	76-5	J. 47-045	91-0	M. —	79-1	S. —	83-5
M. 32-500	—	S. 31-500	—	F. 39-931	77-2	A. 47-007	90-9	A. —	81-1	O. —	83-5
A. 32-500	—	O. 31-000	—	M. 39-513	76-4	S. 47-000	90-9	M. —	83-1	N. —	83-5
M. 32-500	—	N. 30-000	—	A. 43-980	85-1	O. 46-985	90-9	J. —	83-1	D. —	83-5
J. 32-500	—	D. 31-250	—	M. 46-961	90-8	N. 46-985	90-9	Av. 1937: Index 82-0			
Av. 1937: Price \$31-854				Av. 1937: Price \$44-789; Index 86-6							

## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

PIG IRON AND STEEL BILLETS				ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS				ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS			
PIG IRON, FOUNDRY, No. 1				STEEL BARS, RE-INFORCING CONCRETE, HARD GRADE				STEEL TANK PLATES			
Price per gross ton, carlots, f.o.b. sellers' works				Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. plant				Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. mill, Pittsburgh			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$21-500	84-5	J. \$25-500	100-2	J. \$2-300	97-9	J. \$2-600	110-6	J. \$2-051	107-9	J. \$2-254	118-6
F. 22-500	88-4	A. 25-500	100-2	F. 2-400	102-1	A. 2-600	110-6	F. 2-051	107-9	A. 2-250	118-4
M. 25-500	100-2	S. 25-500	100-2	M. 2-600	110-6	S. 2-600	110-6	M. 2-249	118-4	S. 2-250	118-4
A. 25-500	100-2	O. 25-500	100-2	A. 2-600	110-6	O. 2-600	110-6	A. 2-247	118-3	O. 2-249	118-4
M. 25-500	100-2	N. 25-500	100-2	M. 2-600	110-6	N. 2-600	110-6	M. 2-246	118-2	N. 2-249	118-4
J. 25-500	100-2	D. 25-500	100-2	M. 2-600	110-6	D. 2-600	110-6	J. 2-250	118-4	D. 2-251	118-5
Av. 1937: Price \$24-917; Index 97-9				Av. 1937: Price \$2-558; Index 108-9				Av. 1937: Price \$2-216; Index 116-6			
PIG IRON, STANDARD, MALLEABLE				MILD STEEL, MERCHANT BARS				LIGHT COLD ROLLED SHEETS, No. 20 U.S.G.			
Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant				Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. plant				Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. mill, Pittsburgh			
J. 22-500	87-6	J. 23-500	91-5	J. 2-400	98-0	J. 2-700	110-2	J. 3-252	75-7	J. 3-557	82-8
F. 22-500	87-6	A. 23-500	91-5	F. 2-500	102-0	A. 2-700	110-2	F. 3-251	75-7	A. 3-550	82-6
M. 22-500	87-6	S. 23-500	91-5	M. 2-700	110-2	S. 2-700	110-2	M. 3-548	82-6	S. 3-550	82-6
A. 23-500	91-5	O. 23-500	91-5	A. 2-700	110-2	O. 2-700	110-2	A. 3-547	82-6	O. 3-549	82-6
M. 23-500	91-5	N. 23-500	91-5	M. 2-700	110-2	N. 2-700	110-2	M. 3-544	82-5	N. 3-548	82-6
J. 23-500	91-5	D. 23-500	91-5	J. 2-700	110-2	D. 2-700	110-2	J. 3-550	82-6	D. 3-551	82-7
Av. 1937: Price \$23-250; Index 90-5				Av. 1937: Price \$2-658; Index 108-5				Av. 1937: Price \$3-500; Index 81-5			
STEEL BILLETS, MILD, BASE 6" x 6" to 9" x 9"				STEEL RAILS, OPEN HEARTH				STRUCTURAL SHAPES, BASE			
Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant				Price per gross ton, f.o.b. plant				Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. plant			
J. 36-000	94-7	J. 42-000	110-5	J. 45-000	94-2	J. 47-000	98-3	J. 2-450	100-0	J. 2-500	102-0
F. 38-000	100-0	A. 42-000	110-5	F. 45-000	94-2	A. 47-000	98-3	F. 2-450	100-0	A. 2-500	102-0
M. 42-000	110-5	S. 42-000	110-5	M. 47-000	98-3	S. 47-000	98-3	M. 2-450	100-0	S. 2-500	102-0
A. 42-000	110-5	O. 42-000	110-5	A. 47-000	98-3	O. 47-000	98-3	A. 2-500	102-0	O. 2-500	102-0
M. 42-000	110-5	N. 42-000	110-5	M. 47-000	98-3	N. 47-000	98-3	M. 2-500	102-0	N. 2-500	102-0
J. 42-000	110-5	D. 42-000	110-5	J. 47-000	98-3	D. 47-000	98-3	J. 2-500	102-0	D. 2-500	102-0
Av. 1937: Price \$41-167; Index 108-3				Av. 1937: Price \$46-667; Index 97-6				Av. 1937: Price \$2-488; Index 101-6			



GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS  
—Continued

STEEL SHEETS, GALVANIZED,  
No. 24 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b.  
Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4-350	88-6	J. \$5-500	112-0
F. 4-550	92-6	A. 5-500	112-0
M. 5-100	103-8	S. 5-503	112-0
A. 5-500	112-0	O. 5-500	112-0
M. 5-500	112-0	N. 5-500	112-0
J. 5-500	112-0	D. 5-500	112-0

Av. 1937: Price \$5-292; Index 107-7

IRON BOILER PLATE, ½ INCH

Price per pound, net, f.o.b. Montreal

J. .034	—	J. .040	—
F. .034	—	A. .040	—
M. .037	—	S. .040	—
A. .039	—	O. .040	—
M. .039	—	N. .040	—
J. .040	—	D. .040	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-039

GALVANIZED CORRUGATED IRON  
SHEETS, No. 28

Price per 100 square feet, f.o.b.  
destination

J. 5-500	—	J. 6-500	—
F. 5-500	—	A. 6-500	—
M. 5-750	—	S. 6-500	—
A. 6-000	—	O. 6-500	—
M. 6-000	—	N. 6-500	—
J. 6-500	—	D. 6-500	—

Av. 1937: Price \$6-188

HOT ROLLED AND ANNEALED STEEL  
SHEETS, No. 24 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots,  
f.o.b. Montreal

J. 3-650	94-3	J. 4-800	124-0
F. 3-850	99-4	A. 4-800	124-0
M. 4-700	121-4	S. 4-800	124-0
A. 4-750	122-7	O. 4-800	124-0
M. 4-750	122-7	N. 4-800	124-0
J. 4-800	124-0	D. 4-750	122-7

Av. 1937: Price \$4-604; Index 118-9

HOT ROLLED AND ANNEALED STEEL  
SHEETS, No. 10 U.S.G.

Price per 100 pounds, carlots,  
f.o.b. Montreal

J. 3-550	95-7	J. 4-300	115-9
F. 3-700	99-7	A. 4-300	115-9
M. 4-300	115-9	S. 4-300	115-9
A. 4-300	115-9	O. 4-300	115-9
M. 4-300	115-9	N. 4-300	115-9
J. 4-300	115-9	D. 4-150	111-9

Av. 1937: Price \$4-175; Index 112-5

TINPLATE, STANDARD COKE

Price per box of 100 pounds base,  
f.o.b. Montreal, carlots

6-250	113-3	J. 7-250	131-5
6-250	113-3	A. 7-750	140-6
6-500	117-9	S. 7-750	140-6
7-000	126-9	O. 7-750	140-6
7-000	126-9	N. 7-750	140-6
7-250	131-5	D. 7-750	140-6

Av. 1937: Price \$7-188; Index 130-4

STEEL SHEETS, BLACK, No. 10 GAUGE

Price per 100 pounds, at Montreal

3-550	—	J. 4-575	—
3-700	—	A. 4-575	—
4-450	—	S. 4-575	—
4-450	—	O. 4-575	—
4-575	—	N. 4-575	—
4-575	—	D. 4-575	—

Av. 1937: Price \$4-396

ROLLING MILL PRODUCTS  
—Concluded

OPEN HEARTH STEEL TANK PLATES  
½" AND HEAVIER IN THICKNESS

Price per 100 pounds at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-400	—	J. \$4-000	—
F. 3-400	—	A. 4-000	—
M. 3-900	—	S. 4-000	—
A. 3-900	—	O. 4-000	—
M. 3-900	—	N. 4-000	—
J. 4-000	—	D. 4-000	—

Av. 1937: Price \$3-875

PIPE

CAST IRON PIPE 4"

Price per net ton, f.o.b. plant

J. 53-000	96-4	J. 55-000	100-0
F. 53-000	96-4	A. 55-000	100-0
M. 55-000	100-0	S. 58-000	105-5
A. 55-000	100-0	O. 58-000	105-5
M. 55-000	100-0	N. 58-000	105-5
J. 55-000	100-0	D. 58-000	105-5

Av. 1937: Price \$55-667; Index 101-2

STEEL PIPE, BUTTWELD BLACK 1"

Price per foot at factory, Quebec

J. .068	83-3	J. .082	100-5
F. .068	83-3	A. .082	100-5
M. .075	91-9	S. .082	100-5
A. .082	100-5	O. .082	100-5
M. .082	100-5	N. .082	100-5
J. .082	100-5	D. .082	100-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-079; Index 96-8

HARDWARE

HAMMERS, PLAIN FACE, 1 POUND

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill  
(freight allowed to Ottawa,  
Toronto, Hamilton, Montreal)

J. 10-260	76-0	J. 10-260	76-0
F. 10-260	76-0	A. 10-260	76-0
M. 10-260	76-0	S. 10-260	76-0
A. 10-260	76-0	O. 10-260	76-0
M. 10-260	76-0	N. 10-260	76-0
J. 10-260	76-0	D. 10-260	76-0

Av. 1937: Price \$10-260; Index 76-0

CHOPPING AXES, STANDARD

Price per dozen, f.o.b. mill (freight  
allowed to Ottawa, Toronto  
Hamilton, Montreal)

J. \$12-010	80-1	J. \$12-428	82-9
F. 12-010	80-1	A. 12-428	82-9
M. 12-010	80-1	S. 12-428	82-9
A. 12-010	80-1	O. 12-428	82-9
M. 12-010	80-1	N. 12-428	82-9
J. 12-428	82-9	D. 12-428	82-9

Av. 1937: Price \$12-254; Index 81-7

PLAIN BACK SHOVELS AND SPADES

Price per dozen, Eastern Canada

J. 11-500	88-1	J. 12-260	93-9
F. 11-500	88-1	A. 12-250	93-9
M. 12-250	93-9	S. 12-250	93-9
A. 12-250	93-9	O. 12-250	93-9
M. 12-250	93-9	N. 12-250	93-9
J. 12-250	93-9	D. 12-250	93-9

Av. 1937: Price \$12-125; Index 92-9

OTHER HARDWARE

WASH TUBS, EMBOSSED WRINGER REST,  
DROP HANDLES, No. 1

Price per dozen, Eastern Canada  
(Tax included)

J. 12-170	95-3	J. 13-390	104-9
F. 12-170	95-3	A. 13-390	104-9
M. 13-390	104-9	S. 13-390	104-9
A. 13-390	104-9	O. 13-390	104-9
M. 13-390	104-9	N. 13-390	104-9
J. 13-390	104-9	D. 13-390	104-9

Av. 1937: Price \$13-187; Index 103-3

OTHER HARDWARE—Continued

PAISLS, HOT GALVANIZED  
STANDARD, No. 12

Price per dozen, Eastern Canada  
(Tax included)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-960	87-2	J. \$4-360	96-0
F. 3-960	87-2	A. 4-360	96-0
M. 4-360	96-0	S. 4-360	96-0
A. 4-360	96-0	O. 4-360	96-0
M. 4-360	96-0	N. 4-360	96-0
J. 4-360	96-0	D. 4-360	96-0

Av. 1937: Price \$4-293; Index 94-6

BOILERS (RANGE), 30 GALLON  
STANDARD

Net price, Eastern Canada  
(Tax included)

J. 8-250	86-9	J. 9-290	97-9
F. 8-250	86-9	A. 9-290	97-9
M. 9-290	97-9	S. 9-290	97-9
A. 9-290	97-9	O. 9-290	97-9
M. 9-290	97-9	N. 9-290	97-9
J. 9-290	97-9	D. 9-290	97-9

Av. 1937: Price \$9-117; Index 96-1

CHAIN, ½" BRIGHT COIL,  
PIREWELDED, PROOF

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. factory

J. 8-550	96-6	J. 11-150	126-0
F. 8-550	96-6	A. 11-150	126-0
M. 8-550	96-6	S. 11-150	126-0
A. 8-550	96-6	O. 11-150	126-0
M. 11-150	126-0	N. 11-150	126-0
J. 11-150	126-0	D. 11-150	126-0

Av. 1937: Price \$10-283; Index 116-2

MACHINE BOLTS, 7/16" DIAMETER,  
6" LONG

Price per 100 pounds in 200 pound  
packages, Eastern Canada

J. 4-200	—	J. 3-137	—
F. 4-200	—	A. 3-137	—
M. 3-039	—	S. 3-137	—
A. 3-039	—	O. 3-137	—
M. 3-039	—	N. 3-137	—
J. 3-137	—	D. 3-137	—

Av. 1937: Price \$3-290

SQUARE NUTS, TAPPED, HOT PRESSED  
AND FORGED, 11/32" HOLE DIAMETER,  
25/32", COMPLETE WIDTH

Price per 100 pounds, Eastern Canada

J. 10-400	—	J. 11-150	—
F. 10-400	—	A. 11-150	—
M. 11-150	—	S. 11-150	—
A. 11-150	—	O. 11-150	—
M. 11-150	—	N. 11-150	—
J. 11-150	—	D. 11-150	—

Av. 1937: Price \$11-025

WIRE CLOTH, PAINTED SCREEN,  
BLACK 12 MESH, No. 33 GAUGE

Price per 100 square feet, f.o.b.  
Hamilton  
(Tax included)

J. 1-998	90-8	J. 2-106	95-7
F. 1-998	90-8	A. 2-106	95-7
M. 1-998	90-8	S. 2-106	95-7
A. 1-998	90-8	O. 2-106	95-7
M. 1-998	90-8	N. 2-106	95-7
J. 2-106	95-7	D. 2-106	95-7

Av. 1937: Price \$2-061; Index 93-7

WIRE NAILS, BASE

Price per keg, carlots, f.o.b. works

J. 3-078	87-6	J. 3-456	98-3
F. 3-078	87-6	A. 3-456	98-3
M. 3-294	93-7	S. 3-456	98-3
A. 3-294	93-7	O. 3-456	98-3
M. 3-294	93-7	N. 3-456	98-3
J. 3-456	98-3	D. 3-456	98-3

Av. 1937: Price \$3-353; Index 95-4

## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

## GROUP V.—IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

## OTHER HARDWARE—Concluded

## WOOD SCREWS, 1", No. 6, BRIGHT STEEL, F.H.

Price per gross, Eastern Canada

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .178	95-2	J. \$ .216	115-5
F. .178	95-2	A. .216	115-5
M. .178	95-2	S. .216	115-5
A. .216	115-5	O. .216	115-5
M. .216	115-5	N. .216	115-5
J. .216	115-5	D. .216	115-5

Av. 1937: Price \$0-207; Index 110-7

## STEEL THUMB LATCHES, No. 2, JAPANNED, IN CARTONS

Price per dozen, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 1-328	84-1	J. 1-328	84-1
F. 1-328	84-1	A. 1-328	84-1
M. 1-328	84-1	S. 1-328	84-1
A. 1-328	84-1	O. 1-328	84-1
M. 1-328	84-1	N. 1-328	84-1
J. 1-328	84-1	D. 1-328	84-1

Av. 1937: Price \$1-328; Index 84-1

## BRIGHT STEEL SAFETY HASPS, SOLID STAPLE, No. 900 x 4½

Price per dozen, f.o.b. Montreal

J. .648	78-1	J. .648	78-1
F. .648	78-1	A. .648	78-1
M. .648	78-1	S. .648	78-1
A. .648	78-1	O. .648	78-1
M. .648	78-1	N. .702	84-6
J. .648	78-1	D. .702	84-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-667; Index 79-2

## FLAT BARN DOOR TRACK, STEEL, 1½" x 3/16"

Price per 100 feet, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 9-029	108-1	J. 9-029	108-1
F. 9-029	108-1	A. 9-029	108-1
M. 9-029	108-1	S. 9-029	108-1
A. 9-029	108-1	O. 9-029	108-1
M. 9-029	108-1	N. 8-478	101-5
J. 9-029	108-1	D. 8-478	101-5

Av. 1937: Price \$8-937; Index 107-0

## SCREEN DOOR HINGES, No. 20

Price per gross, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 11-664	79-3	J. 11-664	79-3
F. 11-664	79-3	A. 11-664	79-3
M. 11-664	79-3	S. 11-664	79-3
A. 11-664	79-3	O. 11-664	79-3
M. 11-664	79-3	N. 14-040	95-5
J. 11-664	79-3	D. 14-040	95-5

Av. 1937: Price \$12-060; Index 82-0

## WIRE

## WIRE, GALVANIZED, BARBED

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3-800	88-4	J. \$4-250	98-8
F. 3-800	88-4	A. 4-250	98-8
M. 4-000	93-0	S. 4-250	98-8
A. 4-000	93-0	O. 4-250	98-8
M. 4-000	93-0	N. 4-250	98-8
J. 4-000	93-0	D. 4-250	98-8

Av. 1937: Price \$4-092; Index 95-2

## WIRE, GALVANIZED, No. 9

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 3-800	91-6	J. 4-300	103-6
F. 3-800	91-6	A. 4-300	103-6
M. 4-000	96-4	S. 4-300	103-6
A. 4-000	96-4	O. 4-300	103-6
M. 4-000	96-4	N. 4-300	103-6
J. 4-000	96-4	D. 4-300	103-6

Av. 1937: Price \$4-117; Index 99-2

## WIRE, ANNEALED, No. 9

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 3-650	93-6	J. 4-100	105-1
F. 3-650	93-6	A. 4-100	105-1
M. 3-850	98-7	S. 4-100	105-1
A. 3-850	98-7	O. 4-100	105-1
M. 3-850	98-7	N. 4-100	105-1
J. 3-850	98-7	D. 4-100	105-1

Av. 1937: Price \$3-942; Index 101-1

## SCRAP

SCRAP—HEAVY MELTING STEEL IN CHARGING BOX SIZE (i.e. NOT MORE THAN 5' LONG, NOR WIDER THAN 16" AND NOT LESS THAN ½" IN THICKNESS)

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

J. 12-000	82-6	J. 14-000	96-4
F. 14-000	96-4	A. 14-000	96-4
M. 15-000	103-3	S. 16-000	110-2
A. 16-000	110-2	O. 15-000	103-3
M. 15-000	103-3	N. 12-000	82-6
J. 14-000	96-4	D. 12-000	82-6

Av. 1937: Price \$14-083; Index 97-0

## SCRAP—Concluded

SCRAP—HEAVY MELTING STEEL, OVER CHARGING BOX SIZE, (THIS INCLUDES BOILER PLATES, STRUCTURAL STEEL, TANK PLATES AND SIMILAR MATERIAL)

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ 9-25	71-3	J. \$11-50	88-6
F. 11-00	84-7	A. 11-50	88-6
M. 12-00	92-4	S. 13-50	104-0
A. 14-00	107-9	O. 12-50	96-3
M. 13-00	100-2	N. 9-50	73-2
J. 11-50	88-6	D. 9-50	73-2

Av. 1937: Price \$11-563; Index 89-1

## SCRAP—TURNINGS AND BORINGS

Price per gross ton, delivered consuming mill in Canada

J. 6-50	52-7	J. 6-50	52-7
F. 6-50	52-7	A. 6-50	52-7
M. 6-50	52-7	S. 7-00	56-8
A. 6-50	52-7	O. 7-00	56-8
M. 6-50	52-7	N. 5-00	40-6
J. 6-50	52-7	D. 5-00	40-6

Av. 1937: Price \$6-333; Index 51-4

## SCRAP—No. 1 MACHINERY, CAST IRON

Price per net ton, delivered at Canadian foundry

J. 12-000	62-6	J. 14-000	73-0
F. 14-000	73-0	A. 14-000	73-0
M. 16-000	83-5	S. 14-000	73-0
A. 17-500	91-3	O. 14-000	73-0
M. 16-000	83-5	N. 14-000	73-0
J. 14-000	73-0	D. 13-000	67-8

Av. 1937: Price \$14-375; Index 75-0

## SCRAP—No. 2 MACHINERY, CAST IRON

Price per net ton, delivered at Canadian foundry

J. 9-000	52-9	J. 10-500	61-8
F. 12-000	70-6	A. 10-500	61-8
M. 13-000	76-5	S. 11-000	64-7
A. 14-000	82-4	O. 11-000	64-7
M. 12-500	73-5	N. 11-000	64-7
J. 10-500	61-8	D. 10-000	58-8

Av. 1937: Price \$11-250; Index 66-2

## MISCELLANEOUS

## CAR AXLES

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 76-000	95-0	J. 90-000	112-5
F. 76-000	95-0	A. 90-000	112-5
M. 80-000	100-0	S. 90-000	112-5
A. 80-000	100-0	O. 90-000	112-5
M. 80-000	100-0	N. 90-000	112-5
J. 80-000	100-0	D. 90-000	112-5

Av. 1937: Price \$84-333; Index 105-4

## GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

## ALUMINIUM

## ALUMINIUM INCOY, VIRGIN, 99 PER CENT PLUS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Toronto warehouse

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .220	83-3	J. .245	92-8
F. .220	83-3	A. .245	92-8
M. .235	89-0	S. .245	92-8
A. .235	89-0	O. .245	92-8
M. .245	92-8	N. .245	92-8
J. .245	92-8	D. .245	92-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-239; Index 90-5

## ALUMINIUM SHEET

Price per pound f.o.b. Toronto warehouse in ton lots

J. .295	—	J. .310	—
F. .295	—	A. .310	—
M. .310	—	S. .310	—
A. .310	—	O. .310	—
M. .310	—	N. .310	—
J. .310	—	D. .310	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-308

## ANTIMONY

## ANTIMONY, CHINESE, 99 PER CENT

Price per cwt. in less carlots, exwarehouse, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$13-750	81-2	J. \$15-000	88-6
F. 13-750	81-2	A. 15-250	90-1
M. 16-250	96-0	S. 17-000	100-4
A. 15-750	93-1	O. 17-500	103-4
M. 15-250	90-1	N. 17-000	100-4
J. 15-000	88-6	D. 16-000	94-5

Av. 1937: Price \$15-625; Index 92-3

## COPPER AND ITS PRODUCTS

## COPPER, ELECTROLYTIC, DOMESTIC

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average

J. 12-970	82-3	J. 14-833	93-1
F. 14-618	92-7	A. 14-833	94-1
M. 17-338	110-0	S. 13-876	88-0
A. 15-538	98-5	O. 12-993	76-7
M. 14-858	94-2	N. 10-757	68-2
J. 14-446	91-6	D. 10-614	67-3

Av. 1937: Price \$13-886; Index 88-1

## COPPER AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

## COPPER SHEET

Base price per pound, carlots, and less, f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .236	116-3	J. \$ .258	127-1
F. .236	116-3	A. .260	128-1
M. .288	141-9	S. .255	125-6
A. .280	137-9	O. .233	114-8
M. .265	130-5	N. .223	109-9
J. .258	127-1	D. .218	107-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-251; Index 123-6

## ELECTROLYTIC COPPER WIRE BARS, IMPORTED

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. New York

J. 12-506	89-4	J. 14-026	100-3
F. 13-004	93-0	A. 14-001	100-1
M. 16-240	116-1	S. 14-000	100-1
A. 15-486	110-7	O. 11-993	85-7
M. 13-974	99-9	N. 10-993	78-6
J. 14-000	100-1	D. 10-128	72-4

Av. 1937: Price \$13-363; Index 95-5

GROUP VI.—NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

COPPER AND ITS PRODUCTS—  
Concluded

SOLID BARE COPPER WIRE

Base price per pound at Montreal

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$ -185 95-6	J. \$ -205 105-9
F. -195 100-8	A. -210 108-5
M. -238 123-0	S. -198 102-3
A. -218 112-6	O. -180 93-0
M. -205 105-9	N. -160 82-7
J. -203 104-9	D. -160 82-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-196; Index 101-3

BRASS SHEETS, YELLOW (HIGH)

Base price per pound, quantity lots, at Toronto

Price Index	Price Index
J. -211 101-4	J. -229 110-0
F. -221 106-2	A. -234 112-4
M. -246 118-2	S. -228 109-6
A. -236 113-4	O. -210 100-9
M. -226 108-6	N. -201 96-6
J. -225 108-1	D. -198 95-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-222; Index 106-7

BRASS VALVES

Price per valve at Montreal

(sales tax included)	(sales tax included)
J. 1-454 91-8	J. 2-292 144-7
F. 1-454 91-8	A. 2-292 144-7
M. 1-818 114-8	S. 2-292 144-7
A. 1-925 121-5	O. 2-292 144-7
M. 1-925 121-5	N. 2-292 144-7
J. 1-925 121-5	D. 2-292 144-7

Av. 1937: Price \$2-021; Index 127-6

LEAD AND ITS PRODUCTS

LEAD, DOMESTIC

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal, monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. 6-670 81-8	J. 5-882 72-1
F. 6-793 83-3	A. 5-705 70-0
M. 7-690 94-3	S. 5-317 65-2
A. 6-248 76-6	O. 4-825 59-2
M. 5-843 71-7	N. 4-576 56-1
J. 5-632 69-1	D. 4-402 54-0

Av. 1937: Price \$5-799; Index 71-1

LEAD AND ITS PRODUCTS—  
Concluded

LEAD PIPE

Price per pound net, at Montreal

Price Index	Price Index
J. -162 107-5	J. -152 100-8
F. -162 107-5	A. -152 100-8
M. -195 129-4	S. -152 100-8
A. -195 129-4	O. -144 95-5
M. -195 129-4	N. -148 98-2
J. -152 100-8	D. -148 98-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-163; Index 103-1

SILVER

FINE SILVER

Price per ounce at New York, monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. -449 72-4	J. -448 72-3
F. -448 72-3	A. -448 72-3
M. -451 72-8	S. -448 72-3
A. -454 73-2	O. -447 72-1
M. -449 72-4	N. -447 72-1
J. -448 72-3	D. -448 72-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-449; Index 72-4

TIN INGOTS

TIN INGOTS, STRAITS

Price per pound, f.o.b. Toronto

Price Index	Price Index
J. -573 85-6	J. -630 94-2
F. -563 84-1	A. -633 94-2
M. -695 103-9	S. -635 94-9
A. -613 91-6	O. -550 82-2
M. -575 85-9	N. -490 73-1
J. -585 87-4	D. -455 68-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-583; Index 87-1

TIN INGOTS, 99-25 PER CENT

Price per pound in 500 pound lots, at Montreal

Price Index	Price Index
J. -555 —	J. -618 —
F. -548 —	A. -633 —
M. -693 —	S. -618 —
A. -635 —	O. -555 —
M. -590 —	N. -490 —
J. -580 —	D. -490 —

Av. 1937: Price \$0-585

ZINC AND ITS PRODUCTS

ZINC (SPELTER), DOMESTIC, PRIME, WESTERN OR G.O.B. GRADES

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Montreal—monthly average

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$5-360 60-7	J. \$5-579 63-2
F. 6-196 70-2	A. 5-993 67-9
M. 7-779 88-1	S. 5-438 61-6
A. 6-327 71-7	O. 4-750 53-8
M. 5-688 64-5	N. 4-371 49-5
J. 5-334 60-4	D. 4-298 48-7

Av. 1937: Price \$5-593; Index 63-4

ZINC SHEET

Basic price per pound, in lots of 10 casks, f.o.b. Montreal

Price Index	Price Index
J. -062 73-8	J. -072 85-7
F. -064 76-2	A. -073 86-9
M. -089 106-0	S. -070 83-3
A. -079 94-0	O. -068 81-0
M. -073 86-9	N. -065 77-4
J. -070 83-3	D. -063 75-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-071; Index 84-5

SOLDER

SOLDER, GUARANTEED, 50-50

Price per pound at Toronto

Price Index	Price Index
J. -330 84-9	J. -360 92-7
F. -328 84-4	A. -360 92-7
M. -395 101-7	S. -360 92-7
A. -365 94-0	O. -348 89-6
M. -343 88-3	N. -315 81-1
J. -360 92-7	D. -315 81-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-343; Index 89-6

GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS

BRICK, COMMON PLASTIC, RED  
Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec)

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$17-813 107-1	J. \$17-813 107-1
F. 17-813 107-1	A. 17-813 107-1
M. 17-813 107-1	S. 17-813 107-1
A. 17-813 107-1	O. 17-813 107-1
M. 17-813 107-1	N. 17-813 107-1
J. 17-813 107-1	D. 17-813 107-1

Av. 1937: Price \$17-813; Index 107-1

BRICK, DRY PRESS, No. 1

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec)

Price Index	Price Index
J. 27-550 90-6	J. 27-550 90-6
F. 27-550 90-6	A. 27-550 90-6
M. 27-550 90-6	S. 27-550 90-6
A. 27-550 90-6	O. 27-550 90-6
M. 27-550 90-6	N. 27-550 90-6
J. 27-550 90-6	D. 27-550 90-6

Av. 1937: Price \$27-550; Index 90-6

BRICK, SOFT MUD PROCESS, COMMON

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots

Price Index	Price Index
J. 19-000 106-4	J. 19-000 106-4
F. 19-000 106-4	A. 19-000 106-4
M. 19-000 106-4	S. 19-000 106-4
A. 19-000 106-4	O. 19-000 106-4
M. 19-000 106-4	N. 19-000 106-4
J. 19-000 106-4	D. 19-000 106-4

Av. 1937: Price \$19-000; Index 106-4

CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS—Continued

BRICK, STIFF MUD PROCESS (WIRE CUT), STOCK

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$25-000 103-5	J. \$25-000 103-5
F. 25-000 103-5	A. 25-000 103-5
M. 25-000 103-5	S. 25-000 103-5
A. 25-000 103-5	O. 25-000 103-5
M. 25-000 103-5	N. 25-000 103-5
J. 25-000 103-5	D. 25-000 103-5

Av. 1937: Price \$25-000; Index 103-5

BRICK, STIFF MUD PROCESS, STOCK No. 1

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)

Price Index	Price Index
J. 22-500 97-8	J. 22-500 97-8
F. 22-500 97-8	A. 22-500 97-8
M. 22-500 97-8	S. 22-500 97-8
A. 22-500 97-8	O. 22-500 97-8
M. 22-500 97-8	N. 22-500 97-8
J. 22-500 97-8	D. 22-500 97-8

Av. 1937: Price \$22-500; Index 97-8

BRICK, DRY PRESS, FACE

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario), carlots

Price Index	Price Index
J. 25-000 108-2	J. 25-000 108-2
F. 25-000 108-2	A. 25-000 108-2
M. 25-000 108-2	S. 25-000 108-2
A. 25-000 108-2	O. 25-000 108-2
M. 25-000 108-2	N. 25-000 108-2
J. 25-000 108-2	D. 25-000 108-2

Av. 1937: Price \$25-000; Index 108-2

CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL PRODUCTS—Continued

BRICK, SAND-LIME

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)

Price Index	Price Index
J. \$12-000 86-7	J. \$12-000 86-7
F. 12-000 86-7	A. 12-000 86-7
M. 12-000 86-7	S. 12-000 86-7
A. 12-000 86-7	O. 12-000 86-7
M. 12-000 86-7	N. 12-000 86-7
J. 12-000 86-7	D. 12-000 86-7

Av. 1937: Price \$12-000; Index 86-7

HOLLOW BUILDING TILE, 12" x 12" x 4"

Price per thousand, f.o.b. plant (Quebec), carlots

Price Index	Price Index
J. 75-000 67-6	J. 85-000 76-6
F. 75-000 67-6	A. 85-000 76-6
M. 75-000 67-6	S. 85-000 76-6
A. 75-000 67-6	O. 85-000 76-6
M. 85-000 76-6	N. 85-000 76-6
J. 85-000 76-6	D. 85-000 76-6

Av. 1937: Price \$81-667; Index 73-6

Stucco

Price per ton, car loads or less, mixing plant, Quebec

Price Index	Price Index
J. 13-000 —	J. 13-000 —
F. 13-000 —	A. 13-000 —
M. 13-000 —	S. 13-000 —
A. 13-000 —	O. 13-000 —
M. 13-000 —	N. 13-000 —
J. 13-000 —	D. 13-000 —

Av. 1937: Price \$13-000



## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

CLAY AND ALLIED MATERIAL  
PRODUCTS—Continued

## SEWER PIPE, VITRIFIED, 6"

Price per foot at Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .150	—	J. \$ .150	—
F. .150	—	A. .150	—
M. .150	—	S. .150	—
A. .150	—	O. .150	—
M. .150	—	N. .150	—
J. .150	—	D. .150	—

Av. 1937: Price \$0-150

## POTTERY

CUPS AND SAUCERS, No. 1 QUALITY  
ENGLISH EARTHENWARE FROM  
OPEN STOCK

Price per dozen at Toronto

J. 1-200	88-9	J. 1-200	88-9
F. 1-200	88-9	A. 1-200	88-9
M. 1-200	88-9	S. 1-200	88-9
A. 1-200	88-9	O. 1-200	88-9
M. 1-200	88-9	N. 1-200	88-9
J. 1-200	88-9	D. 1-200	88-9

Av. 1937: Price \$1-200; Index 88-9

## DINNER SETS, PRINTED

Price per set of 97 pieces at Toronto

J. 14-500	105-3	J. 14-500	105-3
F. 14-500	105-3	A. 14-500	105-3
M. 14-500	105-3	S. 16-000	116-2
A. 14-500	105-3	O. 16-000	116-2
M. 14-500	105-3	N. 16-000	116-2
J. 14-500	105-3	D. 16-000	116-2

Av. 1937: Price \$15-000; Index 109-0

## COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS

COAL, AMERICAN BITUMINOUS,  
RUN OF MINE

Price per net ton, ex yard, Montreal

J. 6-000	95-3	J. 6-250	99-3
F. 6-000	95-3	A. 6-250	99-3
M. 6-000	95-3	S. 6-250	99-3
A. 6-000	95-3	O. 6-250	99-3
M. 6-250	99-3	N. 6-250	99-3
J. 6-250	99-3	D. 6-250	99-3

Av. 1937: Price \$6-167; Index 98-0

## COAL, AMERICAN BITUMINOUS, SLACK

Price per net ton, ex yard, Montreal

J. 5-200	88-4	J. 5-500	93-5
F. 5-200	88-4	A. 5-500	93-5
M. 5-200	88-4	S. 5-500	93-5
A. 5-200	88-4	O. 5-500	93-5
M. 5-500	93-5	N. 5-500	93-5
J. 5-500	93-5	D. 5-500	93-5

Av. 1937: Price \$5-400; Index 91-8

## COAL, AMERICAN ANTHRACITE, EGG

Price per net ton, f.o.b. Toronto,  
carlots

J. 10-610	87-6	J. 9-840	81-3
F. 10-610	87-6	A. 9-840	81-3
M. 9-320	77-0	S. 10-080	83-3
A. 9-320	77-0	O. 10-080	83-3
M. 9-580	79-1	N. 10-350	85-5
J. 9-580	79-1	D. 10-350	85-5

Av. 1937: Price \$9-965; Index 82-3

COAL, WELSH ANTHRACITE  
No. 1 BUCKWHEATPrice per net ton to dealers, ex yard  
Montreal

J. 8-150	—	J. 8-600	—
F. 8-150	—	A. 8-600	—
M. 8-150	—	S. 8-600	—
A. 8-150	—	O. 8-600	—
M. 8-600	—	N. 8-600	—
J. 8-600	—	D. 8-600	—

Av. 1937: Price \$8-450

COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS  
—Continued

## COAL, WELSH COBBLES

Price per net ton to dealers, ex yard  
Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$10-500	—	J. \$11-000	—
F. 10-500	—	A. 11-250	—
M. 10-500	—	S. 11-250	—
A. 10-500	—	O. 11-750	—
M. 10-500	—	N. 11-750	—
J. 10-750	—	D. 11-750	—

Av. 1937: Price \$11-021

## COAL, BITUMINOUS

Price for small lots, per net ton,  
f.o.b. mines, Nova Scotia

J. 5-250	86-3	J. 5-250	86-3
F. 5-250	86-3	A. 5-250	86-3
M. 5-250	86-3	S. 5-250	86-3
A. 5-250	86-3	O. 5-250	86-3
M. 5-250	86-3	N. 5-250	86-3
J. 5-250	86-3	D. 5-250	86-3

Av. 1937: Price \$5-250; Index 86-3

COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC  
DOUBLE SCREENEDPrice per net ton at Drumheller,  
Alberta

J. 3-750	77-2	J. 3-500	72-1
F. 3-500	72-1	A. 3-500	72-1
M. 3-500	72-1	S. 3-600	74-1
A. 3-500	72-1	O. 3-600	74-1
M. 3-500	72-1	N. 3-600	74-1
J. 3-500	72-1	D. 3-600	74-1

Av. 1937: Price \$3-554; Index 73-2

## COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, 3" LUMP

Price per net ton, f.o.b. mine,  
Lethbridge, Alberta

J. 4-250	78-2	J. 4-250	78-2
F. 4-250	78-2	A. 4-250	78-2
M. 4-250	78-2	S. 4-250	78-2
A. 4-250	78-2	O. 4-250	78-2
M. 4-250	78-2	N. 4-250	78-2
J. 4-250	78-2	D. 4-250	78-2

Av. 1937: Price \$4-250; Index 78-2

COAL, WESTERN DOMESTIC, LUMP,  
OVER 4" SCREENEDPrice per net ton, f.o.b. mine,  
Edmonton, Alberta

J. 3-200	89-3	J. 3-000	83-7
F. 3-200	89-3	A. 3-000	83-7
M. 3-200	89-3	S. 3-200	89-3
A. 3-200	89-3	O. 3-200	89-3
M. 3-200	89-3	N. 3-200	89-3
J. 3-200	89-3	D. 3-200	89-3

Av. 1937: Price \$3-167; Index 88-4

## COAL, DOMESTIC, RUN OF MINE

Price per net ton, f.o.b. mines, B.C.

J. 3-625	84-9	J. 3-625	84-9
F. 3-625	84-9	A. 3-625	84-9
M. 3-625	84-9	S. 3-625	84-9
A. 3-625	84-9	O. 3-625	84-9
M. 3-625	84-9	N. 3-625	84-9
J. 3-625	84-9	D. 3-625	84-9

Av. 1937: Price \$3-625; Index 84-9

## COAL, DOMESTIC, SLACK

Price per net ton, f.o.b. mines, B.C.

J. 2-625	71-1	J. 2-625	71-1
F. 2-625	71-1	A. 2-625	71-1
M. 2-625	71-1	S. 2-625	71-1
A. 2-625	71-1	O. 2-625	71-1
M. 2-625	71-1	N. 2-625	71-1
J. 2-625	71-1	D. 2-625	71-1

Av. 1937: Price \$2-625; Index 71-1

COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS  
—Continued

## COAL, HOUSE, LUMP

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. dock B.C.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$7-250	86-3	J. \$7-250	86-3
F. 7-250	86-3	A. 7-250	86-3
M. 7-250	86-3	S. 7-250	86-3
A. 7-250	86-3	O. 7-250	86-3
M. 7-250	86-3	N. 7-250	86-3
J. 7-250	86-3	D. 7-250	86-3

Av. 1937: Price \$7-250; Index 86-3

## COAL, WASHED, SLACK

Price per gross ton, f.o.b. dock B.C.

J. 4-500	109-6	J. 4-500	109-6
F. 4-500	109-6	A. 4-500	109-6
M. 4-500	109-6	S. 4-500	109-6
A. 4-500	109-6	O. 4-500	109-6
M. 4-500	109-6	N. 4-500	109-6
J. 4-500	109-6	D. 4-500	109-6

Av. 1937: Price \$4-500; Index 109-6

## COAL TAR, CRUDE

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Montreal or  
Toronto

J. 8-500	89-5	J. 9-000	94-7
F. 8-500	89-5	A. 9-000	94-7
M. 8-500	89-5	S. 9-000	94-7
A. 8-500	89-5	O. 9-000	94-7
M. 9-000	94-7	N. 9-000	94-7
J. 9-000	94-7	D. 9-000	94-7

Av. 1937: Price \$8-833; Index 93-0

## COKE, METALLURGICAL

Price per ton to Canadian smelters,  
f.o.b. plant, Ontario

J. 8-500	117-2	J. 8-500	117-2
F. 8-500	117-2	A. 8-500	117-2
M. 8-500	117-2	S. 8-500	117-2
A. 8-500	117-2	O. 8-500	117-2
M. 8-500	117-2	N. 8-500	117-2
J. 8-500	117-2	D. 8-500	117-2

Av. 1937: Price \$8-500; Index 117-2

## COKE, METALLURGICAL

Price per ton to Canadian smelters,  
f.o.b. plant, B.C.

J. 5-500	74-3	J. 5-500	74-3
F. 5-500	74-3	A. 5-500	74-3
M. 5-500	74-3	S. 5-500	74-3
A. 5-500	74-3	O. 5-500	74-3
M. 5-500	74-3	N. 5-500	74-3
J. 5-500	74-3	D. 5-500	74-3

Av. 1937: Price \$5-500; Index 74-3

## COKE, BY-PRODUCT, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, Nova Scotia

J. 6-000	88-9	J. 6-500	96-4
F. 6-000	88-9	A. 6-500	96-4
M. 6-000	88-9	S. 6-500	96-4
A. 6-000	88-9	O. 6-500	96-4
M. 6-000	88-9	N. 6-500	96-4
J. 6-500	96-4	D. 6-500	96-4

Av. 1937: Price \$6-292; Index 93-3

## COKE, BY-PRODUCT, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, Ontario

J. 8-500	113-3	J. 8-500	113-3
F. 8-500	113-3	A. 8-500	113-3
M. 8-500	113-3	S. 8-500	113-3
A. 8-500	113-3	O. 8-500	113-3
M. 8-500	113-3	N. 8-500	113-3
J. 8-500	113-3	D. 8-500	113-3

Av. 1937: Price \$8-500; Index 113-3

## COKE, FOR DOMESTIC USE

Price per ton, f.o.b. plant, B.C.

J. 7-250	87-3	J. 7-250	87-3
F. 7-250	87-3	A. 7-250	87-3
M. 7-250	87-3	S. 7-250	87-3
A. 7-250	87-3	O. 7-250	87-3
M. 7-250	87-3	N. 7-250	87-3
J. 7-250	87-3	D. 7-250	87-3

Av. 1937: Price \$7-250; Index 87-3

GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

COAL AND ITS PRODUCTS  
—Concluded

MANUFACTURED GAS

Composite price for first 1000 cubic feet

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$12-154	98-0	J. \$12-154	98-0
F. 12-154	98-0	A. 12-654	102-0
M. 12-154	98-0	S. 12-654	102-0
A. 12-154	98-0	O. 12-654	102-0
M. 12-154	98-0	N. 12-654	102-0
J. 12-154	98-0	D. 12-654	102-0

Av. 1937: Price \$12-362; Index 99-7

GLASS AND ITS PRODUCTS

Window Glass, 16 oz., 40 U.I.

Price per 100 ft. box at Toronto

J. 4-836	104-3	J. 4-836	104-3
F. 4-836	104-3	A. 4-836	104-3
M. 4-836	104-3	S. 4-836	104-3
A. 4-836	104-3	O. 4-836	104-3
M. 4-836	104-3	N. 4-836	104-3
J. 4-836	104-3	D. 4-836	104-3

Av. 1937: Price \$4-836; Index 104-3

Window Glass, 21 oz., 60 U.I.

Price per 100 ft. box at Toronto

J. \$10-608	123-5	J. \$10-608	123-5
F. 10-608	123-5	A. 10-608	123-5
M. 10-608	123-5	S. 10-608	123-5
A. 10-608	123-5	O. 10-608	123-5
M. 10-608	123-5	N. 10-608	123-5
J. 10-608	123-5	D. 10-608	123-5

Av. 1937: Price \$10-608; Index 123-5

PLATE GLASS, 3'-4', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

J. .608	68-4	J. .641	72-1
F. .641	72-1	A. .641	72-1
M. .641	72-1	S. .641	72-1
A. .738	83-0	O. .641	72-1
M. .641	72-1	N. .641	72-1
J. .641	72-1	D. .641	72-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-646; Index 72-7

PLATE GLASS, 10'-12' SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

J. .720	55-7	J. .760	58-7
F. .760	58-7	A. .760	58-7
M. .760	58-7	S. .760	58-7
A. .875	67-6	O. .760	58-7
M. .760	58-7	N. .760	58-7
J. .760	58-7	D. .760	58-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-766; Index 59-2

PLATE GLASS, 25'-50', SUPER

Price per square foot at Toronto

J. .878	61-9	J. .926	65-3
F. .926	65-3	A. .926	65-3
M. .926	65-3	S. .926	65-3
A. 1-066	75-2	O. .926	65-3
M. .926	65-3	N. .926	65-3
J. .926	65-3	D. .926	65-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-934; Index 65-9

GLASSWARE

DRINKING GLASS, OPEN STOCK

Price per gross at Toronto

J. 4-290	94-3	J. 4-320	94-9
F. 4-290	94-3	A. 4-320	94-9
M. 4-290	94-3	S. 4-320	94-9
A. 4-290	94-3	O. 4-320	94-9
M. 4-290	94-9	N. 4-320	94-9
J. 4-290	94-9	D. 4-320	94-9

Av. 1937: Price \$4-310; Index 94-7

PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS

CRUDE OIL, MID-CONTINENT

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Sarnia

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$2-810	72-8	J. \$2-930	75-9
F. 2-940	76-2	A. 2-940	76-2
M. 2-940	76-2	S. 2-937	76-1
A. 2-940	76-2	O. 2-938	76-2
M. 2-940	76-2	N. 2-938	76-2
J. 2-940	76-2	D. 2-937	76-1

Av. 1937: Price \$2-928; Index 75-9

CRUDE OIL, SALT CREEK

Price per barrel, f.o.b. Regina

J. \$2-960	74-0	J. \$2-960	74-0
F. 2-960	74-0	A. 2-960	74-0
M. 2-960	74-0	S. 2-962	74-1
A. 2-960	74-0	O. 2-963	74-1
M. 2-960	74-0	N. 2-963	74-1
J. 2-960	74-0	D. 2-962	74-1

Av. 1937: Price \$2-961; Index 74-0

MOTOR GASOLENE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Halifax

J. .160	56-6	J. .160	56-6
F. .160	56-6	A. .160	56-6
M. .160	56-6	S. .160	56-6
A. .160	56-6	O. .160	56-6
M. .160	56-6	N. .160	56-6
J. .160	56-6	D. .160	56-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-160; Index 56-6

MOTOR GASOLENE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Montreal

J. .125	49-5	J. .150	59-4
F. .130	51-5	A. .150	59-4
M. .130	51-5	S. .150	59-4
A. .130	51-5	O. .150	59-4
M. .130	51-5	N. .150	59-4
J. .140	55-4	D. .150	59-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-140; Index 55-4

MOTOR GASOLENE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Toronto

J. .150	59-4	J. .160	63-4
F. .160	63-4	A. .160	63-4
M. .160	63-4	S. .160	63-4
A. .160	63-4	O. .160	63-4
M. .160	63-4	N. .160	63-4
J. .160	63-4	D. .160	63-4

Av. 1937: Price \$0-159; Index 63-0

MOTOR GASOLENE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Winnipeg

J. .212	74-6	J. .212	74-6
F. .212	74-6	A. .212	74-6
M. .212	74-6	S. .212	74-6
A. .212	74-6	O. .205	72-1
M. .212	74-6	N. .205	72-1
J. .212	74-6	D. .205	72-1

Av. 1937: Price \$0-210; Index 73-9

MOTOR GASOLENE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Regina

J. .225	70-3	J. .225	70-3
F. .225	70-3	A. .225	70-3
M. .225	70-3	S. .225	70-3
A. .225	70-3	O. .225	70-3
M. .225	70-3	N. .225	70-3
J. .225	70-3	D. .215	67-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-224; Index 70-0

MOTOR GASOLENE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Calgary

J. .210	71-7	J. .210	71-7
F. .210	71-7	A. .210	71-7
M. .210	71-7	S. .200	68-3
A. .210	71-7	O. .200	68-3
M. .210	71-7	N. .200	68-3
J. .210	71-7	D. .185	63-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-205; Index 70-0

PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS—Continued

MOTOR GASOLENE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Vancouver

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .150	76-3	J. \$ .160	81-3
F. .150	76-3	A. .160	81-3
M. .150	76-3	S. .160	81-3
A. .150	76-3	O. .160	81-3
M. .150	76-3	N. .160	81-3
J. .160	81-3	D. .160	81-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-156; Index 79-3

COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Halifax

J. .185	71-7	J. .185	71-7
F. .185	71-7	A. .185	71-7
M. .185	71-7	S. .185	71-7
A. .185	71-7	O. .185	71-7
M. .185	71-7	N. .185	71-7
J. .185	71-7	D. .185	71-7

Av. 1937: Price \$0-185; Index 71-7

COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Montreal

J. .175	76-8	J. .175	76-8
F. .175	76-8	A. .175	76-8
M. .175	76-8	S. .175	76-8
A. .175	76-8	O. .175	76-8
M. .175	76-8	N. .175	76-8
J. .175	76-8	D. .175	76-8

Av. 1937: Price \$0-175; Index 76-8

COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Toronto

J. .170	74-6	J. .170	74-6
F. .170	74-6	A. .170	74-6
M. .170	74-6	S. .170	74-6
A. .170	74-6	O. .170	74-6
M. .170	74-6	N. .170	74-6
J. .170	74-6	D. .170	74-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-170; Index 74-6

COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Winnipeg

J. .207	82-0	J. .207	82-0
F. .207	82-0	A. .207	82-0
M. .207	82-0	S. .207	82-0
A. .207	82-0	O. .207	82-0
M. .207	82-0	N. .207	82-0
J. .207	82-0	D. .207	82-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-207; Index 82-0

COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Regina

J. .220	78-6	J. .220	78-6
F. .220	78-6	A. .220	78-6
M. .220	78-6	S. .220	78-6
A. .220	78-6	O. .220	78-6
M. .220	78-6	N. .220	78-6
J. .220	78-6	D. .220	78-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-220; Index 78-6

COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Calgary

J. .215	81-7	J. .215	81-7
F. .215	81-7	A. .215	81-7
M. .215	81-7	S. .215	81-7
A. .215	81-7	O. .215	81-7
M. .215	81-7	N. .215	81-7
J. .215	81-7	D. .205	77-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-214; Index 81-4

COAL OIL, WATER WHITE

Price per gallon (tank wagon), Vancouver

J. .230	100-0	J. .230	100-0
F. .230	100-0	A. .230	100-0
M. .230	100-0	S. .230	100-0
A. .230	100-0	O. .230	100-0
M. .230	100-0	N. .230	100-0
J. .230	100-0	D. .230	100-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-230; Index 100-0



## GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

PETROLEUM AND ITS PRODUCTS— <i>Concluded</i>				SALT— <i>Concluded</i>				LIME AND CEMENT— <i>Concluded</i>			
FUEL OIL (LIGHT)				SALT, TABLE				HYDRATED LIME			
Price per gallon, tank cars, f.o.b. Toronto				Price per barrel (80 bags) carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia				Price per ton, f.o.b. works, (Quebec)			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$.082	87-0	J. \$.084	89-2	J. \$2.740	73-5	J. \$2.740	73-5	J. \$8.000	92-7	J. \$8.000	92-7
F. .084	89-2	A. .084	89-2	F. 2.740	73-5	A. 2.740	73-5	F. 8.000	92-7	A. 8.000	92-7
M. .084	89-2	S. .084	89-2	M. 2.740	73-5	S. 2.740	73-5	M. 8.000	92-7	S. 8.000	92-7
A. .084	89-2	O. .084	89-2	A. 2.740	73-5	O. 2.740	73-5	A. 8.000	92-7	O. 8.000	92-7
M. .084	89-2	N. .084	89-2	M. 2.740	73-5	N. 2.740	73-5	M. 8.000	92-7	N. 8.000	92-7
J. .084	89-2	D. .084	89-2	J. 2.740	73-5	D. 2.740	73-5	J. 8.000	92-7	D. 8.000	92-7
Av. 1937: Price \$0.084; Index 89-2				Av. 1937: Price \$2.740; Index 73-5				Av. 1937: Price \$8.000; Index 92-7			
LUBRICATING OIL				SULPHUR				HYDRATED LIME			
Price per gallon, f.o.b. Toronto (contract price)				SULPHUR (CRUDE BRIMSTONE)				Price per ton, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price per gross ton, ex vessel, Three Rivers or Montreal				Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .303	96-2	J. .303	96-2	J. 22.061	93-9	J. 23.094	98-3	J. 13.750	110-0	J. 13.750	110-0
F. .303	96-2	A. .303	96-2	F. 22.057	93-9	A. 23.062	98-1	F. 13.750	110-0	A. 13.750	110-0
M. .303	96-2	S. .303	96-2	M. 22.037	93-8	S. 23.050	98-1	M. 13.750	110-0	S. 13.750	110-0
A. .303	96-2	O. .303	96-2	A. 22.030	93-7	O. 23.036	98-0	A. 13.750	110-0	O. 13.750	110-0
M. .303	96-2	N. .303	96-2	M. 22.015	93-7	N. 23.036	98-0	M. 13.750	110-0	N. 13.750	110-0
J. .303	96-2	D. .303	96-2	J. 23.050	98-1	D. 23.057	98-1	J. 13.750	110-0	D. 13.750	110-0
Av. 1937: Price \$0.303; Index 96-2				Av. 1937: Price \$22.631; Index 96-3				Av. 1937: Price \$13.750; Index 110-0			
ASPHALT				PLASTER				PORTLAND CEMENT			
ASPHALT, PAVING				PLASTER, HARD WALL, NEAT				Price per barrel of 350 pounds at Montreal (exclusive of sacks and discount)			
Price per ton, tank cars, at Montreal				Price per net ton, f.o.b. plant, New Brunswick				Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 14.800	97-7	J. 14.600	97-3	J. 10.600	111-6	J. 10.600	111-6	J. 1.700	114-0	J. 1.700	114-0
F. 14.800	97-7	A. 14.600	97-3	F. 10.600	111-6	A. 10.600	111-6	F. 1.700	114-0	A. 1.700	114-0
M. 14.800	97-7	S. 14.600	97-3	M. 10.600	111-6	S. 10.600	111-6	M. 1.700	114-0	S. 1.700	114-0
A. 14.800	97-7	O. 14.600	97-3	A. 10.600	111-6	O. 10.600	111-6	A. 1.700	114-0	O. 1.700	114-0
M. 14.600	97-3	N. 14.600	97-3	M. 10.600	111-6	N. 10.600	111-6	M. 1.700	114-0	N. 1.700	114-0
J. 14.600	97-3	D. 14.600	97-3	J. 10.600	111-6	D. 10.600	111-6	J. 1.700	114-0	D. 1.700	114-0
Av. 1937: Price \$14.667; Index 97-8				Av. 1937: Price \$10.600; Index 111-6				Av. 1937: Price \$1.700; Index 114-0			
ASPHALT, PAVING				PLASTER, HARD WALL, NEAT				PORTLAND CEMENT			
Price per ton, tank cars, at Toronto				Price per ton, including bags, f.o.b. plant, Ontario				Price per barrel of 350 pounds, at Toronto (exclusive of sacks and discount)			
J. 18.100	86-2	J. 18.000	85-7	J. 13.000	115-6	J. 13.000	115-6	J. 2.130	109-1	J. 2.130	109-1
F. 18.100	86-2	A. 18.000	85-7	F. 13.000	115-6	A. 13.000	115-6	F. 2.130	109-1	A. 2.130	109-1
M. 18.100	86-2	S. 18.000	85-7	M. 13.000	115-6	S. 13.000	115-6	M. 2.130	109-1	S. 2.130	109-1
A. 18.100	86-2	O. 18.000	85-7	A. 13.000	115-6	O. 13.000	115-6	A. 2.130	109-1	O. 2.130	109-1
M. 18.000	85-7	N. 18.000	85-7	M. 13.000	115-6	N. 13.000	115-6	M. 2.130	109-1	N. 2.130	109-1
J. 18.000	85-7	D. 18.000	85-7	J. 13.000	115-6	D. 13.000	115-6	J. 2.130	109-1	D. 2.130	109-1
Av. 1937: Price \$18.033; Index 85-9				Av. 1937: Price \$13.000; Index 115-6				Av. 1937: Price \$2.130; Index 109-1			
SALT				PLASTER OF PARIS				PORTLAND CEMENT			
SALT, VACUUM, FINE				Price per barrel of 300 pounds carlots, f.o.b. Montreal				Price per barrel of 350 pounds at Winnipeg (exclusive of sacks and discount)			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.310	93-6	J. 1.310	93-6	J. 5.000	105-3	J. 5.750	121-1	J. 2.720	89-2	J. 2.720	89-2
F. 1.310	93-6	A. 1.310	93-6	F. 5.000	105-3	A. 5.750	121-1	F. 2.720	89-2	A. 2.720	89-2
M. 1.310	93-6	S. 1.310	93-6	M. 5.000	105-3	S. 5.750	121-1	M. 2.720	89-2	S. 2.720	89-2
A. 1.310	93-6	O. 1.310	93-6	A. 5.000	105-3	O. 5.750	121-1	A. 2.720	89-2	O. 2.720	89-2
M. 1.310	93-6	N. 1.310	93-6	M. 5.750	121-1	N. 5.750	121-1	M. 2.720	89-2	N. 2.720	89-2
J. 1.310	93-6	D. 1.310	93-6	J. 5.750	121-1	D. 5.750	121-1	J. 2.720	89-2	D. 2.720	89-2
Av. 1937: Price \$1.310; Index 93-6				Av. 1937: Price \$5.500; Index 115-8				Av. 1937: Price \$2.720; Index 89-2			
SALT, VACUUM, COARSE				LIME AND CEMENT				PORTLAND CEMENT			
Price per barrel, 280 pounds, net, carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia				No. 1 HIGH CALCIUM LUMP LIME				Price per barrel of 350 pounds at Regina (exclusive of sacks and discount)			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price per ton, f.o.b. works (Quebec)				Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.540	76-7	J. 1.540	76-7	J. 6.000	78-4	J. 6.000	78-4	J. 3.390	91-6	J. 3.390	91-6
F. 1.540	76-7	A. 1.540	76-7	F. 6.000	78-4	A. 6.000	78-4	F. 3.390	91-6	A. 3.390	91-6
M. 1.540	76-7	S. 1.540	76-7	M. 6.000	78-4	S. 6.000	78-4	M. 3.390	91-6	S. 3.390	91-6
A. 1.540	76-7	O. 1.540	76-7	A. 6.000	78-4	O. 6.000	78-4	A. 3.390	91-6	O. 3.390	91-6
M. 1.540	76-7	N. 1.540	76-7	M. 6.000	78-4	N. 6.000	78-4	M. 3.390	91-6	N. 3.390	91-6
J. 1.540	76-7	D. 1.540	76-7	J. 6.000	78-4	D. 6.000	78-4	J. 3.390	91-6	D. 3.390	91-6
Av. 1937: Price \$1.540; Index 76-7				Av. 1937: Price \$6.000; Index 78-4				Av. 1937: Price \$3.390; Index 91-6			
SALT, DAIRY				QUICKLIME, GREY				PORTLAND CEMENT			
Price per barrel, 280 pounds net, carlots, f.o.b. Sarnia				Price per ton, f.o.b. plant (Ontario)				Price per barrel f.o.b. railway cars, Vancouver (exclusive of sacks)			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2.350	78-3	J. 2.350	78-3	J. 10.000	125-0	J. 10.000	125-0	J. 2.538	86-3	J. 2.538	86-3
F. 2.350	78-3	A. 2.350	78-3	F. 10.000	125-0	A. 10.000	125-0	F. 2.538	86-3	A. 2.538	86-3
M. 2.350	78-3	S. 2.350	78-3	M. 10.000	125-0	S. 10.000	125-0	M. 2.538	86-3	S. 2.538	86-3
A. 2.350	78-3	O. 2.350	78-3	A. 10.000	125-0	O. 10.000	125-0	A. 2.538	86-3	O. 2.538	86-3
M. 2.350	78-3	N. 2.350	78-3	M. 10.000	125-0	N. 10.000	125-0	M. 2.538	86-3	N. 2.538	86-3
J. 2.350	78-3	D. 2.350	78-3	J. 10.000	125-0	D. 10.000	125-0	J. 2.538	86-3	D. 2.538	86-3
Av. 1937: Price \$2.350; Index 78-3				Av. 1937: Price \$10.000; Index 125-0				Av. 1937: Price \$2.538; Index 86-3			



GROUP VII.—NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

SAND AND GRAVEL

SAND, CONCRETE

Price per ton in carlots, f.o.b. cars Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$1-150	102-2	J. \$1-150	102-2
F. 1-150	102-2	A. 1-150	102-2
M. 1-150	102-2	S. 1-150	102-2
A. 1-150	102-2	O. 1-150	102-2
M. 1-150	102-2	N. 1-150	102-2
J. 1-150	102-2	D. 1-150	102-2

Av. 1937: Price \$1-150; Index 102-2

SAND, CONCRETE

Price per ton in carlots, f.o.b. cars, Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-000	74-1	J. 1-000	74-1
F. 1-000	74-1	A. 1-000	74-1
M. 1-000	74-1	S. 1-000	74-1
A. 1-000	74-1	O. 1-000	74-1
M. 1-000	74-1	N. 1-000	74-1
J. 1-000	74-1	D. 1-000	74-1

Av. 1937: Price \$1-000; Index 74-1

SAND, CONCRETE

Price per cubic yard, in carlots, f.o.b. cars, Winnipeg			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-150	100-0	J. 1-000	87-0
F. 1-150	100-0	A. 1-000	87-0
M. 1-150	100-0	S. 1-000	87-0
A. 1-150	100-0	O. 1-000	87-0
M. 1-150	100-0	N. 1-000	87-0
J. 1-000	87-0	D. 1-000	87-0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-063; Index 92-4

SAND, CONCRETE

Price per cubic yard, in carlots, f.o.b. Vancouver			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-000	90-9	J. 1-000	90-9
F. 1-000	90-9	A. 1-000	90-9
M. 1-000	90-9	S. 1-000	90-9
A. 1-000	90-9	O. 1-000	90-9
M. 1-000	90-9	N. 1-000	90-9
J. 1-000	90-9	D. 1-000	90-9

Av. 1937: Price \$1-000; Index 90-9

GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-000	80-0	J. 1-100	88-0
F. 1-000	80-0	A. 1-100	88-0
M. 1-100	88-0	S. 1-100	88-0
A. 1-100	88-0	O. 1-100	88-0
M. 1-100	88-0	N. 1-100	88-0
J. 1-100	88-0	D. 1-100	88-0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-083; Index 86-6

GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-850	105-7	J. 1-850	105-7
F. 1-850	105-7	A. 1-850	105-7
M. 1-850	105-7	S. 1-850	105-7
A. 1-850	105-7	O. 1-850	105-7
M. 1-850	105-7	N. 1-850	105-7
J. 1-850	105-7	D. 1-850	105-7

Av. 1937: Price \$1-850; Index 105-7

GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per cubic yard, f.o.b. cars, Winnipeg			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-150	100-0	J. 1-000	87-0
F. 1-150	100-0	A. 1-000	87-0
M. 1-150	100-0	S. 1-000	87-0
A. 1-150	100-0	O. 1-000	87-0
M. 1-150	100-0	N. 1-000	87-0
J. 1-000	87-0	D. 1-000	87-0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-063; Index 92-4

GRAVEL, PIT RUN

Price per cubic yard, in carlots, f.o.b. Vancouver			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-000	90-9	J. 1-000	90-9
F. 1-000	90-9	A. 1-000	90-9
M. 1-000	90-9	S. 1-000	90-9
A. 1-000	90-9	O. 1-000	90-9
M. 1-000	90-9	N. 1-000	90-9
J. 1-000	90-9	D. 1-000	90-9

Av. 1937: Price \$1-000; Index 90-9

CRUSHED STONE

CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per ton, f.o.b. cars, Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$-750	53-6	J. \$-750	53-6
F. -750	53-6	A. -750	53-6
M. -750	53-6	S. -750	53-6
A. -750	53-6	O. -750	53-6
M. -750	53-6	N. -750	53-6
J. -750	53-6	D. -750	53-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-750; Index 53-6

CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per ton, carlots, f.o.b. Toronto			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-850	100-0	J. 1-850	100-0
F. 1-850	100-0	A. 1-850	100-0
M. 1-850	100-0	S. 1-850	100-0
A. 1-850	100-0	O. 1-850	100-0
M. 1-850	100-0	N. 1-850	100-0
J. 1-850	100-0	D. 1-850	100-0

Av. 1937: Price \$1-850; Index 100-0

CRUSHED STONE, 1" to 2"

Price per cubic yard, scow lots, f.o.b. Vancouver			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-130	90-4	J. 1-130	90-4
F. 1-130	90-4	A. 1-130	90-4
M. 1-130	90-4	S. 1-130	90-4
A. 1-130	90-4	O. 1-130	90-4
M. 1-130	90-4	N. 1-130	90-4
J. 1-130	90-4	D. 1-130	90-4

Av. 1937: Price \$1-130; Index 90-4

BUILDING STONE

STANSTEAD GRANITE, BASE STOCK  
BLOCKS

(CONTAINING 10-75 CUBIC FEET)

Price per cubic foot, f.o.b. cars, quarries (Quebec)			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -750	75-0	J. -750	75-0
F. -750	75-0	A. -750	75-0
M. -750	75-0	S. -750	75-0
A. -750	75-0	O. -750	75-0
M. -750	75-0	N. -750	75-0
J. -750	75-0	D. -750	75-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-750; Index 75-0

STANSTEAD GRANITE, DIE STOCK  
BLOCKS

(CONTAINING UP TO 30 CUBIC FEET)

Price per cubic foot, f.o.b. cars, quarries (Quebec)			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-000	66-7	J. 1-000	66-7
F. 1-000	66-7	A. 1-000	66-7
M. 1-000	66-7	S. 1-000	66-7
A. 1-000	66-7	O. 1-000	66-7
M. 1-000	66-7	N. 1-000	66-7
J. 1-000	66-7	D. 1-000	66-7

Av. 1937: Price \$1-000; Index 66-7

DOLOMITE (SILVER GREY)

Price per cubic foot (rough blocks), f.o.b. cars, quarries (Ontario)			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -800	64-0	J. -800	64-0
F. -800	64-0	A. -800	64-0
M. -800	64-0	S. -800	64-0
A. -800	64-0	O. -800	64-0
M. -800	64-0	N. -800	64-0
J. -800	64-0	D. -800	64-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-800; Index 64-0

ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS

ASBESTOS, CRUDE No. 1

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 550-000	109-1	J. 550-000	109-1
F. 550-000	109-1	A. 550-000	109-1
M. 550-000	109-1	S. 550-000	109-1
A. 550-000	109-1	O. 550-000	109-1
M. 550-000	109-1	N. 550-000	109-1
J. 550-000	109-1	D. 550-000	109-1

Av. 1937: Price \$550-000; Index 109-1

ASBESTOS AND ITS PRODUCTS

—Concluded

ASBESTOS, CRUDE No. 2

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$200-000	69-1	J. \$200-000	69-1
F. 200-000	69-1	A. 200-000	69-1
M. 200-000	69-1	S. 200-000	69-1
A. 200-000	69-1	O. 200-000	69-1
M. 200-000	69-1	N. 200-000	69-1
J. 200-000	69-1	D. 200-000	69-1

Av. 1937: Price \$200-000; Index 69-1

ASBESTOS, SPINNING STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 120-000	64-9	J. 120-000	64-9
F. 120-000	64-9	A. 120-000	64-9
M. 120-000	64-9	S. 120-000	64-9
A. 120-000	64-9	O. 120-000	64-9
M. 120-000	64-9	N. 120-000	64-9
J. 120-000	64-9	D. 120-000	64-9

Av. 1937: Price \$120-000; Index 64-9

ASBESTOS, SHINGLE STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 60-000	92-3	J. 60-000	92-3
F. 60-000	92-3	A. 60-000	92-3
M. 60-000	92-3	S. 60-000	92-3
A. 60-000	92-3	O. 60-000	92-3
M. 60-000	92-3	N. 60-000	92-3
J. 60-000	92-3	D. 60-000	92-3

Av. 1937: Price \$60-000; Index 92-3

ASBESTOS, MILL BOARD AND PAPER  
STOCKS

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 32-500	72-2	J. 32-500	72-2
F. 32-500	72-2	A. 32-500	72-2
M. 32-500	72-2	S. 32-500	72-2
A. 32-500	72-2	O. 32-500	72-2
M. 32-500	72-2	N. 32-500	72-2
J. 32-500	72-2	D. 32-500	72-2

Av. 1937: Price \$32-500; Index 72-2

ASBESTOS FILLERS, FLOATS AND  
OTHER SHORT FIBRE

Price per ton, f.o.b. mine			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 12-000	80-0	J. 12-000	80-0
F. 12-000	80-0	A. 12-000	80-0
M. 12-000	80-0	S. 12-000	80-0
A. 12-000	80-0	O. 12-000	80-0
M. 12-000	80-0	N. 12-000	80-0
J. 12-000	80-0	D. 12-000	80-0

Av. 1937: Price \$12-000; Index 80-0

ASBESTOS, PIPE COVERING, 3 PLY

Price per foot, Eastern Canada			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -543	90-0	J. -543	90-0
F. -543	90-0	A. -543	90-0
M. -543	90-0	S. -543	90-0
A. -543	90-0	O. -543	90-0
M. -543	90-0	N. -543	90-0
J. -543	90-0	D. -543	90-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-543; Index 90-0

ASBESTOS, MILL BOARD

Price per 100 pounds, Eastern Canada			
Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 8-500	109-7	J. 8-500	109-7
F. 8-500	109-7	A. 8-500	109-7
M. 8-500	109-7	S. 8-500	109-7
A. 8-500	109-7	O. 8-500	109-7
M. 8-500	109-7	N. 8-500	109-7
J. 8-500	109-7	D. 8-500	109-7

Av. 1937: Price \$8-500; Index 109-7

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS

Prices in Dollars

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS

## AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS

Price per pound, f.o.b. factory, Toronto sales tax extra

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .155	95.4	J. \$ .155	95.4
F. .155	95.4	A. .155	95.4
M. .155	95.4	S. .155	95.4
A. .155	95.4	O. .155	95.4
M. .155	95.4	N. .155	95.4
J. .155	95.4	D. .155	95.4

Av. 1937: Price \$0.155; Index 95.4

## ARSENIOUS OXIDE (WHITE ARSENIC)

Price per pound, carlots, freight paid to eastern U.S. points

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .033	101.9	J. .033	101.9
F. .033	101.9	A. .033	101.9
M. .032	98.8	S. .033	101.9
A. .032	98.8	O. .032	98.8
M. .032	98.8	N. .032	98.8
J. .033	101.9	D. .033	101.9

Av. 1937: Price \$0.033; Index 101.9

## NITRIC ACID, 36°

Price per 100 pounds in carboys, carlots, f.o.b. works, Ontario and Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 7.750	96.9	J. 7.750	96.9
F. 7.750	96.9	A. 7.750	96.9
M. 7.750	96.9	S. 7.750	96.9
A. 7.750	96.9	O. 7.750	96.9
M. 7.750	96.9	N. 7.750	96.9
J. 7.750	96.9	D. 7.750	96.9

Av. 1937: Price \$7.750; Index 96.9

## HYDROCHLORIC (MURIATIC) ACID, 18°

Price per net ton in tank cars, f.o.b. works, Ontario and Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 23.000	95.8	J. 23.000	95.8
F. 23.000	95.8	A. 23.000	95.8
M. 23.000	95.8	S. 23.000	95.8
A. 23.000	95.8	O. 23.000	95.8
M. 23.000	95.8	N. 23.000	95.8
J. 23.000	95.8	D. 23.000	95.8

Av. 1937: Price \$23.000; Index 95.8

## SODIUM SULPHATE (GLAUBER'S SALT)

Price per 100 pounds, in carlots, f.o.b. works, Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .800	80.0	J. .800	80.0
F. .800	80.0	A. .800	80.0
M. .800	80.0	S. .800	80.0
A. .800	80.0	O. .800	80.0
M. .800	80.0	N. .800	80.0
J. .800	80.0	D. .800	80.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.800; Index 80.0

## SODIUM, BICARBONATE, PURE

Price per 100 pounds in lots of 5 barrels (400 pounds each), f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3.000	122.4	J. 3.000	122.4
F. 3.000	122.4	A. 3.000	122.4
M. 3.000	122.4	S. 3.000	122.4
A. 3.000	122.4	O. 3.000	122.4
M. 3.000	122.4	N. 3.000	122.4
J. 3.000	122.4	D. 3.000	122.4

Av. 1937: Price \$3.000; Index 122.4

## BLEACHING POWDER, 35-37 PER CENT

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. works, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.900	110.9	J. 1.900	110.9
F. 1.900	110.9	A. 1.900	110.9
M. 1.900	110.9	S. 1.900	110.9
A. 1.900	110.9	O. 1.900	110.9
M. 1.900	110.9	N. 1.900	110.9
J. 1.900	110.9	D. 1.900	110.9

Av. 1937: Price \$1.900; Index 110.9

## SODA ASH, 58 PER CENT, LIGHT

Price per 100 pounds, in bags, carlots, f.o.b. cars, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.605	85.7	J. 1.605	85.7
F. 1.605	85.7	A. 1.605	85.7
M. 1.605	85.7	S. 1.605	85.7
A. 1.605	85.7	O. 1.605	85.7
M. 1.605	85.7	N. 1.605	85.7
J. 1.605	85.7	D. 1.605	85.7

Av. 1937: Price \$1.605; Index 85.7

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS

## —Continued

## CAUSTIC SODA, 76-77 PER CENT, FLAKE

Price per 100 pounds, f.o.b. works, Ontario

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$3.000	83.8	J. \$3.000	83.8
F. 3.000	83.8	A. 3.000	83.8
M. 3.000	83.8	S. 3.000	83.8
A. 3.000	83.8	O. 3.000	83.8
M. 3.000	83.8	N. 3.000	83.8
J. 3.000	83.8	D. 3.000	83.8

Av. 1937: Price \$3.000; Index 83.8

## CALCIUM CARBIDE

Price per ton, carlots, f.o.b. works, Welland

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 78.240	90.1	J. 77.530	89.3
F. 78.240	90.1	A. 79.450	91.5
M. 78.240	90.1	S. 79.450	91.5
A. 77.530	89.3	O. 79.450	91.5
M. 77.530	89.3	N. 79.450	91.5
J. 77.530	89.3	D. 75.730	87.2

Av. 1937: Price \$78.198; Index 90.1

## GRAY ACETATE OF LIME

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, f.o.b. Ontario and Quebec

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2.500	92.3	J. 3.000	92.3
F. 3.000	92.3	A. 3.000	92.3
M. 3.000	92.3	S. 3.000	92.3
A. 3.000	92.3	O. 3.000	92.3
M. 3.000	92.3	N. 3.000	107.7
J. 3.000	92.3	D. 3.000	92.3

Av. 1937: Price \$3.000; Index 92.3

## ALUM, LUMP

Price per 100 pounds in barrels, ton lots, ex wharf, Montreal or Saint John, N.B.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2.025	92.9	J. 2.100	96.3
F. 2.025	92.9	A. 2.100	96.3
M. 2.025	92.9	S. 2.100	96.3
A. 2.025	92.9	O. 2.100	96.3
M. 2.025	92.9	N. 2.100	96.3
J. 2.040	93.6	D. 2.100	96.3

Av. 1937: Price \$2.064; Index 94.7

## BORAX, COMMERCIAL

Price per 100 pounds in barrels, ton lots c.i.f. Montreal and Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3.700	73.1	J. 3.800	75.1
F. 3.700	73.1	A. 3.800	75.1
M. 3.700	73.1	S. 3.800	75.1
A. 3.700	73.1	O. 3.800	75.1
M. 3.700	73.1	N. 3.800	75.1
J. 3.800	75.1	D. 3.800	75.1

Av. 1937: Price \$3.758; Index 74.2

## COPPER SULPHATE (BLUE VITRIOL), CRYSTALS

Price per 100 pounds in 5-ton lots, c.i.f. ocean ports

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4.80	97.3	J. 5.15	104.4
F. 4.81	99.5	A. 5.30	107.4
M. 6.09	123.5	S. 4.97	100.8
A. 5.60	111.5	O. 4.70	95.3
M. 5.20	105.4	N. 4.38	88.8
J. 5.10	103.4	D. 4.32	87.6

Av. 1937: Price \$5.035; Index 102.1

## MAGNESIUM SULPHATE, TECHNICAL (EPSOM SALT)

Price per ton in bags, f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 50.000	140.0	J. 45.000	126.0
F. 50.000	140.0	A. 45.000	126.0
M. 50.000	140.0	S. 50.000	140.0
A. 50.000	140.0	O. 50.000	140.0
M. 45.000	126.0	N. 50.000	140.0
J. 45.000	126.0	D. 50.000	140.0

Av. 1937: Price \$48.333; Index 135.3

## INORGANIC CHEMICALS

## —Concluded

## SULPHURIC ACID, 66° BAUMÉ

Price per net ton, tank cars, f.o.b. works (Ontario)

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$16.000	114.3	J. \$16.000	114.3
F. 16.000	114.3	A. 16.000	114.3
M. 16.000	114.3	S. 16.000	114.3
A. 16.000	114.3	O. 16.000	114.3
M. 16.000	114.3	N. 16.000	114.3
J. 16.000	114.3	D. 16.000	114.3

Av. 1937: Price \$16.000; Index 114.3

## CHLORINE, LIQUID, CYLINDERS

Price per pound, f.o.b. works

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .075	100.0	J. .075	100.0
F. .075	100.0	A. .075	100.0
M. .075	100.0	S. .075	100.0
A. .075	100.0	O. .075	100.0
M. .075	100.0	N. .075	100.0
J. .075	100.0	D. .075	100.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.075; Index 100.0

## SODIUM CYANIDE, BULK, 98-99 PER CENT

Price per pound, carlots, Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .159	78.7	J. .159	78.7
F. .159	78.7	A. .159	78.7
M. .159	78.7	S. .159	78.7
A. .159	78.7	O. .159	78.7
M. .159	78.7	N. .159	78.7
J. .159	78.7	D. .155	78.7

Av. 1937: Price \$0.159; Index 78.7

## SODIUM BICHROMATE

Price per pound in barrels, L.C.L. f.o.b. Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .088	105.5	J. .088	105.5
F. .088	105.5	A. .088	105.5
M. .088	105.5	S. .088	105.5
A. .088	105.5	O. .088	105.5
M. .088	105.5	N. .088	105.5
J. .088	105.5	D. .090	107.9

Av. 1937: Price \$0.088; Index 105.5

## AMMONIUM CHLORIDE (SAL AMMONIAC) GRAY

Price per pound, in carlots, Montreal and Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. .035	54.9	J. .035	54.9
F. .035	54.9	A. .035	54.9
M. .035	54.9	S. .035	54.9
A. .035	54.9	O. .035	54.9
M. .035	54.9	N. .035	54.9
J. .035	54.9	D. .035	54.9

Av. 1937: Price \$0.035; Index 54.9

## CALCIUM CHLORIDE, FLAKE

Price per ton in 100 lb. bags, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 28.000	71.8	J. 28.000	71.8
F. 28.000	71.8	A. 28.000	71.8
M. 28.000	71.8	S. 28.000	71.8
A. 28.000	71.8	O. 28.000	71.8
M. 28.000	71.8	N. 28.000	71.8
J. 28.000	71.8	D. 28.000	71.8

Av. 1937: Price \$28.000; Index 71.8

## ALUMINIUM SULPHATE

Price per 100 pounds, carlots, Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1.550	88.6	J. 1.600	91.4
F. 1.550	88.6	A. 1.600	91.4
M. 1.600	91.4	S. 1.600	91.4
A. 1.600	91.4	O. 1.600	91.4
M. 1.600	91.4	N. 1.600	91.4
J. 1.600	91.4	D. 1.600	91.4

Av. 1937: Price \$1.592; Index 91.0

## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## ORGANIC CHEMICALS

ACETIC ACID, 99 PER CENT, GLACIAL

Price per pound, f.o.b. Shawinigan Falls

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .100	83.3	J. \$ .100	83.3
F. .100	83.3	A. .100	83.3
M. .100	83.3	S. .100	83.3
A. .100	83.3	O. .100	83.3
M. .100	83.3	N. .100	83.3
J. .100	83.3	D. .100	83.3

Av. 1937: Price \$0.100; Index 83.3

WOOD (METHYL) ALCOHOL, 97 PER CENT

Price per gallon, f.o.b. Montreal

J. .720	82.8	J. .720	82.8
F. .720	82.8	A. .735	84.5
M. .720	82.8	S. .735	84.5
A. .720	82.8	O. .735	84.5
M. .720	82.8	N. .735	84.5
J. .720	82.8	D. .720	82.8

Av. 1937: Price \$0.725; Index 83.3

ALCOHOL, DENATURED, COLOGNE

SPIRITS

Price per proof gallon in bond, f.o.b. Montreal or Toronto

J. .450	81.8	J. .450	81.8
F. .450	81.8	A. .450	81.8
M. .450	81.8	S. .450	81.8
A. .450	81.8	O. .450	81.8
M. .450	81.8	N. .450	81.8
J. .450	81.8	D. .450	81.8

Av. 1937: Price \$0.450; Index 81.8

CREAM OF TARTAR, GROUND, IN

BARRELS

Price per pound at Toronto

J. .200	122.0	J. .220	134.1
F. .200	122.0	A. .220	134.1
M. .200	122.0	S. .220	134.1
A. .200	122.0	O. .220	134.1
M. .200	122.0	N. .220	134.1
J. .220	134.1	D. .220	134.1

Av. 1937: Price \$0.212; Index 129.3

FORMALDEHYDE

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. Toronto

.050	43.9	J. .065	57.1
.065	57.1	A. .065	57.1
.075	65.9	S. .065	57.1
.075	65.9	O. .065	57.1
.065	57.1	N. .060	52.7
.065	57.1	D. .070	61.5

Av. 1937: Price \$0.065; Index 57.1

GLYCERINE, REFINED

Price per pound, in drum lots, at Toronto

.261	94.1	J. .236	85.0
.301	108.5	A. .236	85.0
.301	108.5	S. .236	85.0
.301	108.5	O. .236	85.0
.256	92.3	N. .206	74.2
.236	85.0	D. .186	67.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.249; Index 89.7

## COAL TAR PRODUCTS

CREOSOTE OIL, CRUDE

Price per imperial gallon, tank car lots, f.o.b. works

.162	104.5	J. .165	106.5
.162	104.5	A. .165	106.5
.162	104.5	S. .165	106.5
.162	104.5	O. .165	106.5
.162	104.5	N. .165	106.5
.165	106.5	D. .165	106.5

Av. 1937: Price \$0.164; Index 105.8

BENZOL, PURE

Price per imperial gallon in tank cars, f.o.b. Canadian producing point

.230	65.6	J. .260	74.1
.230	65.6	A. .260	74.1
.260	74.1	S. .260	74.1
.260	74.1	O. .260	74.1
.260	74.1	N. .260	74.1
.260	74.1	D. .260	74.1

Av. 1937: Price \$0.255; Index 72.7

## DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS

DIRECT BLACK

(OXYDIAMINE BLACK, J.E.I. EXTRA)

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ .275	94.0	J. \$ .275	94.0
F. .275	94.0	A. .275	94.0
M. .275	94.0	S. .275	94.0
A. .275	94.0	O. .275	94.0
M. .275	94.0	N. .275	94.0
J. .275	94.0	D. .275	94.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.275; Index 94.0

SULPHUR BLACK  
(KATIGEN DEEP BLACK, G.G.N. CONC.)

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

J. .220	100.0	J. .220	100.0
F. .220	100.0	A. .220	100.0
M. .220	100.0	S. .220	100.0
A. .220	100.0	O. .220	100.0
M. .220	100.0	N. .220	100.0
J. .220	100.0	D. .220	100.0

Av. 1937: Price \$0.220; Index 100.0

NIGROSINE, WATER SOLUBLE

(J.T.L. EXTRA, CONC. TYPE)

Price per pound in barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

J. .360	92.3	J. .360	92.3
F. .360	92.3	A. .360	92.3
M. .360	92.3	S. .360	92.3
A. .360	92.3	O. .360	92.3
M. .360	92.3	N. .360	92.3
J. .360	92.3	D. .360	92.3

Av. 1937: Price \$0.360; Index 92.3

METHYLENE BLUE, B.G.

Price per pound in 100 pound kegs, f.o.b. warehouse

J. .950	90.5	J. .950	90.5
F. .950	90.5	A. .950	90.5
M. .950	90.5	S. .950	90.5
A. .950	90.5	O. .950	90.5
M. .950	90.5	N. .950	90.5
J. .950	90.5	D. .950	90.5

Av. 1937: Price \$0.950; Index 90.5

INDIGO (SYNTHETIC), 20 PER CENT,

PASTE

Price per pound, in ton lots, f.o.b. warehouse

J. .135	128.6	J. .135	128.6
F. .135	128.6	A. .135	128.6
M. .135	128.6	S. .135	128.6
A. .135	128.6	O. .135	128.6
M. .135	128.6	N. .135	128.6
J. .135	128.6	D. .135	128.6

Av. 1937: Price \$0.135; Index 128.6

AUROMINE O (YELLOW)

Price per pound in 500 pound barrels, f.o.b. warehouse

J. .730	77.5	J. .730	77.5
F. .730	77.5	A. .730	77.5
M. .730	77.5	S. .730	77.5
A. .730	77.5	O. .730	77.5
M. .730	77.5	N. .730	77.5
J. .730	77.5	D. .730	77.5

Av. 1937: Price \$0.730; Index 77.5

ALKALI BLUE, No. 4

Price per pound in 10 and 25 pound tins, f.o.b. warehouse

J. 2.015	103.3	J. 2.015	103.3
F. 2.015	103.3	A. 2.015	103.3
M. 2.015	103.3	S. 2.015	103.3
A. 2.015	103.3	O. 2.015	103.3
M. 2.015	103.3	N. 2.015	103.3
J. 2.015	103.3	D. 2.015	103.3

Av. 1937: Price \$2.015; Index 103.3

## DYEING AND TANNING MATERIALS—Continued

QUEBRACHO EXTRACT, LIQUID

Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots, f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$4.650	132.9	J. \$4.650	132.9
F. 4.650	132.9	A. 4.750	135.7
M. 4.650	132.9	S. 4.750	135.7
A. 4.650	132.9	O. 4.750	135.7
M. 4.650	132.9	N. 4.750	135.7
J. 4.650	132.9	D. 4.750	135.7

Av. 1937: Price \$4.692; Index 134.1

HEMLOCK EXTRACT, LIQUID

Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 4.750	97.7	J. 4.750	97.7
F. 4.750	97.7	A. 4.750	97.7
M. 4.750	97.7	S. 4.750	97.7
A. 4.750	97.7	O. 4.750	97.7
M. 4.750	97.7	N. 4.750	97.7
J. 4.750	97.7	D. 4.750	97.7

Av. 1937: Price \$4.750; Index 97.7

LOGWOOD EXTRACT, LIQUID,

25 PER CENT TANNIN

Price per 100 pounds in 1 to 5 barrel lots, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 10.750	110.6	J. 10.750	110.6
F. 10.750	110.6	A. 11.000	113.2
M. 10.750	110.6	S. 11.000	113.2
A. 11.000	113.2	O. 11.000	113.2
M. 10.750	110.6	N. 11.000	113.2
J. 11.000	113.2	D. 11.000	113.2

Av. 1937: Price \$10.896; Index 112.1

## EXPLOSIVES

GUNPOWDER, BLACK, SPORTING

Price per 25 pound keg, f.o.b. Beloeil, Quebec

J. 7.980	102.6	J. 7.980	102.6
F. 7.980	102.6	A. 7.980	102.6
M. 7.980	102.6	S. 7.790	100.2
A. 7.980	102.6	O. 7.790	100.2
M. 7.980	102.6	N. 7.790	100.2
J. 7.980	102.6	D. 7.790	100.2

Av. 1937: Price \$7.917; Index 101.8

DYNAMITE, 40 PER CENT GELATINE

Price per 100 pounds in cartlots, f.o.b. factory

J. 11.500	75.5	J. 11.500	75.5
F. 11.500	75.5	A. 11.500	75.5
M. 11.500	75.5	S. 11.250	73.9
A. 11.500	75.5	O. 11.250	73.9
M. 11.500	75.5	N. 11.250	73.9
J. 11.500	75.5	D. 11.250	73.9

Av. 1937: Price \$11.417; Index 75.0

## PAINT MATERIALS

SHELLAC, DRY, T.N.

Price per pound at New York—monthly average

J. .142	38.5	J. .124	33.6
F. .143	38.8	A. .124	33.6
M. .142	38.5	S. .124	33.6
A. .142	38.5	O. .124	33.6
M. .135	36.6	N. .124	33.6
J. .127	34.4	D. .124	33.6

Av. 1937: Price \$0.131; Index 35.5

WHITE LEAD, BASIC CARBONATE IN OIL

Price per 100 pounds, cartlots, f.o.b. Montreal

J. 9.990	89.2	J. 10.260	91.6
F. 9.990	89.2	A. 10.260	91.6
M. 11.340	101.2	S. 10.260	91.6
A. 11.340	101.2	O. 10.260	91.6
M. 11.340	101.2	N. 9.720	86.7
J. 10.260	91.6	D. 9.720	86.7

Av. 1937: Price \$10.395; Index 92.8



## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Continued

Prices in Dollars

## PAINT MATERIALS—Concluded

## ZINC OXIDE, "XX" GRADE

Price per 100 pounds, in bags, carlots  
f.o.b. works

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$5-253	76-0	J. \$6-262	90-5
F. 5-252	75-9	A. 6-250	90-4
M. 5-996	86-7	S. 6-250	90-4
A. 5-995	86-7	O. 6-246	90-3
M. 5-990	86-6	N. 6-246	90-3
J. 6-000	86-8	D. 6-252	90-4

Av. 1937: Price \$5-999; Index 86-7

## RED LEAD, GENUINE

Price per 100 pounds, less carlots,  
f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 8-750	85-5	J. 9-250	90-4
F. 8-750	85-5	A. 9-250	90-4
M. 10-250	100-1	S. 9-250	90-4
A. 9-750	95-2	O. 9-000	87-9
M. 9-500	92-8	N. 8-750	85-5
J. 9-500	92-8	D. 8-250	80-6

Av. 1937: Price \$9-188; Index 89-8

## LITHOPONE

Price per 100 pounds in bags, carlots,  
f.o.b. works

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 4-252	81-0	J. 4-383	83-5
F. 4-251	81-0	A. 4-375	83-3
M. 4-246	80-9	S. 4-375	83-3
A. 4-246	80-9	O. 4-372	83-3
M. 4-243	80-8	N. 4-372	83-3
J. 4-250	81-0	D. 4-376	83-4

Av. 1937: Price \$4-312; Index 82-1

## LITHARGE

Price per pound f.o.b. at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$8-250	66-0	J. \$8-750	70-0
F. 8-250	66-0	A. 8-750	70-0
M. 9-750	78-0	S. 8-750	70-0
A. 9-250	74-0	O. 8-500	68-0
M. 9-000	72-0	N. 8-250	66-0
J. 9-000	72-0	D. 7-750	62-0

Av. 1937: Price \$8-688; Index 69-5

## LAMPBLACK, PURE, DRY

Price per pound in less carlots, Ottawa

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -105	75-0	J. -105	75-0
F. -105	75-0	A. -105	75-0
M. -105	75-0	S. -105	75-0
A. -105	75-0	O. -105	75-0
M. -105	75-0	N. -105	75-0
J. -105	75-0	D. -105	75-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-105; Index 75-0

## CARBON BLACK

Price per pound in less carlots,  
ex warehouse, Montreal or Toronto

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -083	70-6	J. -083	70-6
F. -083	70-6	A. -083	70-6
M. -082	69-8	S. -083	70-6
A. -082	69-8	O. -083	70-6
M. -082	69-8	N. -078	66-4
J. -083	70-6	D. -070	59-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-081; Index 68-9

## PURE LINSEED OIL PUTTY

Price per 100 pounds in 400 pound  
drums, less ton lots, f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 3-295	63-6	J. 3-620	69-9
F. 3-295	63-6	A. 3-620	69-9
M. 3-620	69-9	S. 3-620	69-6
A. 3-620	69-9	O. 3-620	69-9
M. 3-620	69-9	N. 3-620	69-9
J. 3-620	69-9	D. 3-620	69-9

v. 1937: Price \$3-566; Index 68-8

## PREPARED PAINTS

## PAINT, PURE WHITE, FIRST QUALITY

Price per gallon at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$2-950	64-7	J. \$3-250	71-2
F. 2-950	64-7	A. 3-250	71-2
M. 2-950	64-7	S. 3-250	71-2
A. 3-250	71-2	O. 3-250	71-2
M. 3-250	71-2	N. 3-250	71-2
J. 3-250	71-2	D. 3-250	71-2

Av. 1937: Price \$3-175; Index 69-6

## PAINT, COLOURED, FIRST QUALITY

Price per gallon at Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 2-950	70-0	J. 3-250	77-1
F. 2-950	70-0	A. 3-250	77-1
M. 2-950	70-0	S. 3-250	77-1
A. 3-250	77-1	O. 3-250	77-1
M. 3-250	77-1	N. 3-250	77-1
J. 3-250	77-1	D. 3-250	77-1

Av. 1937: Price \$3-175; Index 75-4

DRUGS AND  
PHARMACEUTICAL  
CHEMICALS

## CITRIC ACID

Price per pound in 112 lb. bags  
f.o.b. factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -250	94-2	J. -250	94-2
F. -250	94-2	A. -250	94-2
M. -250	94-2	S. -250	94-2
A. -250	94-2	O. -250	94-2
M. -250	94-2	N. -260	98-0
J. -250	94-2	D. -260	98-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-252; Index 95-0

## TARTARIC ACID, CRYSTALS

Price per pound in 112 lb. kegs  
f.o.b. factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -230	92-0	J. -250	100-0
F. -230	92-0	A. -250	100-0
M. -250	100-0	S. -250	100-0
A. -250	100-0	O. -250	100-0
M. -250	100-0	N. -250	100-0
J. -250	100-0	D. -250	100-0

Av. 1937: Price \$0-247; Index 98-8

## CHLOROFORM, U.S.P.

Price per pound in 120 lb. drums  
f.o.b. factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -310	90-6	J. -310	90-6
F. -310	90-6	A. -310	90-6
M. -310	90-6	S. -310	90-6
A. -310	90-6	O. -310	90-6
M. -310	90-6	N. -310	90-6
J. -310	90-6	D. -310	90-6

Av. 1937: Price \$0-310; Index 90-6

## ETHER, COMMERCIAL

Price per pound in 50 pound drums,  
f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -180	93-0	J. -170	87-9
F. -180	93-0	A. -170	87-9
M. -170	87-9	S. -170	87-9
A. -170	87-9	O. -170	87-9
M. -170	87-9	N. -170	87-9
J. -170	87-9	D. -170	87-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-172; Index 88-9

## POTASSIUM IODIDE

Price per pound in 50 lb. lots f.o.b.  
factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-300	32-9	J. 1-200	30-4
F. 1-300	32-9	A. 1-200	30-4
M. 1-200	30-4	S. 1-200	30-4
A. 1-200	30-4	O. 1-200	30-4
M. 1-200	30-4	N. 1-200	30-4
J. 1-200	30-4	D. 1-200	30-4

Av. 1937: Price \$1-217; Index 30-8

DRUGS AND  
PHARMACEUTICAL  
CHEMICALS—Continued

## HYDROGEN PEROXIDE, 10 Vol.

Price per pound in 100 lb. kegs  
f.o.b. factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$ -040	65-3	J. \$ -040	65-3
F. -040	65-3	A. -040	65-3
M. -040	65-3	S. -040	65-3
A. -040	65-3	O. -040	65-3
M. -040	65-3	N. -040	65-3
J. -040	65-3	D. -040	65-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-040; Index 65-3

## CAMPHOR GUM, SLABS

Price per pound in 100 lb. cases f.o.b.  
Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -540	65-9	J. -560	68-3
F. -540	65-9	A. -600	73-2
M. -560	68-3	S. -600	73-2
A. -560	68-3	O. -600	73-2
M. -560	68-3	N. -650	79-3
J. -560	68-3	D. -650	79-3

Av. 1937: Price \$0-582; Index 71-0

## QUININE SULPHATE

Price per ounce in 100 oz. cans,  
f.o.b. Montreal

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -530	114-2	J. -530	114-2
F. -530	114-2	A. -530	114-2
M. -530	114-2	S. -530	114-2
A. -530	114-2	O. -530	114-2
M. -530	114-2	N. -530	114-2
J. -530	114-2	D. -530	114-2

Av. 1937: Price \$0-530; Index 114-2

## CASTOR OIL ENGLISH 1ST PRESSURE

Price per pound in barrels, carlots,  
laid down price at plant, London, Ont.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. -085	64-4	J. -085	64-4
F. -085	64-4	A. -084	63-6
M. -088	66-7	S. -084	63-6
A. -088	66-7	O. -093	70-6
M. -086	65-2	N. -083	62-9
J. -085	64-4	D. -083	62-9

Av. 1937: Price \$0-086; Index 65-2

## IODINE, CRUDE

Price per pound in 100 lb. kegs, f.o.b.  
factory

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 1-500	36-5	J. 1-000	24-3
F. 1-500	36-5	A. 1-000	24-3
M. 1-500	36-5	S. 1-000	24-3
A. 1-500	36-5	O. 1-000	24-3
M. 1-500	36-5	N. 1-000	24-3
J. 1-000	24-3	D. 1-000	24-3

Av. 1937: Price \$1-208; Index 29-4

## FERTILIZERS

MURIATE OF POTASH, 50 PER CENT, K<sub>2</sub>OPrice per ton, carlots or mixed carlots,  
freight prepaid, Saint John, N.B.

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 37-000	98-2	J. 39-500	104-8
F. 37-000	98-2	A. 39-500	104-8
M. 37-000	98-2	S. 39-500	104-8
A. 39-500	104-8	O. 39-500	104-8
M. 39-500	104-8	N. 39-500	104-8
J. 39-500	104-8	D. 39-500	104-8

Av. 1937: Price \$38-875; Index 103-2

## DRIED BLOOD

Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots,  
freight prepaid, Ontario

Price	Index	Price	Index
J. 54-000	67-5	J. 54-000	67-5
F. 54-000	67-5	A. 54-000	67-5
M. 54-000	67-5	S. 54-000	67-5
A. 54-000	67-5	O. 54-000	67-5
M. 54-000	67-5	N. 54-000	67-5
J. 54-000	67-5	D. 54-000	67-5

Av. 1937: Price \$54-000; Index 67-5

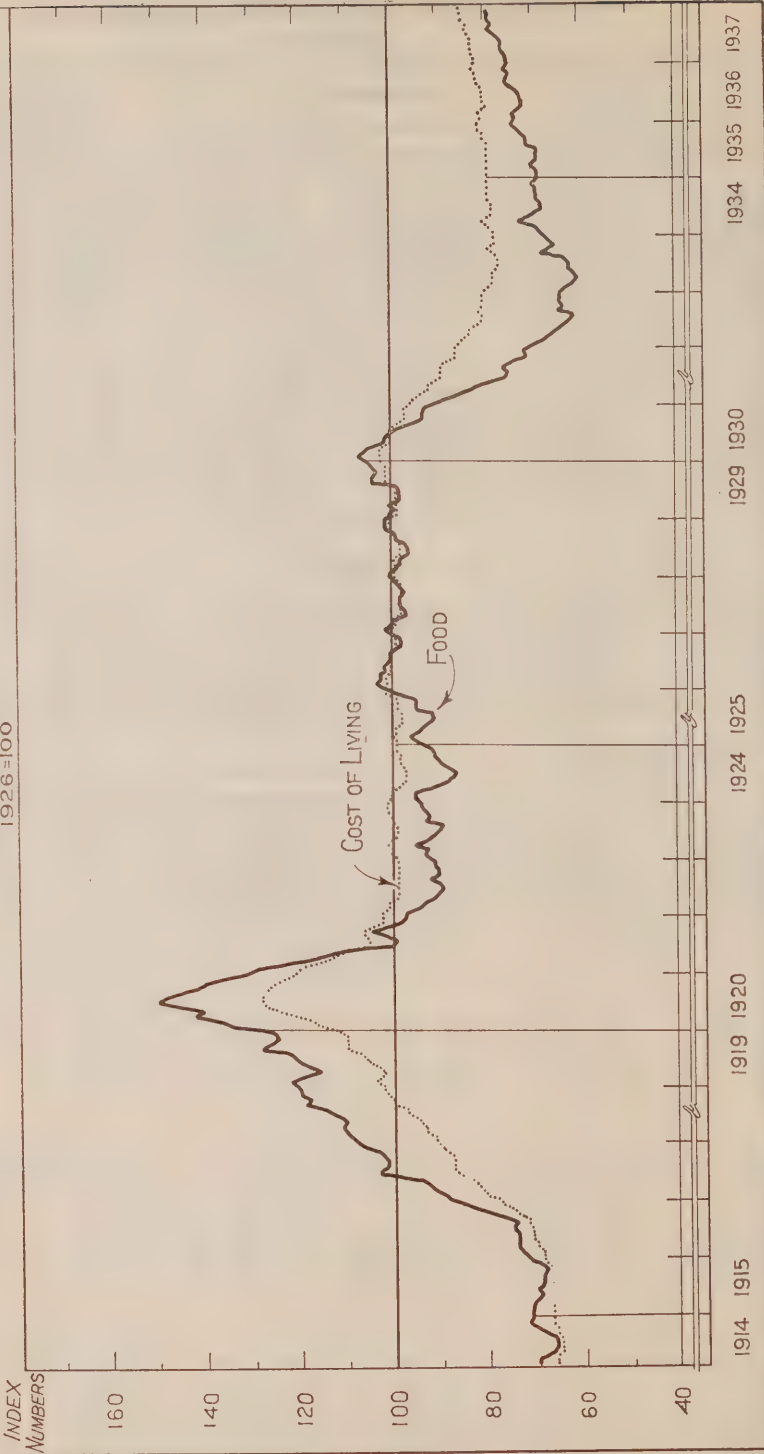
## GROUP VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Concluded

Prices in Dollars

FERTILIZERS—Continued				FERTILIZERS—Concluded				INDUSTRIAL GASES			
SUPERPHOSPHATE, 20 PER CENT				CYANAMID, 21 PER CENT N.				ACETYLENE, CYLINDERS			
Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Quebec				Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Ontario				Price per 100 cubic feet at Montreal			
Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index	Price	Index
J. \$19-000	88-5	J. \$19-000	88-5	J. \$35-000	70-0	J. \$35-000	70-0	J. \$2-530	94-7	J. \$2-640	98-8
F. 19-000	88-5	A. 19-000	88-5	F. 35-000	70-0	A. 35-000	70-0	F. 2-500	93-6	A. 2-630	98-4
M. 19-000	88-5	S. 19-000	88-5	M. 35-000	70-0	S. 35-000	70-0	M. 2-580	96-6	S. 2-590	96-9
A. 19-000	88-5	O. 19-000	88-5	A. 35-000	70-0	O. 35-000	70-0	A. 2-590	96-9	O. 2-550	95-4
M. 19-000	88-5	N. 19-000	88-5	M. 35-000	70-0	N. 35-000	70-0	M. 2-570	96-2	N. 2-510	93-9
J. 19-000	88-5	D. 20-000	93-1	J. 35-000	70-0	D. 35-000	70-0	J. 2-590	96-9	D. 2-500	93-6
Av. 1937: Price \$19-083; Index 88-8				Av. 1937: Price \$35-000; Index 70-0				Av. 1937: Price \$2-565; Index 96-0			
BASIC SLAG, 16 PER CENT, P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>				BONE MEAL, 3 PER CENT N., 21 PER CENT T. P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>				OXYGEN, CYLINDERS			
Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Quebec				Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Ontario				Price per 100 cubic feet at Montreal			
J. 19-000	104-4	J. 19-000	104-4	J. 35-000	92-1	J. 35-000	92-1	J. .970	78-8	J. 1-020	82-9
F. 19-000	104-4	A. 19-000	104-4	F. 35-000	92-1	A. 35-000	92-1	F. .950	77-2	A. 1-030	83-7
M. 19-000	104-4	S. 19-000	104-4	M. 35-000	92-1	S. 35-000	92-1	M. .980	79-6	S. 1-000	81-2
A. 19-000	104-4	O. 19-000	104-4	A. 35-000	92-1	O. 35-000	92-1	A. .990	80-4	O. .990	80-4
M. 19-000	104-4	N. 18-500	101-6	M. 35-000	92-1	N. 35-000	92-1	M. .980	79-6	N. .960	78-0
J. 19-000	104-4	D. 18-500	101-6	J. 35-000	92-1	D. 35-000	92-1	J. .970	78-8	D. .960	78-0
Av. 1937: Price \$18-917; Index 103-9				Av. 1937: Price \$35-000; Index 92-1				Av. 1937: Price \$0-983; Index 79-9			
SULPHATE OF POTASH, 50 PER CENT, K <sub>2</sub> O				SULPHATE OF AMMONIA, 20 PER CENT, W.S.N.				SOAP			
Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Quebec				Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Ontario				SOAP, COMMON, LAUNDRY			
J. 52-000	100-9	J. 52-000	100-9	J. 40-000	53-3	J. 40-000	53-3	Price per case 100 cartons at Toronto			
F. 52-000	100-9	A. 52-000	100-9	F. 40-000	53-3	A. 40-000	53-3	J. 5-000	92-6	J. 5-300	98-1
M. 52-000	100-9	S. 52-000	100-9	M. 40-000	53-3	S. 40-000	53-3	F. 5-000	92-6	A. 5-300	98-1
A. 52-000	100-9	O. 52-000	100-9	A. 40-000	53-3	O. 40-000	53-3	M. 5-300	98-1	S. 5-300	98-1
M. 52-000	100-9	N. 52-000	100-9	M. 40-000	53-3	N. 40-000	53-3	A. 5-300	98-1	O. 5-300	98-1
J. 52-000	100-9	D. 54-000	104-8	J. 40-000	53-3	D. 40-000	53-3	M. 5-300	98-1	N. 5-300	98-1
Av. 1937: Price \$52-167; Index 101-2				Av. 1937: Price \$40-000; Index 53-3				J. 5-300	98-1	D. 5-300	98-1
TANKAGE, 6 PER CENT N., 15 PER CENT T.P. <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>				NITRATE OF SODA, 10 PER CENT, W.S.N.				SOAP, TOILET BEST			
Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, f.o.b. Ontario				Price per ton, carlots or mixed carlots, freight prepaid, Quebec				Price per case 100 cartons at Toronto			
J. 42-000	105-0	J. 42-000	105-0	J. 45-000	66-4	J. 45-000	66-4	J. 4-85	—	J. 5-42	—
F. 42-000	105-0	A. 42-000	105-0	F. 45-000	66-4	A. 45-000	66-4	F. 5-42	—	A. 5-42	—
M. 42-000	105-0	S. 42-000	105-0	M. 45-000	66-4	S. 45-000	66-4	M. 5-42	—	S. 5-42	—
A. 42-000	105-0	O. 42-000	105-0	A. 45-000	66-4	O. 45-000	66-4	A. 5-42	—	O. 5-42	—
M. 42-000	105-0	N. 42-000	105-0	M. 45-000	66-4	N. 45-000	66-4	M. 5-42	—	N. 5-42	—
J. 42-000	105-0	D. 42-000	105-0	J. 45-000	66-4	D. 45-000	66-4	J. 5-42	—	D. 5-42	—
Av. 1937: Price \$42-000; Index 105-0				Av. 1937: Price \$45-000; Index 66-4				Av. 1937: Price \$5-373			

CANADIAN COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBERS

1914-1937  
1926=100





# RETAIL PRICES AND COST OF LIVING IN CANADA, 1937

Higher prices for foods, clothing and miscellaneous items, together with increased rentals, were responsible for an upward movement in the Canadian cost of living index from 80.8 in 1936 to 83.1 in 1937. Monthly cost of living indexes in 1937 recorded an increase of 3.1 per cent, while the general level of wholesale prices showed a net decrease of 1.7 per cent as the result of a sharp reaction in the latter half of the year. The cost of living series showed a considerable lag behind wholesale prices which had advanced 9.2 per cent in 1936, when living costs recorded a rise of only 1.5 per cent.

Higher prices in 1937 were most pronounced among foods. An average index for this group rose from 73.4 for 1936 to 77.3 for 1937. More than half the items comprising the index registered advances, including meats, lard, milk, butter, cheese, flour, bread, soda biscuits, rolled oats, canned vegetables, dry beans, sugar, tea, prunes, raisins and corn syrup. Moderate declines were noted for eggs, potatoes, canned salmon, pepper, raspberry jam, canned peaches and orange marmalade. The food index during 1937 mounted steadily from 75.2 in January to 79.1 in August, except for a slight reaction in June. In September it dropped to 78.3, then gradually rose to close the year at 79.1.

## DECEMBER 1937 RETAIL FOOD PRICES AS A PERCENTAGE OF 1926 AVERAGES

Less than 70 per cent of 1926 averages... Bacon, canned salmon, lard, grades "B" and "C" eggs, butter, canned peas, potatoes, raspberry jam, canned peaches, coffee, pepper.

From 70 per cent to 79.9 per cent..... Veal, mutton, pork, grade "A" eggs, cheese, rice, canned tomatoes, canned corn, onions, evaporated apples, prunes, orange marmalade, tea, cocoa, salt.

From 80 per cent to 89.9 per cent..... Beef, cooked ham, codfish, finnan haddie, bread, flour, soda biscuits, tapioca, currants, sugar, vinegar.

90 per cent and over..... Milk, rolled oats, dry beans, raisins, corn syrup.

Fuel prices, which have shown a steady decline dating from 1921, recorded a further decrease from 86.4 in 1936 to 84.9 in 1937. The recession was distributed as follows: Coal from 87.2 to 85.6, coke from 87.3 to 86.8, wood from 79.6 to 79.1 and electricity from 85.4 to 81.3. Domestic gas rates rose from 93.3 to 94.1. The fuel index for January was 85.8, while that for December was 85.5.

The annual index for rentals was 86.9 in 1937 as compared with 83.7 in 1936. The May rental survey indicated an advance from 84.9 to 87.3, while in October a further increase to 89.0 took place. Rentals at the end of 1937 were almost 12 per cent above the low point as recorded during the summer of 1934. However, they were still 16 per cent below the peak of 1930. Rents for middle-grade dwellings and those occupied by workingmen continued to rise at about the same rate during 1937.

An index for clothing prices rose from 70.5 in 1936 to 72.7 in 1937. While all sub-groups contributed to the advance, it was most noticeable in the case of men's clothing.

Increases for sub-groups calculated for medicines, household effects, furniture, tram fares, newspapers, educational requirements, doctors' and dentists' fees, hospital charges, barbers' fees, pilot articles and motor operating costs were of more consequence than declines in theatre admissions and tobacco, resulting in an advance in the index for miscellaneous items from 92.8 in 1936 to 93.4 in 1937. The sub-group index change of greatest magnitude was that for newspaper costs, the index of which rose from 101.8 to 110.7, mainly owing to a sharp advance in the price of newsprint. Removal of the amusement tax from theatre admission fees in the Province of Ontario during 1937 caused the amusement sub-group to decline from 95.9 to 88.2.

TABLE XVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1937

(1926=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index	Retail Prices Index (Foods, Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements, etc.)	Retail Prices Index (Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements, etc.)
1913.....	65.4	66.2	65.8	64.1	63.3	66.2	.....	.....
1914.....	66.0	68.9	64.5	62.2	63.9	66.2	.....	.....
1915.....	67.2	69.5	63.2	60.3	69.6	66.9	.....	.....
1916.....	72.5	77.5	64.5	60.9	79.7	70.2	.....	.....
1917.....	85.6	100.0	71.7	65.4	93.7	76.8	.....	.....
1918.....	97.4	114.6	78.9	69.2	109.5	86.1	.....	.....
1919.....	107.2	122.5	86.2	75.6	125.9	95.4	.....	.....
1920.....	124.2	141.1	102.6	86.5	153.2	104.0	.....	.....
1921.....	109.2	107.9	109.2	94.2	124.7	106.0	.....	.....
1922.....	100.0	91.4	104.6	98.1	105.7	106.0	.....	.....
1923.....	100.0	92.1	104.6	100.6	104.4	105.3	.....	.....
1924.....	98.0	90.7	102.0	101.3	101.9	103.3	.....	.....
1925.....	99.3	94.7	100.0	101.3	101.9	101.3	.....	.....
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	98.4	98.1	97.9	98.8	97.5	99.1	97.9	97.7
1928.....	98.9	98.6	96.9	101.2	97.4	98.8	97.9	97.3
1929.....	99.9	101.0	96.4	103.3	96.9	99.0	98.9	96.9
1930.....	99.2	98.6	95.7	105.9	93.9	99.4	96.7	94.9
1931.....	89.6	77.3	94.2	103.0	82.2	97.4	82.5	87.3
1932.....	81.3	64.3	91.4	94.7	72.3	94.6	72.6	80.3
1933.....	77.5	63.7	87.7	85.1	67.1	92.6	70.1	76.2
1934.....	78.6	69.4	87.7	80.1	69.7	92.1	73.7	77.7
1935.....	79.1	70.4	86.8	81.3	69.9	92.2	74.1	77.5
1936.....	80.8	73.4	86.4	83.7	0.5	92.8	75.9	78.0
1937.....	83.1	77.3	84.9	86.9	72.7	93.4	78.6	79.8
1934								
January.....	77.9	67.7	87.3	80.4	68.5	92.1	72.4	76.9
February.....	78.4	69.4	87.2	80.4	68.5	92.1	73.3	76.9
March.....	79.7	72.9	87.4	80.4	69.6	92.2	75.3	77.6
April.....	79.1	71.0	87.7	80.4	69.6	92.2	74.5	77.7
May.....	78.2	68.6	87.8	79.7	69.6	92.0	73.2	77.6
June.....	78.0	67.6	87.2	79.7	69.8	92.1	72.8	77.7
July.....	78.2	68.4	87.0	79.7	69.8	92.1	73.1	77.6
August.....	78.5	69.3	87.6	79.7	69.8	92.0	73.6	77.7
September.....	78.5	68.8	88.0	79.7	70.3	92.1	73.6	78.1
October.....	78.8	69.4	88.5	80.3	70.3	92.0	73.9	78.2
November.....	78.9	69.9	88.6	80.3	70.3	92.0	74.2	78.2
December.....	78.7	69.3	88.4	80.3	70.2	92.0	73.8	78.1
1935								
January.....	78.6	68.8	88.7	80.3	70.2	92.0	73.5	78.0
February.....	78.7	69.2	88.7	80.3	70.2	92.0	73.7	78.0
March.....	78.7	69.5	88.6	80.3	70.0	92.0	73.8	77.9
April.....	78.5	68.6	88.6	80.3	70.0	92.1	73.4	77.9
May.....	78.6	68.7	85.8	81.4	70.0	92.0	73.2	77.4
June.....	78.7	69.3	84.7	81.4	69.7	92.5	73.3	77.0
July.....	78.7	69.3	84.6	81.4	69.7	92.3	73.2	76.9
August.....	79.3	71.3	85.3	81.4	69.7	92.3	74.3	77.1
September.....	79.2	70.9	85.3	81.4	69.6	92.5	74.1	77.2
October.....	80.0	72.4	86.4	82.6	69.6	92.3	74.9	77.7
November.....	80.2	73.2	87.0	82.6	69.6	92.3	75.4	77.4
December.....	80.4	73.7	87.1	82.6	69.9	92.1	75.8	77.7
1936								
January.....	80.6	73.9	87.0	82.6	69.9	92.7	75.9	77.7
February.....	80.3	72.9	87.0	82.6	69.9	92.8	75.4	77.7
March.....	80.6	73.4	87.2	82.6	70.2	92.9	75.8	78.0
April.....	79.8	71.0	87.1	82.6	70.2	92.9	74.6	78.0
May.....	80.2	71.3	87.0	83.8	70.2	92.9	74.8	78.0
June.....	80.2	71.3	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	74.8	78.0
July.....	80.6	72.6	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	75.4	78.0
August.....	81.2	74.7	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	76.4	78.0
September.....	81.3	75.1	85.9	83.8	70.6	92.9	76.6	78.0
October.....	81.3	74.4	86.1	84.9	70.6	92.9	76.3	78.0
November.....	81.5	75.0	86.4	84.9	70.6	92.9	76.6	78.1
December.....	81.8	75.3	86.4	84.9	71.6	93.0	77.1	78.8
1937								
January.....	81.8	75.2	85.8	84.9	71.6	92.8	77.1	78.9
February.....	81.9	75.6	85.8	84.9	71.6	92.9	77.4	79.0
March.....	82.2	75.7	85.8	84.9	72.6	93.1	77.8	79.7
April.....	82.4	76.3	85.8	84.9	72.6	93.1	78.1	79.7
May.....	82.9	76.6	85.3	87.3	72.6	93.2	78.1	79.6
June.....	82.9	76.4	83.4	87.3	72.9	93.5	78.1	79.7
July.....	83.1	77.2	83.2	87.3	72.9	93.5	78.5	79.7
August.....	83.7	79.1	83.9	87.3	72.9	93.5	79.5	79.8
September.....	83.6	78.3	83.9	87.3	73.3	93.7	79.3	80.2
October.....	84.2	78.9	84.8	89.0	73.3	93.7	79.6	80.3
November.....	84.2	78.8	85.1	89.0	73.3	93.7	79.6	80.4
December.....	84.3	79.1	85.5	89.0	73.3	93.7	79.8	80.5

TABLE XIX—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1937

(1913=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	101.0	104.0	98.0	97.0	101.0	100.0
1915.....	103.0	104.9	96.1	94.1	110.0	101.0
1916.....	111.0	117.0	98.0	95.0	125.9	106.0
1917.....	131.0	151.0	109.0	102.0	148.0	116.0
1918.....	149.0	173.0	119.9	108.0	173.0	130.0
1919.....	164.0	185.0	131.0	117.9	198.9	144.1
1920.....	190.0	213.1	156.0	134.9	242.1	157.0
1921.....	167.1	162.9	166.0	147.0	197.0	160.1
1922.....	153.0	138.0	159.0	153.0	167.0	160.1
1923.....	153.0	139.1	159.0	156.9	165.0	159.0
1924.....	149.9	137.0	155.0	158.0	161.0	156.0
1925.....	151.9	143.0	152.0	158.0	161.0	153.0
1926.....	153.0	151.0	152.0	156.0	158.0	151.0
1927.....	150.6	148.1	148.8	154.1	154.1	149.6
1928.....	151.3	148.9	147.3	157.9	153.9	149.2
1929.....	152.8	152.5	146.5	161.1	153.1	149.5
1930.....	151.8	148.9	145.5	165.2	148.4	150.1
1931.....	137.1	116.7	143.2	160.7	129.9	147.1
1932.....	124.4	97.1	138.9	147.7	114.2	142.8
1933.....	118.6	96.2	133.3	132.8	106.0	139.8
1934.....	120.3	104.8	133.3	125.0	110.1	139.1
1935.....	121.0	106.3	131.9	126.8	110.4	139.2
1936.....	123.6	110.8	131.3	130.6	111.4	140.1
1937.....	127.1	116.7	129.0	135.6	114.9	141.0
1934						
January.....	119.2	102.2	132.7	125.4	108.2	139.1
February.....	120.0	104.8	132.5	125.4	108.2	139.1
March.....	121.9	110.1	132.8	125.4	110.0	139.2
April.....	121.0	107.2	133.3	125.4	110.0	139.2
May.....	119.6	103.6	133.5	124.3	110.0	138.9
June.....	119.3	102.1	132.5	124.3	110.3	139.1
July.....	119.6	103.3	132.2	124.3	110.3	139.1
August.....	120.1	104.6	133.2	124.3	110.3	138.9
September.....	120.1	103.9	133.8	124.3	111.1	139.1
October.....	120.6	104.8	134.5	125.3	111.1	138.9
November.....	120.7	105.5	134.7	125.3	111.1	138.9
December.....	120.4	104.6	134.4	125.3	110.9	138.9
1935						
January.....	120.3	103.9	134.8	125.3	110.9	138.9
February.....	120.4	104.5	134.8	125.3	110.9	138.9
March.....	120.4	104.9	134.7	125.3	110.6	138.9
April.....	120.1	103.6	134.7	125.3	110.6	139.1
May.....	120.3	103.7	130.4	127.0	110.6	138.9
June.....	120.4	104.6	128.7	127.0	110.1	139.7
July.....	120.4	104.6	128.6	127.0	110.1	139.4
August.....	121.3	107.7	129.7	127.0	110.1	139.4
September.....	121.2	107.1	129.7	127.0	110.0	139.7
October.....	122.4	109.3	131.3	128.9	110.0	139.4
November.....	122.7	110.5	132.2	128.9	110.0	139.4
December.....	123.0	111.3	132.4	128.9	110.4	139.1
1936						
January.....	123.3	111.6	132.2	128.9	110.4	140.0
February.....	122.9	110.1	132.2	128.9	110.4	140.1
March.....	123.3	110.8	132.5	128.9	110.9	140.3
April.....	122.1	107.2	132.4	128.9	110.9	140.3
May.....	122.7	107.7	132.2	130.7	110.9	140.3
June.....	122.7	107.7	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.3
July.....	123.2	109.6	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.1
August.....	124.2	112.8	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.1
September.....	124.4	113.4	130.6	130.7	111.5	140.1
October.....	124.4	112.3	130.9	132.4	111.5	140.1
November.....	124.7	113.3	131.3	132.4	111.5	140.3
December.....	125.2	113.7	131.3	132.4	113.1	140.4
1937						
January.....	125.2	113.6	130.4	132.4	113.1	140.1
February.....	125.3	114.2	130.4	132.4	113.1	140.3
March.....	125.8	114.3	130.4	132.4	114.7	140.6
April.....	126.1	115.2	130.4	132.4	114.7	140.6
May.....	126.8	115.7	129.7	136.2	114.7	140.7
June.....	126.8	115.4	128.8	136.2	115.2	141.2
July.....	127.1	116.6	128.5	136.2	115.2	141.2
August.....	128.1	119.4	127.5	136.2	115.8	141.5
September.....	127.9	118.2	127.5	136.2	115.8	141.5
October.....	128.8	119.1	128.9	138.8	115.8	141.5
November.....	128.8	119.0	129.4	138.8	115.8	141.5
December.....	129.0	119.4	130.0	138.8	115.8	141.5



TABLE XX—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1933-1937

Year and month	Beef, sirloin (Pound)		Beef, chuck (Pound)		Veal, roast (Pound)		Mutton, roast (Pound)		Pork, fresh (Pound)		Pork, salt (Pound)		Bacon, breakfast (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	22.2	75.3	14.8	92.5	15.7	81.8	19.1	63.9	19.5	64.6	17.6	62.9	24.7	57.2
1926—Av. for year.....	29.4	100.0	15.9	100.0	19.2	100.0	29.8	100.0	30.2	100.0	27.9	100.0	43.2	100.0
1933—Av. for year.....	21.0	71.4	11.2	70.4	11.9	60.2	18.9	63.4	15.1	50.0	14.8	53.0	19.9	46.1
January.....	20.5	69.7	11.0	69.2	12.0	62.5	16.7	56.0	12.7	42.1	13.9	49.8	18.1	41.9
February.....	20.6	70.1	10.9	68.6	12.2	63.5	17.5	58.7	12.2	40.4	13.4	48.0	17.4	40.3
March.....	20.4	69.4	10.9	68.6	12.4	64.6	17.9	60.1	12.3	40.7	13.5	48.4	17.7	41.0
April.....	20.6	70.1	11.3	71.1	12.3	64.1	19.4	65.1	14.4	47.7	14.3	51.3	18.8	43.5
May.....	21.7	73.8	11.8	74.2	12.0	62.5	21.1	70.8	15.1	50.0	14.6	52.3	19.9	46.1
June.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.7	70.1	16.0	53.0	15.2	54.5	20.4	47.2
July.....	22.1	75.2	12.0	75.5	12.0	62.5	20.9	69.5	17.1	56.6	15.5	55.6	21.2	49.1
August.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	11.7	61.5	20.9	69.5	17.1	56.6	15.7	56.3	21.0	48.6
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.8	60.9	18.8	63.1	17.1	56.6	15.7	56.3	21.0	48.6
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.0	69.2	11.6	60.4	17.8	59.7	17.2	57.0	16.0	57.3	21.4	49.5
November.....	19.9	67.7	10.6	66.7	11.5	59.9	17.2	57.7	15.8	52.3	15.7	56.3	21.1	48.8
December.....	19.2	65.3	10.2	64.2	11.3	58.9	17.4	58.4	15.8	52.3	15.3	54.8	21.1	48.8
1934—Av. for year.....	21.3	72.4	11.4	71.7	12.1	63.0	20.1	67.4	20.1	66.6	18.6	66.7	30.4	70.4
January.....	20.0	68.0	10.5	66.0	12.2	63.5	19.0	63.8	16.6	55.0	15.7	56.3	21.6	50.0
February.....	21.1	71.8	11.3	71.1	12.5	65.1	20.1	67.4	19.1	63.2	18.3	65.6	24.8	57.4
March.....	21.4	72.8	11.9	74.8	13.1	68.2	20.9	70.1	21.2	70.2	18.8	67.4	28.7	66.4
April.....	21.4	72.8	12.0	75.5	12.9	67.2	20.6	69.1	20.6	68.2	18.7	67.0	29.0	67.1
May.....	22.0	74.8	12.1	76.1	12.2	63.5	22.1	74.2	19.6	64.9	17.9	64.2	28.7	66.4
June.....	22.2	75.5	12.3	77.4	11.9	62.0	21.6	72.5	20.0	66.2	18.3	65.6	29.1	67.4
July.....	22.5	76.5	12.2	76.7	11.9	62.0	20.9	70.1	20.9	69.2	18.8	67.4	31.1	72.0
August.....	22.4	76.2	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.9	70.1	21.7	71.9	19.3	69.2	33.2	76.9
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.9	62.0	19.0	63.8	21.6	71.5	19.6	70.3	35.1	81.3
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.1	69.8	11.7	60.9	18.4	61.7	20.7	68.5	19.6	70.3	36.2	83.8
November.....	20.2	68.7	10.6	66.7	11.6	60.4	18.7	62.8	20.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	34.5	79.9
December.....	19.3	65.6	10.3	64.8	11.6	60.4	18.8	63.1	19.1	63.2	19.1	68.5	32.7	75.7
1935—Av. for year.....	22.9	77.9	12.5	78.6	12.9	67.2	20.8	69.8	21.2	70.2	19.9	71.3	31.0	71.8
January.....	20.0	68.0	10.8	67.9	12.1	63.0	19.8	66.4	19.4	64.2	19.0	68.1	32.3	74.8
February.....	20.9	71.1	11.2	70.4	12.9	67.2	20.7	69.5	19.9	65.9	19.4	69.5	31.9	73.8
March.....	21.2	72.1	11.6	73.0	12.9	67.2	20.9	70.1	20.0	66.2	19.2	68.8	31.5	72.9
April.....	22.5	76.5	12.6	79.2	12.7	66.1	21.5	72.1	20.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	31.2	72.2
May.....	23.7	80.6	13.4	84.3	12.6	65.6	21.6	72.5	20.4	67.5	19.6	70.3	30.3	70.0
June.....	24.8	84.4	14.0	88.1	12.7	66.1	21.5	72.1	21.3	70.5	19.7	70.6	30.1	69.7
July.....	25.1	85.4	14.0	88.1	12.8	66.7	21.4	71.8	22.4	74.2	20.2	72.4	30.1	69.7
August.....	24.8	84.4	13.2	83.0	12.7	66.1	21.1	70.8	22.6	74.8	20.2	72.4	30.1	69.7
September.....	24.3	82.7	12.8	80.5	12.9	67.2	20.9	70.1	23.1	76.5	20.5	73.5	31.6	73.1
October.....	23.4	79.6	12.7	79.9	13.4	69.8	20.3	68.1	22.7	75.2	20.4	73.1	31.2	72.2
November.....	22.5	76.5	12.3	77.4	13.4	69.8	19.9	66.8	21.9	72.5	20.4	73.1	29.9	69.2
December.....	22.3	75.9	12.1	76.1	13.4	69.8	20.2	67.8	20.8	68.9	20.4	73.1	29.9	69.2
1936—Av. for year.....	22.9	77.9	12.5	78.6	13.7	71.4	22.2	74.5	21.4	70.9	20.1	72.0	29.5	68.3
January.....	22.8	77.6	12.6	79.2	14.1	73.4	21.6	72.5	21.1	69.9	20.3	72.8	29.3	67.8
February.....	23.1	78.6	12.9	81.1	14.7	76.6	22.0	73.8	21.3	70.5	20.2	72.4	29.1	67.4
March.....	23.4	79.6	12.9	81.1	15.2	79.2	22.3	74.8	21.1	69.9	20.1	72.0	29.0	67.1
April.....	22.9	77.9	12.6	79.2	13.8	71.9	22.3	74.8	21.0	69.5	19.9	71.3	28.7	66.4
May.....	23.1	78.6	12.9	81.1	13.7	71.4	23.9	80.2	21.2	70.2	20.1	72.0	28.8	66.6
June.....	23.0	78.2	12.7	79.9	13.2	68.8	24.2	81.2	21.2	70.2	20.1	72.0	28.8	66.6
July.....	23.2	78.9	12.5	78.6	13.3	69.3	23.9	77.2	21.9	72.5	20.1	72.0	29.5	68.3
August.....	23.1	78.6	12.6	79.2	13.1	68.2	22.9	76.8	22.4	74.2	20.2	72.4	30.8	71.3
September.....	23.3	79.3	12.3	77.4	13.3	69.3	22.5	75.5	22.4	74.2	20.2	72.4	30.8	71.3
October.....	22.9	77.9	12.1	76.1	13.4	69.8	21.1	70.8	21.7	71.9	20.3	72.8	30.6	70.8
November.....	22.6	76.9	12.0	75.5	13.4	69.8	20.7	69.5	21.1	69.9	19.9	71.3	30.0	69.4
December.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	13.3	69.3	20.4	68.5	20.4	67.5	19.5	69.9	29.1	67.4
1937—Av. for year.....	26.1	88.8	14.1	88.7	14.5	75.5	22.8	76.5	22.2	73.5	20.3	72.8	30.0	69.4
January.....	22.7	77.2	12.2	76.7	14.1	73.4	21.5	72.1	20.5	67.9	19.7	70.6	29.2	67.0
February.....	23.9	81.3	12.9	81.1	14.9	77.6	22.4	75.2	21.2	70.2	19.9	71.3	29.0	67.1
March.....	23.3	79.3	12.8	80.5	14.4	75.0	21.7	72.8	20.5	67.9	19.7	70.6	28.6	66.2
April.....	24.8	84.4	13.6	85.5	14.3	74.5	22.8	76.5	20.9	69.2	19.6	70.3	28.5	66.0
May.....	26.9	91.5	14.8	93.1	14.3	74.5	24.0	80.5	21.3	70.5	19.9	71.3	28.6	66.2
June.....	28.3	96.3	15.6	98.1	14.2	74.0	24.3	81.5	21.8	72.2	19.9	71.3	28.6	66.2
July.....	29.5	100.3	16.2	101.9	14.3	74.5	24.9	83.6	22.6	74.8	20.3	72.8	29.1	67.4
August.....	29.0	98.6	15.2	95.6	14.3	74.5	23.9	80.2	23.7	78.5	20.6	73.8	30.7	71.1
September.....	27.4	93.2	14.7	92.5	14.7	76.6	22.7	76.2	24.7	81.8	21.3	76.3	31.8	73.4
October.....	26.6	90.5	14.3	89.9	14.7	76.6	22.1	74.2	24.4	80.8	21.5	77.1	32.5	75.2
November.....	25.6	87.1	13.8	86.8	14.7	76.6	22.0	73.8	22.8	75.5	21.0	75.3	32.3	74.4
December.....	24.9	84.7	13.7	86.2	14.9	77.6	21.2	71.1	21.9	72.5	20.8	74.6	31.6	73.4

TABLE XX—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 and 1933-1937—Continued

Year and month	Ham, boiled, sliced (Pound)		Fish, cod, salt, boneless (Pound)		Fish, Finnan Haddie (Pound)		Fish, Salmon, kind most sold (Pound)		Lard, pure (Pound)		(A) Eggs, fresh (Dozen)		(B & C) Eggs, storage (Dozen)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	39.8	62.7	12.3	58.9	12.4	60.8	22.8	63.5	19.2	78.4	38.5	82.3	33.0	82.9
1926—Av. for year.....	63.5	100.0	20.9	100.0	20.4	100.0	35.9	100.0	24.5	100.0	46.8	100.0	39.8	100.0
1933—Av. for year.....	36.7	57.8	17.4	83.2	16.5	80.9	22.0	62.9	12.6	51.4	28.2	60.2	21.7	54.5
January.....	33.7	53.1	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	23.4	65.2	12.3	50.4	39.1	83.5	29.5	74.1
February.....	32.4	51.0	17.9	85.6	16.7	81.9	22.7	63.2	11.7	47.8	28.8	61.5	22.5	56.5
March.....	31.9	50.2	16.5	78.9	16.3	79.9	23.0	64.1	11.5	46.9	27.8	59.4	22.6	56.8
April.....	33.9	53.4	16.8	80.4	15.8	77.4	22.7	63.2	12.3	50.2	23.0	49.1	18.1	45.5
May.....	35.6	56.1	17.6	84.2	16.4	80.4	22.9	63.8	12.8	52.2	19.2	41.0	15.4	38.7
June.....	36.0	56.7	17.6	84.2	16.8	82.4	22.5	62.7	12.9	52.7	19.2	41.0	15.3	38.4
July.....	38.5	60.6	17.7	84.7	16.4	80.4	22.3	62.1	12.7	51.8	21.1	45.0	17.1	43.0
August.....	41.1	64.7	17.3	82.8	16.5	80.9	22.8	63.5	12.8	52.2	23.5	50.2	19.5	49.0
September.....	40.9	64.4	18.0	86.1	16.2	79.4	22.3	62.1	12.8	52.2	24.4	52.1	19.5	49.0
October.....	40.1	63.1	17.8	85.2	17.4	85.3	22.2	61.8	13.1	53.5	29.2	62.4	22.6	56.8
November.....	38.9	61.2	17.3	82.8	16.1	78.9	22.3	62.1	13.2	53.9	37.9	81.0	27.8	69.8
December.....	38.0	59.8	16.8	80.4	16.3	79.9	22.6	62.9	13.3	54.3	44.8	95.7	30.8	77.4
1934—Av. for year.....	46.7	73.5	17.3	82.8	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	13.5	55.1	29.9	63.9	25.9	65.1
January.....	38.3	60.3	17.2	82.3	16.4	80.4	22.6	63.0	13.5	55.1	40.7	87.0	30.4	76.4
February.....	41.6	65.5	16.7	79.9	16.4	80.4	23.0	64.1	13.5	55.1	35.3	75.4	23.4	71.4
March.....	45.8	72.1	16.9	80.9	16.7	81.9	22.4	62.4	13.8	56.3	40.5	86.5	34.6	86.9
April.....	46.1	72.6	16.9	80.9	17.3	84.8	22.9	63.8	13.5	55.1	27.1	57.9	22.8	57.3
May.....	45.8	72.1	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	13.1	53.5	22.3	47.6	18.5	46.5
June.....	46.4	73.1	17.7	84.7	16.8	82.4	22.2	61.8	12.9	52.7	22.3	47.6	18.6	46.7
July.....	48.1	75.7	17.8	85.2	17.0	83.3	22.5	62.7	12.6	51.4	24.8	53.0	21.1	53.0
August.....	50.1	78.9	17.3	82.8	17.3	84.8	22.2	61.8	12.7	51.8	26.9	57.5	22.6	56.8
September.....	50.6	79.7	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	22.7	63.2	13.2	53.9	27.5	58.8	23.6	59.3
October.....	50.6	79.7	17.4	83.3	17.2	84.3	22.6	63.0	14.5	59.2	32.6	69.7	27.2	68.3
November.....	49.0	77.2	17.5	83.7	16.9	82.8	22.4	62.4	14.6	59.6	40.4	86.3	31.7	79.6
December.....	47.9	75.4	17.1	81.8	17.0	83.3	22.3	62.1	14.6	59.6	41.4	88.5	31.2	78.4
1935—Av. for year.....	50.1	78.9	17.1	81.8	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	16.1	65.7	31.2	66.7	25.8	64.8
January.....	47.2	74.3	16.2	77.5	16.7	81.9	22.2	61.8	14.6	59.6	37.1	79.3	27.3	73.6
February.....	47.6	75.0	16.9	80.9	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	14.9	60.8	32.9	70.3	27.0	67.8
March.....	47.7	75.1	16.6	79.4	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	15.1	61.6	31.4	67.1	25.9	65.1
April.....	47.5	74.8	16.8	80.4	16.6	81.4	22.6	63.0	15.2	62.0	24.3	51.9	20.3	51.0
May.....	47.8	75.3	17.2	82.3	16.5	80.9	22.4	62.4	15.2	62.0	22.0	47.0	18.6	46.7
June.....	49.2	77.5	16.8	80.4	17.1	83.8	22.6	63.0	15.3	62.4	22.6	48.3	18.9	47.5
July.....	50.4	79.4	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	15.5	63.3	24.7	52.8	21.1	53.0
August.....	52.5	82.7	17.7	84.7	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	15.9	64.9	27.7	59.2	23.7	59.5
September.....	54.0	85.0	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	22.4	62.4	17.2	70.2	31.2	66.7	26.4	66.3
October.....	53.5	84.3	17.7	84.7	16.9	82.8	22.0	61.3	18.1	73.9	35.8	76.5	30.1	75.6
November.....	52.4	82.5	17.3	82.8	17.1	83.8	22.3	62.1	18.3	74.7	41.5	88.7	33.4	83.9
December.....	51.7	81.4	17.1	81.8	16.8	82.4	22.0	61.3	18.3	74.7	43.4	92.7	34.7	87.2
1936—Av. for year.....	51.7	81.4	17.2	82.3	17.0	83.3	21.7	60.4	16.1	65.7	33.8	72.2	27.9	70.1
January.....	51.2	80.6	16.9	80.9	17.0	83.3	22.2	61.8	17.9	73.1	41.5	88.7	33.9	85.2
February.....	50.4	79.4	16.9	80.9	17.0	83.3	21.9	61.0	17.2	70.2	33.8	72.2	28.8	72.4
March.....	50.4	79.4	16.6	79.4	17.1	83.8	21.9	61.0	16.6	67.8	38.1	81.4	31.6	79.4
April.....	50.2	79.1	17.0	81.3	16.9	82.8	22.1	61.6	16.0	65.3	28.1	60.0	23.2	58.3
May.....	50.3	79.2	17.2	82.3	17.0	83.3	22.0	61.3	15.9	64.9	23.7	50.6	19.9	50.0
June.....	50.9	80.2	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	21.3	59.3	15.6	63.7	24.4	52.1	20.5	51.5
July.....	51.9	81.7	17.9	85.6	17.4	85.3	21.8	60.7	15.3	62.4	27.2	58.1	23.4	58.8
August.....	53.5	84.3	17.4	83.3	16.8	82.4	21.4	59.6	15.4	62.9	30.1	61.3	25.6	64.3
September.....	53.8	84.7	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	21.7	60.4	15.6	63.7	33.5	71.6	28.5	71.6
October.....	53.2	83.8	17.1	81.8	17.1	83.8	21.5	59.9	15.7	64.1	35.5	75.9	29.6	74.4
November.....	52.6	82.8	17.5	83.7	17.3	84.8	21.2	59.1	15.8	64.5	43.9	93.8	34.3	86.2
December.....	51.6	81.3	17.3	82.8	16.9	82.8	21.3	59.3	15.9	64.9	45.6	97.4	35.2	88.4
1937—Av. for year.....	54.3	85.5	17.6	84.2	17.1	83.8	21.2	59.1	16.8	68.6	33.3	71.2	27.3	68.6
January.....	51.5	81.1	16.8	80.4	16.9	82.8	21.3	59.3	15.9	64.9	39.6	84.6	32.6	81.9
February.....	51.4	80.9	16.9	80.9	16.9	82.8	21.5	59.9	16.6	67.8	31.6	67.5	26.3	66.1
March.....	51.4	80.9	16.8	80.4	16.9	82.8	21.0	58.5	16.6	67.8	29.8	63.7	24.7	62.1
April.....	51.6	81.3	17.2	82.3	16.9	82.8	21.4	59.6	16.8	68.6	26.8	57.3	22.7	57.0
May.....	52.3	82.4	17.4	83.3	17.0	83.3	21.4	59.6	16.8	68.6	25.5	54.5	21.3	53.5
June.....	53.0	83.5	17.8	85.2	17.3	84.8	21.0	58.5	16.9	69.0	25.2	53.8	21.3	53.5
July.....	54.5	85.8	17.7	84.7	17.0	83.3	21.3	59.3	16.9	69.0	27.0	57.7	22.8	57.3
August.....	56.8	89.4	17.7	84.7	17.2	84.3	21.0	58.5	16.9	69.0	32.2	68.8	26.7	67.1
September.....	58.0	91.3	18.0	86.1	16.9	82.8	21.0	58.5	17.0	69.4	34.5	73.7	28.8	72.4
October.....	57.7	90.9	18.2	87.1	17.6	86.3	20.9	58.2	17.0	69.4	39.2	83.8	31.7	79.6
November.....	57.2	90.1	18.2	87.1	17.6	86.3	21.3	59.3	17.1	69.8	44.0	94.0	34.3	86.2
December.....	56.3	88.7	18.1	86.6	17.2	84.3	21.8	60.7	16.9	69.0	44.9	95.9	35.1	88.2

TABLE XX—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1933-1937—Continued

Year and month	Milk (Quart)		Butter, dairy (Pound)		Butter, creamery (Pound)		Cheese (Pound)		Bread (Pound)		Flour (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	8.6	71.7	29.2	72.1	33.9	75.8	19.8	62.3	4.1	55.4	3.2	60.4
1926—Av. for year.....	12.0	100.0	40.5	100.0	44.7	100.0	31.8	100.0	7.4	100.0	5.3	100.0
1933—Av. for year.....	9.5	79.2	22.0	54.3	25.5	57.0	19.6	61.6	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7
January.....	9.7	80.8	22.8	56.3	26.1	58.4	19.6	61.6	5.7	77.0	2.6	49.1
February.....	9.7	80.8	22.3	55.1	25.7	57.5	19.4	61.0	5.7	77.0	2.6	49.1
March.....	9.7	80.8	22.7	56.0	26.9	60.2	19.2	60.4	5.6	75.7	2.6	49.1
April.....	9.3	77.5	24.9	61.5	28.8	64.4	19.5	61.3	5.2	70.3	2.6	49.1
May.....	9.3	77.5	24.0	59.3	27.0	60.4	19.8	62.3	5.3	71.6	2.7	50.9
June.....	9.1	75.8	20.8	51.4	23.9	53.5	19.3	60.7	5.6	75.7	2.9	54.7
July.....	9.2	76.7	19.9	49.1	23.8	53.2	19.4	61.0	5.7	77.0	3.0	56.6
August.....	9.2	76.7	21.3	52.6	25.4	56.8	19.9	62.6	5.8	78.4	3.3	62.3
September.....	9.4	78.3	21.0	51.9	24.3	54.4	19.6	61.6	6.1	82.4	3.3	62.3
October.....	9.6	80.0	21.1	52.1	24.4	54.6	19.7	61.9	5.7	77.0	3.2	60.4
November.....	9.7	80.8	21.0	51.9	24.3	54.4	19.7	61.9	5.8	78.4	3.1	58.5
December.....	9.7	80.8	22.2	54.8	25.6	57.3	19.7	61.9	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
1934—Av. for year.....	10.0	83.3	23.6	58.3	27.0	60.4	19.9	62.6	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4
January.....	9.9	82.5	24.4	60.2	28.4	63.5	19.7	61.9	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
February.....	10.0	83.3	25.7	63.5	29.7	66.4	20.1	63.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
March.....	9.9	82.5	28.3	69.9	32.5	72.7	20.3	63.8	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
April.....	10.0	83.3	29.3	72.3	32.9	73.6	20.4	64.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
May.....	10.0	83.3	24.5	60.5	27.8	62.2	20.1	63.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
June.....	9.9	82.5	22.2	54.8	25.3	56.6	19.9	62.6	5.5	74.3	3.2	60.4
July.....	9.9	82.5	22.0	54.3	25.1	56.2	20.0	62.9	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3
August.....	9.9	82.5	20.8	51.4	24.1	53.9	19.9	62.6	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3
September.....	10.0	83.3	20.0	51.9	23.9	53.5	19.9	62.6	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
October.....	10.1	84.2	21.8	53.8	24.6	55.0	19.8	62.3	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
November.....	10.6	88.3	21.7	53.6	24.4	54.6	19.6	61.6	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2
December.....	10.5	87.5	22.2	54.8	25.1	56.2	19.4	61.0	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
1935—Av. for year.....	10.5	87.5	23.7	58.5	27.3	61.1	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
January.....	10.4	86.7	22.2	54.8	25.5	57.0	19.4	61.0	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
February.....	10.4	86.7	24.3	60.0	28.0	62.6	19.7	61.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
March.....	10.5	87.5	25.4	62.7	29.6	66.2	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
April.....	10.5	87.5	24.6	60.7	28.1	62.9	20.0	62.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
May.....	10.5	87.5	24.9	61.5	28.6	64.0	20.2	63.5	5.6	75.7	3.4	64.2
June.....	10.5	87.5	23.3	57.5	26.3	58.8	20.0	62.9	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2
July.....	10.3	85.8	21.4	52.8	24.8	55.5	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
August.....	10.3	85.8	21.3	52.6	25.0	55.9	19.7	61.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
September.....	10.4	86.7	21.9	54.1	25.4	56.8	19.6	61.6	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4
October.....	10.6	88.3	23.5	58.0	27.1	60.6	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
November.....	10.6	88.3	24.9	61.5	28.6	64.0	20.5	64.5	5.7	77.0	3.5	66.0
December.....	10.6	88.3	26.5	65.4	30.3	67.8	20.5	64.5	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
1936—Av. for year.....	10.7	89.2	24.8	61.2	28.3	63.3	21.1	66.4	5.9	79.7	3.5	66.0
January.....	10.7	89.2	26.9	66.4	30.6	68.5	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
February.....	10.7	89.2	26.4	65.2	30.1	67.3	20.5	64.5	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
March.....	10.7	89.2	25.6	63.2	28.7	64.2	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
April.....	10.7	89.2	24.7	61.0	27.6	61.7	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
May.....	10.7	89.2	23.6	58.3	26.8	60.0	20.4	64.2	5.9	79.7	3.4	64.2
June.....	10.7	89.2	22.0	54.3	25.2	56.4	20.3	63.8	5.9	79.7	3.4	64.2
July.....	10.4	86.7	22.3	55.1	26.2	58.6	20.7	65.1	5.9	79.7	3.3	62.3
August.....	10.4	86.7	23.9	59.0	28.0	62.6	21.0	66.0	6.0	81.1	3.5	66.0
September.....	10.5	87.5	25.4	62.7	29.6	66.2	21.8	68.6	6.1	82.4	3.7	69.9
October.....	10.8	90.0	25.8	63.7	29.2	65.3	22.4	70.4	6.1	82.4	3.8	71.6
November.....	10.8	90.0	25.4	62.7	28.4	63.5	22.5	70.8	6.1	82.4	3.9	73.0
December.....	10.9	90.8	26.0	64.2	29.4	65.8	22.4	70.4	6.2	83.8	3.9	73.0
1937—Av. for year.....	10.9	90.8	27.1	66.9	30.9	69.1	22.8	71.7	6.6	89.2	4.4	83.0
January.....	10.8	90.0	26.8	66.2	30.3	67.8	22.4	70.4	6.2	83.8	4.0	79.9
February.....	10.8	90.0	27.0	66.7	30.9	69.1	22.6	71.1	6.2	83.8	4.2	81.1
March.....	11.0	91.7	26.5	65.4	29.9	66.9	22.4	70.4	6.3	85.1	4.3	81.1
April.....	11.0	91.7	26.9	66.4	30.5	68.2	22.5	70.8	6.4	86.5	4.4	83.0
May.....	11.0	91.7	27.3	67.4	30.8	68.9	22.6	71.1	6.4	86.5	4.5	84.4
June.....	10.8	90.0	25.2	62.2	28.5	63.8	22.6	71.1	6.7	90.5	4.5	84.4
July.....	10.8	90.0	25.0	61.7	28.9	64.7	22.9	72.0	6.7	90.5	4.5	84.4
August.....	10.8	90.0	26.6	65.7	30.8	68.9	23.0	72.3	6.7	90.5	4.7	86.0
September.....	10.8	90.0	27.3	67.4	31.4	70.2	23.3	73.3	6.8	91.9	4.6	86.0
October.....	11.1	92.5	27.7	68.4	31.5	70.5	23.2	73.0	6.8	91.9	4.6	86.0
November.....	11.1	92.5	28.7	70.9	32.6	72.9	23.2	73.0	6.8	91.9	4.5	84.4
December.....	11.3	94.2	30.4	75.1	34.5	77.2	23.1	72.6	6.8	91.9	4.5	84.4



TABLE XX—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1933-1937—Continued

Year and month	Soda Biscuits (Pound)		Rolled Oats (Pound)		Rice (Pound)		Tapioca, med. pearl (Pound)		Tomatoes, 2½'s, canned (tin)		Peas, 2's, canned (tin)		Corn, 2's, canned (tin)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year	11.3	61.4	4.4	75.9	5.7	52.3	9.6	74.4	11.8	72.4	11.1	64.2	10.4	63.8
1926—Av. for year	18.4	100.0	5.8	100.0	10.9	100.0	12.9	100.0	16.3	100.0	17.3	100.0	16.3	100.0
1933—Av. for year	14.9	81.0	4.8	82.8	8.0	73.4	10.7	82.9	11.7	71.8	11.8	68.2	11.6	71.2
January	14.9	81.0	4.6	79.3	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	11.6	67.1	11.7	71.8
February	15.0	81.5	4.6	79.3	8.0	73.4	10.7	82.9	11.7	71.8	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2
March	14.6	79.3	4.5	77.6	8.0	73.4	10.6	82.2	11.6	71.2	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2
April	14.5	78.8	4.5	77.6	7.9	72.5	10.6	82.2	11.7	71.8	11.7	67.6	11.6	71.2
May	14.7	79.9	4.6	79.3	7.9	72.5	10.7	82.9	11.7	71.8	11.7	67.6	11.5	70.6
June	14.8	80.4	4.7	81.0	7.9	72.5	10.6	82.2	11.6	71.2	11.5	66.5	11.4	69.9
July	14.9	81.0	4.8	82.8	8.0	73.4	10.7	82.9	11.6	71.2	11.4	65.9	11.3	69.3
August	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.6	71.2	11.8	68.2	11.3	69.3
September	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.7	82.9	11.8	72.4	11.8	68.2	11.6	71.2
October	15.2	82.6	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	10.7	82.9	11.8	72.4	12.2	70.5	11.7	71.8
November	15.0	81.5	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	11.8	72.4	12.3	71.1	11.7	71.8
December	15.3	83.1	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.7	71.8	12.2	70.5	11.7	71.8
1934—Av. for year	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.7	71.8
January	14.9	81.0	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.7	71.8	12.4	71.7	11.7	71.8
February	15.1	82.1	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.6	71.2	12.5	72.3	11.8	72.4
March	14.5	78.8	5.0	86.2	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.7	71.8	12.7	73.4	11.9	73.0
April	14.9	81.0	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4
May	14.8	80.4	4.9	84.5	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.5	70.6	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4
June	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4
July	14.6	79.3	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4
August	14.8	80.4	5.1	87.9	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.4	70.0	12.7	73.4	11.7	71.8
September	15.2	82.6	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.6	71.2
October	14.9	81.0	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.3	69.3	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2
November	14.7	79.9	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.3	69.3	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6
December	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9
1935—Av. for year	14.5	78.8	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.9	66.9	12.4	71.7	11.5	70.6
January	14.3	77.7	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.2	68.7	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9
February	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.1	68.1	12.7	73.4	11.4	69.9
March	14.1	76.6	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6
April	14.1	76.6	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.0	85.3	10.9	66.9	12.6	72.8	11.4	69.9
May	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.0	85.3	10.8	66.3	12.6	72.8	11.4	69.9
June	14.2	77.2	5.3	91.4	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	10.8	66.3	12.7	73.4	11.5	70.6
July	14.4	78.3	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.1	86.0	10.7	65.6	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2
August	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	10.7	65.6	12.4	71.7	11.5	70.6
September	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.7	65.6	12.2	70.5	11.5	70.6
October	15.0	81.5	5.3	91.4	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.8	66.3	12.1	69.9	11.5	70.6
November	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	10.8	66.3	12.1	69.9	11.6	71.2
December	15.2	82.6	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.0	67.5	12.1	69.9	11.7	71.8
1936—Av. for year	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	11.9	68.8	11.9	73.0
January	15.1	82.1	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	11.0	67.5	12.0	69.4	11.7	71.8
February	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.0	67.5	12.0	69.4	11.8	72.4
March	14.9	81.0	5.1	87.9	7.8	71.6	10.8	83.7	11.1	68.1	11.9	68.8	11.8	72.4
April	14.8	80.4	5.1	87.9	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	11.9	68.8	11.8	72.4
May	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.1	68.1	11.8	68.2	11.8	72.4
June	15.1	82.1	5.1	87.9	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.2	68.7	11.7	67.6	11.8	72.4
July	15.0	81.5	5.1	87.9	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.4	69.9	11.5	66.5	11.7	71.8
August	15.1	82.1	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.9	73.0	11.7	67.6	11.7	71.8
September	15.0	81.5	5.3	91.4	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	12.3	75.5	12.0	69.4	12.0	73.6
October	15.2	82.6	5.4	93.1	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	12.3	75.5	12.2	70.5	12.0	73.6
November	15.0	81.5	5.4	93.1	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	12.4	76.1	12.1	69.9	12.1	74.2
December	15.2	82.6	5.4	93.1	8.0	73.4	11.0	85.3	12.6	77.3	12.1	69.9	12.2	74.8
1937—Av. for year	15.9	86.4	5.8	100.0	8.1	74.3	11.0	85.3	12.9	79.1	12.1	69.9	12.2	74.8
January	15.3	83.2	5.5	94.8	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	12.8	78.5	12.2	70.5	12.3	75.5
February	15.8	85.9	5.6	96.6	8.1	74.3	11.0	85.3	13.0	79.8	12.3	71.1	12.3	75.5
March	15.6	84.8	5.7	98.3	8.1	74.3	11.0	85.3	13.1	80.4	12.3	71.1	12.5	76.7
April	15.8	85.9	5.7	98.3	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	13.3	81.6	12.3	71.1	12.4	76.1
May	16.1	87.5	5.8	100.0	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	13.3	81.6	12.2	70.5	12.4	76.1
June	16.0	87.0	5.8	100.0	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	13.4	82.2	12.2	70.5	12.3	75.5
July	16.0	87.0	5.8	100.0	8.1	74.3	11.0	85.3	13.4	82.2	12.2	70.5	12.3	75.5
August	16.1	87.5	6.0	103.4	8.2	75.2	11.1	86.0	13.4	82.2	12.3	71.1	12.3	75.5
September	15.9	86.4	6.0	103.4	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	13.1	80.4	11.9	68.8	12.1	74.2
October	16.1	87.5	6.0	103.4	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	12.5	76.7	11.9	68.8	12.1	74.2
November	16.0	87.0	5.9	101.7	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	12.1	74.2	11.7	67.6	11.8	72.4
December	16.1	87.5	5.9	101.7	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.9	73.0	11.6	67.1	11.7	71.8

TABLE XX—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1933-1937—Continued

Year and month	Beans (Pound)		Onions, dry, yellow, etc. (Pound)		Potatoes (Peck)		Apples, evaporated (Pound)		Prunes, (Pound)		Raisins, seeded (15 oz. pkg.)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	6.2	78.5	3.9	67.2	18.0	35.7	12.0	60.3	11.9	75.8	11.7	63.9
1926—Av. for year.....	7.9	100.0	5.8	100.0	50.4	100.0	19.9	100.0	15.7	100.0	18.3	100.0
1933—Av. for year.....	4.1	51.9	4.2	72.4	23.0	45.6	15.0	75.4	11.4	72.6	16.9	92.9
January.....	3.9	49.4	3.5	60.3	19.0	37.7	15.4	77.4	10.8	68.8	17.2	94.0
February.....	3.8	48.1	3.5	60.3	19.2	38.1	14.9	74.9	10.6	67.5	17.2	94.0
March.....	3.8	48.1	3.4	58.6	19.2	38.1	14.7	73.9	10.8	68.8	17.0	92.9
April.....	3.7	46.8	3.4	58.6	19.1	37.9	14.8	74.4	10.9	69.4	17.1	93.4
May.....	3.8	48.1	3.9	67.2	19.4	38.5	14.9	74.9	11.2	71.3	17.0	92.9
June.....	4.0	50.6	5.6	96.0	20.8	41.3	14.9	74.9	11.3	72.0	17.0	92.9
July.....	4.1	51.9	6.3	108.6	22.3	44.2	15.2	76.4	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
August.....	4.4	55.7	5.9	101.7	41.0	81.3	15.1	75.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
September.....	4.4	55.7	4.6	79.3	28.4	56.3	15.4	77.4	12.0	76.4	16.8	91.8
October.....	4.5	57.0	3.5	60.3	23.9	47.4	15.0	75.4	12.1	77.1	16.9	92.3
November.....	4.4	55.7	3.3	56.9	22.2	44.0	15.1	75.9	12.1	77.1	16.8	91.8
December.....	4.4	55.7	3.4	58.6	21.6	42.9	15.2	76.4	12.2	77.7	16.7	91.2
1934—Av. for year.....	4.6	58.2	4.2	72.4	22.5	44.6	15.1	75.9	12.7	80.9	16.7	91.3
January.....	4.4	55.7	3.5	60.3	22.1	43.8	15.4	77.4	12.3	78.3	16.7	91.3
February.....	4.4	55.7	3.7	63.8	23.5	46.6	15.3	76.9	12.5	79.6	16.8	91.8
March.....	4.5	57.0	3.8	65.5	26.4	52.4	14.9	74.9	12.7	80.9	16.9	92.3
April.....	4.5	57.0	3.9	67.2	26.9	53.4	15.3	76.9	12.7	80.9	16.8	91.8
May.....	4.5	57.0	4.1	70.7	25.9	51.4	15.0	75.4	12.7	80.9	16.8	91.8
June.....	4.6	58.2	5.4	93.1	24.3	48.2	15.2	76.4	12.7	80.9	16.8	91.8
July.....	4.6	58.2	6.3	108.6	23.1	45.8	14.7	73.9	12.7	80.9	16.8	91.8
August.....	4.7	59.5	5.6	96.6	25.7	51.0	15.1	75.9	12.9	82.2	16.7	91.3
September.....	4.6	58.2	4.3	74.1	20.4	40.5	15.4	77.4	12.9	82.2	16.6	90.7
October.....	4.7	59.5	3.5	60.3	18.6	36.9	15.1	75.9	12.9	82.2	16.7	91.3
November.....	4.9	62.0	3.3	56.9	16.7	33.1	14.9	74.9	12.8	81.5	16.5	90.2
December.....	4.9	62.0	3.3	56.9	16.0	31.7	15.0	75.4	12.6	80.3	16.4	89.6
1935—Av. for year.....	5.2	65.8	4.5	77.6	19.3	38.3	15.5	77.9	12.2	77.7	16.5	90.2
January.....	5.0	63.3	3.5	60.3	16.4	32.5	15.0	75.4	12.5	79.6	16.6	90.7
February.....	5.1	64.6	3.7	63.8	16.5	32.7	15.1	75.9	12.5	79.6	16.5	90.2
March.....	5.1	64.6	3.9	67.2	16.8	33.3	14.9	74.9	12.5	79.6	16.5	90.2
April.....	5.2	65.8	4.1	70.7	16.9	33.5	15.3	76.9	12.3	78.3	16.5	90.2
May.....	5.2	65.8	4.6	79.3	16.6	32.9	15.6	78.4	12.3	78.3	16.5	90.2
June.....	5.3	67.1	6.4	110.3	16.7	33.1	15.9	79.9	12.4	79.0	16.6	90.7
July.....	5.4	68.4	7.5	129.3	16.3	32.3	16.0	80.4	12.3	78.3	16.4	89.6
August.....	5.3	67.1	6.1	105.2	27.5	54.6	16.1	80.9	12.3	78.3	16.5	90.2
September.....	5.2	65.8	4.2	72.4	20.4	40.5	15.7	78.9	12.1	77.1	16.6	90.7
October.....	5.3	67.1	3.5	60.3	22.1	43.8	15.4	77.4	12.0	76.4	16.4	89.6
November.....	5.3	67.1	3.4	58.6	22.0	43.7	15.4	77.4	11.6	73.9	16.4	89.6
December.....	5.4	68.4	3.5	60.3	23.6	46.8	15.7	78.9	11.3	72.0	16.6	90.7
1936—Av. for year.....	5.5	69.6	4.3	74.1	30.9	61.3	16.0	80.4	11.1	70.7	16.5	90.2
January.....	5.4	68.4	3.6	62.1	24.2	48.0	15.4	77.4	11.4	72.6	16.4	89.6
February.....	5.4	68.4	3.8	65.5	25.4	50.4	16.0	80.4	11.2	71.3	16.5	90.2
March.....	5.4	68.4	3.9	67.2	26.2	52.0	15.8	79.4	10.9	69.4	16.5	90.2
April.....	5.0	63.3	4.0	69.0	26.0	51.6	15.8	79.4	11.0	70.1	16.5	90.2
May.....	5.0	63.3	4.7	81.0	30.5	60.5	15.5	77.9	10.8	68.8	16.5	90.2
June.....	4.8	60.8	5.7	98.3	32.3	64.1	15.8	79.4	10.9	69.4	16.4	89.6
July.....	4.9	62.0	6.0	103.4	37.7	74.8	16.2	81.4	10.8	68.8	16.5	90.2
August.....	5.1	64.6	5.2	89.7	42.8	84.9	15.7	78.9	11.1	70.7	16.4	89.6
September.....	5.7	72.2	4.2	72.4	36.8	73.0	16.4	82.4	11.3	72.0	16.6	90.7
October.....	6.2	78.5	3.6	62.1	30.6	60.7	16.5	82.9	11.2	71.3	16.5	90.2
November.....	6.4	81.0	3.3	56.9	28.6	56.7	16.7	83.9	11.3	72.0	16.5	90.2
December.....	6.7	84.8	3.4	58.6	29.4	58.3	15.9	79.9	11.3	72.0	16.6	90.7
1937—Av. for year.....	7.3	92.4	4.6	79.3	28.7	56.9	15.9	79.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
January.....	6.9	87.3	3.6	62.1	30.2	59.9	16.4	82.4	11.4	72.6	16.7	91.3
February.....	7.2	91.1	3.8	65.5	34.5	68.5	16.0	80.4	11.5	73.2	16.7	91.3
March.....	7.5	94.9	4.0	69.0	37.1	73.6	15.8	79.4	11.6	73.9	16.8	91.8
April.....	7.8	98.7	4.0	69.0	37.0	73.4	16.1	80.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
May.....	7.9	100.0	4.3	74.1	33.1	65.7	15.7	78.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
June.....	7.9	100.0	5.9	101.7	30.0	59.5	15.7	78.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
July.....	7.8	98.7	6.1	105.2	28.0	55.6	15.7	78.9	11.8	75.2	16.9	92.3
August.....	7.6	96.2	5.5	94.8	30.6	60.7	15.5	77.9	11.8	75.2	17.0	92.9
September.....	7.5	94.9	4.7	81.0	22.7	45.0	15.4	77.4	12.0	76.4	16.9	92.3
October.....	7.0	88.6	4.1	70.7	21.4	42.5	16.0	80.4	11.7	74.5	17.0	92.9
November.....	6.2	78.5	4.3	74.1	20.1	39.9	16.8	84.4	11.7	74.5	17.0	92.9
December.....	5.9	74.7	4.8	82.8	20.1	39.9	15.7	78.9	11.5	73.2	17.0	92.9

TABLE XX—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1933-1937—Continued

	Currants, all grades (Pound)		Jam, raspberry (4 lb. tin)		Peaches, canned, 2's (tin)		Marmalade, orange (4 lb. tin)		Corn Syrup (5 lb. tin)		Sugar, granulated (Pound)		Sugar, yellow (Pound)	
Year and month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.5	61.8	64.7	76.0	21.0	72.7	56.4	81.7	34.2	75.0	5.9	75.6	5.5	73.3
1926—Av. for year.....	18.6	100.0	85.2	100.0	28.9	100.0	68.8	100.0	45.6	100.0	7.8	100.0	7.5	100.0
1933—Av. for year.....	16.2	87.1	58.0	68.2	20.3	70.2	51.2	74.2	40.3	88.4	7.3	93.6	7.1	94.7
January.....	16.1	86.6	56.0	65.8	20.9	72.3	50.8	73.6	39.3	86.2	5.8	74.4	5.6	74.7
February.....	16.1	86.6	56.0	65.8	20.9	72.3	49.2	71.3	39.3	86.2	5.7	73.1	5.6	74.7
March.....	16.3	87.6	54.8	64.4	20.5	70.9	47.6	69.0	39.0	85.5	5.6	71.8	5.5	73.3
April.....	16.3	87.6	54.8	64.4	20.3	70.2	48.4	70.1	39.0	85.5	7.4	94.9	7.1	94.7
May.....	16.3	87.6	56.8	66.7	20.3	70.2	50.4	73.0	39.7	87.1	7.8	100.0	7.6	101.3
June.....	16.3	87.6	56.8	66.7	20.2	69.9	50.0	72.5	40.2	88.2	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7
July.....	16.3	87.6	57.6	67.7	19.9	68.9	51.2	74.2	40.3	88.4	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7
August.....	16.5	88.7	60.4	71.0	19.9	68.9	51.6	74.8	41.0	89.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
September.....	16.3	87.6	55.6	65.3	20.3	70.2	52.8	76.5	41.2	90.3	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0
October.....	16.1	86.6	62.0	72.9	20.1	69.5	54.0	78.3	41.4	90.8	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
November.....	16.1	86.6	62.8	73.8	20.0	69.2	56.0	81.2	41.9	91.9	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0
December.....	15.7	84.4	62.4	73.3	20.1	69.5	53.2	77.1	41.9	91.9	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
1934—Av. for year.....	16.0	86.0	61.6	72.3	20.2	69.9	54.4	79.1	42.6	93.4	7.2	92.3	7.0	93.3
January.....	15.9	85.5	63.2	74.2	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.3	92.8	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0
February.....	16.0	86.0	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.5	93.2	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
March.....	16.2	87.1	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
April.....	16.3	87.6	63.6	74.6	19.9	68.9	55.2	80.2	42.3	92.8	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
May.....	16.3	87.6	61.6	72.3	20.0	69.2	54.4	79.1	42.3	92.8	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7
June.....	16.3	87.6	62.0	72.8	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.5	93.2	7.0	89.7	6.8	90.7
July.....	16.1	86.6	61.2	71.8	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.3	92.8	6.8	87.2	6.6	88.0
August.....	16.2	87.1	60.4	70.9	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.4	93.0	6.7	85.9	6.6	86.0
September.....	16.1	86.6	60.8	71.4	20.3	70.2	53.6	77.9	42.5	93.2	6.6	84.6	6.5	86.7
October.....	16.0	86.0	60.4	70.9	20.3	70.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3
November.....	15.8	84.9	60.8	71.4	20.6	71.3	54.8	79.7	43.1	94.5	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
December.....	15.3	82.3	59.6	70.0	20.8	72.0	53.6	77.9	43.3	95.0	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
1935—Av. for year.....	15.4	82.8	59.2	69.5	21.0	72.7	51.6	75.0	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7
January.....	15.3	82.3	59.6	70.0	21.0	72.7	53.6	77.9	43.5	95.4	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
February.....	15.4	82.8	59.6	70.0	21.0	72.7	53.2	77.3	43.7	95.8	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
March.....	15.4	82.8	59.2	69.5	21.1	73.0	52.4	76.2	43.3	95.0	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
April.....	15.5	83.3	58.8	69.0	21.1	73.0	52.0	75.6	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
May.....	15.5	83.3	59.2	69.5	21.3	73.7	51.2	74.4	43.0	94.3	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
June.....	15.6	83.9	58.8	69.0	21.5	74.4	50.8	73.8	42.8	93.9	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
July.....	15.6	83.9	58.0	68.1	21.2	73.4	50.4	73.3	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
August.....	15.5	83.3	58.8	69.0	21.2	73.4	50.8	73.8	42.9	94.1	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
September.....	15.6	83.9	59.2	69.5	21.1	73.0	51.2	74.4	43.2	94.7	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
October.....	15.5	83.3	59.2	69.5	20.9	72.3	52.0	75.6	43.0	94.3	6.3	80.8	6.1	81.3
November.....	15.3	82.3	59.2	69.5	20.7	71.6	51.6	75.0	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
December.....	15.1	81.2	59.2	69.5	20.3	70.2	51.6	75.0	43.0	94.3	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
1936—Av. for year.....	15.2	81.7	55.6	65.3	19.7	68.2	49.2	71.5	43.1	94.5	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
January.....	15.1	81.2	58.4	68.5	20.2	69.9	51.2	74.4	43.0	94.3	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
February.....	15.1	81.2	57.6	67.6	20.2	69.9	50.8	73.8	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
March.....	15.2	81.7	56.4	66.2	20.0	69.2	49.6	72.1	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
April.....	15.2	81.7	55.2	64.8	19.8	68.5	48.4	70.3	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
May.....	15.2	81.7	55.2	64.8	19.7	68.2	48.4	70.3	43.2	94.7	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
June.....	15.3	82.3	54.0	63.4	19.4	67.1	47.6	69.2	42.8	93.9	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
July.....	15.4	82.8	52.8	62.0	19.2	66.4	47.6	69.2	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
August.....	15.3	82.3	54.0	63.4	19.4	67.1	48.0	69.8	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
September.....	15.4	82.8	55.2	64.8	19.4	67.1	48.8	70.9	43.2	94.7	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
October.....	15.3	82.3	55.6	65.3	19.5	67.5	48.8	70.9	43.3	95.0	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
November.....	15.2	81.7	56.4	66.2	19.6	67.8	50.4	73.3	43.3	95.0	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
December.....	15.1	81.2	55.6	65.3	19.6	67.8	49.6	72.1	43.7	95.8	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
1937—Av. for year.....	15.2	81.7	54.8	64.3	18.9	65.4	48.8	70.9	44.0	96.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
January.....	15.1	81.2	55.2	64.8	19.5	67.5	50.0	72.7	43.7	95.8	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
February.....	15.1	81.2	55.2	64.8	19.5	67.5	50.0	72.7	44.1	96.7	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
March.....	15.1	81.2	55.2	64.8	19.4	67.1	49.2	71.5	44.1	96.7	6.3	80.8	6.2	82.7
April.....	15.2	81.7	54.8	64.3	19.3	66.8	48.8	70.9	44.0	96.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
May.....	15.3	82.3	54.8	64.3	19.2	66.4	48.8	70.9	44.0	96.5	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
June.....	15.3	82.3	54.4	63.8	19.2	66.4	48.0	69.8	43.9	96.3	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
July.....	15.4	82.8	54.4	63.8	19.0	65.7	48.4	70.3	43.9	96.3	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
August.....	15.4	82.8	54.0	63.4	18.9	65.4	48.4	70.9	44.1	96.7	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3
September.....	15.4	82.8	54.0	63.4	18.5	64.0	47.6	69.2	44.2	96.9	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3
October.....	15.4	82.8	54.0	63.4	18.6	64.4	47.2	68.6	44.2	96.9	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3
November.....	15.2	81.7	55.2	64.8	18.2	63.0	48.8	70.9	44.0	96.5	6.5	83.3	6.4	85.3
December.....	15.1	81.2	55.6	65.3	18.0	62.3	49.2	71.5	43.9	96.3	6.5	83.3	6.4	85.3



TABLE XX—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1933-1937—Concluded

Year and month	Tea (Pound)		Coffee (Pound)		Cocoa, pure ( $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. tin)		Vinegar (Pint)		Salt, fine, table (Pound)		Pepper, black, gr. (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	35.6	49.6	37.6	61.4	15.7	57.9	6.4	83.1	2.6	72.2	32.7	58.7
1926—Av. for year.....	71.7	100.0	61.2	100.0	27.1	100.0	7.7	100.0	3.6	100.0	55.7	100.0
1933—Av. for year.....	42.2	58.9	39.6	64.7	24.3	89.7	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	43.7	78.5
January.....	43.2	60.3	40.9	66.8	25.1	92.6	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	44.9	80.6
February.....	42.2	58.9	40.1	65.5	24.6	90.8	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	44.4	79.7
March.....	41.2	57.5	39.4	64.4	24.6	90.8	7.0	90.9	2.9	80.6	44.0	79.0
April.....	41.9	58.4	39.9	65.2	24.7	91.1	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	43.3	77.7
May.....	41.7	58.2	39.2	64.1	24.5	90.4	7.3	94.8	2.9	80.6	43.6	78.3
June.....	40.6	56.6	38.9	63.6	24.7	91.1	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.9	77.0
July.....	41.8	58.3	39.1	63.9	24.9	91.9	7.4	96.1	3.0	83.3	42.9	78.3
August.....	41.9	58.4	39.6	64.7	25.4	93.7	7.4	96.1	3.1	86.1	44.2	79.3
September.....	42.5	59.3	40.0	65.4	25.0	92.3	7.3	94.8	2.9	80.6	43.3	77.7
October.....	42.5	59.3	39.6	64.7	23.8	87.8	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	43.7	78.4
November.....	43.1	60.1	39.7	64.9	22.6	83.4	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	43.3	77.7
December.....	43.8	61.1	39.1	63.9	22.2	81.9	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	43.2	77.5
1934—Av. for year.....	50.5	70.4	38.9	63.6	21.2	78.2	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.3	75.9
January.....	45.5	63.5	39.6	64.7	22.3	82.3	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.7
February.....	47.4	66.1	39.5	64.5	22.1	81.5	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.0	75.4
March.....	48.9	68.2	38.9	63.6	21.1	77.9	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.5	76.3
April.....	49.6	69.2	39.4	64.4	21.1	77.9	7.3	94.8	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.3
May.....	49.6	69.2	38.8	63.4	20.9	77.1	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.7
June.....	50.8	70.9	38.7	63.2	21.0	77.5	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.8	76.8
July.....	51.0	71.1	39.1	63.9	21.3	78.6	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
August.....	52.0	72.5	38.8	63.4	21.4	79.0	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.1	75.6
September.....	52.6	73.4	38.9	63.6	21.1	77.9	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.3
October.....	53.1	74.1	38.8	63.4	20.7	76.4	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
November.....	52.8	73.6	38.1	62.3	20.4	75.3	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	41.7	74.9
December.....	53.2	74.2	37.9	61.9	20.8	76.8	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	41.9	75.2
1935—Av. for year.....	52.1	72.7	37.4	61.1	20.3	74.9	7.0	90.9	2.9	80.6	41.9	75.2
January.....	52.9	73.8	38.0	62.1	20.6	76.0	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
February.....	52.4	73.1	38.2	62.4	20.9	77.1	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.9
March.....	52.3	72.9	38.1	62.3	19.9	73.4	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	43.0	77.2
April.....	51.8	72.2	37.7	61.6	20.4	75.3	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
May.....	52.2	72.8	37.3	60.9	20.2	74.5	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.0	75.4
June.....	52.0	72.5	37.6	61.4	20.3	74.9	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.1
July.....	51.8	72.2	37.1	60.6	20.1	74.2	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.1	75.6
August.....	51.5	71.8	37.5	61.3	20.5	75.6	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.0	75.4
September.....	52.4	73.1	37.1	60.6	20.5	75.6	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	41.3	74.1
October.....	51.8	72.2	37.1	60.6	20.1	74.2	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	41.2	74.0
November.....	52.3	72.9	36.6	59.8	20.2	74.5	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	41.1	73.8
December.....	51.9	72.4	36.7	60.0	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.2
1936—Av. for year.....	52.0	72.5	35.8	58.5	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	39.1	70.2
January.....	52.2	72.8	36.6	59.8	19.9	73.4	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.2
February.....	51.9	72.4	36.3	59.3	20.0	73.8	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.2
March.....	51.9	72.4	36.2	59.2	19.9	73.4	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	39.7	71.3
April.....	51.8	72.2	35.7	58.3	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	39.0	70.0
May.....	52.4	73.1	35.8	58.5	19.8	73.1	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	38.7	69.5
June.....	52.0	72.5	35.9	58.7	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	38.5	69.1
July.....	51.9	72.4	35.6	58.2	19.8	73.1	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	39.2	70.4
August.....	52.1	72.7	35.4	57.8	20.1	74.2	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.8	69.7
September.....	51.9	72.4	35.4	57.8	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	39.3	70.6
October.....	52.1	72.7	35.5	58.0	20.2	74.5	6.8	88.3	2.7	75.0	38.4	68.9
November.....	52.0	72.5	35.5	58.0	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.1	68.4
December.....	52.0	72.5	35.4	57.8	20.1	74.2	6.8	88.3	2.7	75.0	37.9	68.0
1937—Av. for year.....	53.7	74.9	35.5	58.0	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.9	68.0
January.....	52.2	72.8	35.2	57.5	20.1	74.2	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.6	69.3
February.....	52.0	72.5	35.1	57.4	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.1	68.4
March.....	52.1	72.7	35.6	58.2	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	37.8	67.9
April.....	52.3	72.9	35.4	57.8	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.0	68.2
May.....	52.4	73.1	35.4	57.8	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	38.2	68.6
June.....	52.5	73.2	35.7	58.3	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	38.0	68.2
July.....	53.4	74.5	35.7	58.3	19.6	72.3	7.0	90.9	2.6	72.2	37.9	68.0
August.....	54.3	75.7	35.5	58.0	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.1	68.4
September.....	54.8	76.4	35.9	58.7	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.7	67.7
October.....	55.5	77.4	35.6	58.2	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.9	68.0
November.....	56.3	78.5	35.6	58.2	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.7	67.7
December.....	56.4	78.7	35.4	57.8	19.6	72.3	6.8	88.3	2.6	72.2	37.3	67.0

TABLE XXI—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 AND 1925-1937

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1913	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0-222	0-285	0-294	0-308	0-345	0-363	0-356	0-286	0-245	0-210	0-214	0-231	0-231
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0-148	0-152	0-160	0-172	0-206	0-227	0-221	0-158	0-129	0-112	0-115	0-126	0-125
3	Veal, roast.....	1 "	0-157	0-182	0-193	0-203	0-226	0-245	0-239	0-183	0-138	0-119	0-121	0-129	0-137
4	Mutton, roast.....	1 "	0-191	0-289	0-298	0-291	0-300	0-309	0-302	0-253	0-209	0-188	0-200	0-209	0-218
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0-195	0-275	0-302	0-282	0-273	0-300	0-298	0-223	0-152	0-151	0-201	0-212	0-214
6	Pork, salt, mess....	1 "	0-176	0-254	0-278	0-265	0-261	0-273	0-271	0-226	0-155	0-148	0-184	0-198	0-201
7	Bacon, breakfast....	1 "	0-247	0-385	0-431	0-393	0-379	0-393	0-399	0-301	0-184	0-198	0-304	0-311	0-295
8	Lard, pure leaf.....	1 "	0-192	0-242	0-246	0-221	0-221	0-219	0-212	0-157	0-121	0-126	0-135	0-161	0-161
9	Eggs, fresh.....	1 doz.	0-337	0-486	0-466	0-487	0-478	0-475	0-457	0-337	0-294	0-281	0-319	0-312	0-338
10	Eggs, storage.....	1 "	0-281	0-417	0-398	0-424	0-412	0-403	0-394	0-271	0-228	0-217	0-259	0-258	0-279
11	Milk.....	1 qt.	0-086	0-119	0-118	0-119	0-121	0-123	0-123	0-111	0-098	0-093	0-098	0-102	0-103
12	Butter, dairy.....	1 lb.	0-292	0-389	0-406	0-415	0-417	0-428	0-368	0-272	0-216	0-220	0-236	0-237	0-248
13	Butter, creamery....	1 "	0-339	0-439	0-448	0-463	0-461	0-470	0-405	0-300	0-253	0-255	0-270	0-273	0-283
14	Cheese, old.....	1 "	0-205	0-312	0-318	0-310	0-329	0-334	0-318	0-251	0-206	0-196	0-199	0-199	0-211
15	Cheese, new.....	1 "	0-191	0-312	0-318	0-310	0-329	0-334	0-318	0-251	0-206	0-196	0-199	0-199	0-211
16	Bread, plain white..	1 "	0-041	0-078	0-076	0-077	0-077	0-078	0-075	0-062	0-059	0-057	0-059	0-059	0-063
17	Flour, family.....	1 "	0-032	0-057	0-053	0-053	0-052	0-051	0-047	0-033	0-030	0-029	0-032	0-034	0-036
18	Rolled oats.....	1 "	0-044	0-061	0-058	0-061	0-063	0-064	0-061	0-050	0-047	0-048	0-051	0-052	0-052
19	Rice, good, medium	1 "	0-057	0-109	0-110	0-108	0-105	0-104	0-101	0-092	0-085	0-080	0-081	0-078	0-079
20	Beans, handpicked..	1 "	0-062	0-083	0-079	0-081	0-089	0-115	0-094	0-061	0-043	0-041	0-046	0-052	0-055
21	Apples, evaporated..	1 "	0-120	0-204	0-200	0-194	0-210	0-213	0-206	0-178	0-160	0-150	0-152	0-155	0-160
22	Prunes, medium....	1 "	0-119	0-156	0-158	0-148	0-135	0-141	0-155	0-121	0-111	0-115	0-127	0-122	0-111
23	Sugar, granulated..	1 "	0-059	0-085	0-079	0-083	0-079	0-073	0-068	0-062	0-059	0-073	0-072	0-064	0-061
24	Sugar, yellow.....	1 "	0-055	0-081	0-075	0-079	0-075	0-069	0-065	0-060	0-057	0-071	0-070	0-062	0-060
25	Tea, black.....	1 "	0-356	0-714	0-719	0-716	0-713	0-704	0-628	0-552	0-472	0-424	0-504	0-524	0-520
26	Tea, green.....	1 "	0-372	0-714	0-719	0-716	0-713	0-704	0-628	0-552	0-472	0-424	0-504	0-524	0-520
27	Coffee.....	1 "	0-376	0-604	0-612	0-612	0-607	0-604	0-572	0-492	0-428	0-400	0-392	0-376	0-360
28	Potatoes.....	1 pk.	0-180	0-276	0-436	0-317	0-258	0-291	0-355	0-172	0-130	0-189	0-183	0-152	0-265
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0-064	0-089	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-080	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072
30	All foods (weighted) Total.....		7-337	10-81	11-21	11-00	11-04	11-34	10-96	8-49	7-10	7-03	7-56	7-70	8-09
31	Starch, laundry.....	1 lb.	0-096	0-124	0-124	0-123	0-123	0-123	0-123	0-120	0-117	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-117
32	Coal, anthracite....	1 ton	8-80	16-833	17-392	16-465	16-272	16-192	16-112	16-064	15-616	15-056	15-056	14-704	14-688
33	Coal, bituminous...	1 "	6-19	10-249	10-311	10-213	10-113	10-080	10-064	9-840	9-584	9-296	9-280	9-360	9-360
34	Wood, hard, best....	1 cd.	6-80	12-280	12-195	12-128	12-077	12-208	12-176	11-696	10-912	9-808	9-632	9-792	9-568
35	Wood, soft.....	1 "	4-90	8-979	8-947	8-960	8-397	8-800	8-672	8-560	7-984	7-408	7-328	7-296	7-216
36	Coal oil.....	1 gal.	0-237	0-304	0-308	0-314	0-311	0-311	0-309	0-291	0-274	0-271	0-275	0-272	0-270
37	Fuel and Lighting— Weighted Total.....		1-91	3-33	3-36	3-30	3-27	3-27	3-25	3-18	3-03	2-87	2-86	2-84	2-82
38	Rent per month.....		19-00	27-54	27-43	27-43	27-67	27-92	28-16	27-80	25-76	23-04	22-16	22-32	22-76
39	Weighted total.....		14-024	21-06	21-47	21-20	21-27	21-61	21-29	18-66	16-60	15-70	16-02	16-16	16-65

\* Includes data for 60 cities.

TABLE XXI—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS,  
FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 AND 1925-1937—Concluded

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1937	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0.262	0.229	0.240	0.236	0.249	0.269	0.283	0.293	0.292	0.279	0.267	0.257	0.250
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0.142	0.122	0.129	0.128	0.136	0.148	0.157	0.162	0.152	0.148	0.143	0.139	0.137
3	Veal, roast...	1 "	0.145	0.140	0.149	0.144	0.142	0.142	0.142	0.144	0.143	0.147	0.147	0.148	0.149
4	Mutton, roast...	1 "	0.228	0.210	0.222	0.219	0.232	0.240	0.242	0.247	0.233	0.231	0.222	0.220	0.212
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0.222	0.206	0.212	0.205	0.209	0.213	0.218	0.226	0.237	0.246	0.244	0.229	0.219
6	Pork, salt, mess...	1 "	0.203	0.197	0.201	0.197	0.197	0.199	0.199	0.201	0.206	0.209	0.213	0.210	0.208
7	Bacon, breakfast...	1 "	0.301	0.292	0.290	0.286	0.285	0.286	0.288	0.291	0.307	0.319	0.325	0.324	0.316
8	Lard, pure leaf...	1 "	0.168	0.159	0.167	0.166	0.168	0.168	0.169	0.169	0.169	0.171	0.170	0.171	0.169
9	Eggs, fresh...	1 doz.	0.334	0.394	0.316	0.298	0.268	0.255	0.252	0.270	0.322	0.345	0.392	0.440	0.450
10	Eggs, storage...	1 "	0.274	0.326	0.263	0.247	0.227	0.214	0.213	0.228	0.268	0.288	0.317	0.344	0.351
11	Milk...	1 qt.	0.108	0.108	0.107	0.107	0.108	0.108	0.108	0.107	0.107	0.107	0.109	0.110	0.110
12	Butter, dairy...	1 lb.	0.271	0.269	0.270	0.266	0.269	0.272	0.253	0.250	0.267	0.274	0.278	0.286	0.304
13	Butter, creamery...	1 "	0.309	0.303	0.308	0.299	0.305	0.308	0.285	0.289	0.308	0.314	0.315	0.325	0.345
14	Cheese, old...	1 "	0.228	0.224	0.226	0.224	0.225	0.226	0.226	0.230	0.230	0.233	0.232	0.232	0.232
15	Cheese, new...	1 "	0.228	0.224	0.226	0.224	0.225	0.226	0.226	0.230	0.230	0.233	0.232	0.232	0.232
16	Bread, plain white...	1 "	0.070	0.066	0.067	0.068	0.068	0.070	0.071	0.070	0.071	0.072	0.072	0.073	0.073
17	Bread, family...	1 "	0.045	0.041	0.042	0.043	0.045	0.046	0.045	0.045	0.047	0.046	0.046	0.046	0.045
18	Rolled oats...	1 "	0.058	0.055	0.056	0.057	0.057	0.058	0.059	0.058	0.060	0.060	0.060	0.059	0.059
19	Rice, good medium...	1 "	0.081	0.080	0.081	0.081	0.082	0.082	0.082	0.081	0.082	0.082	0.082	0.082	0.082
20	Beans, handpicked...	1 "	0.072	0.069	0.072	0.075	0.078	0.079	0.079	0.078	0.076	0.075	0.070	0.062	0.059
21	Apples, evaporated...	1 "	0.160	0.164	0.161	0.161	0.161	0.157	0.158	0.158	0.159	0.155	0.161	0.160	0.159
22	Prunes, medium...	1 "	0.117	0.114	0.115	0.116	0.117	0.117	0.117	0.118	0.118	0.121	0.117	0.117	0.115
23	Sugar, granulated...	1 "	0.064	0.062	0.063	0.063	0.064	0.065	0.065	0.065	0.066	0.066	0.066	0.065	0.065
24	Sugar, yellow...	1 "	0.063	0.061	0.061	0.062	0.063	0.063	0.063	0.063	0.064	0.064	0.064	0.064	0.064
25	Tea, black...	1 "	0.536	0.524	0.520	0.520	0.524	0.524	0.524	0.536	0.544	0.544	0.556	0.564	0.564
26	Tea, green...	1 "	0.536	0.524	0.520	0.520	0.524	0.524	0.524	0.536	0.544	0.548	0.556	0.564	0.564
27	Coffee...	1 "	0.356	0.356	0.352	0.356	0.356	0.356	0.356	0.360	0.356	0.360	0.356	0.356	0.356
28	Potatoes...	1 pk.	0.242	0.258	0.301	0.329	0.321	0.283	0.254	0.239	0.256	0.184	0.168	0.157	0.158
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072
30	All foods (weighted) Total...		8.62	8.41	8.49	8.49	8.54	8.58	8.52	8.56	8.80	8.72	8.75	8.78	8.78
31	Starch, laundry...	1 lb.	0.117	0.117	0.117	0.117	0.117	0.117	0.120	0.117	0.117	0.117	0.117	0.117	0.117
32	Coal, anthracite...	1 ton	14.384	14.768	14.768	14.784	14.768	14.384	14.112	14.016	14.064	14.064	14.208	14.336	14.416
33	Coal, bituminous...	1 "	9.360	9.376	9.392	9.392	9.408	9.376	9.344	9.328	9.312	9.312	9.328	9.376	9.376
34	Wood, hard, best...	1 cd.	9.536	9.504	9.520	9.520	9.536	9.520	9.440	9.520	9.520	9.552	9.552	9.568	9.664
35	Wood, soft...	1 "	7.216	7.184	7.216	7.216	7.216	7.232	7.184	7.152	7.152	7.184	7.200	7.280	7.280
36	Coal oil...	1 gal.	0.268	0.268	0.268	0.268	0.266	0.267	0.268	0.270	0.269	0.269	0.268	0.267	0.269
37	Fuel and Lighting— Weighted Total...		2.80	2.82	2.82	2.83	2.82	2.80	2.77	2.77	2.77	2.78	2.79	2.80	2.82
38	Rent per month...		23.40	23.08	23.08	23.08	23.08	23.44	23.44	23.48	23.48	23.48	23.76	23.80	23.76
39	Weighted Total...		17.31	17.04	17.12	17.13	17.18	17.28	17.20	17.24	17.48	17.41	17.51	17.56	17.58

\* Includes data for 60 cities.



TABLE XXII—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1923-1937

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
STAPLE FOODS																
1	Nova Scotia...	99.3	148.8	144.1	149.5	154.8	148.6	149.3	153.5	151.6	121.7	102.9	99.5	106.6	107.0	110.5
2	Prince Ed. Is...	86.4	130.0	128.9	134.8	142.3	136.8	134.3	139.1	140.4	115.4	95.4	94.9	100.0	100.2	105.4
3	New Brunswick	96.0	146.6	144.7	147.7	155.9	150.1	149.0	151.4	149.1	119.9	102.1	99.9	105.6	107.5	112.7
4	Quebec.....	93.6	137.0	132.2	139.3	144.9	139.4	139.2	142.8	138.8	107.4	89.4	87.9	95.4	96.4	102.8
5	Ontario.....	98.2	142.7	139.5	145.0	154.2	150.8	151.0	153.8	148.7	114.5	95.7	95.5	104.1	105.4	111.1
6	Manitoba.....	107.3	136.4	133.1	141.7	142.2	141.6	145.6	151.2	144.5	108.8	93.0	92.1	97.0	101.7	107.5
7	Saskatchewan..	112.4	141.1	137.7	148.2	148.6	150.7	152.3	158.3	149.1	110.4	93.4	92.4	99.5	101.4	104.7
8	Alberta.....	113.5	138.2	139.4	149.9	147.5	148.4	151.1	158.9	150.9	111.8	93.0	92.1	99.4	102.5	106.0
9	Br. Columbia..	124.4	155.5	154.1	164.6	163.1	163.2	164.6	170.4	164.5	129.6	106.9	106.0	112.7	115.9	121.3
FUEL AND LIGHTING																
1	Nova Scotia...	80.1	163.8	160.9	157.1	155.5	150.8	152.4	151.8	150.3	149.2	139.3	131.4	133.0	130.4	129.8
2	Prince Ed. Is...	77.2	196.6	179.1	174.3	167.0	162.8	152.4	154.5	153.9	152.9	150.8	138.7	142.9	139.8	137.2
3	New Brunswick	88.0	174.8	169.5	164.9	168.1	164.4	161.8	160.2	160.7	156.0	147.6	140.3	139.3	139.8	137.2
4	Quebec.....	93.7	183.8	175.4	172.8	177.5	175.4	174.9	174.9	173.3	167.0	157.1	149.2	149.7	148.7	147.1
5	Ontario.....	95.2	194.1	183.0	179.6	182.2	179.1	177.0	177.0	175.9	173.3	164.9	156.5	155.5	155.5	154.5
6	Manitoba.....	122.6	203.9	195.3	188.5	184.8	183.2	184.8	189.5	190.1	181.7	159.2	153.0	157.6	158.1	156.5
7	Saskatchewan..	139.2	201.7	195.2	186.4	181.2	182.7	183.8	181.2	174.9	160.7	112.6	102.6	102.1	103.7	101.6
8	Alberta.....	86.6	134.8	122.5	128.3	126.2	122.0	108.4	100.5	100.5	97.4	94.2	90.6	87.4	85.9	85.3
9	Br. Columbia..	117.8	156.1	152.4	147.1	147.6	147.1	147.1	147.6	147.6	146.1	137.2	128.3	124.6	123.6	125.1
RENT																
1	Nova Scotia...	81.3	117.7	118.5	117.5	117.9	117.9	117.9	121.1	126.9	126.9	117.5	111.8	112.6	113.3	
2	Prince Ed. Is...	36.2	121.7	123.8	122.5	118.5	118.5	122.3	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.2	121.1	115.8	113.3	
3	New Brunswick	63.7	138.7	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	139.4	135.6	132.4	124.2	120.2	117.5	117.5	
4	Quebec.....	73.0	118.0	121.1	120.8	120.8	121.7	122.7	123.2	125.9	124.4	118.1	110.1	105.3	104.4	105.3
5	Ontario.....	84.9	151.7	154.4	152.8	151.8	151.2	153.1	154.3	155.8	153.3	139.6	123.2	120.4	122.9	126.7
6	Manitoba.....	152.7	181.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	176.6	153.5	131.8	125.1	123.4	122.7
7	Saskatchewan..	198.2	184.5	187.6	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	185.7	176.8	156.0	133.1	129.3	123.8	125.7	
8	Alberta.....	156.8	157.7	150.8	148.0	151.8	152.4	151.8	157.9	161.7	160.4	143.6	125.5	116.6	116.8	117.9
9	Br. Columbia..	106.1	132.1	134.3	135.4	135.8	136.6	138.1	139.8	140.8	140.2	131.4	118.3	110.3	112.0	116.2
GRAND TOTAL																
1	Nova Scotia...	90.6	140.1	137.4	139.4	142.1	138.4	138.9	141.0	140.8	127.0	115.8	109.7	111.7	111.9	114.1
2	Prince Ed. Is...	68.0	136.2	133.7	135.6	137.3	134.0	131.2	135.3	136.3	123.1	112.4	110.2	112.8	110.7	112.5
3	New Brunswick	83.8	147.7	146.9	147.9	152.7	149.1	148.2	149.2	147.1	129.9	118.4	113.4	114.9	115.1	117.7
4	Quebec.....	86.5	136.7	134.1	137.4	141.0	138.1	138.3	140.3	138.8	121.1	108.2	103.6	106.0	106.0	109.7
5	Ontario.....	93.2	152.5	150.2	152.2	156.8	154.6	155.0	156.9	154.5	135.4	119.8	113.0	116.4	117.9	122.4
6	Manitoba.....	124.9	160.7	158.6	162.2	161.9	161.5	163.8	167.4	163.9	141.5	122.3	113.8	114.6	116.5	119.6
7	Saskatchewan..	145.5	163.9	162.1	165.3	164.8	166.2	167.2	170.0	164.7	139.5	117.0	107.4	109.7	109.1	111.5
8	Alberta.....	124.7	144.1	140.6	146.0	145.8	145.9	145.3	150.4	147.4	126.1	110.1	103.0	103.4	104.9	107.4
9	Br. Columbia..	117.2	147.2	146.9	152.0	151.5	151.5	153.0	156.7	153.9	135.2	119.1	113.0	113.3	115.4	120.2

TABLE XXII—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1923-1937—  
Concluded

(Dominion Average, 1913=100)

No.	Province	1937	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
STAPLE FOODS														
1	Nova Scotia.....	116.9	114.9	114.9	114.8	115.9	114.8	115.4	114.5	118.7	119.5	119.0	120.1	120.8
2	Prince Edward Island.....	113.1	112.9	110.4	108.5	110.9	113.0	110.1	110.3	116.0	113.7	115.4	117.6	118.3
3	New Brunswick.....	118.2	117.4	115.3	116.5	117.4	117.2	115.9	115.3	119.9	119.5	119.5	121.3	122.9
4	Quebec.....	107.8	107.7	107.3	106.7	107.1	106.0	105.4	105.5	109.2	108.5	109.3	109.7	110.5
5	Ontario.....	117.5	114.1	115.6	115.3	116.0	116.3	115.6	117.8	120.3	119.1	119.9	119.9	119.3
6	Manitoba.....	115.7	116.4	117.5	116.4	116.5	116.8	117.2	116.5	116.3	113.4	113.1	114.1	114.5
7	Saskatchewan.....	114.9	112.4	115.7	112.6	115.6	116.0	114.9	113.9	117.1	114.2	114.1	115.4	116.9
8	Alberta.....	116.4	112.3	114.2	115.4	115.2	116.8	115.3	117.4	120.6	117.6	117.1	116.7	117.4
9	British Columbia.....	131.5	125.7	128.8	129.5	130.3	113.0	132.1	130.4	134.4	134.5	134.2	132.6	132.9
FUEL AND LIGHT														
1	Nova Scotia.....	127.7	129.3	128.8	128.8	128.8	129.3	125.1	126.7	126.7	126.7	126.7	126.7	126.7
2	Prince Edward Island.....	139.3	136.6	138.2	138.2	138.2	138.7	140.8	140.3	140.3	140.3	139.8	140.3	140.3
3	New Brunswick.....	135.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	136.6	133.0	133.0	133.0	133.0	136.1	138.2
4	Quebec.....	147.6	147.6	147.6	147.6	148.2	147.6	147.1	148.2	148.2	148.7	148.2	148.7	149.7
5	Ontario.....	151.8	153.9	154.5	154.5	154.5	152.4	150.3	149.7	149.7	150.3	150.8	151.8	152.4
6	Manitoba.....	155.0	153.9	153.4	153.9	155.5	154.4	154.4	155.0	155.0	154.4	155.5	155.0	156.5
7	Saskatchewan.....	102.1	101.6	101.6	101.6	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	102.1	103.1	102.6	103.1
8	Alberta.....	85.3	84.8	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.3	85.9	85.3	85.9	85.3	84.8	85.3
9	British Columbia.....	125.1	125.1	125.1	124.6	124.1	124.6	125.1	125.1	125.6	125.6	125.1	125.1	125.1
RENT														
1	Nova Scotia.....	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6
2	Prince Edward Island.....	104.5	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.3	113.1	113.3	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8
3	New Brunswick.....	121.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4
4	Quebec.....	108.2	105.9	105.9	105.9	105.9	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5
5	Ontario.....	131.8	129.1	129.1	129.1	129.1	131.8	131.8	132.2	132.2	134.2	134.3	134.5	134.5
6	Manitoba.....	127.4	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.8	127.6	127.6	127.6	127.6	127.6	131.6	131.6	131.6
7	Saskatchewan.....	129.5	127.6	127.6	127.6	127.6	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3
8	Alberta.....	120.2	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	122.9	122.9	122.9
9	British Columbia.....	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7	119.6	119.8	119.8
GRAND TOTAL														
1	Nova Scotia.....	117.0	116.2	116.2	116.0	116.6	116.1	115.9	115.7	117.8	118.2	118.0	118.5	118.9
2	Prince Edward Island.....	117.2	116.2	115.2	114.2	115.4	116.7	115.4	116.3	119.3	118.1	118.9	120.1	120.5
3	New Brunswick.....	121.4	121.1	120.0	120.5	121.1	121.0	120.3	119.5	121.9	121.7	121.6	123.1	124.2
4	Quebec.....	113.4	112.6	112.3	112.0	112.3	112.9	112.5	112.7	114.6	114.2	114.7	115.2	115.5
5	Ontario.....	127.0	124.6	125.5	125.4	125.7	126.6	125.9	127.1	128.4	127.9	129.1	129.3	128.9
6	Manitoba.....	125.1	124.1	124.6	124.1	124.4	125.7	125.9	125.6	125.5	123.9	125.2	125.7	126.1
7	Saskatchewan.....	118.2	116.2	117.9	116.3	117.9	119.1	118.4	118.0	119.6	118.2	118.2	118.9	119.6
8	Alberta.....	113.5	110.7	111.8	112.4	112.3	113.6	112.8	114.0	115.6	114.1	114.9	114.6	115.0
9	British Columbia.....	126.3	123.2	124.9	125.1	125.5	126.8	126.3	125.5	127.6	127.6	128.2	127.3	127.5

TABLE XXIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1936 AND 1937.

(Dominion Average for 1913=100)

1936

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
STAPLE FOODS													
Halifax.....	112.2	111.7	111.8	107.5	107.3	108.4	108.6	109.8	109.0	109.6	112.9	113.3	110.2
Saint John.....	118.8	115.7	115.2	112.6	113.5	113.4	116.1	115.5	113.2	113.6	116.7	119.2	115.3
Montreal.....	110.5	108.9	108.7	104.5	105.6	106.3	109.5	108.0	109.4	109.4	112.4	113.2	108.9
Toronto.....	118.6	115.3	115.7	113.6	113.9	113.7	115.3	120.5	118.1	116.0	117.8	117.1	116.3
Winnipeg.....	108.0	107.9	109.0	102.4	104.9	103.1	105.6	114.2	115.0	111.4	113.8	116.3	109.3
Regina.....	104.9	107.2	109.4	102.8	100.7	100.5	99.7	104.3	110.3	107.9	111.0	111.2	105.8
Calgary.....	108.0	107.5	110.8	104.6	103.5	103.4	105.3	108.3	113.8	113.5	112.2	115.1	108.9
Vancouver.....	115.4	111.2	115.7	111.5	113.0	113.6	118.2	117.3	122.0	118.6	118.2	123.0	116.5
FUEL AND LIGHTING													
Halifax.....	150.3	150.3	150.3	150.3	147.0	145.9	145.8	144.3	145.0	142.7	144.5	143.1	147.0
Saint John.....	146.8	146.8	147.0	145.3	145.2	145.3	145.4	145.3	145.2	145.2	146.0	145.8	145.8
Montreal.....	152.5	152.5	152.4	152.8	152.9	152.8	146.1	145.8	145.8	146.0	157.9	157.9	151.3
Toronto.....	177.3	177.9	179.1	178.7	173.8	173.8	173.8	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.8
Winnipeg.....	159.2	158.6	159.8	157.9	157.5	157.5	158.1	160.7	158.5	162.1	154.8	156.0	158.4
Regina.....	138.0	134.5	134.5	134.5	134.5	135.0	134.7	134.7	134.7	134.7	134.7	134.5	134.9
Calgary.....	107.5	106.9	107.5	108.4	108.4	107.8	107.7	109.0	108.7	112.8	109.8	107.5	108.5
Vancouver.....	148.8	148.2	148.7	148.2	148.8	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.8	148.4
RENT													
Halifax.....	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4
Saint John.....	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2
Montreal.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1
Toronto.....	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	155.3	155.3	155.3	151.3
Winnipeg.....	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	140.4
Regina.....	144.7	144.7	144.7	144.7	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	148.3
Calgary.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1
Vancouver.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.3	110.5	118.4	118.4	106.1
TOTAL													
Halifax.....	129.4	129.1	129.2	126.9	126.4	126.8	126.9	127.3	127.0	127.0	128.9	129.6	127.9
Saint John.....	120.7	119.2	118.9	117.3	117.8	117.7	119.2	118.8	117.6	117.8	119.5	120.8	118.8
Montreal.....	119.8	119.0	118.9	116.7	117.3	117.7	118.4	117.6	118.4	118.3	121.6	122.0	118.8
Toronto.....	137.3	135.6	136.0	134.8	134.3	134.2	135.0	137.9	136.7	137.4	138.3	137.9	136.3
Winnipeg.....	124.8	124.7	125.4	121.7	124.8	123.8	125.2	130.0	130.2	128.8	129.0	130.5	126.6
Regina.....	123.0	123.8	124.9	121.4	122.1	122.1	121.6	121.1	127.2	125.9	127.5	127.6	124.3
Calgary.....	112.5	112.1	113.9	110.9	110.2	110.1	111.1	112.8	115.7	116.1	115.0	116.2	113.3
Vancouver.....	114.8	112.5	114.9	112.6	115.3	115.5	117.9	117.5	119.9	119.9	122.4	124.9	117.0



TABLE XXIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS,  
FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1936  
AND 1937—Concluded.

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

1937

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
STAPLE FOODS													
Halifax.....	113.5	114.4	112.7	114.0	112.4	113.5	115.1	117.9	115.9	116.1	117.5	118.0	115.1
Saint John.....	117.9	119.0	116.7	117.3	117.8	112.6	115.7	119.5	120.3	119.4	121.8	122.9	118.4
Montreal.....	113.0	115.3	113.9	114.9	114.2	112.8	114.5	115.9	114.7	116.1	116.6	116.7	114.9
Toronto.....	118.8	121.2	120.2	121.2	119.9	120.7	121.9	125.9	120.6	122.3	121.5	122.4	121.4
Winnipeg.....	117.6	119.5	116.9	119.8	120.3	120.3	120.3	118.9	116.0	114.3	116.6	116.8	118.1
Regina.....	113.7	117.4	114.6	116.6	115.5	115.9	115.2	117.6	115.0	114.7	118.4	118.7	116.1
Calgary.....	115.6	117.1	118.9	121.7	122.6	121.8	121.6	122.5	122.8	120.3	122.8	121.8	120.8
Vancouver.....	122.0	127.3	127.5	128.7	129.7	127.6	126.9	129.1	131.9	131.1	130.5	130.1	128.5
FUEL AND LIGHTING													
Halifax.....	147.0	147.0	146.1	145.2	147.0	140.4	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	144.2
Saint John.....	145.8	145.8	145.8	145.6	145.8	145.4	141.2	141.3	141.3	140.9	144.5	146.3	144.1
Montreal.....	157.7	157.6	157.6	157.7	156.4	156.4	161.8	161.4	164.2	164.2	164.0	164.3	160.8
Toronto.....	175.0	175.0	176.3	175.0	166.1	166.1	162.8	165.5	165.3	166.1	166.3	167.7	169.9
Winnipeg.....	157.6	157.1	157.1	159.5	157.4	158.0	158.7	158.2	158.0	159.0	158.2	159.8	158.2
Regina.....	134.7	134.5	134.7	134.9	135.2	135.3	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.3	135.2	135.7	135.1
Calgary.....	106.8	108.1	107.4	107.4	106.5	107.4	108.6	108.1	108.6	107.3	108.1	108.6	107.7
Vancouver.....	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.6	148.2	148.2	151.6	151.6	152.1	151.6	151.6	149.6
RENT													
Halifax.....	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4
Saint John.....	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2
Montreal.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	126.3
Toronto.....	155.3	155.3	155.3	155.3	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	160.5
Winnipeg.....	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	157.9	157.9	157.9	149.3
Regina.....	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	155.5
Calgary.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	126.3	126.3	126.3	122.4
Vancouver.....	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	123.7	123.7	123.7	123.7	123.7	128.9	128.9	128.9	123.2
TOTAL													
Halifax.....	129.6	130.1	129.1	129.6	129.1	128.7	129.9	131.3	130.3	130.4	131.1	131.4	130.1
Saint John.....	120.2	120.7	119.5	119.8	120.1	117.3	118.4	120.4	120.8	120.3	122.0	122.9	120.2
Montreal.....	121.9	123.0	122.3	123.6	125.0	124.2	125.9	126.5	126.3	127.0	127.3	128.2	125.1
Toronto.....	138.8	140.1	139.7	140.1	140.8	141.3	141.5	143.9	141.1	142.1	141.7	142.4	141.1
Winnipeg.....	131.4	132.4	131.0	132.9	135.5	135.5	135.6	134.9	133.3	135.3	136.3	136.7	134.2
Regina.....	128.9	130.9	129.4	130.5	132.6	132.9	132.5	133.7	132.4	132.2	134.2	134.4	132.0
Calgary.....	116.4	117.3	118.2	119.6	120.0	119.7	119.7	120.1	120.4	120.6	122.1	121.6	119.6
Vancouver.....	124.3	127.1	127.3	127.9	130.2	129.1	128.7	130.4	131.8	133.2	132.8	132.6	129.6

TABLE XXIV—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF COAL USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION BY PROVINCES, 1934-1937

(Dollars per ton)

Province	Kind of Coal	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1934													
Prince Ed. Island...	Bituminous.....	9-12	9-37	9-37	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00
Nova Scotia.....	".....	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-01	8-98	9-12	9-15	8-98
New Brunswick.....	".....	10-92	10-86	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78	10-78
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-59	14-76	14-73	14-75	14-75	14-76	14-80	14-79
Ontario.....	".....	14-51	14-51	14-54	14-54	14-52	13-88	13-89	14-13	14-25	14-58	14-61	14-60
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	10-85	10-83	10-81	10-81	10-83	10-83	10-83	10-85	11-29	11-29	11-28	11-29
Saskatchewan.....	".....	8-37	8-37	8-42	8-43	8-43	8-61	8-61	8-61	8-80	8-94	8-94	8-89
Alberta.....	".....	5-74	5-54	5-65	5-73	5-73	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95
British Columbia.....	".....	10-39	10-39	10-34	10-34	10-33	10-33	10-33	10-35	10-31	10-31	10-31	10-31
1935													
Prince Ed. Island...	Bituminous.....	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-25	9-25	9-00	8-75	8-75	8-75
Nova Scotia.....	".....	9-15	9-13	9-13	9-10	9-05	9-09	9-12	9-12	9-12	9-09	9-16	9-18
New Brunswick.....	".....	10-88	10-84	10-84	10-84	10-53	10-56	10-72	10-88	10-97	10-81	10-89	10-84
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	14-80	14-79	14-79	14-79	13-93	12-85	12-85	13-24	13-24	13-67	13-72	13-72
Ontario.....	".....	14-62	14-60	14-61	14-59	13-36	13-22	13-22	13-52	13-59	14-03	14-37	14-43
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	11-31	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-31	11-27	11-29
Saskatchewan.....	".....	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	8-89	9-09	9-12	9-06
Alberta.....	".....	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-91
British Columbia.....	".....	10-32	10-33	10-33	10-31	10-31	10-33	10-33	10-32	10-35	10-35	10-35	10-36
1936													
Prince Ed. Island...	Bituminous.....	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	9-00	8-75	8-75	8-75	8-87	8-75	8-75
Nova Scotia.....	".....	9-09	9-09	9-09	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95	8-95
New Brunswick.....	".....	10-80	10-77	10-74	10-70	10-52	10-55	10-55	10-62	10-62	10-62	10-69	10-66
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	13-72	13-72	13-72	13-72	13-72	13-44	13-44	13-45	13-43	13-45	13-45	13-46
Ontario.....	".....	14-45	14-49	14-51	14-50	14-50	13-70	13-71	13-67	13-89	13-99	14-10	14-10
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-29	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43
Saskatchewan.....	".....	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-06	9-15	9-15	9-12
Alberta.....	".....	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	5-95	6-06	6-06	6-06
British Columbia.....	".....	10-42	10-42	10-42	10-43	10-43	10-42	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43
1937													
Prince Ed. Island...	Bituminous.....	8-50	8-50	8-50	8-50	8-75	8-75	8-75	8-75	8-75	8-75	8-75	8-75
Nova Scotia.....	".....	8-95	8-95	8-55	8-55	8-55	8-55	8-41	8-41	8-41	8-55	8-55	8-55
New Brunswick.....	".....	10-70	10-63	10-63	10-63	10-16	10-16	10-16	10-31	10-20	10-36	10-31	10-23
Quebec.....	Anthracite.....	13-50	13-51	13-50	13-50	13-40	13-17	13-17	13-57	13-57	14-03	14-03	14-03
Ontario.....	".....	14-10	14-15	14-15	14-12	13-89	12-70	12-63	12-87	12-89	13-10	13-25	13-56
Manitoba.....	Domestic.....	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43	11-43
Saskatchewan.....	".....	9-12	9-15	9-12	9-12	9-09	9-04	9-06	9-06	9-12	9-29	9-35	9-38
Alberta.....	".....	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64	5-64
British Columbia.....	".....	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43	10-43





## RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913-1937

Returns received by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from 230 hospitals indicated that rates in 1937 were 1.4 per cent higher than in 1936. This marked the second consecutive yearly increase recorded following the five-year decline between 1930 and 1935. Increases in public ward rates, along with advances of lesser importance in private and semi-private room rates, were responsible for the upward movement. Operating room charges declined slightly.

The public ward index increased from 109.2 to 111.8, owing mainly to an advance in rates for Ontario. An average of public ward rates throughout the Dominion was \$2.04 in 1937 as compared with \$1.99 for the previous year. Provincial averages varied between \$1.50 for Prince Edward Island and \$2.62 for British Columbia.

Semi-private room rates rose from 99.3 to 99.9, increases for Ontario, British Columbia and Alberta influencing the index more than declines for New Brunswick and Manitoba. The average rate for Canada was \$2.81 as against \$2.79 in 1936.

An average of private room rates for Canada in 1937 moved up 2c. to \$5.03. This was reflected in a rise of the index for private room rates from 98.9 in 1936 to 99.2 in 1937. British Columbia, Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta were slightly higher. New Brunswick's average rate was lowest at \$3.75, while that for Quebec was highest at \$6.03.

Operating room charges, which have been declining since 1929, again moved slightly lower, from \$8.04 in 1936 to \$8.03 in 1937. Average rates ranged from \$6.29 for Alberta to \$9.60 for Quebec.

The average cost of maintenance per patient per day calculated upon a Dominion basis advanced from \$3.23 in 1936 to \$3.33 in 1937. In 1913 the figure was \$1.68. Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia registered increases, while New Brunswick showed a moderate decline. Provincial figures ranged between \$2.39 for Nova Scotia and \$3.70 for Quebec. In giving this figure institutions have been asked to include basic costs such as food, medical supplies, professional care, light, heat, etc., and also supplementary costs including insurance, interest, depreciation, etc. Owing to differing methods of accounting, resultant averages cannot be considered strictly comparable as between institutions, or even between provinces, but it is believed they measure cost trends accurately.

## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

TABLE XXVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1924-1937

Province	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
P.E.I.				100-0	100-0	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-1	101-1	101-1	99-2	99-2
Nova Scotia	60-8	99-1	98-2	100-0	100-9	101-0	109-1	109-5	108-8	111-1	110-3	109-0	109-1	109-1	183-3
New Brunswick	57-4	94-9	96-0	100-0	100-0	103-2	103-3	107-5	107-4	107-3	107-2	107-1	105-9	105-7	105-2
Quebec	49-1	91-7	98-8	100-0	103-0	107-2	108-5	109-1	109-2	108-1	107-5	107-1	107-1	107-0	107-2
Ontario	59-9	99-2	99-1	100-0	100-4	107-0	108-9	100-0	109-0	107-9	106-7	105-9	105-8	106-3	110-2
Manitoba	61-6	100-8	100-8	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-5	100-3	99-6	92-5	92-4	92-4	92-5	92-3
Saskatchewan	57-6	96-0	98-7	100-0	100-2	101-5	102-0	101-9	100-3	98-6	95-5	94-7	94-5	93-3	93-3
Alberta	60-4	94-5	98-0	100-0	101-1	101-1	102-1	101-4	101-0	99-4	98-0	97-0	97-2	97-1	98-2
British Columbia	55-4	99-4	100-7	100-0	100-1	104-7	104-6	104-3	103-9	103-3	103-0	103-2	103-7	103-7	104-5
Dominion Index	55-2	96-2	98-7	100-0	101-1	104-8	106-6	106-9	106-7	105-9	104-4	103-7	103-6	103-7	105-1

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL HOSPITAL RATES

(1926=100)

P.E.I.				100-0	100-0	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-7	101-1	101-1	101-1	99-2	99-2
Nova Scotia	60-8	99-1	98-2	100-0	100-9	101-0	109-1	109-5	108-8	111-1	110-3	109-0	109-1	109-1	183-3
New Brunswick	57-4	94-9	96-0	100-0	100-0	103-2	103-3	107-5	107-4	107-3	107-2	107-1	105-9	105-7	105-2
Quebec	49-1	91-7	98-8	100-0	103-0	107-2	108-5	109-1	109-2	108-1	107-5	107-1	107-1	107-0	107-2
Ontario	59-9	99-2	99-1	100-0	100-4	107-0	108-9	100-0	109-0	107-9	106-7	105-9	105-8	106-3	110-2
Manitoba	61-6	100-8	100-8	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-5	100-3	99-6	92-5	92-4	92-4	92-5	92-3
Saskatchewan	57-6	96-0	98-7	100-0	100-2	101-5	102-0	101-9	100-3	98-6	95-5	94-7	94-5	93-3	93-3
Alberta	60-4	94-5	98-0	100-0	101-1	101-1	102-1	101-4	101-0	99-4	98-0	97-0	97-2	97-1	98-2
British Columbia	55-4	99-4	100-7	100-0	100-1	104-7	104-6	104-3	103-9	103-3	103-0	103-2	103-7	103-7	104-5
Dominion Index	55-2	96-2	98-7	100-0	101-1	104-8	106-6	106-9	106-7	105-9	104-4	103-7	103-6	103-7	105-1

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL HOSPITAL RATES

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	163-1	161-6	164-5	166-0	166-2	179-5	180-1	179-0	182-8	181-5	179-3	179-5	179-5	179-5
New Brunswick	100-0	165-5	167-2	174-2	174-2	179-8	180-0	187-3	187-1	186-9	186-8	186-6	184-5	184-1	183-3
Quebec	100-0	186-6	201-1	203-5	209-6	218-2	220-9	222-0	222-2	219-9	218-8	218-0	217-9	217-9	218-2
Ontario	100-0	165-7	165-6	167-1	167-7	178-7	182-0	182-0	182-1	180-2	178-2	176-9	176-8	177-6	184-1
Manitoba	100-0	163-7	163-7	162-3	162-3	162-3	162-5	163-1	162-9	161-7	150-1	150-0	150-0	150-1	149-8
Saskatchewan	100-0	166-8	171-5	173-7	174-1	176-2	177-1	177-1	174-3	171-4	165-9	164-5	164-1	162-1	162-5
Alberta	100-0	156-4	162-2	165-5	167-2	167-3	169-6	167-8	167-1	164-5	162-2	160-5	160-8	160-7	162-5
British Columbia	100-0	179-3	181-7	180-4	180-4	180-6	188-9	188-5	188-2	187-4	186-4	185-8	186-2	187-1	188-5
Dominion Index	100-0	174-3	178-9	181-1	183-1	189-8	193-1	193-6	193-2	191-8	189-1	187-8	187-6	187-8	190-3

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES

(1926=100)

P.E.I.				100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Nova Scotia	59-1	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	116-3	116-3	116-2	121-2	121-2	121-2	121-2	121-4
New Brunswick				100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	103-2	103-2	103-1	103-1	103-1	103-1	102-7	102-7
Quebec	44-9	99-3	99-3	100-0	103-5	111-5	114-6	115-0	115-0	115-1	114-7	114-1	114-9	114-9	115-0
Ontario	66-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	112-7	116-6	116-6	116-7	116-6	115-6	114-7	114-7	115-7	123-0
Manitoba	57-1	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-2	101-2	101-0	86-6	86-5	86-5	86-5	86-6
Saskatchewan	52-7	89-9	92-3	100-0	100-0	99-3	100-3	100-3	98-1	96-1	91-9	90-2	89-8	89-1	89-4
Alberta	52-2	91-4	95-8	100-0	101-6	101-5	102-0	102-0	101-2	100-7	98-7	97-7	98-4	97-7	99-8
British Columbia	49-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	110-4	110-4	110-4	109-3	109-3	108-6	109-0	110-1	110-7
Dominion Index	54-6	98-5	98-9	100-0	101-1	107-5	111-3	111-6	111-4	111-4	109-5	108-7	108-9	109-2	111-8

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	169-2	169-2	169-2	169-2	169-2	196-8	196-8	196-6	205-1	205-1	205-1	205-1	205-4	205-4
Quebec	100-0	221-2	221-2	222-7	230-5	248-3	255-2	256-1	256-1	256-3	255-4	254-1	255-9	255-9	256-1
Ontario	100-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	169-1	174-9	177-1	175-1	174-9	173-4	172-1	172-1	173-6	184-5
Manitoba	100-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	175-0	177-1	177-3	176-7	151-6	151-4	151-4	151-4	151-6
Saskatchewan	100-0	170-6	175-1	189-8	189-8	188-5	190-4	190-4	186-2	182-4	174-4	171-2	170-4	169-1	169-7
Alberta	100-0	175-2	183-6	191-6	194-7	194-5	195-4	195-4	193-9	192-9	189-1	187-2	188-5	187-2	191-2
British Columbia	100-0	204-0	204-0	204-0	204-0	204-2	225-2	225-2	225-2	223-0	223-0	221-5	222-4	224-6	225-8
Dominion Index	100-0	180-4	181-2	183-2	185-2	196-9	203-9	204-5	204-1	204-1	200-6	199-1	199-5	200-1	204-8

TABLE XXVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1924-1937—  
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Province	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS (1926=100)															
P.E.I.				100-0	100-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	100-4	100-4	100-4	91-1	91-1
Nova Scotia	59-7	95-6	95-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-5	101-5	101-1	101-1	100-8	97-6	97-6	97-1	97-1
New Brunswick	66-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	115-3	115-3	125-1	125-1	124-1	124-1	119-6	119-6	117-4	117-4
Quebec	56-0	85-9	99-3	100-0	100-7	101-2	101-2	102-6	102-7	102-1	101-4	101-7	100-4	100-4	100-4
Ontario	48-5	98-4	96-6	100-0	101-2	101-0	102-4	102-6	102-7	100-6	98-5	97-7	97-8	98-4	100-5
Manitoba	63-0	102-5	102-5	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-5	98-3	98-2	98-2	98-2	98-2	98-2	96-8
Saskatchewan	50-1	98-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-9	99-8	99-1	98-4	95-6	95-3	95-3	95-1	95-1
Alberta	62-7	94-7	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	102-3	100-3	100-3	98-1	98-4	97-3	96-8	96-8	97-4
British Columbia	53-6	99-5	100-2	100-0	99-8	99-6	99-6	99-6	98-0	97-7	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	99-4
Dominion Index	54-0	95-1	98-4	100-0	100-6	101-4	102-1	102-8	102-7	101-5	100-3	99-8	99-2	99-3	99-9

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	160-0	160-0	167-4	167-4	167-4	169-9	169-9	169-2	169-2	168-7	163-4	163-4	162-5	162-5
New Brunswick	100-0	150-0	150-0	150-0	149-9	173-0	173-0	187-7	187-7	186-1	186-2	179-4	179-4	176-1	176-1
Quebec	100-0	153-3	177-2	178-5	179-7	180-6	180-6	183-1	183-3	182-2	181-0	181-5	179-2	179-2	179-2
Ontario	100-0	202-8	198-9	206-0	208-5	208-1	210-9	211-4	211-6	207-2	202-9	201-3	201-5	202-7	207-0
Manitoba	100-0	162-8	162-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-0	156-1	155-9	155-9	155-9	155-9	153-7
Saskatchewan	100-0	196-9	199-7	199-7	199-7	199-5	199-5	199-3	197-9	196-5	190-9	190-3	190-3	189-9	189-9
Alberta	100-0	151-0	159-5	159-5	159-7	159-7	163-2	160-0	160-0	156-5	156-9	155-2	154-4	154-4	155-4
British Columbia	100-0	185-4	186-7	186-4	186-0	185-7	185-7	185-7	182-7	182-1	182-7	182-7	182-7	182-7	185-3
Dominion Index	100-0	176-1	182-2	185-2	186-3	187-8	189-1	190-4	190-2	188-0	185-8	184-8	183-7	183-9	185-0

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1926=100)

P.E.I.				100-0	100-0	103-3	103-3	103-3	103-3	103-3	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0
Nova Scotia	58-0	93-8	95-4	100-0	104-3	104-8	105-6	107-4	105-1	105-1	105-1	101-7	102-0	102-0	102-0
New Brunswick	46-3	86-5	89-2	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	103-9	103-9	105-0	104-6	104-6	102-4	102-4	102-4
Quebec	43-9	77-0	98-8	100-0	103-2	105-0	104-2	104-6	105-0	100-0	99-4	98-5	97-5	97-9	97-9
Ontario	54-9	100-1	99-5	100-0	100-5	103-4	102-6	102-5	102-5	100-6	99-2	98-8	98-5	98-6	99-0
Manitoba	66-4	101-7	101-7	100-0	100-0	100-4	99-4	99-1	98-1	96-3	96-3	96-3	96-5	96-5	96-5
Saskatchewan	66-1	107-3	101-4	100-0	100-0	107-5	107-5	107-5	106-0	103-0	101-9	102-9	103-3	100-7	100-9
Alberta	65-2	98-0	100-0	100-0	101-1	101-0	102-5	101-6	101-5	101-3	99-7	99-2	99-5	100-4	100-7
British Columbia	65-1	99-4	104-0	100-0	100-0	100-7	99-7	99-4	99-4	100-3	97-3	97-3	97-5	97-5	99-0
Dominion Index	53-1	91-4	98-6	100-0	101-4	103-6	103-2	103-4	103-2	100-9	99-8	99-3	98-9	98-9	99-2

INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS  
(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	161-8	164-5	172-5	179-9	180-8	182-2	185-3	181-3	181-3	175-4	176-0	176-0	176-0	176-0
New Brunswick	100-0	186-7	192-5	215-8	215-8	215-8	215-8	224-2	224-2	226-6	225-7	224-9	221-0	221-0	221-0
Quebec	100-0	175-3	225-1	227-8	235-1	239-2	237-4	238-3	239-2	227-8	226-4	224-4	222-1	223-0	223-0
Ontario	100-0	182-3	181-2	182-1	183-0	188-3	186-8	186-7	186-7	180-6	179-9	179-4	179-6	180-3	180-3
Manitoba	100-0	153-1	153-1	150-6	150-6	150-6	151-2	149-7	149-2	147-7	145-0	145-0	145-0	145-3	145-3
Saskatchewan	100-0	162-5	153-5	151-4	151-4	162-8	162-8	162-8	160-5	155-9	154-3	155-8	156-4	152-5	152-8
Alberta	100-0	150-2	153-3	153-3	155-0	154-8	157-1	155-8	155-6	155-3	152-8	152-1	152-5	153-9	154-4
British Columbia	100-0	152-8	153-7	153-7	153-7	154-8	153-2	152-8	152-8	154-2	149-6	149-9	149-9	149-9	152-2
Dominion Index	100-0	172-3	185-9	188-5	191-1	195-3	194-5	194-9	194-5	190-2	188-1	187-2	186-4	186-4	187-0



TABLE XXVIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1924-1937—  
Concluded

Province	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
P.E.I.				100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Nova Scotia	72-4	109-3	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-6	100-6	99-8	99-8	94-2	94-2	94-4	94-4	94-4
New Brunswick	60-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-4	102-1	101-2	100-6	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2
Quebec	61-5	95-8	96-3	100-0	104-3	104-7	104-7	104-6	104-4	103-7	103-6	103-9	103-2	103-2	103-7
Ontario	60-4	96-3	99-2	100-0	100-4	101-4	101-4	101-4	101-1	99-0	98-9	97-9	97-7	97-0	97-0
Manitoba	68-1	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	100-1	100-1	99-1	98-7	98-7	98-7	98-7	98-9
Saskatchewan	73-0	96-6	106-4	100-0	101-7	102-3	102-5	102-5	101-9	101-4	98-2	97-2	96-3	94-4	92-5
Alberta	78-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-5	101-6	101-6	100-8	100-5	94-0	92-4	90-8	90-2	90-7	90-0
British Columbia	66-1	97-1	98-9	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-8	99-4	99-3	99-4	99-2	99-2	98-6
Dominion Index	63-8	97-6	99-0	100-0	101-5	102-2	102-3	102-2	101-9	100-6	99-6	99-0	98-9	98-3	98-2

## INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES

(1926=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	151-1	138-2	138-2	138-2	138-5	139-0	139-0	137-9	137-9	130-2	130-2	130-5	130-5	130-5
New Brunswick	100-0	166-7	166-7	166-7	166-7	169-0	170-2	168-7	167-7	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0
Quebec	100-0	155-9	156-7	152-7	159-3	159-9	159-9	159-9	159-7	159-4	158-3	158-2	158-6	157-6	158-3
Ontario	100-0	159-4	164-2	165-6	166-3	167-9	167-9	167-9	167-4	163-9	163-8	162-1	161-8	160-6	160-6
Manitoba	100-0	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-9	146-9	146-9	146-9	145-5	144-9	144-9	144-9	144-9	145-2
Saskatchewan	100-0	132-3	145-7	136-9	139-2	140-0	140-3	139-5	138-8	134-4	133-1	131-8	129-2	126-6	126-6
Alberta	100-0	127-0	127-0	127-0	127-6	129-0	129-0	128-0	127-6	119-4	117-3	115-3	114-6	115-2	114-3
British Columbia	100-0	146-8	149-5	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-2	150-9	150-3	150-1	150-3	150-0	150-0	150-0	149-1
Dominion Index	100-0	153-0	155-1	156-7	159-1	160-1	160-3	160-1	159-7	157-6	156-1	155-1	155-0	154-0	153-9

## INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	151-1	138-2	138-2	138-2	138-5	139-0	139-0	137-9	137-9	130-2	130-2	130-5	130-5	130-5
New Brunswick	100-0	166-7	166-7	166-7	166-7	169-0	170-2	168-7	167-7	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0
Quebec	100-0	155-9	156-7	152-7	159-3	159-9	159-9	159-9	159-7	159-4	158-3	158-2	158-6	157-6	158-3
Ontario	100-0	159-4	164-2	165-6	166-3	167-9	167-9	167-9	167-4	163-9	163-8	162-1	161-8	160-6	160-6
Manitoba	100-0	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-9	146-9	146-9	146-9	145-5	144-9	144-9	144-9	144-9	145-2
Saskatchewan	100-0	132-3	145-7	136-9	139-2	140-0	140-3	139-5	138-8	134-4	133-1	131-8	129-2	126-6	126-6
Alberta	100-0	127-0	127-0	127-0	127-6	129-0	129-0	128-0	127-6	119-4	117-3	115-3	114-6	115-2	114-3
British Columbia	100-0	146-8	149-5	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-2	150-9	150-3	150-1	150-3	150-0	150-0	150-0	149-1
Dominion Index	100-0	153-0	155-1	156-7	159-1	160-1	160-3	160-1	159-7	157-6	156-1	155-1	155-0	154-0	153-9

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY

(1926=100)

P.E.I.				100-0	94-6	110-3	124-8	127-9	124-4	113-7	119-5	120-8	116-9	115-0	128-5
Nova Scotia	54-0	93-6	90-4	100-0	102-5	101-7	113-0	118-9	120-9	97-7	94-6	90-0	87-4	82-4	83-3
New Brunswick	42-7	103-6	102-4	100-0	99-3	103-5	101-5	98-0	99-8	93-8	88-9	90-1	86-0	89-0	88-7
Quebec	48-7	94-5	93-7	100-0	104-2	107-3	103-9	102-9	99-0	99-5	95-2	94-1	95-1	95-5	97-0
Ontario	43-0	97-7	101-4	100-0	94-7	95-3	108-3	108-3	108-2	103-1	97-2	97-0	98-1	99-5	103-0
Manitoba	71-8	106-5	100-9	100-0	101-4	104-3	102-8	109-4	103-6	100-8	94-9	96-1	94-0	91-5	100-2
Saskatchewan	68-1	99-0	93-3	100-0	100-9	100-2	99-5	101-6	99-0	99-1	90-8	85-9	88-5	89-4	90-0
Alberta	57-8	99-9	101-5	100-0	95-1	94-1	91-0	86-8	86-0	83-4	78-1	75-7	74-4	70-4	76-8
British Columbia	63-7	100-8	102-8	100-0	93-5	89-8	94-3	97-6	95-7	89-8	81-4	84-7	86-1	88-3	90-9
Dominion Index	49-5	97-6	98-2	100-0	98-9	100-2	104-2	104-6	102-8	98-9	93-5	92-6	93-0	93-2	96-0

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	173-2	167-3	185-1	189-7	188-2	209-2	220-1	223-8	180-8	175-1	166-6	161-8	152-5	154-2
New Brunswick	100-0	242-4	239-6	234-0	232-4	242-2	237-5	229-3	233-5	219-5	208-0	210-8	201-2	208-3	198-2
Quebec	100-0	191-4	192-5	205-4	214-0	220-4	213-4	211-4	203-3	204-4	195-5	193-3	195-3	196-2	199-2
Ontario	100-0	222-7	235-9	232-6	220-3	221-9	251-9	251-9	251-7	239-8	226-1	225-6	228-2	231-4	239-6
Manitoba	100-0	148-3	140-5	139-2	141-1	145-2	143-1	152-3	144-2	140-3	132-1	133-8	130-8	131-3	139-5
Saskatchewan	100-0	145-5	137-1	146-9	148-2	147-2	146-2	149-3	145-4	145-6	133-4	126-2	130-0	131-3	132-2
Alberta	100-0	172-9	175-6	173-0	164-5	162-8	157-4	150-2	148-8	144-3	135-1	131-0	128-7	121-8	132-9
British Columbia	100-0	158-2	161-3	156-9	146-7	140-9	148-0	153-1	150-2	140-9	127-7	132-9	135-1	138-5	142-6
Dominion Index	100-0	197-1	198-3	201-9	199-7	202-3	210-4	211-2	207-6	199-7	188-8	187-0	187-8	188-2	193-8

TABLE XXIX—AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1924-1937

Province	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES FOR PUBLIC WARDS															
P.E.I.				1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Nova Scotia	0.91	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.87	1.87
New Brunswick				2.46	2.46	2.46	2.46	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.53	2.53
Quebec	0.89	1.97	1.97	1.84	1.90	2.05	2.11	2.12	2.12	2.12	2.11	2.10	2.12	2.12	2.12
Ontario	1.00	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.69	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.73	1.72	1.72	1.74	1.84
Manitoba	1.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.51	1.51	1.52	1.52	1.52
Saskatchewan	1.13	1.92	1.97	2.45	2.45	2.43	2.45	2.45	2.40	2.35	2.24	2.20	2.19	2.18	2.18
Alberta	1.24	2.17	2.27	2.27	2.30	2.30	2.31	2.31	2.29	2.28	2.23	2.21	2.23	2.21	2.26
British Columbia	1.05	2.14	2.14	2.29	2.29	2.29	2.52	2.52	2.52	2.50	2.50	2.48	2.49	2.52	2.62
Dominion Average	0.99	1.77	1.78	1.83	1.86	1.96	2.03	2.04	2.03	2.03	1.99	1.98	1.98	1.99	2.04
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS															
P.E.I.				2.50	2.50	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.51	2.51	2.51	2.28	2.28
Nova Scotia	1.60	2.56	2.56	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.20	3.19	3.19	3.18	3.08	3.08	3.06	3.06
New Brunswick				2.11	2.11	2.43	2.43	2.64	2.64	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.52	2.52	2.48
Quebec	1.64	2.52	2.91	3.12	3.15	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.21	3.19	3.17	3.17	3.13	3.13	3.13
Ontario	1.30	2.65	2.60	2.14	2.17	2.17	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.16	2.11	2.10	2.10	2.11	2.16
Manitoba	2.18	3.55	3.55	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.32	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.23
Saskatchewan	1.72	3.39	3.44	3.39	3.39	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.36	3.33	3.24	3.23	3.23	3.22	3.22
Alberta	2.16	3.25	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.52	3.45	3.45	3.37	3.38	3.34	3.33	3.33	3.35
British Columbia	1.89	3.50	3.52	3.40	3.40	3.39	3.39	3.39	3.34	3.33	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.38
Dominion Average	1.57	2.74	2.84	2.82	2.83	2.85	2.87	2.89	2.89	2.85	2.82	2.80	2.79	2.79	2.81
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS															
P.E.I.				3.75	3.75	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.94	3.94	3.94	3.94	3.94
Nova Scotia	1.87	3.02	3.07	3.82	3.99	4.01	4.04	4.11	4.02	4.02	4.02	3.89	3.91	3.91	3.91
New Brunswick				3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.81	3.81	3.85	3.83	3.82	3.75	3.75	3.75
Quebec	2.60	4.56	5.85	6.16	6.35	6.46	6.41	6.44	6.46	6.15	6.12	6.06	6.00	6.03	6.03
Ontario	2.54	4.62	4.59	4.64	4.66	4.60	4.76	4.75	4.75	4.66	4.60	4.58	4.57	4.57	4.59
Manitoba	3.98	6.10	6.10	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.05	5.99	5.97	5.91	5.80	5.80	5.80	5.82	5.82
Saskatchewan	3.13	5.09	4.80	4.62	4.62	4.62	4.96	4.96	4.89	4.75	4.70	4.75	4.77	4.65	4.66
Alberta	3.33	5.01	5.11	4.51	4.57	4.56	4.63	4.59	4.58	4.57	4.50	4.48	4.49	4.53	4.54
British Columbia	2.58	3.95	3.97	5.08	5.08	5.11	5.06	5.05	5.05	5.09	4.94	4.94	4.95	4.95	5.02
Dominion Average	2.68	4.58	4.92	5.07	5.14	5.25	5.23	5.24	5.23	5.11	5.06	5.03	5.01	5.01	5.03
AVERAGE OPERATING ROOM CHARGES															
P.E.I.				7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
Nova Scotia	4.55	6.87	6.28	7.39	7.39	7.40	7.43	7.43	7.37	7.37	6.96	6.96	6.97	6.97	6.97
New Brunswick	6.00	10.00	10.00	7.26	7.26	7.36	7.41	7.34	7.30	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27
Quebec	5.58	8.70	8.74	9.26	9.65	9.69	9.69	9.69	9.68	9.66	9.60	9.59	9.62	9.55	9.60
Ontario	4.43	7.06	7.27	7.48	7.51	7.58	7.58	7.58	7.58	7.40	7.39	7.32	7.30	7.25	7.25
Manitoba	6.81	10.00	10.00	9.58	9.58	9.59	9.59	9.59	9.59	9.49	9.45	9.45	9.45	9.45	9.47
Saskatchewan	5.74	7.59	8.36	7.69	7.83	7.87	7.88	7.88	7.84	7.80	7.55	7.47	7.41	7.26	7.11
Alberta	5.12	6.50	6.50	6.99	7.02	7.10	7.10	7.04	7.02	6.57	6.45	6.34	6.30	6.34	6.29
British Columbia	4.73	6.94	7.06	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.57	8.56	8.52	8.52	8.52	8.51	8.51	8.46
Dominion Average	5.16	7.87	7.97	8.17	8.31	8.36	8.37	8.36	8.33	8.23	8.14	8.10	8.09	8.04	8.03
AVERAGE COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY															
P.E.I.				2.61	2.47	2.88	3.26	3.34	3.25	2.97	3.12	3.16	3.06	3.01	3.36
Nova Scotia	1.28	2.22	2.14	2.87	2.94	2.92	3.24	3.41	3.47	2.80	2.71	2.58	2.50	2.36	2.39
New Brunswick				3.24	3.21	3.35	3.28	3.17	3.22	3.03	2.87	2.91	2.78	2.88	2.74
Quebec	1.63	3.16	3.14	3.81	3.98	4.09	3.96	3.92	3.77	3.79	3.63	3.58	3.62	3.64	3.70
Ontario	1.49	3.39	3.52	3.51	3.33	3.35	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.63	3.42	3.42	3.45	3.50	3.62
Manitoba	2.20	3.26	3.09	3.04	3.08	3.17	3.13	3.33	3.15	3.06	2.88	2.92	2.86	2.78	3.04
Saskatchewan	2.29	3.34	3.14	3.19	3.22	3.20	3.18	3.24	3.16	3.16	2.90	2.74	2.82	2.85	2.87
Alberta	2.18	3.77	3.83	3.60	3.43	3.39	3.28	3.13	3.10	3.01	2.82	2.73	2.68	2.54	2.77
British Columbia	2.01	3.18	3.25	3.55	3.32	3.19	3.35	3.47	3.40	3.19	2.89	3.01	3.06	3.14	3.23
Dominion Average	1.68	3.25	3.26	3.48	3.45	3.49	3.62	3.63	3.57	3.44	3.25	3.22	3.23	3.23	3.33

# INDEX NUMBERS AND PRICES OF MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES, 1913-1937

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index of manufactured fuel gas on the base 1926=100, rose from 93.6 in 1936 to 94.5 in 1937. This was the first upward movement following upon a persistent decline which has continued since 1921. Between that date and 1936, manufactured gas rates moved in the same broad direction as general fuel rates. Among the provinces, Ontario showed an increase, while the British Columbia figure was lower. Toronto was the only city to record an advance, but it was of sufficient consequence to overbalance declines for Kitchener, St. Thomas, Stratford, New Westminster and Vancouver. Prices in Canada ranged from \$1.76 per thousand cubic feet for Oshawa to \$0.65 for Guelph.

A natural gas index on the base 1926=100, was unchanged at 92.3 for 1937. City rates per first thousand cubic feet of gas ranged from \$1.40 at London and Windsor, Ontario, to \$0.237 for Medicine Hat.

**TABLE XXX—PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1923-1937**

Net price per 1,000 cu. ft. as at the end of each year (exclusive of meter rent or other service charge)

	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Nova Scotia—																
Halifax.....					1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.20- 1.90	1.20- 1.90	1.20- 1.90	1.20- 1.90
New Brunswick—																
Saint John.....	1.00	2.50	2.25	2.25	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75
Quebec—																
Montreal.....	.90	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Quebec.....	1.20	1.55	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.59	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Sherbrooke.....	1.25	1.48	1.48	1.48	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21
Ontario—																
Belleville.....	1.25	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60
Brockville.....	.90	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.70	1.53	1.44	1.38	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35
Guelph.....						1.05	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	.90	.70	.65	.65	.65	.65
Hamilton.....						1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
Kingston.....						1.44	1.44	1.40	1.35	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
Kitchener.....	1.10	1.60	1.50	1.30	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95	.95	.95	.85
London.....	.90	1.15	1.15	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Oshawa.....	1.40	2.00	2.00	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.65	1.65	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.76	1.76	1.76	1.76	1.76
Ottawa.....	1.10	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
Owen Sound.....	1.25	1.62	1.62	1.22	1.35	1.22	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12
Peterborough.....	1.25	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.48	1.48	1.39	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30
St. Thomas.....						1.50	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40	1.00	1.00	1.15	1.15	1.40	1.40
Sault Ste. Marie.....						1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.60	1.60	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54
Stratford.....	1.20	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.80	1.75	1.75	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65
Toronto.....	.70	.90	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.90
Waterloo.....					1.65	1.30	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15
Manitoba—																
Winnipeg.....	1.20	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47
British Columbia—																
New Westminster.....	2.25	2.48	2.48	2.48	2.48	1.70	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.73
Vancouver.....	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.68
Victoria.....	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.71	1.71	1.71

1 First price for standard service; second price for dual service.

2 Price as at September 23rd. Following that date natural gas was introduced.

3 First price for general service; second price optional domestic rate.



TABLE XXXI—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1923-1937

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)  
(1926=100)

	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
DOMINION.....	76.3	103.5	102.7	100.4	100.0	98.4	98.1	97.7	97.4	95.5	94.3	94.1	94.0	93.7	93.6	94.5
Provinces—																
N.S. (1 city).....					100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	87.9	87.9	87.9
N.B. (1 city).....					100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Quebec.....	51.2	124.4	112.2	112.2	100.0	100.0	96.1	96.1	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0
Ontario.....	82.6	100.3	100.2	100.2	100.0	96.1	96.1	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0
Prairie (1 city).....	69.7	105.0	104.5	100.2	100.0	99.7	99.2	98.5	97.9	93.8	91.8	91.4	91.1	90.6	90.5	92.6
Brit. Columbia.....	81.6	106.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
96.8	97.1	97.1	97.1	100.0	99.1	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.2	96.2	94.2
Cities—																
Halifax.....					100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	87.9	87.9	87.9
Saint John.....	51.2	124.4	112.2	112.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Montreal.....	82.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7
Quebec.....	80.0	103.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sherbrooke.....	97.2	110.1	110.1	110.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5
Belleville.....	67.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5
Brockville.....	50.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.4	85.2	82.6	78.1	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8
Geiuph.....					100.0	100.0	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6
Hamilton.....					100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	82.3	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0
Kingston.....					100.0	97.7	95.1	95.1	91.8	90.1	85.9	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5	85.5
Kitchener.....	103.0	147.2	138.3	120.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3
London.....	77.6	106.4	104.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7
Oshawa.....	77.6	111.0	105.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7
Ottawa.....	77.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.7	98.7	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8	86.8
Owen Sound.....	93.2	118.5	118.5	90.9	100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2
Peterborough.....	65.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	90.8	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6
Sault Ste. Marie.....					100.0	100.0	92.6	87.4	82.5	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3
St. Thomas.....					100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.6	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3	98.3
Stratford.....	62.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.3	90.6	88.2	88.2	84.9	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5
Toronto.....	66.7	104.7	104.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	96.8	96.8	96.8	96.8	96.8	96.8	96.8	96.8	96.8	96.8
Waterloo.....					100.0	79.6	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	71.3	71.3	71.3	71.3	71.3
Winnipeg.....	81.6	106.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
New Westminster.....	91.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	71.4	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8
Vancouver.....	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Victoria.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

TABLE XXXII—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1923-1937

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)  
(1913=100)

	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
DOMINION.....	100.0	135.7	134.6	131.6	131.1	129.0	128.6	128.1	127.7	125.2	123.6	123.4	123.2	122.8	122.7	123.9
Provinces—																
Maritime (1 city).....	100.0	242.9	219.0	219.0	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2
Quebec.....	100.0	121.4	121.2	121.2	121.0	116.3	116.3	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2	116.2
Ontario.....	100.0	150.5	149.9	143.8	143.0	142.3	141.2	140.4	134.5	131.6	131.1	130.6	129.9	129.8	132.8	132.8
Prairie (1 city).....	100.0	130.0	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5
Brit. Columbia.....	100.0	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	99.4	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	96.9	96.9	96.9	96.5	96.5	94.5
Cities—																
Saint John.....	100.0	242.9	219.0	219.0	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2
Montreal.....	100.0	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
Quebec.....	100.0	129.2	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0
Sherbrooke.....	100.0	113.3	113.3	113.3	102.9	102.9	102.9	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1
Belleville.....	100.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0
Brockville.....	100.0	200.0	200.0	200.0	200.0	188.8	170.4	165.2	156.2	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6
Kitchener.....	100.0	142.9	134.3	117.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	92.5	92.5	92.5	92.5	83.4
London.....	100.0	128.9	126.3	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
Oshawa.....	100.0	142.4	135.6	128.8	128.8	128.8	127.1	127.1	111.8	111.8	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1
Ottawa.....	100.0	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	122.1	122.1	122.1	122.1	120.1	118.0	118.0	118.0	118.0
Owen Sound.....	100.0	127.1	127.1	97.5	107.3	97.4	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8
Peterborough.....	100.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	140.8	132.8	125.4	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0	119.0
Stratford.....	100.0	160.4	160.4	160.4	152.9	145.3	141.5	141.5	136.2	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9	126.4
Toronto.....	100.0	157.1	157.1	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	145.2	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.8	142.8	148.8
Winnipeg.....	100.0	130.0	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5
New Westminster.....	100.0	109.2	109.2	109.2	109.2	78.0	72.0	72.0	70.2	70.2	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	69.2
Vancouver.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	98.0
Victoria.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2	97.2	97.2

\* Manufactured gas replaced by natural gas after September 23rd. Index based on average bill for year.

TABLE XXXIII—PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1923-1937

Net price per 1,000 cu. ft. as at the end of each year (exclusive of meter rent or other service charge)

(Where double quotations are shown, the first figure is the regular rate, and the second figure is the summer rate; single quotations apply to the end of the year)

	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
New Brunswick—																
Moncton.....	.38	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50
Ontario—																
Brantford.....	.30	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Chatham.....	.25			.45	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.36
				.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75				
Galt.....					.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
London.....															1.40	1.40
Niagara Falls.....	.40	.65	.65	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
		.70	.70													
Port Colborne.....					.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
St. Catharines.....	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
Sarnia.....	.80	.50	.50	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55
		.70	.70	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Welland.....	.28	.70	.70	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
				1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30							
Windsor.....	.30	.50	.50	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40
				.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80							
Woodstock.....	.35	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Alberta—																
Calgary.....	.30	.48	.48	.48	.38	.38	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33
Edmonton.....					.45	.45	.45	.45	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38
Medicine Hat.....	.135	.25	.225	.225	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237

1 Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.

TABLE XXXIV—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1923-1937

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1926=100)

	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
DOMINION.....	58.0	94.5	94.1	104.0	100.0	96.8	93.3	93.2	92.5	93.9	94.3	93.9	93.4	93.2	92.3	92.3
Provinces—																
Maritime.....	76.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Ontario.....	47.7	82.0	81.7	99.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.8	99.8	105.7	106.7	105.8	104.6	104.6	102.8	102.8
Alberta.....	70.3	112.1	111.3	111.3	100.0	93.0	85.4	85.4	83.9	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	80.7	80.6	80.6
Cities—																
Moncton.....	76.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Brantford.....	59.3	100.0	100.0		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Chatham.....	43.7			95.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Galt.....					100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
London.....															81.3	81.3
Niagara Falls.....	40.0	68.9	67.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Port Colborne.....					100.0	100.0	100.0	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
St. Catharines.....	94.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sarnia.....	40.1	89.6	89.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Welland.....	28.0	68.7	67.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	116.2	118.8	113.8	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1
Windsor.....	44.1	73.5	73.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9
Woodstock.....	58.8	94.1	94.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Calgary.....	70.4	112.7	112.7	112.7	100.0	89.2	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5
Edmonton.....					100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.8	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4
Medicine Hat.....	68.9	104.6	94.9	94.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.9	94.2	94.2

1 Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.

**TABLE XXXV—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1923-1937**

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1913=100)

	1913	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
DOMINION.....	100.0	163.0	162.2	179.3	172.4	166.9	160.8	160.7	159.5	161.9	162.6	161.9	161.0	160.7	159.1	159.1
Provinces—																
Maritime.....	100.0	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6
Ontario.....	100.0	171.8	171.2	208.3	209.5	209.5	209.5	209.1	209.1	221.4	223.5	221.7	219.1	219.1	215.4	215.4
Alberta.....	100.0	159.4	158.3	158.3	142.2	132.2	121.4	121.4	119.3	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	114.8	114.6	114.6
Cities—																
Moncton.....	100.0	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6
Brantford.....	100.0	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6	168.6
Chatham.....	100.0			218.2	228.6	228.6	228.6	228.6	228.6	228.6	228.6	250.3	255.1	255.1	255.1	255.1
London.....															198.5	98.5
Niagara Falls.....	100.0	172.2	167.8	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0	250.0
St. Catharines.....	100.0	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4
Sarnia.....	100.0	223.7	223.7	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6
Welland.....	100.0	245.5	239.4	357.1	357.1	357.1	357.1	357.1	357.1	317.5	317.5	317.5	317.5	317.5	317.5	317.5
Windsor.....	100.0	166.7	166.7	226.7	226.7	226.7	226.7	226.7	226.7	263.4	269.3	258.0	249.6	249.6	249.6	249.6
Woodstock.....	100.0	160.2	160.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2	170.2
Calgary.....	100.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	142.0	126.7	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1
Medicine Hat.....	100.0	151.9	137.8	137.8	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	145.2	139.2	136.8	136.8

¹ Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.

**INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES**

Computed by the Bureau's Transportation Branch in Collaboration with the Prices' Division.

The accompanying table shows that charges for electricity for domestic lighting declined .8 per cent from 1936 to 1937, the index for the latter year on the 1926 base being 81.3. Rates were 44.1 per cent below those in 1913. In recent years, although the average domestic bill has been somewhat larger than formerly, rate reductions in the form of greater discounts, etc., have reduced the unit cost of electricity used in the home.

**TABLE XXXVI—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1926 and 1930-1937**

(1926=100)

	1926	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
CANADA.....	100.0	89.5	87.5	87.5	87.6	87.8	86.2	85.4	81.3
Prince Edward Island.....	100.0	84.6	84.6	84.6	74.9	74.9	67.2	67.2	63.9
Nova Scotia.....	100.0	76.5	71.5	70.9	70.0	70.0	70.0	69.4	59.6
New Brunswick.....	100.0	90.6	90.6	88.0	87.8	87.8	85.5	84.4	83.0
Newbee.....	100.0	87.8	83.5	83.2	82.2	81.3	75.2	75.2	73.0
Ontario.....	100.0	93.7	92.1	92.1	93.3	94.3	94.4	93.6	85.9
Manitoba.....	100.0	99.3	98.4	98.1	98.1	98.1	96.7	96.7	96.7
Saskatchewan.....	100.0	73.8	73.8	73.4	72.2	72.2	72.2	71.9	71.0
Alberta.....	100.0	75.8	75.4	75.4	75.4	75.4	74.5	74.5	74.3
British Columbia.....	100.0	81.9	81.9	83.2	83.2	83.2	83.2	79.3	79.0



TABLE XXXVII—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1926 AND 1930-1937

(1913=100)

	1926	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
CANADA.....	68.7	61.5	60.1	60.1	60.2	60.3	59.2	58.7	55.9
Prince Edward Island.....	119.8	101.4	101.4	101.4	89.7	89.7	80.5	80.5	76.6
Nova Scotia.....	83.5	63.9	59.7	59.2	58.5	58.5	58.5	57.9	49.8
New Brunswick.....	68.9	62.4	62.4	60.6	60.5	60.5	58.9	58.2	57.2
Quebec.....	63.4	55.7	52.9	52.7	52.1	51.5	47.7	47.7	46.3
Ontario.....	60.6	56.8	55.8	55.8	56.5	57.1	57.2	56.7	52.1
Manitoba.....	99.9	99.2	98.3	98.0	98.0	98.0	96.6	96.6	96.6
Saskatchewan.....	97.2	71.7	71.7	71.3	70.2	70.2	70.2	69.9	69.0
Alberta.....	79.0	59.9	59.6	59.6	59.6	59.6	58.9	58.9	58.7
British Columbia.....	68.3	55.9	55.9	56.8	56.8	56.8	56.8	54.2	54.0

## TELEPHONE RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS

## DOMESTIC TELEPHONES

The index number for domestic telephone rates in Canada on the base 1926=100 remained unchanged for 1937 at 107.4. The average 1937 rate for domestic use in Canada was \$2.58 per month, while provincial rates ranged from \$2.17 for British Columbia to \$2.94 for Manitoba.

## BUSINESS TELEPHONES

Taking average quotations in 1926 as equal to 100, the index of business telephone rates in Canada at 118.5 in 1937 showed no change from the previous year. Average rates for business telephones were highest in British Columbia at \$6.75, while the minimum rate of \$3.67 was reported by Prince Edward Island. The average Dominion rate of \$6.16 was the same as for 1936. It should be noted that the amounts of service given in the case of business telephones vary materially in different cities.

TABLE XXXVIII—DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1934-1937

	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1934	1935	1936	1937	1913	1934	1935	1936	1937
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.25-2.50	1.44-3.10	1.44-2.25	1.44-2.25	1.44-3.10	2.01	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58
Prince Edward Island.....	1	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
Nova Scotia.....	6	1.67-2.17	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.00	2.43	2.43	2.43	2.43
New Brunswick.....	3	1.67-2.50	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.16	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
Quebec.....	14	1.50-2.40	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	2.31	2.67	2.67	2.67	2.67
Ontario.....	32	1.25-2.08	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.84	2.56	2.56	2.56	2.56
Manitoba.....	3	1.66-2.50	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.46	2.94	2.94	2.94	2.94
Saskatchewan.....	4	2.25-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.25	2.68	2.68	2.68	2.68
Alberta.....	5	1.25-1.67	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	1.67	2.81	2.81	2.81	2.81
British Columbia.....	6	1.50-2.00	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.98	2.17	2.17	2.17	2.17

\* Approximate.

TABLE XXXIX—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1934-1937

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1934	1935	1936	1937	1913	1934	1935	1936	1937
DOMINION.....	83.2	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	100.0	129.1	129.1	129.1	129.1
Prince Edward Island.....	73.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5
Nova Scotia.....	82.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5
New Brunswick.....	78.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	127.3	127.3	127.3	127.3
Quebec.....	95.3	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	100.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0
Ontario.....	79.7	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	100.0	139.1	139.1	139.1	139.1
Manitoba.....	78.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	126.8	126.8	126.8	126.8
Saskatchewan.....	87.9	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	100.0	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3
Alberta.....	59.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.4	169.4	169.4	169.4
British Columbia.....	91.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5

TABLE XL—BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1934-1937

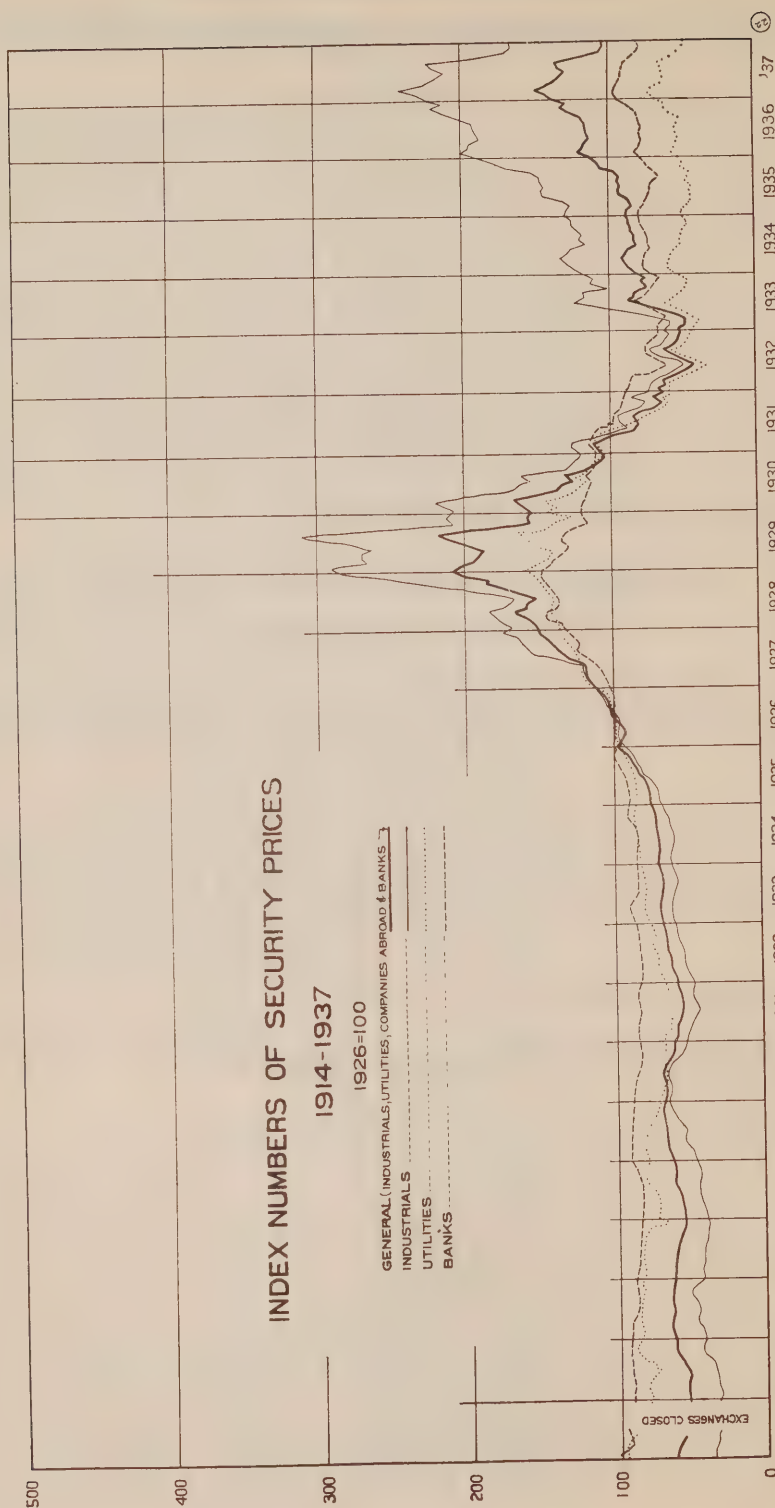
	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1934	1935	1936	1937	1913	1934	1935	1936	1937
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.83-6.00	2.95-3.67	2.95-3.67	2.95-3.67	2.95-3.67	4.21	6.16	6.16	6.16	6.16
Prince Edward Island.....	1	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67
Nova Scotia.....	6	2.67-3.92	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.54	5.81	5.81	5.81	5.81
New Brunswick.....	3	2.67-3.91	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.54	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39
Quebec.....	14	1.83-4.75	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	4.34	6.47	6.47	6.47	6.47
Ontario.....	32	1.83-4.33	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.77	6.01	6.01	6.01	6.01
Manitoba.....	3	3.16-5.25	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	5.10	6.53	6.53	6.53	6.53
Saskatchewan.....	4	3.09	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.09	4.14	4.14	4.14	4.14
Alberta.....	5	2.17-4.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	3.33	5.63	5.63	5.63	5.63
British Columbia.....	6	4.50-6.00	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	5.70	6.75	6.75	6.75	6.75

\*Measured service basis.

TABLE XLI—INDEX NUMBERS OF BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1934-1937

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1934	1935	1936	1937	1913	1934	1935	1936	1937
DOMINION.....	80.6	118.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	100.0	146.9	146.9	146.9	146.9
Prince Edward Island.....	82.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	122.0	122.0	122.0	122.0
Nova Scotia.....	60.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	164.1	164.1	164.1	164.1
New Brunswick.....	65.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	152.3	152.3	152.3	152.3
Quebec.....	87.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	100.0	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3
Ontario.....	80.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	100.0	159.3	159.3	159.3	159.3
Manitoba.....	76.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2
Saskatchewan.....	78.0	104.5	104.5	104.5	104.5	100.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	134.0
Alberta.....	59.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.1	169.1	169.1	169.1
British Columbia.....	84.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	118.2	118.2	118.2	118.2





## SECURITY PRICES

### INVESTORS' SECURITY PRICES INDEX NUMBERS

Canadian security prices of all types suffered net losses during 1937. Amounts varied, ranging from an average of approximately 20 per cent for common stocks down to 2 per cent for Dominion long-term bonds. Year-end comparisons failed to reveal the extent of price reactions in 1937 which came between February and October, following a period of rapid appreciation dating from the summer of 1935. This recession wiped out gains of 1936 and part of those recorded for 1935, before signs of hesitant recovery appeared in November and December. Mining stocks showed considerable improvement at this time, although industrials and utilities made little progress.

### INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS

Industrial common stocks reached a major turning point on March 10 and thereafter moved definitely downward. This marked the termination of an irregular advance dating from February 1933. Intervening reactions were all of a minor character and bore little semblance to the drastic decline of the past year. The first phase of this movement ended on April 29 in a heavy wave of liquidation. The industrial index for that day was 205.0 as compared with the March 10 peak of 247.3 and the opening level of 220.0 on January 4. There followed a period of erratic recovery terminating on August 14 with the index at 226.0. Most of the improvement occurred rather gradually. Termination came on October 19 after a week which witnessed the sharpest break in prices since October 1929. The industrial index for the 18th was 154.9. Subsequent recovery was equally pronounced at first, but markets soon settled down into a series of cyclical fluctuations, usually of about two weeks duration, and little headway resulted. The industrial price index for December 31 was 165.6. The 1937 December average of 167.7 was 21.2 per cent below the corresponding average for 1936. Percentage declines between monthly average levels for December 1936 and 1937 for various industrial stock groups were as follows: Machinery 26, pulp and paper 38, milling 26, oils 13, textiles 9, foods 15, beverages 21, building materials 28, industrial mines 29.

Utility stock prices followed the general market swings of the industrial section, but fluctuations were less pronounced. Opening at 66.1 on January 4, a price index of 19 utility common stocks moved gradually upward to the year's high of 75.3 on February 20, three weeks before industrials reached their crest. The subsequent decline halted at an intermediate low of 59.2 on April 28. The second low in utilities of 48.0 came on October 19 after an intervening rise to 67.3 on August 9. Subsequent rallies showed little underlying strength and during the last two months the utility average twice dropped under the lowest October levels. It was 47.8 on December 31. Sharp declines in the transportation section, and last quarter weakness in the power issues were responsible for the losses registered by the utility group.

### INDEX NUMBERS OF PREFERRED STOCKS

Preferred stock prices continued to parallel the movements in industrial and utility common stock markets. Their recovery in recent years has been less decided than that shown for common stocks except in 1936, when the preferred section advanced 27 per cent as compared with 20 per cent for industrial and utility averages. The relative position of preferred issues was further improved in 1937 by a less pronounced decline of 14 per cent, approximately one-third less than the reaction in common stock averages. An index of 25 preferred stock prices advanced from 93.9 for December 1936 to 103.1 in April 1937, and then declined irregularly to 81.0 in December. The greatest part of this recession came in September and October.

TABLE XLII—INDEX NUMBERS OF 25 PREFERRED STOCKS, 1927-1938

((1926=100))

—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1927.....	102.1	102.5	102.7	102.6	102.5	102.1	102.5	103.8	104.8	107.8	110.8	111.8
1928.....	111.5	110.9	109.9	111.4	111.7	111.2	110.3	107.5	107.6	106.2	104.0	107.9
1929.....	107.4	108.1	106.8	104.3	104.3	104.8	104.8	105.6	105.1	102.9	99.8	100.4
1930.....	97.9	98.8	100.0	103.4	102.6	99.5	97.4	97.1	96.2	85.4	81.9	82.5
1931.....	83.2	83.4	84.2	78.8	73.8	72.6	71.8	69.1	64.2	63.9	66.5	63.0
1932.....	57.2	58.8	58.0	55.4	48.4	45.2	49.5	52.9	53.4	52.9	52.2	50.2
1933.....	49.6	49.6	47.3	47.2	54.6	58.5	61.9	61.7	61.0	59.7	59.1	60.2
1934.....	64.1	66.5	67.3	68.5	68.7	68.4	68.1	67.3	67.4	69.5	70.6	71.4
1935.....	73.5	73.8	71.2	69.2	68.4	68.4	69.6	70.9	69.2	69.5	72.5	73.8
1936.....	74.9	77.2	76.3	76.0	74.6	76.2	79.5	80.6	83.8	86.8	91.1	93.9
1937.....	99.2	100.4	102.6	103.1	100.2	99.3	99.4	101.5	91.0	82.2	82.0	81.0
1938.....	83.4	82.1	77.5	78.2	80.1	81.8	87.2	86.8	81.3	88.0	87.5	86.9

## INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS

The movement of mining stocks showed the same broad outline as that for industrials and utilities, but the amplitude of fluctuations and positions of turning points differed materially. The first decline in the mining section started sooner and was much more severe. The second was less pronounced and subsequent recovery offered a marked contrast to weakness in utilities and the hesitant behaviour of the industrial section. The year's peak in gold stock prices came on February 3, when an index for 21 gold issues reached 142.0, up 6 points from the first of the year. The decline which followed was gradual at first, but accelerated during April, and despite repeated rallies, reactionary forces continued to predominate until the latter half of June. From 101.6 on June 23, the index moved up to 115.4 on August 16, only to establish successive new lows of 98.7 and 96.5 on September 10 and October 19 respectively. A strong rebound followed by more gradual but persistent advances brought the series up again to 118.3 on December 31.

Fluctuations in base metal stock prices were the most violent in many years. The net decline for 1937 indicated by comparison of 1936 and 1937 December averages was 33 per cent, as compared with 12 per cent for gold issues. Although the year's peak in base metals came later in February, major turning points for the group coincided closely with those for the gold section. They were marked by the following daily price indexes: 321.8 on January 4, 372.6 on February 22, 234.9 on June 23, 299.8 on August 7, 168.7 on October 19, and 214.7 on December 31. The closing rise in stock prices anticipated later improvement in commodity markets.

XLIII—INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS PRICES, 1934-1938

(1926=100)

Month	Gold	Base Metals	Total Index
1934			
No. of Stocks	19	4	23
January.....	104.7	128.3	108.9
February.....	110.1	134.2	114.4
March.....	124.3	147.1	128.1
April.....	132.0	162.3	137.2
May.....	124.2	156.5	129.8
June.....	133.4	164.2	138.5
July.....	133.3	158.3	137.2
August.....	137.4	161.7	141.1
September.....	136.7	154.9	139.2
October.....	132.9	141.4	133.5
November.....	125.7	129.0	125.5
December.....	124.7	129.6	124.9
1935			
No. of Stocks	19	4	23
January.....	123.2	132.4	124.3
February.....	123.4	131.2	124.2
March.....	127.5	135.3	128.2
April.....	124.5	140.1	128.7
May.....	121.4	150.2	128.3
June.....	116.3	153.2	123.0
July.....	110.1	151.9	117.9
August.....	106.2	155.4	115.6
September.....	109.5	159.6	119.1
October.....	106.3	109.7	118.6
November.....	111.8	181.9	125.5
December.....	116.9	201.7	133.6
1936			
No. of Stocks	20	3	23
January.....	124.8	214.8	142.4
February.....	130.2	230.4	149.8
March.....	122.7	232.2	144.2
April.....	122.8	241.1	145.8
May.....	128.9	239.2	150.3
June.....	134.4	246.0	156.1
July.....	134.4	254.1	157.6
August.....	132.6	264.0	158.1
September.....	131.2	267.1	157.6
October.....	126.4	289.4	158.2
November.....	131.8	312.5	167.0
December.....	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
No. of Stocks	21	3	24
January.....	137.5	329.6	174.6
February.....	139.4	344.8	177.2
March.....	133.0	340.5	172.6
April.....	120.0	288.0	154.1
May.....	111.3	269.3	142.1
June.....	105.9	255.0	134.7
July.....	109.2	278.9	141.8
August.....	112.5	287.4	146.2
September.....	103.5	224.5	127.6
October.....	104.3	192.4	121.6
November.....	113.8	192.4	129.4
December.....	115.5	213.1	134.3
1938			
No. of Stocks	21	3	24
January.....	121.0	241.7	144.1
February.....	124.3	246.9	147.7
March.....	111.4	225.3	134.9
April.....	110.5	229.5	133.9
May.....	114.1	243.0	139.5
June.....	119.2	259.5	145.8
July.....	119.8	282.1	151.1
August.....	123.8	289.2	156.0
September.....	113.6	269.8	144.0
October.....	121.3	308.2	157.4



\*TABLE XLIV—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1934-1938

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)

(1926=100)

Month	GENERAL	BANKS	UTILITIES				INDUSTRIALS		
	Total	Total	Total	Transportation	Telephone and Telegraph	Power and Traction	Total	Machinery and Equipment	Pulp and Paper
1934 No. of Stocks	121	8	20	2	2	16	87		6
January.....	81.6	71.7	53.5	38.6	86.2	64.8	118.6		11.4
February.....	86.5	76.7	58.0	42.1	88.8	70.9	123.8		13.6
March.....	88.0	76.9	58.8	43.3	90.0	71.1	128.5		13.2
April.....	90.7	76.1	58.1	42.0	90.9	70.7	133.0		13.8
May.....	88.6	75.2	56.7	40.2	90.0	69.7	128.0		12.5
June.....	87.2	72.7	54.5	37.9	90.2	67.0	126.1		10.5
July.....	81.3	73.6	50.6	32.9	89.6	63.4	116.6		9.9
August.....	83.8	73.1	51.2	33.4	89.4	64.4	120.1		9.6
September.....	83.8	74.9	50.1	33.1	90.6	61.7	118.8		9.8
October.....	85.2	76.1	49.0	31.1	92.7	60.8	122.0		11.0
November.....	86.0	78.3	46.5	28.6	93.7	57.5	125.3		11.6
December.....	86.2	79.0	47.5	29.1	97.6	58.5	125.6		
1935 No. of Stocks	121	9	20	2	2	16	87	8	6
January.....	88.6	80.1	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	129.7	130.4	14.0
February.....	87.8	79.9	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	128.8	128.8	13.4
March.....	84.4	76.8	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	125.6	119.4	11.6
April.....	86.4	75.0	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	130.8	122.7	11.1
May.....	93.6	73.1	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	144.4	120.2	10.8
June.....	93.8	72.0	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	145.2	115.5	10.5
July.....	92.4	71.7	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	143.8	119.6	10.6
August.....	94.7	70.6	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	146.1	119.7	12.0
September.....	93.6	65.9	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	147.1	115.3	12.4
October.....	96.1	68.4	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	152.9	120.3	12.6
November.....	105.8	73.0	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	170.3	122.6	14.6
December.....	107.4	75.1	50.1	28.6	108.0	62.7	178.2	116.4	15.9
1936 No. of Stocks	121	9	23	2	2	19	89	8	6
January.....	112.9	78.6	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	187.7	118.2	18.6
February.....	120.7	82.6	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	200.0	125.0	20.2
March.....	117.4	79.6	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	194.8	122.2	18.5
April.....	115.9	77.5	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	194.2	114.3	17.5
May.....	112.8	77.7	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	187.9	108.0	16.7
June.....	113.8	77.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	189.3	106.3	17.5
July.....	114.3	77.2	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	190.1	102.4	18.6
August.....	114.7	79.0	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	191.4	103.0	18.0
September.....	119.5	79.7	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	200.6	113.6	20.3
October.....	126.9	80.6	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	212.3	127.3	24.4
November.....	131.8	84.5	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	219.9	140.4	27.5
December.....	129.2	87.7	62.8	34.6	120.4	82.1	212.8	139.4	29.7
1937 No. of Stocks	96	9	19	2	2	15	68	8	6
January.....	137.4	94.4	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	222.0	156.3	37.2
February.....	142.4	96.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	228.8	163.4	36.7
March.....	147.2	95.9	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	241.7	168.3	40.2
April.....	136.2	94.0	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	224.1	157.5	47.1
May.....	132.2	92.7	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	216.4	151.3	38.5
June.....	129.4	92.3	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	210.1	148.1	38.2
July.....	133.0	90.2	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	217.8	148.0	40.5
August.....	135.2	89.9	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	221.6	151.2	40.4
September.....	118.9	84.9	57.4	24.8	126.6	78.6	193.3	122.8	29.3
October.....	105.8	81.4	51.7	20.9	122.9	70.7	170.3	104.3	22.5
November.....	103.1	79.0	49.6	19.9	122.2	66.9	166.3	104.7	20.4
December.....	103.7	81.6	49.5	19.8	125.4	66.0	167.7	103.2	18.3
1938 No. of Stocks	95	8 <sup>1</sup>	19	2	2	15	68	8	7
January.....	107.7	84.3	48.4	19.2	125.6	64.4	177.0	109.6	13.9
February.....	107.1	81.8	46.8	17.6	123.1	63.1	177.7	109.3	17.5
March.....	99.2	80.5	43.1	14.5	120.1	58.2	164.0	100.7	14.6
April.....	97.9	80.4	43.7	15.4	117.0	59.7	160.5	103.2	15.4
May.....	99.7	80.9	44.5	14.8	122.8	61.0	163.5	107.2	15.7
June.....	100.0	81.0	45.1	15.7	123.8	61.2	163.5	111.8	18.6
July.....	106.9	84.9	48.6	18.3	123.7	66.4	175.1	129.2	21.0
August.....	105.2	85.0	47.1	16.7	125.3	64.3	172.8	130.1	21.0
September.....	98.6	83.4	42.7	14.1	121.1	57.8	162.2	120.6	17.5
October.....	109.7	86.0	46.9	16.5	125.8	64.0	182.7	139.8	22.8

\* For 1914-30 Data see Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1933, Page 158.

<sup>1</sup> Bank of Canada stock was removed from the trading list on July 14, 1938.

\*TABLE XLIV—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1934-1938—Concluded

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)—Concluded  
(1926=100)

Month	Industrials						Industrial Mines
	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Bever- ages	Building materials	
1934 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	18	8	—	—
January.....	74.9	147.0	66.6	122.6	163.6		
February.....	77.1	153.7	73.3	128.2	148.5		
March.....	77.1	152.2	76.3	129.4	141.8		
April.....	75.2	159.4	76.8	134.3	138.0		
May.....	74.3	159.0	79.1	129.9	113.8		
June.....	74.1	161.9	77.7	128.1	113.5		
July.....	72.4	153.8	72.7	123.3	86.7		
August.....	73.2	158.0	73.1	125.5	91.3		
September.....	72.6	160.2	71.9	123.4	93.8		
October.....	68.4	169.0	74.4	126.6	89.2		
November.....	66.0	180.8	74.3	128.1	98.4		
December.....	71.0	177.8	74.3	130.3	93.6		
1935 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	19	8	14	2
January.....	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	106.5	198.4
February.....	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	102.5	198.9
March.....	56.0	176.0	74.1	126.5	101.6	95.5	200.4
April.....	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	97.7	222.9
May.....	59.9	211.7	70.3	127.8	102.4	102.0	243.0
June.....	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	103.4	240.4
July.....	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	103.6	236.4
August.....	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	105.7	246.0
September.....	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	103.3	257.0
October.....	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	103.8	267.3
November.....	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	112.7	315.7
December.....	76.7	214.8	70.4	148.5	161.0	117.8	370.1
1936 No. of Stocks	5	5	11	18	9	14	2
January.....	80.4	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2
February.....	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2
March.....	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3
April.....	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8
May.....	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8
June.....	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8
July.....	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	428.5
August.....	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2
September.....	93.9	220.5	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1
October.....	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3
November.....	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2
December.....	112.5	215.4	73.5	182.3	145.3	181.9	540.0
1937 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	13	7	14	2
January.....	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3
February.....	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7
March.....	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2
April.....	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9
May.....	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8
June.....	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8
July.....	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4
August.....	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2
September.....	89.1	205.3	73.3	167.9	118.3	159.8	470.5
October.....	69.9	192.0	68.0	154.1	105.6	132.5	395.0
November.....	80.1	193.2	67.7	154.1	115.7	129.5	359.2
December.....	82.9	188.0	67.1	154.7	114.2	131.9	382.7
1938 No. of Stocks	3	4	10	12	7	15	2
January.....	87.2	194.9	64.3	158.7	116.1	138.4	422.6
February.....	88.9	195.2	64.8	159.9	115.0	131.4	425.0
March.....	76.5	181.2	60.3	132.0	101.3	116.0	387.3
April.....	75.6	172.0	55.0	151.5	106.0	119.4	386.6
May.....	85.8	177.2	54.5	153.6	107.5	122.5	389.2
June.....	84.8	170.0	54.1	156.2	109.2	129.8	395.2
July.....	88.6	177.6	50.4	167.9	120.5	142.6	433.0
August.....	88.3	176.7	50.0	168.5	122.1	139.3	421.1
September.....	78.4	165.0	54.3	162.2	108.8	121.2	401.0
October.....	85.8	182.1	58.5	170.1	133.3	139.5	467.9

# INDEX NUMBERS OF PRICES AND YIELDS OF CANADIAN BONDS, 1900-1937

The following tables present index numbers of prices and yields of Dominion of Canada long-term bonds. Exactly the same issues are included in both series and methods of computation are identical. The average maturity of issues included ranges generally between twelve and thirteen years, with an arbitrary minimum of seven years. Since only domestic issues have been utilized, the Dominion indexes do not extend beyond the post-war period when the domestic market first became active. A supplementary series of domestic Ontario bond yield index numbers is included which runs back to 1900. Provincial and municipal issues in the home market antedate Dominion issues by more than twenty years.

Prices of Dominion of Canada long-term bonds declined moderately during 1937, but remained well above average levels of recent years. Year-end averages showed a net loss of approximately 2 per cent, but were only 3 per cent below the all-time peak levels of August and September, 1936. An index of prices for representative Dominion long-term issues dropped from 118.2 for December, 1936 to 112.7 for April, 1937. Gradual recovery subsequently caused the index to advance to 115.5 for August, and it closed at 115.6 after narrow intervening fluctuations. Weakness in February and March appeared to be mainly associated with outside factors, as there were no new financing operations or other disturbing internal developments at this time. Refunding and loan operations of the Dominion and provinces proved generally successful. Eastern provincial issues were firm throughout the year, and in some cases showed greater strength than Dominion maturities. Saskatchewan and Alberta bonds suffered appreciable losses, while those for Manitoba and British Columbia registered moderate net declines.

TABLE XLV—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA, LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1927-1938

(1926=100)

—	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
January.....	101.3	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7	116.1
February.....	101.7	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3	116.6
March.....	101.6	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9	116.8
April.....	102.4	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7	117.3
May.....	103.0	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8	118.2
June.....	102.5	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9	118.1
July.....	102.0	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	115.1	117.6
August.....	102.9	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	115.5	117.6
September.....	102.6	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	115.3	116.0
October.....	103.2	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	114.5	116.9
November.....	103.8	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	114.8	117.8
December.....	105.3	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	115.6	117.7

TABLE XLVI—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1927-1938

(1926=100)

—	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
January.....	97.6	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6	66.3
February.....	96.5	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4	65.4
March.....	97.3	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7	64.7
April.....	95.7	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2	63.7
May.....	94.6	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0	61.7
June.....	95.7	93.3	104.0	98.0	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3	61.8
July.....	96.4	94.4	102.0	95.9	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	69.0	62.7
August.....	94.7	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	68.1	62.7
September.....	95.4	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	68.3	65.3
October.....	94.0	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	69.7	63.2
November.....	92.8	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	68.8	61.5
December.....	90.2	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	67.4	61.8



TABLE XLVII—INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1927-1938

(1926=100)

—	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
January.....	97.1	89.8	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.2	76.2	85.5	70.4	69.7
February.....	97.1	87.7	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3	69.3
March.....	96.0	88.7	101.3	101.3	92.9	110.6	103.0	90.1	79.5	77.3	78.5	68.5
April.....	95.2	88.7	103.3	101.3	92.9	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9	67.2
May.....	95.0	90.8	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5	65.3
June.....	95.0	91.9	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9	65.3
July.....	95.0	93.9	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	73.1	66.8
August.....	95.0	96.0	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	72.2	66.8
September.....	95.0	96.0	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	71.8	68.9
October.....	93.9	95.0	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	73.1	66.8
November.....	93.9	95.0	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	72.7	65.1
December.....	90.8	96.0	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	71.2	65.8

\*TABLE XLVIII—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1933-1938

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York

(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 419 Stocks	Industrials 347 Stocks	Railroads 32 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1933				
January.....	49.1	46.2	27.6	81.8
February.....	44.9	42.5	26.7	73.1
March.....	43.3	41.5	25.5	68.3
April.....	46.5	47.4	26.2	63.2
May.....	61.5	63.7	36.5	77.8
June.....	72.8	75.1	42.8	93.9
July.....	79.8	82.8	51.3	97.4
August.....	74.4	77.9	48.7	87.2
September.....	75.5	81.0	48.2	81.5
October.....	69.5	75.5	40.3	75.0
November.....	68.8	76.2	38.4	70.0
December.....	70.4	78.8	40.0	67.8
1934				
January.....	74.6	82.9	44.5	72.2
February.....	80.9	88.9	50.5	80.7
March.....	77.2	85.1	47.5	76.2
April.....	79.6	88.3	49.3	76.3
May.....	71.8	79.6	43.3	69.7
June.....	73.1	81.0	43.9	71.6
July.....	71.4	79.7	41.2	69.2
August.....	67.5	76.3	35.3	64.5
September.....	67.4	76.2	35.4	64.0
October.....	67.6	76.7	35.9	63.2
November.....	68.3	78.4	34.8	60.8
December.....	69.6	80.6	35.9	58.8
1935				
January.....	70.1	81.9	35.0	57.6
February.....	68.0	80.1	32.2	55.1
March.....	64.6	76.2	28.4	53.4
April.....	67.5	78.9	29.4	59.1
May.....	73.1	85.7	30.9	63.7
June.....	75.5	87.4	32.4	69.8
July.....	78.8	91.2	33.8	73.3
August.....	83.0	95.0	35.8	80.6
September.....	85.0	97.5	37.0	81.9
October.....	85.2	98.5	34.3	81.0
November.....	93.3	107.4	37.6	90.1
December.....	95.3	109.2	41.4	91.6
1936				
January.....	100.1	114.5	43.8	97.0
February.....	106.1	120.9	49.1	102.8
March.....	108.7	124.6	49.2	102.8
April.....	108.9	125.3	48.9	101.5
May.....	101.0	116.2	45.0	94.7
June.....	105.6	120.6	47.7	102.0
July.....	109.2	124.3	50.7	105.8
August.....	113.0	128.4	53.9	108.8
September.....	114.1	130.2	55.4	107.7
October.....	118.7	136.0	58.4	109.1
November.....	124.2	144.3	57.9	108.9
December.....	122.8	142.6	54.4	110.6

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## \*TABLE XLVIII—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1933-1938—Concluded

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York

(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 419 Stocks	Industrials 347 Stocks	Railroads 32 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1937				
January.....	126.0	146.3	55.6	113.2
February.....	129.5	151.7	57.9	110.7
March.....	129.9	152.6	62.8	105.7
April.....	124.5	146.5	60.1	100.7
May.....	116.3	136.7	57.1	94.1
June.....	113.6	134.0	53.9	91.3
July.....	117.8	139.4	52.1	95.9
August.....	120.5	143.5	50.9	97.0
September.....	106.4	126.2	42.6	89.2
October.....	91.4	107.4	35.4	81.3
November.....	82.9	96.1	31.4	79.5
December.....	82.2	95.2	31.2	78.8
1938				
January.....	81.6	95.7	29.0	75.7
February.....	80.7	95.7	28.3	71.2
March.....	77.9	92.7	25.5	68.5
April.....	70.7	84.2	20.9	64.0
May.....	73.9	87.4	21.8	69.5
June.....	73.1	86.4	20.5	69.2
July.....	88.0	105.3	27.3	76.5
August.....	89.5	108.0	27.8	75.0
September.....	85.0	103.9	25.5	72.2
October.....	91.1	100.6	28.1	77.4

\*For 1918-1929 data, see 1913-1933 Prices and Price Indexes, page 175.—Revised indexes from 1931.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Apart from a marked decline in the French franc, there were no major adjustments in foreign exchange parities during 1937. Attempts to maintain the franc within limits set at the time of formal devaluation in October, 1936, were unsuccessful, and recurrent periods of pressure culminated in a financial moratorium in the closing days of June. The new level of 3·875 cents also proved too high, although more than half a cent below the 1936 devaluation minimum. Further breaks early in October carried franc rates down to 3·29 cents, which proved to be the low for the year. They later recovered to 3·40 cents and were stabilized near that level during November and December. Widening discounts on forward positions pointed to renewed pressure as the year ended. The unstable condition of short-term capital markets was reflected in the erratic behaviour of London gold bullion prices. Fears of a reduction in the United States official price of gold led to huge offerings on the London market in May and early June. British authorities finally intervened to establish a London price of \$34.72 per ounce. This restored confidence and quotations moved up again to the vicinity of the London-New York parity, thus effectively checking a heavy movement of gold to the United States. Later, after drastic declines in basic commodity price levels, gold hoarding reappeared and bullion prices at London moved above the London-New York parity, leading to a small outflow of gold from the United States to Europe early in November. Montreal sterling rates reached a 1937 peak of \$5.02 at this time, and then, after a moderate reaction, held close to \$5.00 for the balance of the year. Prior to November, sterling monthly averages varied between \$4.8824 (March) and \$4.9826 (August). New York funds at Montreal were quoted within small fractional amounts of par throughout the year. A persistent inflow of funds to the Netherlands caused the Netherlands Bank to reduce the official price of gold twice during the year in an attempt to discourage this movement. Montreal monthly average rates on the florin advanced from 54·77 cents in January to 55·62 cents in December. The Belgian belga was subject to intermittent periods of pressure but its basic position remained unshaken, and the December average rate of 16·99 cents was fractionally above levels of a year earlier. Scandinavian currencies maintained their position with respect to sterling, registering moderate gains in the latter half of 1937. Trading in the Spanish peseta was resumed in August, and gradual declines reduced the December average to 6·19 cents as compared with 6·37 cents in August. Japan established a system of import control at the beginning of 1937, and supported the yen by repeated shipments of gold during the year. The yen-sterling parity remained practically unchanged. Latin-American currencies felt the impact of falling commodity markets in the final quarter through their influence upon export trade values. The Argentine peso held comparatively firm, in line with sterling, but other units, including the Brazilian milreis suffered considerable declines. Brazil removed all exchange restrictions for a brief period in November and December, but re-imposed others before the year ended.



TABLE XLIX—MONTHLY AVERAGE EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1937

NOTE.—The noon rates in Canadian funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

1937	Australia Pound	*Austria Schilling	Belgium Belga	Czecho- Slovakia Krone	Denmark Krone	*Finland Markka	France Franc	Germany Reichs- Mark	Holland Guilder	Italy Lira	Norway Krone	Spain Peseta
January.....	\$ 3.6273	1874	1687	0350	2191	0216	0467	4024	5477	0526	2467	\$
February.....	3.6162	1863	1687	0349	2185	0216	0466	4019	5470	0526	2460	.....
March.....	3.6060	1867	1684	0349	2180	0216	0460	4023	5470	0526	2453	.....
April.....	3.6276	1866	1683	0349	2191	0217	0449	4015	5468	0525	2467	.....
May.....	3.6451	1869	1684	0348	2201	0218	0447	4011	5484	0525	2478	.....
June.....	3.6504	1872	1686	0348	2204	0218	0444	4009	5500	0526	2481	.....
July.....	3.6789	1886	1686	0349	2220	0220	0381	4025	5516	0527	2497	.....
August.....	3.6861	1885	1683	0349	2224	0220	0375	4022	5516	0526	2503	.....
September.....	3.6920	1885	1684	0349	2211	0219	0382	4013	5515	0526	2489	.....
October.....	3.6933	1885	1686	0350	2212	0219	0385	4015	5527	0526	2489	.....
November.....	3.6936	1886	1690	0351	2228	0221	0339	4033	5541	0526	2507	.....
December.....	3.6988	1890	1699	0351	2231	0221	0340	4032	5562	0526	2511	.....
			Switzer- land Franc	† Argentine (Peso paper)	† Brazil Milreis	*Mexico Peso	*Hong Kong Dollar	India Rupee	Japan Yen	Shanghai Dollar	Great Britain Pound	United States Dollar
January.....	\$ 2531	2294	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
February.....	2534	2284	3024	3024	0871	2776	3060	3711	2855	2970	4.9092	1.0003
March.....	2517	2278	3003	3003	0871	2776	3035	3999	2854	2964	4.8953	1.0002
April.....	2530	2279	2998	2998	0869	2774	3065	3687	2848	2967	4.8524	9995
May.....	2542	2283	3029	3029	0870	2771	3047	3708	2860	2969	4.9095	9986
June.....	2546	2289	3036	3036	0872	2771	3053	3722	2874	2978	4.9313	9984
July.....	2564	2295	3016	3016	0874	2779	3041	3755	2877	2969	4.9380	1.0005
August.....	2560	2297	3016	3016	0873	2776	3005	3761	2892	2957	4.9736	1.0013
September.....	2553	2297	2989	2989	0872	2775	3092	3739	2903	2969	4.9826	1.0001
October.....	2554	2302	2977	2977	0872	2775	3092	3739	2885	2969	4.9532	1.0000
November.....	2573	2313	2950	2950	0872	2774	3111	3767	2907	2943	4.9908	9992
December.....	2576	2313	2930	2930	0876	2776	3121	3769	2910	2948	4.9985	1.0004

\* Commercial Intelligence Journal.

† Free market rates.

## WORLD PRICE MOVEMENTS, 1937

The price outlook changed rapidly during 1937, with early fears of excessive inflation in the spring months giving way to uneasiness regarding sharp declines in basic commodity markets during the fourth quarter. The most vigorous phase of the price recovery extending over the past five years occurred in the latter half of 1936 and the first quarter of 1937. International commodity markets reacted abruptly in April, and then displayed somewhat hesitant behaviour in the summer months, before recording further severe losses in the final quarter of 1937. General wholesale price levels, less sensitive than highly organized markets, were slower in reacting to recessionary influences and in most countries showed a net increase for the year. These were quite pronounced in certain widely separated countries, including France, Norway, and Japan. In most cases, net advances were less than 5 per cent, having been whittled down by last quarter declines. Wholesale price levels in nearly all countries remained materially higher than at the end of 1935 by percentages ranging all the way up to 70. Living costs lagged in characteristic fashion, and did not show the full impact of higher wholesale levels until the second half of 1937. Failing further pronounced increases in basic commodity markets, however, continued broad advances in living costs seem improbable. Unusual efforts were exerted by a number of national authorities to curb the rise in commodity prices. This was true of several continental European countries, the Irish Free State, and Japan. In at least one case, that of Switzerland, price declines towards the close of the year led to a relaxation of control measures.

PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN WHOLESALE PRICE AND LIVING COST INDEX  
NUMBERS, DECEMBER 1936 TO DECEMBER 1937

Country	Wholesale	Cost of Living	Country	Wholesale	Cost of Living
*France.....	+21.6	+21.9	Belgium.....	+4.1	+8.2
China (Shanghai).....	+19.0	+42.3	Canada.....	+3.9	+3.2
Norway.....	+13.6	+ 8.3	Poland.....	+2.6	+4.3
Japan.....	+10.5	+12.2	Switzerland.....	+2.6	+4.5
New Zealand.....	+ 7.9	+ 7.0	Czechoslovakia.....	+1.4	+2.7
*Sweden.....	+ 7.9	+ 5.1	Germany.....	+0.5	+0.4
United Kingdom.....	+ 6.7	+ 6.0	*Australia.....	-0.4	+2.3
Netherlands.....	+ 6.5	+ 4.4	United States.....	-3.2	+2.9
*South Africa.....	+ 4.7	+ 5.7			

\* Last quarter figures instead of December.

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TABLE L—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	Albania	Argen- tine	Common- wealth of Aus- tralia	Austria	Belgium	Bulgaria	Canada	Chile
	Authority	Official	Banco de la Nacion	Common- wealth Statist- ician Melbourne	Federal Statist- ical Office	Ministry of Industry and Labour	Official	Dominion Bureau of Statistics	Official
	Number Commodities	23	108	192	47 (b)	130	55	567 (h)	—
	Base Period	1927	1926	1913	Jan.-July, 1914	April, 1914	1914	1926 1913	1913
1	1913		76	100-0		(d) 100	100	64-0 100-0	100-0
2	1914			105-6				65-5 102-3	
3	1915			147-4				70-4 109-9	
4	1916			138-2				84-3 131-6	
5	1917			152-8				114-3 178-5	
6	1918			177-8				127-4 199-0	
7	1919			188-9				134-0 209-2	
8	1920			227-9				155-9 243-5	
9	1921		108	174-9		(e) 366		110-0 171-8	
10	1922		99	161-6	99	367		97-3 152-0	
11	1923		102	178-7	124	497		98-0 153-0	
12	1924		110	173-3	136	573		99-4 155-2	
13	1925		111	169-5	136	558		102-6 160-3	
14	1926		100	168-4	123	744	2,947	100-0 156-2	
15	1927	100	98	167-0	133	847	3,017	97-7 152-6	
16	1928	104	99	164-7	130	843	3,237	96-4 150-6	193
17	1929	100	96	165-7	130	851	3,447	95-6 149-3	192
18	1930	88	92	146-7	117	744	2,788	86-6 135-3	167
19	1931	90	89	131-3	109	626	2,332	72-1 112-6	152
20	1932	74	90	129-7	112	532	2,071	66-7 104-2	230
21	1933	57	86	129-5	108	501	1,821	67-1 104-8	346
22	1934	51	98	135-2	110	473	1,873	71-6 111-8	344
23	1935	56	97	135-0	110	537	1,919	72-1 112-6	343
24	1936	63	99	141-8	109	605	1,991	74-6 116-5	380
25	1937	65	113	152-2	113	684	2,221	84-6 132-1	455
26	1934 January	(a) 52	97	133-8	(c) 109	(f) 484	(g) 1,742	70-6 110-3	329
27	February	50	96	133-5	110	483	1,844	72-1 112-6	331
28	March	50	87	134-1	113	478	1,818	72-0 112-5	337
29	April	50	96	135-2	112	474	1,816	71-1 111-1	343
30	May	49	97	133-8	110	470	1,858	71-1 111-1	343
31	June	51	98	134-5	110	472	1,893	72-1 112-6	352
32	July	51	99	136-3	110	471	1,891	72-0 112-5	353
33	August	52	102	137-9	110	474	1,937	72-3 112-9	354
34	September	52	101	137-2	108	470	1,931	72-0 112-5	353
35	October	52	99	137-2	108	467	1,951	71-4 111-5	344
36	November	52	99	135-1	109	466	1,910	71-2 111-2	343
37	December	51	99	134-1	109	468	1,882	71-2 111-2	342
38	1935 January	52	98	134-1	110	472	1,902	71-4 111-5	347
39	February	52	97	133-4	109	466	1,895	71-8 112-2	340
40	March	53	97	132-6	109	464	1,891	71-9 112-3	337
41	April	53	97	132-7	109	531	1,946	72-5 113-2	335
42	May	54	96	134-0	110	552	1,907	72-2 112-8	339
43	June	55	96	134-7	111	555	1,896	71-4 111-5	340
44	July	55	96	135-9	112	553	1,892	71-4 111-5	342
45	August	56	96	137-7	111	552	1,887	71-7 112-0	343
46	September	57	97	137-4	110	560	1,898	72-4 113-1	346
47	October	61	99	137-8	109	574	1,963	73-1 114-2	349
48	November	62	99	135-9	109	582	1,972	72-7 113-6	352
49	December	63	99	134-2	109	579	1,967	72-7 113-6	350
50	1936 January	63	99	135-6	108	581	1,940	72-9 113-9	354
51	February	63	98	134-7	107	582	1,923	72-5 113-2	355
52	March	64	98	136-5	107	578	1,908	72-4 113-1	360
53	April	65	98	139-2	108	574	1,957	72-2 112-8	360
54	May	62	98	139-8	108	569	1,954	71-9 112-3	368
55	June	62	98	140-0	109	570	1,945	72-3 112-9	374
56	July	62	99	142-6	110	576	1,963	74-3 116-1	382
57	August	62	101	145-7	109	582	1,996	76-1 118-9	390
58	September	62	100	144-6	110	594	2,029	76-4 119-3	402
59	October	63	100	146-2	111	602	2,075	77-1 120-4	405
60	November	62	100	148-9	111	615	2,095	77-2 120-6	399
61	December	63	103	148-1	111	637	2,106	79-6 124-5	406
62	1937 January	64	105	151-1	112	658	2,118	81-9 127-9	421
63	February	65	107	148-7	112	675	2,119	82-9 129-5	435
64	March	66	111	151-8	112	693	2,124	85-4 133-4	458
65	April	66	113	152-3	113	696	2,151	86-2 134-6	464
66	May	65	115	152-6	115	693	2,157	85-3 133-2	465
67	June	63	115	152-8	115	697	2,163	84-6 132-1	465
68	July	64	116	156-5	116	702	2,255	87-6 136-8	472
69	August	64	115	158-1	114	700	2,281	85-6 133-7	471
70	September	65	115	156-8	113	690	2,301	85-0 132-8	460
71	October	66	116	152-9	113	683	2,331	84-7 132-3	448
72	November	66	113	147-5	111	663	2,323	83-1 129-8	443
73	December	67	112	145-4	111	659	2,326	82-7 129-2	433

(a) End of month. (b) No. of commodities changed from 42 to 47. (c) Fifteenth of month. (d) April. (e) Average of five months. (f) Second of half month. (g) Last week or end of month. (h) No. of commodities changed in 1926 from 236 to 502 and to 567 in 1934.



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China		Czecho-Slovakia	Danzig	Denmark	Dutch East Indies	Egypt	Estonia	Finland	No.
National Tariff Commission, Shanghai	Ministry of Industries, North China	General Bureau of Statistics	Official	Official	Official	Department of Statistics, Cairo	Official	Official	
154	100	126	—	—	92	23	44	139	
1926	1926	July, 1914	1913-1914	1931	1913	Jan. 1, 1913- July 31, 1914	1913	1926	
.....	67	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	100	.....	1
.....	67	(c) 100	.....	.....	98	.....	.....	.....	2
.....	69	.....	.....	.....	.....	103	.....	.....	3
.....	74	.....	.....	.....	.....	128	.....	.....	4
.....	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	176	.....	.....	5
.....	82	.....	.....	.....	215	211	.....	.....	6
.....	81	.....	.....	.....	248	231	.....	.....	7
.....	89	.....	.....	.....	279	316	.....	.....	8
.....	104.6	.....	.....	.....	191	173	.....	.....	9
.....	98.6	.....	.....	.....	170	146	.....	.....	10
.....	102.0	.....	.....	.....	173	132	(113)	.....	11
.....	97.9	.....	.....	.....	173	143	(114)	.....	12
.....	99.3	.....	143	.....	166	152	(116)	.....	13
.....	100.0	.....	151	.....	159	132	.....	.....	14
.....	104.4	.....	146	.....	154	121	114	100	15
.....	101.7	.....	142	.....	149	120	121	102	16
.....	104.5	.....	135	.....	148	116	117	98	17
.....	114.8	.....	121	.....	134	104	102	90	18
.....	126.7	.....	106	.....	105	97	91	84	19
(a) 112.4	123	738	.....	.....	86	84	83	80	20
103.8	113	682	91	.....	71	71	85	89	21
.....	101	658	90	.....	67	87	85	90	22
.....	97.1	675	88	(g)	65	95	84	92	23
.....	96.4	705	116	122	67	85	91	82	24
.....	108.5	706	138	129	67	85	101	103	25
(b) 129.1	111	750	145	145	.....	88	.....	.....	26
.....	97.2	92	(d) 89	.....	68	75	88	90	27
.....	98.0	92	88	.....	69	79	89	90	28
.....	96.6	91	88	.....	68	79	88	90	29
.....	94.6	89	88	.....	68	75	87	89	30
.....	94.9	89	88	.....	67	81	85	89	31
.....	95.7	89	88	.....	67	84	83	89	32
.....	97.1	91	88	.....	66	89	83	90	33
.....	99.8	95	87	.....	67	92	81	90	34
.....	97.3	93	87	.....	67	102	81	90	35
.....	96.1	92	87	.....	68	99	82	90	36
.....	98.3	93	88	.....	67	96	82	90	37
.....	99.0	95	88	.....	67	98	83	90	38
.....	99.4	96	88	122	67	100	83	90	39
.....	99.9	97	88	122	66	100	82	90	40
.....	96.4	96	87	119	65	96	80	90	41
.....	95.9	95	87	120	65	92	81	90	42
.....	95.0	95	116	120	65	94	82	90	43
.....	92.1	93	121	120	64	95	81	90	44
.....	90.5	92	127	120	64	96	83	90	45
.....	91.9	92	132	123	64	92	84	91	46
.....	91.1	91	135	124	66	96	88	92	47
.....	94.1	94	138	126	66	94	89	91	48
.....	103.3	101	139	126	65	94	89	91	49
.....	103.3	103	137	126	65	92	90	90	50
.....	104.3	104	135	126	65	89	90	91	51
.....	105.4	107	135	126	64	88	90	91	52
.....	106.4	111	135	126	64	84	88	90	53
.....	107.3	112	135	125	64	84	88	90	54
.....	105.8	109	136	125	64	83	89	90	55
.....	106.1	108	136	127	64	83	89	91	56
.....	107.2	110	139	129	64	82	90	91	57
.....	107.4	109	140	130	65	85	92	92	58
.....	107.0	109	143	133	73	84	93	93	59
.....	109.7	112	144	134	70	83	94	94	60
.....	113.0	115	145	136	80	84	95	95	61
.....	118.8	123	137	.....	.....	88	98	98	62
.....	121.6	126	140	.....	.....	90	99	101	63
.....	122.9	129	143	.....	.....	89	101	103	64
.....	123.0	130	146	.....	.....	88	101	103	65
.....	123.9	134	147	.....	.....	87	101	104	66
.....	125.1	130	146	.....	.....	87	101	103	67
.....	126.1	130	146	.....	.....	88	102	103	68
.....	125.8	.....	146	.....	.....	88	103	103	69
.....	127.8	.....	146	.....	.....	88	102	104	70
.....	129.9	.....	144	.....	.....	89	103	104	71
.....	133.1	.....	141	.....	.....	88	102	102	72
.....	140.3	.....	138	.....	.....	88	101	102	73
.....	141.4	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	.....	.....	.....

(a) Average for ten months only. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) July. (d) 10th and 20th of month. (e) First of following month. (f) Since February 1934, compiled according to new gold parity. (g) New series—1931=100. (h) Index based on paper currency.

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TABLE L—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country		France		Germany	Greece	Hungary	India		Indo-China	Italy		Japan
	Authority		Statistique Générale	Statistique Générale	Federal Statistical Office	Official	Official	Dept. of Statistics, Calcutta	Labour Office, Bombay	Statistique Générale, Saigon	Bachi	Official	Bank of Japan
	Number of Commodities		45	126	400 (b)	60	52	72	43	37	150	293	56
	Base Period		July, 1914	1913	1913	Jan. 1913-July 1914	1913	July, 1914	July, 1914	1913	1913	June, 1928	1913
1	1913	102	100	100	100		100	(d) 100	(d) 100	100	100		100
2	1914	104		99				112					96
3	1915	143						128					97
4	1916	192						145					117
5	1917	267						178	239				149
6	1918	346			208			196	223				196
7	1919	364			339			201	216				236
8	1920	520			1,367			178	198		531		259
9	1921	352			1,428			176	187		508		200
10	1922	334			10,059			172	181		512		196
11	1923	428			7,478,700			173	182		512		199
12	1924	499			(b)137-3		122	140	159	132	596		206
13	1925	561			141-8		138	124	148	149	603		202
14	1926	718	695	134-4			132	148	147	142	495	(e)	179
15	1927	630	642	137-6			135	145	146	144	462	100	170
16	1928	634	645	140-0			121	141	145	150	445	95	171
17	1929	623	627	137-2	1,811	(c)	96	116	126	150	383	85	166
18	1930	543	554	124-6	1,646		95	96	109	128	328	75	137
19	1931	462	502	110-9	1,471		92	91	109	117	304	70	116
20	1932	407	427	96-5	1,766		76	87	98	106	280	63	122
21	1933	388	398	93-3	1,997		79	89	95	96	273	62	136
22	1934	366	376	98-4	1,969		90	91	99	94	318	68	134
23	1935	347	338	101-8	2,003		89	91	96	99	363	76	140
24	1936	405	411	104-1	2,038		94	102	106	132	437	89	149
25	1937	563	581	105-9	2,282	(a)	(a)	(a)					180
26	1934 January	388	405	96-3	1,975		71	90	95	104	276		133
27	February	384	400	96-2	1,970		74	89	95	103	275		134
28	March	380	394	95-9	1,945		74	88	93	100	275		134
29	April	378	387	95-8	1,936		75	89	93	99	273		134
30	May	372	381	96-2	1,928		83	90	94	99	273		133
31	June	363	379	97-2	1,936		81	90	96	99	272		132
32	July	361	374	98-9	1,956		79	89	95	99	270		132
33	August	363	371	100-1	1,984		83	89	96	100	271		134
34	September	360	365	100-4	2,001		83	89	96	102	270		135
35	October	352	357	101-0	2,005		82	89	95	95	272		137
36	November	349	356	101-2	1,994		83	88	96	96	274		137
37	December	344	344	101-0	1,994		84	88	98	95	276		137
38	1935 January	349	350	101-1	1,996		86	94	100	95	277		137
39	February	349	343	100-9	1,986		86	90	99	95	278		139
40	March	344	335	100-7	1,998		85	87	98	94	288		139
41	April	346	336	100-8	1,987		86	88	98	95	296		138
42	May	353	340	100-8	1,974		88	91	99	96	302		138
43	June	344	330	101-2	1,968		87	91	99	95	308		136
44	July	334	322	101-9	1,988		90	91	100	94	310		136
45	August	343	330	102-4	1,998		89	89	99	94	323		138
46	September	345	332	102-3			92	89	100	94	330		143
47	October	350	342	102-8	2,040		95	93	100	95			147
48	November	353	348	103-1	2,040		95	92	98	95			146
49	December	357	354	103-4	2,059		97	93	97	94			145
50	1936 January	364	359	103-6	2,045		94	92	96	94			74
51	February	377	372	103-6	2,053		93	91	95	94			145
52	March	379	376	103-6	2,051		91	91	95	95			144
53	April	374	371	103-7	2,034		88	92	94	95	367		76
54	May	377	374	103-8	2,016		86	90	94	95	366		145
55	June	372	378	104-0	2,002		85	90	95	95	365		76
56	July	388	391	104-2	2,001		86	91	97	96	365		146
57	August	395	403	104-6	2,015		86	90	98	99	365		76
58	September	407	420	104-4	2,019		87	91	97	100	368		152
59	October	452	471	104-3	2,039		91	93	97	104	376		77
60	November	473	492	104-4	2,064		89	93	98	110	375		151
61	December	499	519	105-0	2,113		92	94	101	116	381		154
62	1937 January	513	538	105-3	2,169		96	98	104	123	393		82
63	February	517	533	105-5	2,218		93	98	103	124	406		176
64	March	537	550	106-1	2,273		95	100	110	124	411		181
65	April	533	552	105-8	2,300		94	103	108	125	419		86
66	May	529	550	105-9	2,323		95	103	109	124	427		182
67	June	538	557	106-1	2,291		94	102	106	125	438		90
68	July	580	582	106-4	2,309		94	104	106	131	445		181
69	August	591	603	106-7	2,308		94	105	106	136	449		91
70	September	618	630	106-2	2,302		96	104	106	141	453		92
71	October	611	628	105-9	2,307		93	104	105	147	462		179
72	November	590	621	105-5	2,292		94	103	105	143	468		180
73	December	601	631	105-5	2,286		95	101	104	143	471		182

(a) End of month. (b) Since 1924, new series. (c) Since January, 1929, new index. (d) July. (e) New index, June, 1928=100.

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Official	Official	Central Bureau of Statistics	Government Statisti- cian	Official	Okono- misk Revue	Official	Commerce Reports	Banco de Portugal	
61	88	48	180	95	100	58	238	—	
1913	1913	1913	1909-1913	1913	Dec. 31, '13- June 30, '14	1913	1928	June 1927	
100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	1
109	109	109	105.3	100	115	104	104	104	2
146	146	146	146	146	159	120	120	120	3
224	224	224	224	224	233	146	146	146	4
276	276	276	276	276	341	176	176	176	5
376	376	376	170.5	376	345	212	212	212	6
304	304	304	178.2	304	322	220	220	220	7
292	292	292	209.2	292	382	239	239	239	8
182	182	182	194.2	182	298	205	205	205	9
160	160	160	166.5	160	233	190	190	190	10
151	151	151	159.8	151	233	189	189	189	11
156	156	156	163.4	156	269	192	192	192	12
145	145	145	162.7	145	251	202	202	202	13
134	134	134	155.3	134	196	203	203	203	14
129	129	129	147.8	129	160	203	203	203	15
102	102	102	149.2	102	155	186	186	186	16
85	85	85	148.8	85	148	178	178	178	17
85	85	85	149.2	85	137	175	175	175	18
83	83	83	144.9	83	122	170	170	170	19
83	83	83	134.6	83	122	180	180	180	20
86	86	86	130.8	86	124	188	188	188	21
91	91	91	133.0	91	126	189	189	189	22
113	113	113	138.5	113	132	192	192	192	23
84	84	84	139.9	84	138	205	205	205	24
84	84	84	148.4	84	161	205	205	205	25
83	83	83	133.6	83	124	187	187	187	26
82	82	82	133.9	82	125	189	189	189	27
82	82	82	134.0	82	125	184	184	184	28
82	82	82	133.2	82	123	187	187	187	29
83	83	83	134.0	83	123	188	188	188	30
83	83	83	133.7	83	123	190	190	190	31
83	83	83	133.6	83	124	189	189	189	32
84	84	84	134.2	84	127	191	191	191	33
83	83	83	133.7	83	126	191	191	191	34
84	84	84	133.8	84	127	188	188	188	35
83	83	83	134.0	83	126	187	187	187	36
86	86	86	133.8	86	125	185	185	185	37
88	88	88	134.5	88	121	186	186	186	38
87	87	87	136.1	87	121	188	188	188	39
86	86	86	136.5	86	126	191	191	191	40
85	85	85	136.7	85	125	190	190	190	41
85	85	85	136.4	85	125	191	191	191	42
85	85	85	137.4	85	126	192	192	192	43
85	85	85	138.6	85	127	193	193	193	44
85	85	85	139.3	85	128	189	189	189	45
86	86	86	141.9	86	133	187	187	187	46
87	87	87	143.4	87	130	188	188	188	47
88	88	88	141.9	88	130	188	188	188	48
88	88	88	141.4	88	131	189	189	189	49
88	88	88	140.5	88	131	191	191	191	50
88	88	88	138.4	88	132	192	192	192	51
87	87	87	138.6	87	132	191	191	191	52
86	86	86	139.3	86	132	193	193	193	53
86	86	86	139.1	86	132	192	192	192	54
86	86	86	139.9	86	132	191	191	191	55
87	87	87	139.5	87	132	193	193	193	56
88	88	88	140.9	88	134	193	193	193	57
89	89	89	142.1	89	136	192	192	192	58
98	98	98	142.6	98	140	192	192	192	59
102	102	102	142.7	102	142	192	192	192	60
104	104	104	145.0	104	147	192	192	192	61
105	105	105	144.9	105	150	194	194	194	62
106	106	106	146.7	106	155	199	199	199	63
109	109	109	147.2	109	160	204	204	204	64
111	111	111	148.1	111	161	208	208	208	65
112	112	112	150.2	112	162	209	209	209	66
112	112	112	151.4	112	163	206	206	206	67
113	113	113	151.2	113	165	206	206	206	68
116	116	116	152.5	116	165	206	206	206	69
116	116	116	152.4	116	164	207	207	207	70
116	116	116	152.9	116	163	205	205	205	71
115	115	115	156.4	115	163	206	206	206	72
115	115	115	156.5	115	163	203	203	203	73

(a) Revised since January, 1931. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) New series beginning 1928. (d) End of month. (e) June.



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No.	Country	South Africa	Spain	Sweden		Switzerland	Turkey	United Kingdom		
	Authority	Census and Statistics Office	Director of General Statistics	Gotebergs Handels Tidning	Commerce Dept.	Federal Labour Department	Official	Board of Trade	Economist	Statist Times
	Number of Commodities	188	74	47	160	78	52	200	58	45
	Base Period	1913	1913	July 1, '13 June 30, '14	1913	July, 1914	1913-1914	1930	1927	1913
1	1913	100.0	100		100			100.0		100.0
2	1914	96.9	101	116		(b) 100.0				100.0
3	1915	107.0	119	145						127.1
4	1916	122.6	141	185						159.5
5	1917	140.7	166	244						206.1
6	1918	153.1	207	339						226.5
7	1919	164.8	204	330						241.9
8	1920	223.3	221	347	559			(f) 307.3		295.3
9	1921	160.4	190	211	222	200.1		197.2		182.4
10	1922	128.4	176	162	173	157.9		158.8		154.1
11	1923	126.6	172	157	163	169.9		158.9		151.8
12	1924	128.7	183	155	162	171.2		166.2	115.7	164.0
13	1925	127.6	188	157	161	160.5		159.1	112.0	159.5
14	1926	123.3	181	144	149	144.5		148.1	104.0	148.0
15	1927	124.0	172	141	146	142.2	1.262	141.6	100.0	144.0
16	1928	120.7	167	144	148	144.6	1.296	140.3	98.1	141.2
17	1929	115.1	171	134	140	141.2	1.316	136.5	92.4	135.3
18	1930	102.6	172	115	122	126.5	1.000	(e) 100.0	77.6	114.1
19	1931	99.5	174	105	111	109.7	859	87.8	64.9	96.5
20	1932	91.5	173	101	109	96.0	738	85.6	62.6	94.0
21	1933	93.1		100	107	91.0	648	85.7	63.1	93.7
22	1934	101.7			114	89.8	672	88.1	65.6	96.4
23	1935	94.8			116	89.8	735	89.0	68.6	98.9
24	1936	98.6			120	95.6	817	94.4	72.8	103.5
25	1937	101.0			137	111.2	849	108.8	82.5	120.6
26	1934 January	(a) 106.0		104	112	91.8	635	88.8	65.7	97.1
27	February			106	112	91.4	634	89.2	65.9	97.1
28	March			106	112	90.9	638	88.2	65.4	96.7
29	April	104.1		107	113	89.6	616	87.7	65.4	96.3
30	May			106	113	89.0	610	87.2	65.4	95.4
31	June			107	114	89.0	637	87.9	65.3	94.9
32	July	98.0		108	114	88.9	661	87.3	66.2	96.9
33	August				114	89.8	661	89.0	67.1	98.1
34	September				114	89.1	681	88.4	65.7	96.6
35	October	98.6			114	89.6	706	87.8	65.2	95.4
36	November				115	89.4	731	87.5	64.7	95.3
37	December				115	89.0	736	87.8	65.7	97.4
38	1935 January	95.5			115	88.3	734	88.3	66.6	98.4
39	February				115	87.6	725	88.0	66.4	98.1
40	March				115	86.4	709	86.9	66.1	97.5
41	April	92.8			115	87.1	682	87.5	66.7	98.9
42	May				115	87.6	674	88.2	68.1	100.2
43	June				116	88.6	680	88.4	67.5	98.5
44	July	95.0			116	89.9	704	88.0	68.1	99.2
45	August				115	91.4	717	88.4	67.9	98.9
46	September				115	92.2	725	89.6	69.9	100.1
47	October	96.0			117	93.3	745	91.1	71.5	100.9
48	November				118	92.8	798	91.2	71.3	101.5
49	December				118	92.1	844	91.4	71.5	102.0
50	1936 January	99.6			118	91.1	806	91.8	71.3	102.0
51	February				118	91.0	810	91.7	70.9	102.0
52	March				118	90.9	816	91.7	70.9	101.6
53	April	99.7			118	91.9	807	91.9	70.9	100.9
54	May				118	92.0	802	91.9	69.8	100.2
55	June				118	91.9	810	92.6	70.2	99.3
56	July	96.4			119	93.1	788	93.6	72.4	102.1
57	August				120	93.4	790	95.2	72.8	104.4
58	September				122	96.8	814	96.1	73.6	106.0
59	October	98.8			123	103.1	822	97.6	74.6	107.5
60	November				124	105.2	830	98.3	76.3	110.8
61	December				126	106.8	846	100.8	79.3	116.0
62	1937 January	100.5			129	108.4	877	102.9	81.0	117.2
63	February				132	111.4	886	103.9	82.3	120.1
64	March				136	113.3	872	107.3	87.2	126.2
65	April	98.6			138	113.0	860	108.9	85.7	123.2
66	May				139	112.6	847	110.7	86.2	124.9
67	June				139	112.0	834	110.6	84.3	123.2
68	July	101.4			140	112.4	823	111.5	84.7	124.6
69	August				140	110.8	832	111.4	83.2	122.8
70	September				140	110.5	839	111.2	81.6	121.5
71	October	103.4			139	110.9	844	110.6	79.7	118.6
72	November				137	109.6	837	108.5	77.0	113.8
73	December				136	109.6	815	107.6	77.2	114.5

(a) Monthly average. (b) July. (c) End of month. (d) December. (e) Since January, 1935, new series, 1930=100. (f) 1920-29, base 1913=100.

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United States							Yugoslavia	No.
Bureau of Labor Statistics	Irving Fisher	Bradstreet (d)		Dun (d)		Annalist	National Bank	
(a) 784	200	106	106	200	200	94	55	
1926	1926	—	1913	—	1913	1926	1926	
69-8	69-8	9-2115	100	120-887	100			1
68-1	68-1	8-9034	97	122-211	101			2
69-5	69-5	9-8530	107	126-393	104			3
85-5	85-5	11-8237	128	148-807	122			4
117-5	117-5	15-6385	170	204-121	169			5
131-3	131-3	18-7117	203	229-220	190			6
138-6	138-6	18-6642	203	230-846	190			7
154-4	154-4	18-8095	204	248-721	205			8
97-6	97-6	11-3696	123	170-451	141			9
96-7	96-7	12-1185	132	171-660	142			10
100-6	101-1	13-4028	146	189-787	157			11
98-1	98-9	12-8672	140	189-322	157			12
103-5	105-2	13-9445	151	197-694	164			13
100-0	100-0	13-0207	141	189-398	157	(c)		14
95-4	94-2	12-7787	139	187-092	155	100-0	100-0	15
96-7	97-9	13-2823	144	194-521	161	96-3	103-4	16
95-3	96-3	12-6727	138	191-043	158	99-2	106-2	17
86-4	86-3	10-7451	117	174-453	144	96-9	100-6	18
73-0	71-4	8-7604	95	147-353	122	84-9	86-6	19
64-8	61-6	7-0949	77	134-303	111	69-3	72-9	20
66-0	64-6	7-8557	85	144-661	120	60-6	65-2	21
75-0	76-6	9-2195	100	166-082	137	63-1	64-4	22
80-0	83-0	9-9222	108	174-744	145	75-5	63-2	23
80-8	83-7	10-0989	110	179-925	149	83-8	65-9	24
86-3	90-7	11-0648	120	197-505	163	84-1	69-0	25
		(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	92-4	75-0	
72-2	72-3	8-8329	96	162-309	134	72-0	62-9	26
73-6	73-7	9-0110	98	164-530	136	71-9	63-6	27
73-7	74-3	9-2627	101	165-026	137	72-0	63-3	28
73-3	73-3	9-1697	100	163-415	135	72-3	63-0	29
73-7	75-2	9-1552	99	161-331	134	73-7	64-1	30
74-6	77-3	9-1404	99	163-985	136	76-1	65-6	31
74-8	77-9	9-2351	100	167-156	138	76-1	62-8	32
76-4	78-3	9-3216	101	167-912	139	78-3	61-1	33
77-6	80-1	9-4778	103	169-188	140	80-1	63-2	34
76-5	79-1	9-4566	103	170-032	141	77-4	63-6	35
76-5	78-9	9-2791	101	168-005	139	77-5	62-7	36
76-9	78-7	9-2913	101	170-099	141	78-5	62-3	37
78-8	81-0	9-4925	103	173-075	143	81-6	64-5	38
79-5	82-0	9-7800	106	176-770	146	82-7	63-9	39
79-4	81-3	9-7954	106	176-806	146	82-2	63-0	40
80-1	81-6	9-6643	105	172-461	143	83-7	62-9	41
80-2	82-3	9-7965	106	176-231	146	83-8	64-0	42
79-8	82-0	9-9070	108	174-314	144	82-0	63-9	43
79-4	82-1	9-8416	107	171-046	141	82-2	63-3	44
80-5	83-8	9-9185	108	171-511	142	84-4	64-8	45
80-7	85-1	10-0085	109	170-859	141	84-9	67-8	46
80-5	85-4	10-1782	110	177-514	147	86-0	70-0	47
80-6	84-7	10-2834	112	178-614	148	85-4	71-2	48
80-9	84-2	10-4029	113	177-732	147	86-1	71-6	49
80-6	84-0	10-3641	113	178-063	147	85-4	71-1	50
80-6	83-5	10-0204	109	179-045	148	84-1	70-0	51
79-6	82-6	9-9196	108	179-601	149	83-1	70-0	52
79-7	82-5	9-8541	107	173-649	144	82-4	69-1	53
78-6	81-1	9-8191	107	173-485	144	80-1	67-0	54
79-2	82-3	9-7374	106	172-136	142	80-8	65-4	55
80-5	83-5	9-8538	107	178-240	147	83-6	65-6	56
81-6	84-0	10-1445	110	181-878	150	85-0	66-0	57
81-6	84-1	10-1907	111	182-498	151	85-0	67-0	58
81-5	84-1	10-2716	112	183-153	152	84-7	68-9	59
82-4	85-6	10-2214	111	184-397	153	86-0	69-8	60
84-2	87-4	10-7895	117	192-959	160	89-2	71-2	61
85-9	90-4	11-1360	121	206-544	171	91-9	70-4	62
86-3	90-8	11-2320	122	203-206	168	92-2	70-9	63
87-8	93-2	11-3494	123	205-177	170	94-5	72-1	64
88-0	94-1	11-8150	128	205-550	170	94-3	72-3	65
87-4	93-2	11-5159	125	204-931	170	93-5	72-6	66
87-2	92-1	11-3374	123	201-515	167	93-2	72-1	67
87-9	92-5	11-2734	122	202-413	167	95-2	73-7	68
87-5	91-7	11-1928	122	193-940	160	94-3	75-3	69
87-4	91-6	10-9579	119	192-778	159	94-4	78-1	70
85-4	89-2	10-8483	118	193-674	160	91-6	80-0	71
83-3	86-3	10-3478	112	183-453	152	88-0	79-5	72
81-7	83-8	9-7712	106	176-824	146	85-5	79-9	73

(a) Number of commodities changed from 550 to 784 since January, 1926.  
base. (d) Discontinued Dec., 1937

(b) First of month. (c) New series on 1926

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TABLE LI—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND

No.	Country		Australia		Austria		Belgium		Bulgaria		Canada		Chile		
	Localities		30 Towns		Vienna		59 Localities		12 (67) Towns (f)		69 Localities		Santiago		
	Base Period		1923-1927		July, 1914		1921		1914		1926		March, 1928		
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods		
1	1913											(g)	(g)		
2	1914									100	100	65.4	66.2		
3	1915				100 July	100 July						66.0	68.9		
4	1916											67.3	69.5		
5	1917											72.5	77.5		
6	1918											85.6	100.0		
7	1919											97.4	114.6		
8	1920											107.2	122.5		
9	1921											124.2	141.1		
10	1922				(b) 15,476	57,600	100	100	1,409	1,766	109.2	107.9			
11	1923				460,733	539,783	93	90	1,899	2,337	100.0	91.4			
12	1924	99.6	101.1		(c) 74	1,250,108	109	106	1,868	2,399	100.0	92.1			
13	1925	98.0	97.2			1,480,583	128	127	2,057	2,705	98.0	90.7			
14	1926	100.6	102.7			1,612,150	136	137	2,339	3,024	99.3	94.7			
15	1927	99.7	100.4			(c) 116	165	171	2,871	2,813	100.0	100.0			
16	1928	100.3	98.9			119	203	208	2,814	2,751	98.4	98.1			
17	1929	102.6	104.7			119	208	207	2,875	2,883	98.9	98.6	108	116	
18	1930	97.1	94.6			111	220	218	2,941	2,992	99.9	101.0	108	115	
19	1931	87.0	83.0			118	228	209	2,690	2,439	99.2	98.6	108	115	
20	1932	82.8	80.0			108	204	176	2,349	1,913	89.6	77.3	104	103	
21	1933	80.3	75.4			105	184	150	2,160	1,765	81.4	64.3	113	111	
22	1934	81.6	78.6			105	182	150	2,006	1,680	77.7	63.7	142	141	
23	1935	83.1	80.9			105	175	143	1,873	1,676	78.7	69.4	142	144	
24	1936	84.8	82.8			105	176	146	1,750	1,643	79.1	70.4	145	150	
25	1937	87.1	85.4			105	186	159	1,677	1,660	80.8	73.4	157	171	
		(a)			(d)		202	176	1,708	1,761	83.1	77.3	176	205	
26	1934 January		76.7		106	104	(e) 181	150	1,962	1,698	78.2	67.7	145	139	
27	February	80.9	77.1		105	102		175	147	1,974	1,729	78.7	69.4	144	136
28	March		77.4		105	101		174	141	1,960	1,694	79.9	72.9	142	140
29	April		79.1		105	101		171		1,902	1,661	79.4	71.0	141	142
30	May	81.8	79.8		104	100		168	132	1,895	1,644	78.5	68.6	141	144
31	June		77.7		105	102		169	134	1,892	1,639	78.2	67.6	141	144
32	July		77.9		104	100		170	137	1,903	1,666	78.4	68.4	142	151
33	August	81.7	78.9		104	100		176	143	1,893	1,641	78.7	69.3	139	150
34	September		79.1		105	101		176	143	1,896	1,648	79.0	68.8	140	155
35	October		80.5		105	101		178	149	1,829	1,668	79.3	69.4	136	150
36	November	82.0	79.5		105			179	150	1,837	1,678	79.4	69.9	141	159
37	December		79.4		105			175	144	1,836	1,677	79.0	69.3	148	167
38	1935 January		80.0		105			173	142	1,827	1,657	78.8	68.8	154	157
39	February	82.4	79.8		104			170	138	1,837	1,683	78.9	69.2	148	144
40	March		79.5		104			165	131	1,820	1,640	78.8	69.5	147	148
41	April		79.5		103			167	133	1,770	1,628	78.6	68.6	146	152
42	May	82.7	80.2		104			169	136	1,763	1,610	78.6	68.7	145	154
43	June		80.5		106			173	141	1,767	1,621	78.8	69.3	143	157
44	July		81.2		105			175	144	1,778	1,649	78.8	69.3	143	157
45	August	83.6	82.0		105			177	147	1,757	1,596	79.4	71.3	140	156
46	September		82.6		105			182	154	1,751	1,594	79.6	70.9	140	158
47	October		82.7		106			186	160	1,699	1,609	80.4	72.4	142	159
48	November	83.8	82.0		106			188	163	1,711	1,636	80.6	73.2	142	161
49	December		81.3		104			187	160	1,714	1,649	80.6	73.7	147	162
50	1936 January		81.2		106			187	161	1,709	1,636	80.4	73.9	153	157
51	February	83.8	81.5		105			188	162	1,717	1,656	80.1	72.9	155	155
52	March		80.7		104			185	159	1,708	1,634	80.4	73.4	155	159
53	April		81.5		104			183	155	1,656	1,615	79.6	71.0	154	160
54	May	84.1	81.6		105			181	151	1,654	1,616	80.0	71.3	156	161
55	June		81.8		106			182	155	1,655	1,622	80.0	71.3	156	161
56	July		82.5		104			180	149	1,665	1,651	80.4	72.6	157	161
57	August	85.4	83.9		105			184	156	1,648	1,614	81.0	74.7	156	161
58	September		84.2		105			187	160	1,650	1,631	81.1	75.1	157	161
59	October		84.4		105			191	165	1,665	1,671	81.1	74.4	160	161
60	November	86.0	84.7		105			193	169	1,678	1,703	81.4	75.0	159	161
61	December		85.4		105			194	169	1,684	1,714	81.7	75.3	164	161
62	1937 January		85.7		105			196	171	1,692	1,735	81.8	75.2	170	161
63	February	86.2	84.8		105			198	173	1,700	1,750	81.9	75.6	170	161
64	March		84.2		104			197	171	1,697	1,740	82.2	75.7	171	161
65	April		84.8		104			195	167	1,698	1,742	82.4	76.3	174	161
66	May	86.7	84.6		105			195	166	1,701	1,749	82.9	76.6	177	161
67	June		84.7		106			198	170	1,715	1,782	82.9	76.4	177	161
68	July		85.3		105			203	176	1,724	1,797	83.1	77.2	179	161
69	August	87.4	85.2		105			204	177	1,722	1,787	83.7	79.1	178	161
70	September		86.5		105			208	182	1,726	1,794	83.6	78.3	180	161
71	October		86.8		105			209	183	1,740	1,824	84.2	78.9	180	161
72	November	88.0	86.2		105			210	185	1,758	1,860	84.2	78.8	179	161
73	December		86.3		105			210	185	1,765	1,881	84.3	79.1	180	161

(a) Quarterly index. (b) December. (c) Gold index, since 1926, new series. (d) Middle of month. (e) Fifteenth of month. (f) Yearly figures 1921-1930=65 towns, 1931-32=67 towns; monthly figures 12 towns. (g) Recalculated on 1926 base. (h) First of month. (i) Revised index, includes rent from 1933.



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China				Czechoslovakia		Danzig		Denmark		Dutch East Indies		Egypt		No.
Shanghai		Peiping		Prague		Danzig		100 Localities		Java and Madura		Cairo		
1926		1927		July, 1914		1913-1914		1931		1913		Jan. 1913- July, 1914		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
				(a) 100	(a) 100					100	100			
												102	99	
												121	123	
												154	190	
												189	216	
												202	224	
								(e)	(e)	266		237	281	
								150	189	213	216	196	196	
				(c) 692	(c) 769			129	153	173	172	176	172	
				695	787	124	123	133	158	160	158	162	152	
				724	827	141	143	139	170	167	166	161	148	
				716	800	134	126	119	133	174	174	160	158	
				747	850	140	138	114	127	160	158	153	147	
				748	842	141	138	113	125	148	148	152	144	
				744	813	142	139	112	123	158	157	151	146	
				746	782	135	124	106	113	152	152	148	141	
				713	712	124	109	100	100	106	102	138	123	
				700	677	113	96	100	97	80	76	132	112	
				693	657	116	92	104	99			125	101	
				685	633	108	90	107	106			127	110	
				704	657	120	102	111	114			130	115	
				710	671	132	116	112	116			130	113	
				720	668	138	127	116	119			129	111	
				(b)	(b)			d	d			123	101	
101-8	78-0	77-3	67-3	685	635	109	92	105	103			124	105	
103-5	80-4	78-8	69-1	680	624	109	92					125	105	
98-9	75-0	76-6	66-7	680	623	108	90					124	102	
99-0	74-2	79-2	70-2	679	620	108	89	106	106			123	102	
98-5	74-4	74-8	63-7	684	630	108	89					125	105	
98-5	75-4	75-1	64-5	695	653	110	94					123	102	
106-9	90-2	78-7	68-3	693	653	108	91	107	106			125	105	
115-7	102-8	85-6	78-4	691	648	108	90					127	112	
118-1	106-7	85-2	77-1	685	633	107	89					128	113	
113-3	98-9	83-8	75-3	686	633	108	90	109	111			132	122	
108-8	89-7	79-3	69-2	682	625	107	89					131	120	
110-4	90-4	79-5	69-8	679	622	108	90					130	117	
110-9	90-8	83-2	74-8	685	620	107	89	109	111			130	116	
109-0	91-0	84-0	75-4	688	625	107	90					128	115	
104-8	85-7	82-9	74-4	690	629	107	89					129	115	
106-1	88-6	82-0	73-8	691	630	107	90	110	114			129	115	
105-6	88-6	84-2	76-4	696	643	117	98					127	111	
105-9	89-5	84-2	76-5	714	679	121	101					127	110	
105-2	90-3	86-9	80-2	717	685	126	107	111	117			130	116	
104-6	88-6	87-8	81-8	717	686	127	110					129	113	
105-4	89-8	84-1	77-1	711	671	128	111					130	113	
103-9	86-3	85-5	79-1	709	668	131	113	111	116			133	118	
109-2	90-3	92-8	88-8	707	665	131	113					132	117	
109-3	88-9	93-5	89-4	710	670	132	115					132	118	
111-0	93-3	95-3	92-9	712	673	131	116	112	116			131	116	
112-0	98-6	95-1	93-0	713	677	131	115					132	115	
114-1	102-2	97-6	95-8	712	673	130	114					132	116	
111-7	97-9	98-2	96-1	712	674	130	114	112	117			130	112	
111-1	97-6	102-7	102-4	714	677	130	114					130	112	
111-8	99-3	98-6	97-0	716	683	133	115					130	112	
112-2	99-8	102-5	102-2	709	675	130	115	112	117			130	112	
115-5	105-7	99-3	98-5	708	672	132	116					127	109	
113-5	102-3	99-0	97-8	706	667	132	116					129	111	
114-0	102-7	102-0	102-3	707	667	134	120	113	116			128	111	
114-9	103-3	104-9	106-6	704	661	135	120					129	112	
117-5	106-8	107-9	110-3	706	661	136	122					129	111	
120-1	111-3	113-9	119-8	711	664	136	124	113	116			130	111	
120-1	111-0	113-2	118-8	715	670	137	124					130	112	
116-8	104-9	111-6	116-6	715	665	137	125					129	111	
117-4	103-7	113-6	118-5	715	663	138	128	115	118			129	110	
118-7	104-3	108-9	112-8	717	666	139	128					128	109	
119-0	104-0	104-3	107-4	725	683	139	129					127	109	
120-0	106-0			723	679	139	128	116	120			128	110	
134-6	128-5			720	673	138	128					128	111	
147-7	141-4			724	669	139	128					128	111	
139-5	126-9			721	660	139	128	118	123			129	112	
160-6	157-9			723	661	138	127					129	111	
167-2	157-3			725	664	139	128					128	111	

(a) July. (b) Revised from May, 1931. (c) End of month. (d) Since date of stabilization gold index. (e) Prior to 1914 13 commodities, including alcohol and petroleum; corresponding figures for 1929: Paris, 611; other towns, 583. (f) 300 towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, excluding Paris. Since 1929: 29 footstuffs. (g) Monthly average. (h) Since 1929: 55 food-stuffs, base 1930. (i) Fifteenth of month. (j) Average of quarter. (k) Since 1924, new series in Reichsmark prices. (l) Prior to 1931: old series: 106 towns. (m) Prior to 1931, excluding clothing and rent. (n) December.

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## TABLE LI—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country	Estonia		Finland		France			Germany		Greece		Hungary	
	Localities	Tallinn		21 Towns		Paris 300 Towns			72 Towns		44 Towns		Budapest	
	Base Period	1913		Jan.-June 1914		July, 1914			1913-1914		1914		1913	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913.....	100	100			(a) 100	(e) 100	(a) 100			(m) 100	100	100	100
2	1914.....													
3	1915.....													
4	1916.....													
5	1917.....													
6	1918.....							238						
7	1919.....							291						
8	1920.....							386 (a)	1,065 (a)	1,252	351	351		
9	1921.....	(a) 85	(a) 104	1,171	1,254	309	337	374 (a)	1,250 (a)	1,491	398	393		
10	1922.....	(a) 91	(a) 98	1,139	1,143	296	301	317 (a)	5,392 (a)	6,836	636	632		
11	1923.....	(a) 102	(a) 115	1,147	1,079	334	332	349 (a)	3,765, 100 (a)	4,651, 000 (k)	1,181	1,213	(n) 116	(n) 145
12	1924.....	(a) 94	(a) 106	1,170	1,093	369	380	406 (k)	127-6	136-3	1,235	1,271		
13	1925.....	107	118	1,212	1,147	400	425	450	139-8	147-8	1,414	1,455	108	128
14	1926.....	106	118	(d) 154	(d) 145	505	554	571	141-2	144-4	1,633	1,673	102	113
15	1927.....	105	112	158	146	514	556	559	147-6	151-9	1,790	1,843	111	125
16	1928.....	112	120	161	150	519	549	537	151-7	152-3	1,868	1,929	117	128
17	1929.....	117	126	160	147	556	(h) 102	609	153-8	154-5	1,923	1,987	117	124
18	1930.....	104	103	147	127	581	100	609	147-3	142-6	1,682	1,719	106	105
19	1931.....	(b) 100	(b) 91	135	113	569	99	605	135-9	127-6	(l) 1,671	(l) 1,576	101	96
20	1932.....	94	80	134	117	526	88	535	120-9	112-3	1,773	1,697	98	91
21	1933.....	88	77	131	117	520	83	501	118-5	109-9	1,904	1,857	91	81
22	1934.....	87	76	128	114	516	78	474	121-7	116-2	1,937	1,887	89	77
23	1935.....	88	77	130	119	483	69	417	123-0	120-4	1,957	1,921	91	81
24	1936.....	98	89	130	118	507	76	452	124-5	122-4	2,028	2,034	96	87
25	1937.....	104	96	(c) 105	(c) 107	619	95	571	125-1	122-3	2,185	2,228	103	94
26	1934 January.....	(e) 89	(e) 78	127	111		(i) 83	(g) 493	120-9	114-1	1,949	1,899	(e) 88	(e) 75
27	February.....	89	79	126	110	526	84		120-7	113-8	1,947	1,901	89	76
28	March.....	89	78	128	113		81		120-6	113-5	1,923	1,865	88	76
29	April.....	89	79	127	111		79		120-6	113-7	1,923	1,869	89	76
30	May.....	89	79	127	111	522	79	471	120-3	113-3	1,911	1,852	91	80
31	June.....	88	77	128	111		78		121-5	115-5	1,916	1,859	90	80
32	July.....	88	77	128	112		76		122-9	117-8	1,910	1,850	89	77
33	August.....	86	75	129	115	511	77	470	123-3	118-5	1,921	1,866	90	78
34	September.....	85	73	129	116		76		122-5	116-7	1,943	1,899	89	78
35	October.....	84	72	130	118		76		122-0	119-3	1,993	1,962	89	78
36	November.....	85	72	133	123	504	75	461	122-3	119-5	1,952	1,905	88	76
37	December.....	85	72	131	120		74		122-2	119-1	1,955	1,912	88	76
38	1935 January.....	86	74	130	119		73		122-4	119-4	1,965	1,928	88	76
39	February.....	87	77	129	117	494	73	436	122-5	119-5	1,949	1,908	89	77
40	March.....	87	76	128	116		71		122-2	118-8	1,939	1,894	89	78
41	April.....	87	76	128	116		69		122-3	119-0	1,937	1,892	89	78
42	May.....	86	75	127	114	490	69	413	122-8	120-2	1,948	1,908	89	78
43	June.....	85	73	128	116		68		123-0	120-6	1,934	1,877	90	80
44	July.....	87	76	130	119		67		124-3	122-9	1,937	1,888	93	85
45	August.....	87	76	132	122	469	65	405	124-5	123-2	1,945	1,903	94	86
46	September.....	88	77	132	121		66		123-4	120-9	1,955	1,924	93	85
47	October.....	93	83	133	124		68		122-8	119-6	1,983	1,976	93	84
48	November.....	94	83	133	123	478	70	415	122-9	119-9	1,989	1,975	93	84
49	December.....	94	83	132	122		72		123-4	120-9	1,996	1,982	93	85
50	1936 January.....	94	84	130	118		72		124-3	122-3	2,026	2,037	95	86
51	February.....	96	86	130	119	486	74		124-3	122-3	2,017	2,018	96	87
52	March.....	96	87	130	118		74		124-2	122-2	2,013	2,011	96	87
53	April.....	97	87	129	116		73		124-3	122-4	2,011	2,009	96	89
54	May.....	97	87	128	115	497	72	427	124-3	122-4	2,002	1,999	96	88
55	June.....	99	90	128	115		75		124-5	122-8	1,994	1,985	95	86
56	July.....	99	91	129	116		74		125-3	124-0	1,999	1,992	95	86
57	August.....	100	93	131	119	504	74	452	125-4	124-2	2,026	2,038	97	88
58	September.....	100	91	131	118		77		124-4	122-0	2,039	2,054	97	88
59	October.....	100	92	132	119		80		124-4	121-7	2,057	2,076	97	88
60	November.....	99	90	132	120	540	84	509	124-3	121-3	2,065	2,086	97	87
61	December.....	101	92	133	120		85		124-3	121-0	2,079	2,100	98	89
62	1937 January.....	104	97	102	102		88		124-5	121-4	2,150	2,195	101	93
63	February.....	104	97	104	105	581	91	540	124-3	121-9	2,167	2,220	102	94
64	March.....	103	97	104	106		91		125-0	122-3	2,168	2,216	102	93
65	April.....	103	95	104	105		91		125-1	122-3	2,184	2,247	102	93
66	May.....	102	94	104	103	606	91	548	125-1	122-4	2,203	2,273	102	92
67	June.....	104	96	104	104		92		125-3	122-9	2,192	2,242	102	92
68	July.....	104	96	106	106		93		126-2	124-5	2,172	2,205	102	93
69	August.....	103	94	108	111	630	94	577	126-0	124-0	2,194	2,242	102	93
70	September.....	104	95	108	111		100		125-1	122-0	2,187	2,225	104	96
71	October.....	105	95	109	112		101		124-8	121-3	2,192	2,214	104	96
72	November.....	106	96	109	111	658	102	619	124-9	121-2	2,210	2,236	103	96
73	December.....	108	100	109	111		104		124-8	121-1	2,203	2,225	104	96

(a) July. (b) Revised from May, 1931. (c) End of month. (d) Since date of stabilization, gold index. (e) Prior to 1914 13 commodities, including alcohol and petroleum; corresponding figures for 1929: Paris, 611; other towns, 583. (f) 300 towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, excluding Paris. Since 1929: 29 foodstuffs. (g) Monthly average. (h) Since 1929: 55 foodstuffs, base 1930. (i) Fifteenth of month. (j) Average of quarter. (k) Since 1924, new series in Reichsmark prices. (l) Prior to 1931; old series: 106 towns. (m) Prior to 1931, excluding clothing and rent. (n) December. (o) Since Jan. 1, 1937, base 1935=100.

## FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1937—Continued

India		Indo-China		Irish Free State		Italy				Japan		No.
Bombay		Saigon		105 Towns and Localities		Milan		50 Towns		Tokyo		
July, 1914		1925		July, 1914		Jan.-June 30, 1914		June, 1928		July, 1914		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
(a) 100	(a) 100			100	100	100	100			(a) 100	(a) 100	2
(a) 104	(a) 105											3
(a) 108	(a) 105											4
(a) 118	(a) 114											5
(a) 149	(a) 142											6
(a) 186	(a) 187											7
(a) 190	(a) 188											8
(a) 173	a 169											9
(a) 164	a 159			188	191	541	559					10
(a) 154	a 149			184	188	501	515			236	257	11
(a) 157	a 151			186	190	494	499			221	228	12
(a) 155	a 150	100	100	190	193	527	528			221	233	13
(a) 155	a 152	99	99	185	179	611	622			218	236	14
(a) 154	a 151	103	103	175	170	654	655			199	217	15
(a) 147	a 144	106	104	174	169	(e) 588	(e) 559	(f) 100-0	(f) 100-0	189	211	16
(a) 149	a 146	113	112	176	169	530	517	101-1	101-0	184	202	17
(a) 137	a 134	121	117	171	160	545	543	97-7	95-3	181	203	18
(a) 110	a 102	105	92	161	147	530	519	88-3	83-2	155	173	19
(a) 109	a 102	92	76	157	141	485	452	84-1	78-3	136	151	20
(a) 102	a 95	85	69	151	131	468	431	80-5	73-8	137	158	21
(a) 97	a 87	78	60	152	135	449		76-4	70-4	146	161	22
(a) 101	a 93	78	64	155	140	430		77-5	72-8	149	164	23
(a) 101	a 93			160	147			83-5	78-0	152	170	24
(g) 106	(g) 114			170	156			91-7	86-1	159	184	25
(b) 96	(b) 86	(c) 80	(c) 62	(d) 152	(d) 133	(b) 457		80-6	74-5	(d) 147	(d) 162	26
96	85					450		79-8	73-2	148	164	27
94	84					448		79-5	72-8	149	166	28
93	83					447		79-4	72-7	149	166	29
94	83	78	60	149	129	424		75-2	69-8	149	166	30
95	85					419		74-4	68-5	148	162	31
97	87					420		74-3	68-4	147	161	32
97	87	77	59	152	134	415		74-1	68-0	148	162	33
100	90					416		74-3	68-4	149	163	34
100	91					418		74-5	68-8	150	164	35
101	92	78	61	157	143	421		75-2	69-9	149	164	36
99	90					424		75-4	70-3	150	166	37
98	88					421		75-1	69-9	151	168	38
99	90	73	61	153	136	423		75-3	70-2	151	169	39
98	89					423		75-4	70-4	150	166	40
98	88					425		76-3	72-0	149	165	41
100	90	69	59	151	132	426		76-7	72-3	150	166	42
101	92					430		77-3	73-1	148	163	43
101	93							77-5	73-3	150	165	44
103	94	70	61	156	140			77-2	72-8	152	172	45
103	94							77-5	73-1	154	177	46
104	96	77	65	162	150			79-4	74-6	154	175	47
105	96							80-5	75-6	155	175	48
103	96							81-5	76-4	156	177	49
102	93	77	64	159	145			82-1	77-1	157	180	50
102	94							81-8	76-5	159	185	51
100	92							81-9	76-6	160	186	52
100	92			157	141			82-2	77-0	160	188	53
101	93							83-5	78-1	160	188	54
101	93							83-8	78-4	158	183	55
102	94			159	145			83-6	77-9	158	183	56
103	95							83-1	77-1	159	186	57
104	96			166	155			83-5	77-8	160	186	58
103	95							85-2	79-6	159	182	59
104	110							85-5	79-9	159	181	60
104	111							86-0	80-5	163	183	61
104	111			167	153			86-4	81-1	170	194	62
104	112							86-9	81-9	171	192	63
105	112							87-2	82-3	171	190	64
105	111			167	152			87-8	82-7	172	190	65
105	112							90-2	83-5	172	189	66
107	115							91-0	84-2	171	188	67
108	117			170	154			92-9	86-8	172	187	68
108	117							93-3	87-5	174	190	69
108	118							94-2	89-0	178	197	70
107	116			177	165			96-0	90-2	179	200	71
107	116							96-9	91-2	180	198	72
								98-3	92-6	182	201	73

(a) July (b) Average from sixteenth of current month to fifteenth of following month. (c) Average of quarter.  
 (d) Fifteenth of month. (e) Since 1927, new series. (f) New series: June, 1928=100. (g) New series July, 1933 to June 1934=100.



# DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

## TABLE LI—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country		Latvia		Lithuania		Luxemburg		Netherlands		New Zealand		Norway	
	Localities		Riga		84 Towns		9 Towns		Amsterdam		25 Towns		31 Towns	
	Base Period		1930		1913		Jan.-June, 1914		1911-1913		1926-1930		July, 1914	
	Nature of Index		Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913				100	100					(d) 62.8	(d) 70.3	(d) 100	(d) 100
2	1914										67.6	80.3		
3	1915										72.4	85.7		
4	1916										78.6	92.0		
5	1917										85.0	98.5		
6	1918										91.2	102.7		
7	1919										101.9	116.5	300	319
8	1920										103.4	113.4	277	295
9	1921								202	217	95.2	95.8	231	231
10	1922						374	348	182	184	98.4	96.5	218	217
11	1923				110		442	415	174	171	100.4	100.5	239	250
12	1924				136		497	470	177	176	103.0	103.0	243	256
13	1925				151		520	492	179	176	101.0	102.6	206	197
14	1926				141	146	616	597	(b) 168	(b) 161	100.1	98.3	186	173
15	1927				141	145	776	746	168	163	100.6	100.4	(f) 173	168
16	1928				137	144	811	758	169	165	100.4	101.3	166	158
17	1929				134	142	871	807	168	162	98.1	97.4	161	152
18	1930		100	100	115	117	886	809	161	150	83.8	77.5	149	134
19	1931		91	89	105	102	783	685	151	136	79.5	73.2	147	131
20	1932		79	75	88	85	686	553	141	119	80.6	77.1	149	135
21	1933		76	74	75		686	564	139	119	81.2	78.0	147	130
22	1934		72	69	70		661	532	140	124	80.7	77.4	148	132
23	1935		73	70	61		648	521	136	118	81.1	78.0	148	133
24	1936		73	69	62		651	532	133	120	80.6	77.1	149	135
25	1937		79	75	70		688	574	137	127	81.4	79.2	149	134
26	1934 January		68		73		678	555			(a) 79.9	75.0	(g) 145	128
27	February		70		75		665	535			80.4	76.3	145	128
28	March		70		76		653	520	142	122	80.6	76.9	145	128
29	April		71		75		645	508			80.9	77.7	147	130
30	May		72		73		646	509			81.2	78.0	147	130
31	June		77		73		649	514	140	120	80.9	77.8	148	132
32	July		76		72		653	522			81.1	78.0	148	133
33	August		71		69		662	536			80.7	77.4	150	136
34	September		70		66		663	538	140	120	80.6	77.1	149	135
35	October		78		66		666	544			81.0	78.0	149	134
36	November		74		65		662	538			81.4	79.2	149	134
37	December		69		64		650	521	139	118	81.4	79.2	149	134
38	1935 January		67		63		655	527			81.8	79.8	148	133
39	February		69		63		646	514			82.6	82.1	149	134
40	March		68		62		635	498	137	114	82.7	81.9	149	135
41	April		71		62		630	494			82.9	82.4	149	135
42	May				61		636	501			83.3	82.9	150	136
43	June				60		646	517	136	116	83.6	83.6	150	138
44	July				59		651	526			83.2	82.6	151	140
45	August				59		652	529			83.6	82.8	152	141
46	September				59		657	536	136	113	83.9	83.7	152	140
47	October				59		662	545			85.3	87.4	153	142
48	November				60		659	548			85.1	87.3	153	142
49	December				60		653	534	137	115	84.5	85.5	153	142
50	1936 January		66	56	61		655	535			84.0	84.1	153	142
51	February		68	60	61		651	529			83.9	83.0	153	143
52	March		69	62	61		642	517	131	119	83.8	82.7	154	144
53	April		71	65	61		638	513			84.5	84.5	155	145
54	May		72	73	61		644	521			85.5	86.1	155	144
55	June		75	78	61		649	529	131	117	85.5	86.9	155	145
56	July		75	78	62		649	529			85.7	87.5	155	145
57	August		73	74	63		657	541			86.9	87.8	154	142
58	September		72	73	64		656	540	132	121	87.7	89.9	155	143
59	October		82	80	65		656	540			87.6	89.4	155	143
60	November		76	70	65		663	550			88.1	90.1	155	144
61	December		72	64	65		659	543	133	122	88.7	91.4	157	145
62	1937 January		69	58	67		672	558	134	124	88.5	91.0	158	148
63	February		71	62	70		677	561	134	122	89.8	91.6	159	150
64	March		72	65	70		675	557	134	123	90.3	92.3	161	152
65	April		74	68	70		678	560	136	125	91.1	94.3	163	155
66	May		78	78	70		675	555	136	126	91.9	95.1	163	156
67	June		84	87	70		693	578	138	129	91.7	94.5	166	157
68	July		83	86	71		700	589	139	130	92.1	95.4	168	161
69	August		82	84	70		706	597	139	130	92.7	95.6	168	161
70	September		81	83	70		705	595	139	129	93.4	97.6	170	163
71	October		93	88	69		709	599	140	130	93.8	98.5	171	164
72	November		86	77	69		704	592	140	131	94.7	100.2	171	164
73	December		81	70	70		704	593	139	130	94.9	101.2	171	164

(a) First of following month. (b) Since March 1926, new series. (c) First of following month. (d) July. (e) Middle of month. (f) New method of calculation since 1928. (g) Fifteenth of month.

## FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1937—Continued

Palestine	Peru		Poland		Portugal		Roumania		Saar Territory		No.		
3 Towns	Lima		Warsaw		Entire Country		20 Towns		Sarrebruck				
January, 1922	1913		1928		June, 1914		1913		July, 1914				
Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods			
	100	100			(e) 1,000	(e) 1,000	100	100	(h) 100	(h) 100	1		
	104	107									2		
	112	115									3		
	123	123									4		
	142	145									5		
	164	162									6		
	188	188									7		
	210	208									8		
	199	183					(f) 1,305				9		
88.2	190	174					1,708				10		
76.6	180	166					2,500				11		
79.4	187	168					2,985				12		
83.8	200	179					3,250		(438)	(481)	13		
82.1	201	182	(c)				3,552		581	623	14		
77.4	194	177	99.5				3,855		594	617	15		
73.7	181	161	100.0				3,964		600	628	16		
69.4	177	159	101.4	(c)		2,361	2,362	4,244	620	655	17		
61.4	169	157	94.4	83.7		2,243	2,241	(4,206)	(4,046)	612	629	18	
55.3	158	148	85.9	73.9		1,990	1,986	(g) 3,004	(g) 2,796	582	588	19	
56.6	151	143	78.2	64.9		1,949	1,948		536	535	20		
54.9	148	139	71.2	58.0		1,948			2,319	2,161	515	507	21
55.1	150	148	66.5	52.3		1,968			2,235	2,087	511	497	22
54.7	152	147	63.9	49.9		1,982			2,552	2,439			23
56.4	160	157	60.9	48.5		2,022							24
59.1	170	173	64.9	53.9		2,511							25
(a)					(a)	(a)	(d)	(d)					
53.6	147	142	68.7	54.8		1,932		2,257	2,097	520	517	26	
55.9	146	142	68.9	55.3		1,925		2,254	2,109	518	514	27	
54.2	148	145	68.3	54.6		1,926		2,250	2,090	516	509	28	
54.5	148	145	68.5	55.0		1,935		2,206	2,048	519	511	29	
53.4	149	145	66.7	52.6		1,943		2,209	2,058	513	498	30	
53.7	151	149	65.8	51.2		1,942		2,214	2,063	516	504	31	
54.7	150	148	65.9	51.5		1,905		2,217	2,071	514	501	32	
55.2	154	155	66.4	52.1		1,965		2,222	2,079	509	493	33	
56.9	152	151	65.7	51.4		2,042		2,226	2,080	500	477	34	
55.7	152	152	65.6	51.4		2,089		2,226	2,082	502	480	35	
57.1	154	153	64.2	49.4		2,023		2,263	2,114	504	482	36	
56.4	150	146	63.5	48.6		1,985		2,271	2,151	504	482	37	
55.7	150	143	63.6	48.7		1,986		2,401	2,276			38	
56.0	151	145	62.9	48.0		1,965		2,471	2,353			39	
54.1	152	148	62.5	47.4		1,962		2,530	2,414			40	
54.2	151	145	62.4	47.2		1,996		2,556	2,444			41	
53.9	152	148	63.0	48.5		1,975		2,594	2,488			42	
54.0	153	148	63.8	49.6		1,973		2,550	2,457			43	
54.6	152	147	65.7	52.6		1,989		2,524	2,400			44	
54.2	153	149	65.1	51.7		1,971		2,540	2,412			45	
54.4	152	146	65.6	52.2		2,005		2,546	2,423			46	
54.9	153	147	65.8	52.4		2,014		2,550	2,457			47	
54.9	155	151	65.4	52.0		1,951		2,546	2,423			48	
55.1	155	150	61.1	48.7		1,992		2,818	2,722			49	
54.1	157	154	60.3	47.7		1,972		2,954	2,860			50	
53.3	158	155	59.7	46.9		1,962		2,966	2,864			51	
53.5	158	155	59.7	46.9		1,952		2,981	2,860			52	
52.9	158	155	60.7	48.4		1,936		2,996	2,881			53	
54.2	160	157	61.3	49.3		2,012						54	
56.4	160	157	60.7	48.4		2,037						55	
59.1	160	157	60.8	48.6		2,063						56	
59.2	161	158	60.5	48.0		2,087						57	
60.5	161	159	60.7	48.3		2,074						58	
57.7	162	160	61.6	49.4		2,095						59	
57.8	162	160	61.9	49.6		2,045						60	
57.5	162	159	62.4	50.3		2,030						61	
62.4	163	163	63.8	52.5		2,535						62	
61.0	167	169	65.2	54.5		2,400						63	
59.7	167	170	65.3	54.7		2,422						64	
61.4	170	174	64.1	52.9		2,448						65	
58.5	171	174	64.8	53.9		2,524						66	
57.1	171	173	65.3	54.7		2,547						67	
57.7	171	173	64.6	53.8		2,544						68	
58.5	172	174	64.2	53.1		2,542						69	
58.4	172	174	65.6	54.8		2,533						70	
58.2	173	176	64.9	53.8		2,557						71	
58.5	173	176	65.3	54.3		2,545						72	
57.7	174	177	65.1	53.9		2,538						73	

(a) Middle of month. (b) Since Oct., 1933, including heating. (c) New series. (d) Last week of month. (e) June.

(f) 1921-1929: 71 towns, excluding rent. (g) Since 1931 new method of calculation. (h) July.

TABLE LI—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL FOOD PRICES  
IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1937—Concluded

Country	South Africa		Spain		Sweden		Switzerland		Turkey		United Kingdom		United States		Yugoslavia	
Localities	9 Towns		Madrid		49 Towns		34 Towns		Istanbul		630 Towns		51-173 Localities		3 Towns	
Base Period	1914		1914		July, 1914		June, 1914		1914		July, 1914		1923		July, 1914	
Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1913.....					(b)100	(b)100	(e)100	(e)100	1,000	1,000	100	100	(h) b)61.3	(h) b)66.1	b)1,000	b)1,000
1914.....	100	100	100	100									b)61.0	b)64.8		
1915.....	105	107	108										b)65.4	b)71.5		
1916.....	112	111	116										b)77.6	b)94.3		
1917.....	122	124	126										e)90.5	e)104.5		
1918.....	131	125	154		(b)219	(b)258	204	223			218	217	b)102.4	b)123.6		
1919.....	145	136	174		(b)257	(b)318	222	244			249	256	118.2	136.2		
1920.....	179	178	190	192	(b)270	(b)287	224	242			226	230	102.3	103.5		
1921.....	162	145	189	184	(b)236	(b)231	200	213			183	176	97.4	96.8		
1922.....	135	119	181	177	(b)190	(b)178	164	163			174	169	100.0	100.0		
1923.....	131	117	177	174	(b)174	(b)158	164	165			175	170	101.3	99.1		
1924.....	133	120	184	188	(b)171	(b)155	169	172			176	171	103.7	107.2		
1925.....	133	120	189	195	(b)172	(b)168	168	169			172	164	104.3	110.6		
1926.....	131	118	187	191	(b)176	(b)156	162	160			168	160	102.0	107.0		
1927.....	131	118	189	196	(b)169	(b)148	160	158			166	157	100.6	105.6		
1928.....	131	117	176	178	(b)173	(b)156	161	157			155	144	100.1	106.9	1,819	1,446
1929.....	131	115	181	185	(b)169	(b)148	161	156	1,381	1,555	164	154	100.7	101.7	1,664	1,318
1930.....	128	110	187	194	(b)164	(b)138	158	152	1,272	1,292	158	145	96.1	87.7	1,523	1,202
1931.....	123	105	196	205	(b)158	(b)127	150	141	1,203	1,114	147	131	87.2	83.7	1,374	1,076
1932.....	118	96	187	192	(b)156	(b)124	138	126	1,172	1,030	143	126	77.9	69.7	1,189	1,104
1933.....	115	99	181		(b)153	(b)120	131	117	1,047	924	140	120	74.9	67.8		
1934.....	116	104	186		(b)155	(b)123	129	115	1,031	912	141	122	79.4	75.3		
1935.....	116	102			(b)156	(b)129	128	114	957	892	143	125	82.6	82.1		
1936.....	116	101			(b)158	(b)134	130	120	960	926	147	130	84.8	83.9		
1937.....	119	103			(b)162	(b)138	137	130	975	943	154	139	88.5	86.9		
1934 Jan.....	116	104	183		(a) 153	(d) 120	(f) 131	117	1,087	904	142	124	77.7	72.0	(c) 1,128	
Feb.....	116	104	187				131	116	1,074	913	141	122	78.5	74.1	1,126	
Mar.....	116	104	186				130	115	1,059	901	140	120	78.8	74.4	1,139	
April.....	117	105	186		153	120	130	115	1,057	900	139	118	78.7	73.7	1,134	
May.....	117	106	183				129	115	1,051	906	137	116	79.0	74.6	1,135	
June.....	116	104	181				129	115	1,028	920	138	117	79.2	74.8	1,105	
July.....	116	103	181		155	123	129	115	1,031	924	141	122	79.3	75.2	1,088	
Aug.....	116	104	183				129	114	1,026	906	142	123	79.7	75.9	1,073	
Sept.....	116	103	181				129	114	988	925	143	126	80.8	78.8	1,073	
Oct.....	116	104	186		155	125	129	114	997	947	143	125	80.5	77.4	1,070	
Nov.....	116	103	189				129	115	993	908	144	127	80.4	76.9	1,081	
Dec.....	116	102	184				129	114	986	887	144	127	80.3	76.1	1,090	
1935 Jan.....	116	102	184		155	124	128	113	975	903	143	125	81.2	79.2	1,103	
Feb.....	116	102	187				127	112	965	895	142	124	82.0	81.4	1,098	
Mar.....	116	102	183				127	112	953	876	141	122	82.0	81.3	1,098	
April.....	116	103	188		155	126	127	111	946	874	139	119	82.8	83.4	1,104	
May.....	116	103	179				126	111	955	898	139	118	82.6	83.2	1,112	
June.....	116	104	170				127	113	951	900	140	120	82.6	83.2		
July.....	116	102	176		156	129	128	115	938	863	143	126	82.4	81.9		
Aug.....	115	100					129	116	933	850	143	126	82.4	81.3		
Sept.....	115	101					129	116	934	852	143	125	82.7	81.7		
Oct.....	115	100			157	131	129	117	955	892	145	128	83.0	81.9		
Nov.....	115	101					130	118	980	931	147	131	83.4	82.7		
Dec.....	115	101					130	118	997	971	147	131	83.9	83.8		
1936 Jan.....	116	102			158	132	130	118	979	947	147	131	83.9	83.5		
Feb.....	116	102					130	118	983	962	147	130	83.5	82.3		
Mar.....	116	102					130	118	980	973	146	129	83.2	81.0		
April.....	116	102			158	134	130	119	971	963	144	126	83.4	81.0		
May.....	116	103					130	119	949	914	144	125	83.8	81.7		
June.....	116	103					130	120	950	923	144	126	85.1	85.6		
July.....	116	101			158	134	130	120	953	933	146	129	85.2	85.8		
Aug.....	115	100					130	120	946	914	146	129	85.6	85.8		
Sept.....	115	100					130	121	947	900	147	131	85.9	86.1		
Oct.....	115	100			157	132	132	123	945	885	148	132	85.7	84.6		
Nov.....	116	101					132	123			151	136	85.8	84.3		
Dec.....	116	100					132	123			151	136	86.1	84.7		
1937 Jan.....	116	100			158	133	133	126	987	969	151	136	86.9	86.4		
Feb.....	116	100					136	129	992	981	151	135	87.2	86.3		
Mar.....	117	101					136	129	974	954	151	135	87.9	87.2		
April.....	118	102			161	137	137	129	972	960	151	135	88.3	87.4		
May.....	118	103					136	129	968	940	152	136	88.8	88.4		
June.....	119	103					137	131	957	907	152	136	88.9	88.2		
July.....	118	102			162	138	137	131	967	931	155	140	88.9	87.7		
Aug.....	119	102					137	130	963	932	155	140	89.0	87.3		
Sept.....	119	101					137	130	969	931	155	140	89.4	87.6		
Oct.....	120	103			165	140	138	130	987	944	158	143	89.5	86.7		
Nov.....	121	105					138	130	985	945	160	146	89.0	85.4		
Dec.....	123	108					138	130	981	928	160	146	88.6	84.4		

(a) Middle of month. (b) July. (c) First of following month. (d) New method of calculation since 1932. (e) June.  
(f) End of month. (g) First of month. (h) Revised series.













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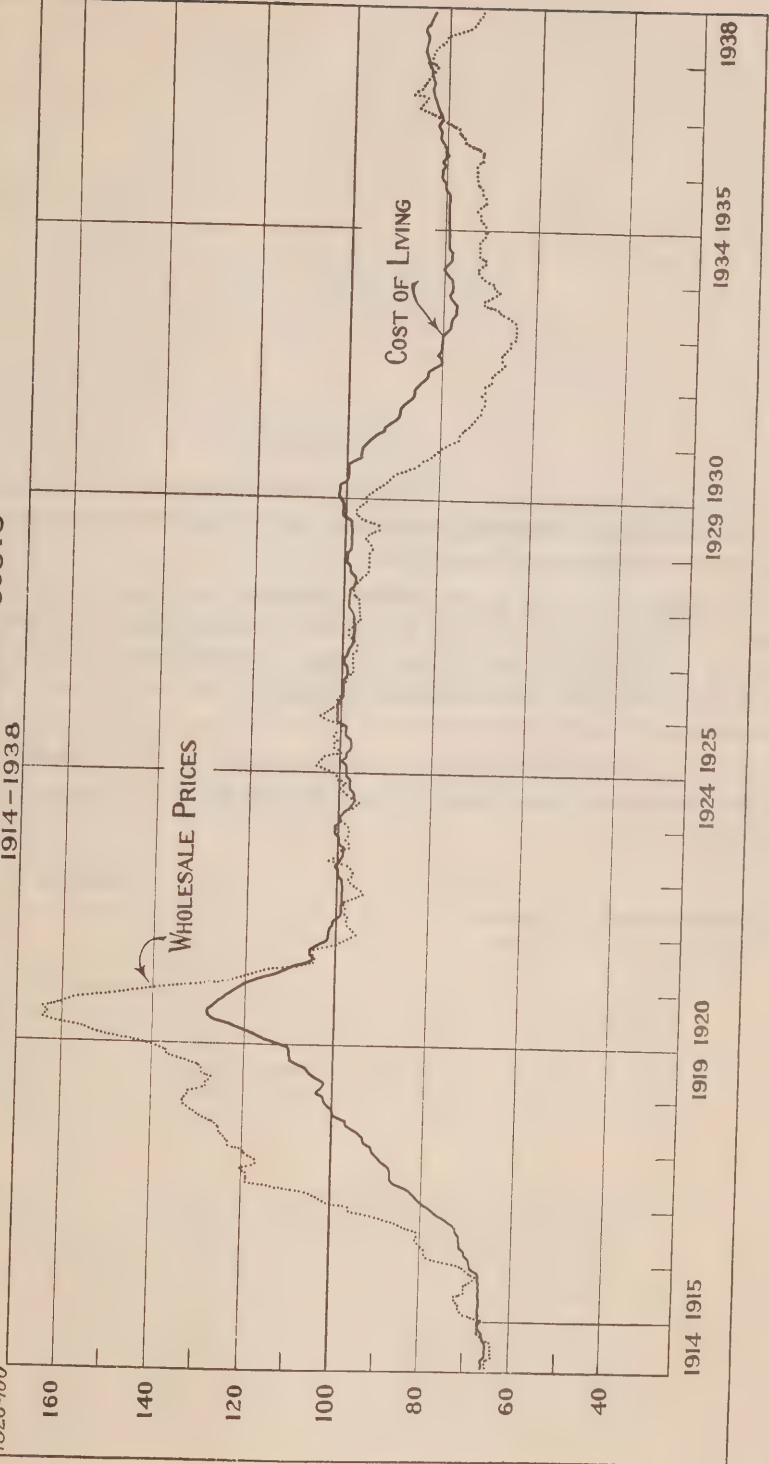


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# CANADIAN INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES and LIVING COSTS 1914-1938

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## PREFACE

This report, the seventeenth on the subject of Prices and Price Indexes issued annually by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, deals chiefly with the year 1938, but data are included for earlier years, in some instances back to 1890.

The report includes statistics of domestic and foreign wholesale and retail prices, securities prices, bond prices and yields, rates of exchange, and prices of services (including hospital services, street car fares, electricity, gas, telephone rates). The usual detailed statement of monthly prices used in computing 1938 wholesale price indexes has been omitted, but it will be combined with 1939 data in a subsequent report.

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## WHOLESALE PRICES, 1938

Wholesale price levels in Canada during 1938 were reduced materially. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics weekly index of 567 commodity prices receded almost steadily from a level of 84.3 in the first week of January to 74.0 for the week of September 9. At this point the index stiffened and remained comparatively firm through the last quarter, closing the year at 73.2. Between December, 1937, and December, 1938, the monthly general index of wholesale prices dropped from 82.7 to 73.3, a loss of 11.4 per cent. The Vegetable Products index, paced by the rapidly falling and heavily weighted grain index, was mainly responsible for this major setback. As it became increasingly evident that Canada and other leading exporters would harvest large wheat crops, the grain index tumbled sharply to the year's low of 41.7 on November 4. This compared with an opening index of 96.1.

The range of fluctuation in the component groups between December, 1937, and December, 1938, explains to some extent the behaviour of the general index. The 1938 net changes (compared with the 1937 net changes in brackets) were: Vegetable Products -29.3 p.c. (+1.5 p.c.), Animal Products -6.8 p.c. (+5.8 p.c.), Textiles -3.9 p.c. (-2.7 p.c.), Wood and Wood Products +0.9 p.c. (+8.5 p.c.), Iron and Its Products -5.6 p.c. (+13.9 p.c.), Non-Ferrous Metals -1.4 p.c. (-7.1 p.c.), Non-Metallic Minerals -1.0 p.c. (+1.4 p.c.) and Chemicals -2.1 p.c. (+2.0 p.c.). It is apparent that index fluctuations with the exception of Vegetable Products were comparatively small. Of the eight groups, Wood and Wood Products was the only one to show a gain in 1938, and that of a minor character. The position of the Animal Products group index was altered considerably during the latter half of 1938 coinciding with the substantially cheaper feed situation. Livestock prices which had been kept at a high level for the first six months were quick to react to the changing grain picture. Declines in the Textile group were mostly confined to raw wool and its manufactures. In the Wood and Wood Products group strength was due mainly to the higher prices ruling in the newsprint industry when a basic New York price of \$50.00 a ton was set for 1938. All sections of the Iron and Steel group experienced weakness though price reductions were chiefly centered in the pig iron and rolling mill products indexes. Lower prices in the aluminum, antimony and solder sub-group indexes were mainly responsible for the narrow change in the Non-Ferrous group. Removal of the sales tax on building materials in 1938 contributed to a slight recession in the Non-Metallic group index, and lower gasoline prices were also associated with the decline in this group. Price reductions in the Chemical group were general and outweighed advances for fertilizers and industrial gases.

The Canadian Farm Products index in which grains are the most important constituent suffered a sharp setback in 1938. The opening level was 87.3 but successive monthly declines brought it down to a 1938 low of 63.0 on September 9. Following the stabilizing effect of the 80 cent minimum price set on No. 1 Manitoba Northern wheat by the Canadian Grain Board, the index ruled firmer for the remainder of the year, closing at 64.6.

As might be expected from the foregoing comments, primary commodity indexes showed considerable recessions compared with manufactured goods indexes during 1938. The position occupied by Producers' Goods, Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials and Canadian Farm Products relative to manufactured materials was approximately on a par with December, 1935, or about 10 per cent below corresponding levels of a year ago. The pronounced stability of the Building Materials index was in marked contrast to the decline in primary product indexes.

Declines of unusual magnitude were noted in the prices of Canada's leading exports during 1938. The Bureau's index of export wholesale prices dropped continuously from 82.3 in January to 61.9 in September, where it levelled off to close the year at 60.8. This was down 22.9 per cent from December, 1937. An analysis of individual commodity price changes showed practically all the loss concentrated in the Vegetable Products group in which grain and flour prices

are of predominant importance. These prices as noted previously, suffered very sharp recessions in 1938. The actual index decline in Vegetable Product exports was from 89.8 in January to 44.4 in December. With the exception of the Chemicals group which advanced, due to increases in fertilizer prices, all other sections of the export index series experienced moderate price recessions between the opening and closing months of the year. Compared with the export price situation, import price movements were of a minor character, the net recession amounting to only 4.4 per cent between December, 1937, and December, 1938. Sub-group indexes in this series were generally lower in December, 1938, than at the close of the previous year although slight advances were noted for non-ferrous and chemical sub-group indexes. At the beginning of 1938 the import price index level exceeded that for exports by only 4.1 per cent, the narrowest difference in several years. By December, however, the divergence in favour of imports had increased to 35.2 per cent.

COMMODITY GROUP INDEXES EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE CORRESPONDING  
GENERAL WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX, 1933-1938

—	February 1933	December 1934	December 1935	December 1936	December 1937	December 1938
General Wholesale Price Level.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Producers' Goods.....	91.5	96.1	95.6	101.0	100.0	93.0
Consumers' Goods.....	108.2	102.5	102.3	96.6	95.6	101.8
Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	79.7	90.4	92.7	99.6	97.7	88.5
Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Materials.....	105.2	102.0	100.4	97.1	97.0	100.4
Building Materials.....	117.6	114.5	114.6	110.3	110.9	119.1
Canadian Farm Products.....	67.6	86.6	90.1	103.5	101.8	88.1

### INDUSTRIAL MATERIAL PRICES

(1926 = 100)

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics inaugurated a new series of index numbers in 1938, consisting of 30 basic industrial materials. It is computed from an unweighted geometric average with 1926 prices equal to 100. The 30 commodities were divided into two main groups of 18 Sensitive Manufacturing Materials and 12 Stable Price series. The 18 sensitive commodities were, in turn, separated into two sub-groups of 13 Sensitive Manufacturing Materials and 5 Food Products. A specially prepared table of weekly indexes calculated for these sections is shown for 1938 on page 13. In order to provide an historical background the composite index is also shown by months from 1926 to December, 1938. A list of the actual commodities used in compiling this index as well as single commodity indexes for December, 1936, 1937 and 1938 is found on page 12.

The average level of the 30 basic industrial material commodities making up the composite index dropped 6.9 points to 64.5 between the opening and closing weeks of 1938. It was then only slightly above the year's low of 63.5 established in the first week of December. Net losses were shown for 19 commodities at the close of 1938, ranging between 54.7 p.c. for wheat and 3.3 p.c. for lead. Scrap iron was unchanged, while 10 commodities were higher, gains ranging from 16.6 p.c. for beef hides to 0.9 p.c. for iron ore.

It will be at once apparent that the Food products index suffered by far the sharpest decline in 1938. This was due almost entirely to the rapid fall in prices for wheat and oats in the summer months as it became increasingly evident that Canada would harvest a large grain crop. For the first six months of the year this index remained relatively steady, moving between a low of 70.9 in the fifth week of April and a peak of 76.3 for the last week of June which also proved to be a high for the year. It then dropped irregularly to the year's low of 51.0 at the end of October, but had recovered to 57.1 at the close of the year.

An index for 13 Sensitive Manufacturing Materials moved gradually lower from an opening figure of 54.2 to the year's low of 45.6 in the final week of May. Moderate recovery in the latter half of 1938 brought this index up to 50.6 at the end of December. Relatively severe losses were sustained by several important commodities included in this section between December, 1937 and 1938. Manila hemp dropped 34.1 p.c.; raw wool 31.9 p.c.; raw rubber 26.1 p.c., and zinc 12.1 p.c. Six commodities were higher at the close of the year though advances were

less than 10 p.c. with the exception of beef hides and raw silk which were up 16.6 and 15.6 p.c. respectively.

The rapid fall in the average price level of the Food Products index in 1938 offered a marked contrast to the relative stability of prices included in the Sensitive Manufacturing Materials sub-group. At the beginning of the year the index for 5 Food Products at 74.9 was approximately 20 points above the Sensitive Manufacturing Materials index, and this spread gradually widened throughout the next six months until a maximum difference of 28.7 points was attained in the final week of June. The divergence narrowed sharply after this point, due mainly to the swift decline in grains, and reached a minimum in the final week of October when the Food Products index at 51.0 was 0.9 below the index for 13 Sensitive Manufacturing Materials. Comparative steadiness was displayed by both indexes until mid-November when moderately higher prices for steers, hogs and raw sugar moved the index level of the Food Products sub-group to 57.1 at the end of December compared with a closing figure of 50.6 for the Sensitive Manufacturing Materials group.

Except for a minor advance in August and September the index for 12 Stable Commodities moved steadily lower in 1938. Prices for 8 of the 12 items included, were lower at the close of the year, the most pronounced declines being recorded by wood pulp, white lead and spruce lumber. Minor advances were noted for three commodities while one was unchanged. Between the opening and closing weeks of 1938 the group index dropped 8.0 points to 88.1.



TABLE 1—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1938

CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1926=100)

Groups	I Vegetable Products	II Animals and Their Products	III Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	IV Wood, Wood Products and Paper	V Iron and Its Products	VI Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	VII Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	VIII Chemicals and Allied Products	All Commodities
Number of commodities	(1890-1912) 59 (1913-1925) 67 (1926-1933) 124 (1934-1938) 135	47 50 74 76	23 28 60 85	26 21 44 49	30 26 39 44	14 15 15 18	21 16 73 83	27 13 73 77	247 236 502 567
1890.....	55.5	45.5	53.8	38.5	77.9	109.4	50.0	49.6	51.5
1891.....	58.8	45.2	49.2	38.2	72.1	101.9	48.7	49.8	51.5
1892.....	47.9	45.2	46.8	38.8	69.5	92.8	49.4	48.9	47.8
1893.....	48.3	47.6	46.7	38.6	67.9	86.0	49.0	48.6	48.5
1894.....	44.2	43.6	43.9	39.6	63.2	73.1	47.9	48.2	45.3
1895.....	44.3	42.3	43.7	37.3	61.0	72.0	47.0	47.6	44.4
1896.....	42.2	39.9	44.5	35.9	61.6	75.4	46.9	47.9	42.9
1897.....	43.5	42.2	43.7	35.8	56.4	70.4	46.0	46.8	43.6
1898.....	48.5	43.6	43.0	36.1	56.2	72.9	45.6	46.6	45.6
1899.....	46.4	45.9	43.4	37.1	64.4	95.3	45.8	46.3	46.5
1900.....	42.9	48.5	48.4	40.6	75.1	102.4	48.5	49.0	47.9
1901.....	47.1	48.3	46.4	40.3	67.9	100.2	51.7	51.1	48.9
1902.....	50.1	51.2	46.6	42.6	67.7	84.3	53.6	49.9	51.1
1903.....	51.6	49.5	47.0	47.9	67.3	82.7	55.5	50.2	51.8
1904.....	54.6	48.2	51.0	48.0	62.9	85.1	54.7	51.7	52.4
1905.....	55.3	52.4	50.6	49.3	62.0	93.8	53.2	52.0	54.0
1906.....	52.2	53.2	54.4	52.6	65.8	108.3	52.1	50.8	54.2
1907.....	59.1	57.1	56.1	55.3	68.9	115.3	54.2	58.3	58.6
1908.....	61.7	56.5	50.8	54.4	66.6	86.9	55.6	57.5	58.5
1909.....	62.0	60.3	52.4	53.3	63.3	84.6	54.7	53.4	59.5
1910.....	59.0	63.1	55.8	58.5	62.3	87.8	54.1	54.8	60.2
1911.....	62.5	60.9	54.2	62.1	63.2	87.0	53.3	59.1	62.2
1912.....	68.0	67.6	52.5	62.2	64.0	100.0	56.8	61.9	65.4
1913.....	58.1	70.9	58.2	63.9	68.9	98.4	56.8	63.4	64.0
1914.....	64.8	72.6	56.9	60.3	67.3	94.7	53.7	65.3	65.5
1915.....	75.6	74.0	58.3	56.5	73.9	106.9	52.7	68.1	70.7
1916.....	67.0	85.0	77.6	64.0	104.6	135.1	58.0	78.0	84.3
1917.....	124.5	110.4	114.6	79.8	151.8	143.9	71.6	98.1	114.3
1918.....	127.9	127.1	157.1	89.1	156.9	141.9	82.3	118.7	127.4
1919.....	136.1	140.8	163.8	109.6	139.1	133.5	93.6	117.5	134.0
1920.....	167.0	145.1	176.5	154.4	168.4	135.5	112.2	141.5	155.9
1921.....	103.5	109.6	96.0	129.4	128.0	97.0	116.6	117.0	110.0
1922.....	86.2	96.0	101.7	106.3	104.6	97.3	107.0	105.4	97.3
1923.....	83.7	95.0	116.9	113.0	115.8	95.3	104.4	104.4	98.0
1924.....	89.2	91.8	117.9	105.9	111.0	94.8	104.1	102.5	99.4
1925.....	100.6	100.3	112.5	101.6	104.5	103.9	100.3	99.6	102.6
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	98.3	101.9	93.7	98.5	96.2	91.5	96.5	98.3	97.7
1928.....	93.0	108.1	94.5	98.7	93.2	92.0	92.5	95.3	96.4
1929.....	91.6	109.0	91.3	93.9	93.7	99.2	92.9	95.4	95.6
1930.....	77.7	99.1	81.8	88.7	91.1	80.7	91.3	92.8	86.6
1931.....	56.9	73.9	73.4	79.1	87.4	64.6	86.5	86.7	72.1
1932.....	54.8	59.7	69.7	69.1	86.3	59.0	85.5	83.9	66.7
1933.....	59.3	59.4	69.7	62.8	85.4	64.3	84.4	81.3	67.1
1934.....	66.6	67.2	72.9	65.4	87.0	64.3	86.0	81.2	71.6
1935.....	67.3	70.4	70.2	64.6	87.2	69.1	85.5	79.1	72.1
1936.....	72.6	71.8	69.7	68.5	88.0	70.0	85.5	78.0	74.6
1937.....	88.4	78.4	72.8	76.7	101.8	83.8	86.6	81.4	84.6
1938.....	73.8	76.7	67.5	77.5	100.4	70.9	86.7	79.9	78.6
1937.....									
January.....	87.6	75.4	72.2	73.0	92.1	82.5	85.6	79.2	81.9
February.....	88.6	75.2	73.3	74.2	94.1	86.2	86.0	80.0	82.9
March.....	90.6	74.9	73.9	77.3	100.1	97.6	85.5	81.6	85.4
April.....	91.3	77.1	75.4	78.5	102.9	89.6	85.0	82.7	86.2
May.....	88.7	76.8	75.3	78.9	102.8	85.9	86.0	82.2	85.3
June.....	87.0	77.5	75.0	77.8	103.0	84.3	86.8	81.6	84.6
July.....	95.5	78.9	74.6	78.0	103.9	85.9	87.0	81.7	87.6
August.....	87.7	81.0	73.7	77.9	104.5	86.3	87.2	81.8	86.7
September.....	86.5	81.8	71.8	77.2	105.3	83.4	87.4	81.7	85.0
October.....	87.6	81.7	70.7	76.2	105.0	77.4	87.3	81.9	84.7
November.....	84.5	80.7	69.2	75.7	104.1	73.7	87.4	81.3	83.1
December.....	85.2	78.2	69.0	75.5	103.9	72.5	87.2	80.7	82.7
1938.....									
January.....	87.4	77.2	68.9	79.6	103.8	72.7	87.1	80.7	83.8
February.....	87.0	77.8	68.7	79.4	103.7	71.1	87.1	80.6	83.6
March.....	85.1	79.1	68.4	79.0	103.2	71.3	87.0	80.5	83.1
April.....	84.0	78.9	68.1	77.6	102.5	70.6	86.6	80.5	82.3
May.....	79.1	77.1	67.9	77.2	101.5	69.0	87.1	80.5	80.3
June.....	78.6	78.0	67.4	76.8	101.4	67.8	87.1	80.1	78.6
July.....	74.4	78.3	67.5	76.7	97.8	70.6	86.5	79.4	80.1
August.....	66.8	76.2	67.1	77.3	98.0	70.0	86.5	79.4	76.0
September.....	61.7	76.4	66.9	76.9	98.2	70.8	86.7	79.4	74.5
October.....	60.8	74.8	66.7	76.9	98.1	73.0	86.5	79.4	74.1
November.....	60.2	73.3	66.5	76.2	98.2	72.7	86.3	79.3	73.5
December.....	60.3	72.9	66.2	76.2	98.1	71.5	86.3	79.0	73.3

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TABLE 2—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1938  
CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1913=100)

Groups	I Vegetable Products	II Animals and Their Products	III Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	IV Wood, Wood Products and Paper	V Iron and Its Products	VI Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	VII Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	VIII Chemicals and Allied Products	All Commodities
Number of commodities	59	47	23	26	30	14	21	27	247
1890-1899	51	39	20	18	22	11	19	23	203
1900-1912	67	50	28	21	26	15	16	13	236
1913-1925	124	74	60	44	39	15	73	73	502
1926-1933	135	76	85	49	44	18	83	77	567
1934-1938									
1890	95.6	64.2	92.4	60.2	113.1	111.2	88.1	78.3	80.5
1891	101.2	63.8	84.5	59.8	104.6	103.6	85.8	78.6	80.5
1892	82.5	63.7	80.4	60.7	100.9	94.3	86.9	77.1	74.7
1893	83.2	67.2	80.2	60.4	98.6	87.4	86.3	76.6	75.8
1894	76.1	61.5	75.5	61.9	91.7	74.3	84.3	76.1	70.8
1895	76.3	59.7	75.1	58.4	88.5	73.2	82.8	75.0	69.4
1896	72.6	56.3	76.4	56.2	89.4	76.6	82.5	75.5	67.0
1897	74.9	59.5	75.0	56.1	81.9	71.5	81.0	73.8	68.1
1898	83.5	61.5	73.9	56.5	81.6	74.1	80.2	73.5	71.3
1899	79.9	64.7	74.6	58.0	93.4	96.8	80.6	73.1	72.6
1900	73.9	68.4	83.2	63.5	109.0	104.0	85.4	77.4	74.8
1901	81.1	68.1	79.7	63.1	98.5	101.8	91.1	80.6	76.4
1902	86.2	72.3	80.1	66.6	98.3	85.6	94.4	78.8	79.8
1903	88.9	69.8	80.7	75.0	97.6	84.0	97.7	79.2	80.9
1904	94.0	68.0	87.6	75.1	91.3	86.5	96.3	81.6	81.8
1905	95.2	74.0	87.0	77.2	89.9	95.3	93.6	82.0	84.4
1906	89.9	75.0	93.5	82.3	95.5	110.0	91.8	80.1	84.6
1907	101.7	80.6	96.3	86.5	100.0	117.1	95.4	92.0	91.6
1908	106.2	79.7	87.3	85.1	96.7	88.3	97.9	90.8	91.4
1909	106.7	85.1	90.0	83.4	91.8	86.0	96.3	84.2	92.9
1910	101.6	89.1	95.8	91.6	90.4	89.2	95.2	86.5	94.0
1911	107.6	86.0	93.3	97.2	91.7	88.4	93.8	93.3	97.2
1912	117.1	95.4	90.2	97.4	92.8	101.6	100.0	97.6	102.2
1913	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914	111.6	102.5	97.8	94.3	97.7	96.2	94.5	103.0	102.3
1915	130.2	104.4	100.2	88.5	107.2	108.6	92.8	107.4	109.9
1916	149.8	119.9	133.3	100.1	151.8	137.3	126.0	154.8	175.5
1917	214.4	155.8	196.8	124.9	220.2	146.2	126.0	178.3	131.6
1918	220.2	179.4	269.9	139.4	227.3	144.2	144.9	187.3	199.0
1919	234.4	198.7	281.4	171.6	201.8	135.6	163.8	185.4	209.2
1920	287.6	204.8	303.3	241.6	244.4	137.7	197.5	223.3	243.5
1921	178.2	154.6	165.0	202.5	185.7	98.6	205.4	184.7	171.8
1922	148.4	135.4	174.7	166.4	151.8	98.9	188.4	166.4	152.0
1923	144.2	134.1	200.9	176.8	168.0	96.8	183.8	164.8	153.0
1924	153.6	129.5	202.5	165.8	161.0	96.3	183.4	161.8	155.2
1925	173.3	141.5	193.3	159.0	151.6	105.6	176.6	157.1	160.3
1926	172.2	141.1	171.8	156.5	145.1	101.6	176.1	157.8	156.2
1927	169.3	143.8	161.0	154.2	139.6	93.0	169.9	155.1	152.6
1928	160.1	152.5	162.4	154.5	135.2	93.5	162.9	150.4	150.6
1929	157.7	153.8	156.9	147.0	130.0	100.8	163.6	150.5	149.3
1930	133.8	139.8	140.5	138.8	132.2	82.0	160.8	146.4	135.3
1931	98.0	104.3	126.1	123.8	126.8	65.6	152.3	136.8	112.6
1932	94.4	84.2	119.7	108.1	125.2	59.9	150.6	132.4	104.2
1933	102.1	83.8	119.7	98.3	123.9	65.3	148.6	128.3	104.8
1934	114.7	94.8	125.2	102.4	126.2	65.3	151.4	128.1	111.8
1935	115.9	99.3	120.6	101.1	126.5	70.2	150.6	124.8	112.6
1936	125.0	101.3	119.7	107.2	127.7	71.1	150.6	123.1	116.5
1937	152.2	110.6	125.1	120.0	147.7	85.1	152.5	128.4	132.1
1938	127.1	108.2	116.0	121.3	145.7	72.0	152.7	126.1	122.8
January	150.8	106.4	124.0	114.2	133.6	83.8	150.7	125.0	127.9
February	152.6	106.1	125.9	116.1	130.5	87.6	151.4	126.2	129.5
March	156.0	105.7	127.0	121.0	145.2	99.2	150.6	128.8	133.4
April	157.2	108.8	129.5	122.9	149.3	91.0	150.7	130.5	134.6
May	152.7	108.4	129.4	123.5	149.2	87.3	152.5	129.7	133.2
June	149.8	109.4	128.9	121.8	149.5	85.6	152.9	128.8	132.1
July	164.5	111.3	128.1	122.1	150.8	87.3	153.2	128.9	136.8
August	151.0	114.3	126.6	121.9	151.6	87.7	153.6	129.1	133.7
September	149.0	115.4	123.4	120.8	152.8	84.7	153.9	128.9	132.8
October	150.8	115.3	121.6	119.3	152.4	78.6	153.7	129.2	132.3
November	145.5	113.9	118.9	118.5	151.0	74.9	153.9	128.3	129.8
December	146.7	110.3	118.5	118.2	150.8	72.7	153.6	127.3	129.2
1938									
January	150.5	108.9	118.4	124.6	150.8	73.9	153.4	127.3	130.9
February	149.8	109.8	118.0	124.3	150.5	72.2	153.4	127.2	130.6
March	146.5	111.6	117.5	123.6	149.7	72.4	153.2	127.0	129.8
April	144.6	111.3	117.0	121.4	148.7	71.7	152.5	127.0	128.6
May	136.2	108.8	116.7	120.8	147.3	70.1	153.4	127.0	125.4
June	135.3	110.1	115.8	120.2	147.1	68.9	153.4	126.4	125.1
July	128.1	110.5	116.0	120.0	141.9	71.7	152.3	125.3	122.8
August	115.0	107.5	115.3	121.0	142.2	71.1	152.3	125.3	118.7
September	106.2	107.8	114.9	120.3	142.5	71.9	152.7	125.3	116.4
October	104.7	105.5	114.6	120.3	142.3	74.2	152.3	125.3	115.7
November	103.7	103.4	114.2	119.3	142.5	73.9	152.0	125.1	114.8
December	103.8	102.9	113.7	119.3	142.3	72.6	152.0	124.7	114.5

TABLE 3—INDEX NUMBERS OF INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS DECEMBER 1936-1937-1938  
(1926=100)

Commodities	December 1936	December 1937	December 1938	December 1938 — December 1937
<b>SENSITIVE PRICE SERIES (18)—</b>				
<i>(a) Manufacturing Materials (13)—</i>				
Raw rubber, plantation, first latex crepe.....	44.7	31.1	33.6	+ 8.0
Linseed oil, raw.....	81.4	84.4	62.4	-26.1
Cottonseed oil, refined.....	71.2	69.8	62.4	-10.6
Rosin, water white.....	66.8	54.4	48.1	-11.6
Beef hides, country cured.....	58.6	45.1	52.6	+16.6
Raw cotton, middling 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub> ".....	75.7	52.5	53.0	+ 1.0
Raw wool, eastern bright $\frac{1}{2}$ blood.....	80.1	76.8	52.3	-31.9
Raw silk (composite of 9 items).....	32.0	25.6	29.6	+15.6
Manila hemp, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ p.c. fair current.....	58.8	57.4	37.8	-34.1
Lead, domestic.....	76.6	54.0	50.6	- 3.3
Zinc, spelter.....	54.0	48.7	42.8	-12.1
Copper, electrolytic domestic.....	73.3	67.3	68.8	+ 2.2
Tin ingots, Straits.....	86.7	68.0	73.7	+ 8.4
<i>(b) Food Products (5)—</i>				
Wheat, No. 3 Manitoba Northern.....	82.7	83.5	37.8	-54.7
Oats, No. 3 Canada Western.....	99.4	93.3	53.9	-42.2
Raw sugar, B.W.I. preferential.....	38.0	45.1	42.1	- 6.7
Steers, good quality.....	74.5	96.2	88.3	- 8.2
Hogs, good bacon.....	61.6	62.5	67.3	+ 7.7
<b>STABLE PRICE SERIES (12)—</b>				
Spruce lumber, Quebec.....	93.2	107.4	96.1	-10.5
Fir lumber, No. 1 common.....	94.7	92.8	95.7	+ 3.1
Pulp, unbleached sulphite.....	72.0	88.0	71.9	-13.3
Pulp, bleached sulphite.....	66.3	87.9	70.6	-19.7
Iron ore, mesabi bessemer.....	105.6	116.0	117.1	+ 0.9
Scrap iron, heavy melting, charging box size.....	82.6	82.6	82.6	0.0
Structural shapes, open hearth.....	100.0	102.0	95.9	- 6.0
Merchant bars, mild steel.....	98.0	110.2	104.1	- 5.5
Steel sheets, No. 24 U.S.G., galvanized.....	94.3	112.0	102.8	- 8.2
Crude oil, mid-continent.....	72.8	76.1	70.5	- 7.4
Coal, American bituminous, run-of-mine.....	95.3	99.3	100.9	+ 1.6
White lead, basic carbonate in oil.....	87.0	86.7	74.5	-14.1

TABLE 4—MONTHLY PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF 30 INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, 1926-1938  
(1926=100)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1926.....	104.7	102.6	100.7	99.4	98.3	98.4	99.5	98.9	99.2	99.1	97.4	98.3
1927.....	97.2	97.5	96.4	96.7	96.8	96.9	96.0	96.6	96.7	96.0	94.8	96.3
1928.....	95.4	93.7	94.5	94.1	95.2	93.8	93.4	92.1	90.9	89.9	90.2	91.1
1929.....	92.2	92.7	93.2	91.8	90.3	90.4	92.9	93.0	93.7	92.4	89.4	89.9
1930.....	88.3	86.8	84.0	83.4	79.8	77.4	74.0	71.9	69.3	67.7	66.6	64.4
1931.....	63.9	62.1	61.5	61.2	59.5	59.3	59.6	57.9	56.1	57.7	58.1	57.7
1932.....	56.8	55.2	53.4	51.5	49.7	49.2	50.3	51.6	51.5	49.9	49.1	47.7
1933.....	46.0	45.8	48.4	49.3	54.0	56.7	60.8	59.4	58.6	55.7	57.0	57.7
1934.....	59.4	61.7	61.5	60.9	60.7	60.9	59.8	60.1	59.1	58.4	58.3	58.3
1935.....	59.8	60.0	59.7	61.1	62.0	61.7	62.0	62.1	64.1	65.9	65.5	65.5
1936.....	66.1	66.5	66.3	66.0	64.6	64.6	66.4	67.7	68.2	68.0	69.9	73.1
1937.....	78.1	79.3	85.2	84.7	83.4	82.3	84.5	82.9	81.2	76.8	73.4	71.1
1938.....	70.6	69.2	68.8	67.4	65.9	65.5	66.3	65.1	64.1	64.2	64.2	63.3

TABLE 5—WEEKLY PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF 30 INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, 1938  
(1926=100)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	71.4	69.3	69.0	67.7	66.8	65.0	66.7	65.4	64.2	64.5	63.8	63.3
2nd Week.....	71.4	69.0	68.9	67.4	66.9	64.9	67.1	64.8	63.8	64.7	64.0	63.3
3rd Week.....	70.5	69.2	68.8	67.5	65.5	65.0	66.4	65.1	64.4	64.0	64.1	64.4
4th Week.....	69.5	69.1	68.6	67.5	64.9	66.4	66.6	64.7	63.9	64.1	63.8	64.4
5th Week.....				67.0			66.2		64.4			



TABLE 6—CONSTITUENT GROUP WEEKLY PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, 1938

1. EIGHTEEN SENSITIVE COMMODITIES

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	59.3	56.5	56.1	54.6	53.6	52.2	54.6	53.6	51.5	51.7	51.2	51.0
2nd Week.....	59.3	56.0	56.0	54.1	53.7	52.1	55.3	52.9	51.0	52.2	51.5	51.3
3rd Week.....	58.0	56.3	56.1	54.7	52.8	52.3	54.9	52.6	51.6	51.4	51.5	51.4
4th Week.....	56.7	56.2	55.7	54.6	52.0	54.2	55.1	52.2	51.0	51.5	51.3	51.7
5th Week.....				53.9			54.7		51.5			52.4

2. Thirteen Sensitive Manufacturing Materials

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	54.2	51.4	50.8	48.9	48.0	46.1	48.5	49.9	49.2	51.2	51.1	50.1
2nd Week.....	54.4	51.0	50.3	48.3	48.1	46.2	49.7	49.6	49.4	51.7	51.4	50.0
3rd Week.....	53.0	51.2	50.4	48.9	46.7	46.0	49.2	49.4	49.9	51.4	50.9	50.1
4th Week.....	51.6	51.0	49.6	49.1	45.6	47.6	50.0	49.6	49.7	51.9	50.5	50.3
5th Week.....				48.5			50.3		50.2			50.6

3. Five Sensitive Food Products

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	74.9	72.3	72.7	72.7	71.6	72.4	75.0	64.7	58.4	53.4	51.5	53.4
2nd Week.....	73.8	71.7	71.6	73.0	71.9	71.4	72.5	62.9	55.8	53.7	51.6	55.0
3rd Week.....	73.6	72.4	71.9	73.4	72.6	73.8	73.2	62.3	56.7	51.7	53.4	54.9
4th Week.....	72.6	72.4	72.8	72.0	73.3	76.3	71.4	60.0	54.9	51.0	53.4	55.3
5th Week.....				70.9			68.6		55.6			57.1

4. TWELVE STABLE COMMODITIES

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	96.1	94.5	94.4	93.8	92.7	90.6	90.0	88.5	89.3	90.0	89.1	88.5
2nd Week.....	96.1	94.5	94.3	93.8	92.7	90.6	90.0	88.5	89.3	89.4	88.9	88.5
3rd Week.....	94.7	94.4	93.8	92.9	90.6	90.0	88.5	89.7	90.0	89.0	88.5	88.3
4th Week.....	94.4	94.4	93.8	92.7	90.6	90.0	88.5	89.3	90.0	89.0	88.5	88.1
5th Week.....				92.7			88.5		90.0			88.1

TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1935-1938  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1928=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.									
Fruits, Fresh, Dried and Canned.....									
Fruits, Fresh.....									
Bananas (1).....	per pound	.048	77.3	.050	72.6	.052	73.3	.048	73.8
Bananas, 7 hands.....	100 pounds	2.892	83.4	2.896	83.5	3.097	88.5	3.133	89.3
Lemons (California).....	per box	5.081	117.9	6.163	144.4	6.427	161.2	4.194	105.2
Oranges (California).....	per case	4.579	72.1	4.630	74.0	5.508	93.9	3.621	61.7
Fruits, Dried.....									
Currents, Australian, 2-Crown.....	per pound	.101	82.6	.101	81.4	.105	84.1	.097	78.9
Raisins, Thompson's seedless.....	"	.125	95.7	.125	95.7	.130	99.5	.121	77.3
Raisins, Australian 3-Crown.....	"	.099	101.	.101	103.	.103	101.	.101	92.6
Prunes, California, 50's-60's.....	"	.099	76.3	.089	68.6	.092	70.9	.081	62.4
Fruits, Canned.....									
Peaches, 2's, heavy syrup, standard (2).....	per dozen	1.604	70.0	1.423	67.9	1.442	67.8	1.274	65.0
Cherries, 2's, heavy syrup, red, pitted (2).....	"	1.329	80.2	1.095	71.2	1.359	62.9	1.397	59.0
Raspberries, 2's, heavy syrup, red (2).....	"	1.075	66.5	1.546	54.8	1.586	54.8	1.564	64.7
Corn Syrup.....	case	3.950	56.8	4.017	48.5	4.050	49.7	3.950	49.0
Orange Marmalade.....	4-lb. tins	428		438		421		435	
Strawberry Jam.....	"	658		639		645		620	
Grains.....									
Barley, No. 3 C.W.....	per bushel	396	58.8	493	66.3	689	92.6	478	68.1
Barley, No. 4 C.W.....	"	360	61.5	467	79.3	656	110.9	461	76.9
Barley, Ontario, good malting.....	"	588	83.2	685	96.9	823	112.1	611	78.8
Barley, No. 6 C.W.....	"	334	60.6	432	78.3	624	116.4	441	86.4
Corn, Ontario yellow, kiln dried (3).....	"	1.239	148.4	1.185	141.8	1.950	159.6	1.880	139.4
Flax, No. 1 C.W.....	"	1.359	88.2	1.600	80.3	1.743	87.5	1.491	74.9
Flax, No. 2 C.W.....	"	1.319	67.6	1.559	79.9	1.703	87.3	1.744	74.4
Flax, No. 3 C.W.....	"	1.178	65.7	1.455	81.2	1.535	85.6	1.310	73.1
Oats, No. 2 C.W.....	"	385	70.2	401	73.1	546	99.6	413	75.3
Oats, No. 3 C.W.....	"	341	71.8	361	76.0	524	110.4	377	79.4
Oats, Ontario.....	"	324	71.7	357	79.0	519	114.8	374	82.8
Oats, No. 1 feed Western.....	"	322	70.8	340	74.7	509	111.8	359	78.9
Oats, No. 2 feed Western.....	"	294	69.1	322	75.7	479	112.6	332	78.0
Peas, No. 2 white, Ontario.....	"	1.108	90.4	1.246	101.7	1.500	122.4	1.475	120.4
Rye, No. 2 C.W.....	"	442	47.7	574	61.9	978	109.4	547	59.0
Rye, No. 3 C.W.....	"	403	46.2	540	61.9	978	112.1	513	58.8
Rye, rejected.....	"	373	43.9	504	59.3	916	107.8	469	55.2
Rye, No. 2, Ontario.....	"	459	48.5	566	59.8	960	101.4	608	64.2
Wheat, Ontario, good milling.....	"	779	59.6	868	66.4	1,138	91.3	738	56.5
Wheat, No. 1 Manitoba Northern.....	"	844	56.5	837	62.7	1,340	89.6	1,015	67.0
Wheat, No. 2 Manitoba Northern.....	"	814	56.4	917	67.9	1,304	90.4	867	67.9
Wheat, No. 3 Manitoba Northern.....	per bushel	709	55.2	883	63.4	1,231	88.4	885	63.6

(1) New source, 1937.

(2) Sales tax included in 1937.

(3) Previous to 1937, American Yellow No. 2.

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Flour, No. 1, patent, Montreal.....	5.435	69.8	6.083	75.5	97.1	80.4
Flour, No. 2, patent, Winnipeg.....	5.162	61.5	5.742	68.9	87.6	73.6
Flour, No. 2, patent, Montreal.....	5.017	60.3	5.083	68.3	88.0	72.2
Flour, Ontario.....	4.867		5.442			
Oatmeal.....	3.662	82.6	4.046	69.2	90.2	61.0
Rollod oats.....	3.162	88.0	3.288	91.6	110.3	94.6
.....	2.858	87.1	2.967	90.2	113.1	93.7
Corn meal.....	2.900		2.929	3.200		
Malt.....	1.045	55.9	1.088	99.8	123.7	88.3
Gluten feed.....	24.250	62.0	24.250	29.958	76.7	28.083
Bran, Manitoba.....	23.650	81.0	23.717	80.2	100.8	25.360
Shorts, Manitoba.....	25.150	79.8	25.288	80.3	101.2	26.830
Bakery Products.....						
Bread, plain white, Halifax.....	0.60	83.0	0.60	84.0	91.1	91.4
Bread, plain white, Saint John.....	0.60	81.9	0.60	81.9	81.9	80.5
Bread, plain white, Montreal.....	0.60	75.0	0.60	75.0	82.5	81.3
Bread, plain white, Toronto.....	0.60	81.9	0.60	81.9	88.7	88.7
Bread, plain white, Winnipeg.....	0.60	90.1	0.60	90.1	96.1	96.1
Bread, plain white, Regina.....	0.60	83.3	0.60	83.3	81.7	83.2
Bread, plain white, Calgary.....	0.60	69.4	0.60	81.5	94.4	95.8
Bread, plain white, Vancouver.....	0.64	62.4	0.61	72.3	87.9	86.5
Biscuits, soda.....	0.53	79.6	0.55	82.6	103.8	108.1
.....	0.129	97.7	0.136	103.0	108.3	108.3
Vegetable Oils.....						
Cottonseed oil, refined.....	0.099	70.8	0.099	74.5	80.1	61.2
Linseed oil, raw.....	0.096	70.8	0.096	81.4	71.9	62.0
Cocoonut oil, Manila.....	5.607	56.0	6.006	60.9	83.3	74.0
Olive oil.....	1.624	55.8	1.797	94.9	70.9	42.7
Peanut oil, oriental crude.....	6.687	88.5	6.863	70.3	6.971	48.7
Chinawood oil.....	1.165	127.2	1.159	122.6	121.8	92.9
Soya bean oil, crude.....	5.453		5.942		6.517	4.700
Palm oil, crude.....	5.050		4.742		5.442	3.871
Rubber and Its Products.....						
Rubber, raw, plantation, Ceylon, ribbed, smoked sheets.....	1.24	56.8	1.05	58.4	63.3	59.9
Rubber, raw, plantation, standard latex thick crepe.....	1.26	25.4	1.10	33.8	40.0	30.3
Rubbers, men's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	1.03	23.7	1.83	34.4	44.1	33.0
Rubbers, women's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	0.686	60.6	0.63	67.3	69.8	61.5
Rubber tires, balloon, 6-00-16 (2).....	9.340	51.0	9.220	51.2	63.5	54.3
Tubes, CD10 (2).....	11.990	47.7	11.822	47.0	10.026	55.7
Tubes, C17.....	1.810		1.832		13.112	57.9
.....	2.210		2.237		52.2	54.6
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose.....						
Sugar, granulated, Montreal.....	4.832	82.7	4.626	79.6	86.3	84.1
Sugar, granulated, Vancouver.....	4.698	81.1	4.529	77.6	84.0	82.2
Sugar, yellow, No. 1, Montreal.....	4.547	81.5	4.341	76.5	81.9	80.7
Glucose, 44° B, Rame.....	4.388		4.203	77.8	84.7	82.7
Molasses, Barbados, extra fancy.....	4.404	111.5	4.378	110.8	4.516	4.610
Sugar, raw, preferential, B.W.I.....	1.431	91.8	1.414	88.2	4.200	3.958
Sugar, raw, Vancouver.....	1.899	38.5	1.890	38.3	90.3	107.3
.....	2.282	57.8	2.259	57.2	45.3	41.3
.....					65.8	60.4

(1) Previous to 1938—per 90-lb. sack.

(2) Previous to 1938—4.75-19.

(3) Previous to 1938—B19.



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TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1935-1938—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.									
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.....	per pound	.....	70.7	.....	73.2	.....	79.0	.....	73.9
Cocoa beans, green, Estates Trinidad.....	"	.....	47.5	.....	78.9	.....	89.3	.....	47.5
Cocoa beans, green, Jamaica.....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cocoa beans, green, Grenada.....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cocoa beans, green, Acacia, good, fermented.....	"	.....	61.0	.....	77.6	.....	92.4	.....	62.8
Chocolate liquor, cheapest grade.....	"	.....	110	.....	129	.....	178	.....	78.3
Chocolate liquor, best grade.....	"	.....	61.6	.....	170	.....	98.2	.....	60.6
Cocoa butter, imported.....	"	.....	134	.....	182	.....	208	.....	73.3
Coffee, green, Bogota, good quality.....	"	.....	56.1	.....	147	.....	164	.....	47.7
Coffee, green, Jamaica, good quality.....	"	.....	197	.....	180	.....	183	.....	48.1
Coffee, green, Kenya, best.....	"	.....	141	.....	128	.....	51.2	.....	51.1
Coffee, green, African, medium.....	"	.....	246	.....	250	.....	250	.....	.....
Coffee, green, Ceylon and India.....	"	.....	157	.....	148	.....	157	.....	.....
Tea, Pekoe, choice to medium.....	"	.....	82.6	.....	82.6	.....	85.3	.....	91.1
Pepper, black.....	"	.....	49.1	.....	450	.....	83.3	.....	87.7
.....	"	.....	.....	.....	155	.....	32.3	.....	100
Vegetables.....									
Potatoes.....	per 90-lb. bag	.....	46.0	.....	69.7	.....	64.8	.....	51.5
Potatoes, Canada "A", Charlottetown.....	"	.....	33.4	.....	67.5	.....	54.6	.....	36.8
Potatoes, Halifax.....	"	.....	25.1	.....	58.9	.....	42.4	.....	38.2
Potatoes, Canada, Grade 1, Saint John.....	per 80-lb. bag (1)	.....	753	.....	61.2	.....	49.3	.....	963
Potatoes, Quebec whites.....	"	.....	25.4	.....	55.1	.....	39.7	.....	32.0
Potatoes, Ontario.....	"	.....	35.8	.....	65.5	.....	47.5	.....	36.7
Potatoes, Manitoba.....	per 90-lb. bag (1)	.....	706	.....	1592	.....	42.1	.....	28.9
Potatoes, Vancouver.....	per cwt.	.....	599	.....	97.4	.....	100.8	.....	42.8
.....	"	.....	729	.....	74.8	.....	75.3	.....	60.5
Onions.....	per cwt.	.....	81.0	.....	71.3	.....	101.5	.....	110.3
Onions, Ontario.....	"	.....	1758	.....	57.8	.....	85.6	.....	105.7
Onions, British Columbia.....	"	.....	2.064	.....	103.4	.....	139.6	.....	121.5
Canned Vegetables.....									
Canned corn, 2 s, standard, Ontario (2).....	per dozen	.....	72.2	.....	76.2	.....	81.9	.....	73.7
Canned peas, 2 s, standard, No. 4 (2).....	"	.....	831	.....	79.9	.....	84.7	.....	75.1
Canned tomatoes, 2½ s standard (2).....	"	.....	779	.....	86.4	.....	75.6	.....	69.3
Baked beans, 18-ounce tins.....	"	.....	1.150	.....	91.5	.....	89.1	.....	73.9
.....	"	.....	.....	.....	1.188	.....	1.292	.....	1.238
Tobacco.....									
Tobacco, Ontario, burley.....	per pound	.....	42.6	.....	48.9	.....	54.9	.....	51.3
Tobacco, dark type, air cured.....	"	.....	51.7	.....	70.0	.....	66.1	.....	73.9
Tobacco, dark type, fire cured.....	"	.....	30.4	.....	30.4	.....	38.0	.....	38.0
Tobacco, flue cured (3).....	"	.....	35.0	.....	130	.....	125	.....	33.4
.....	"	.....	.....	.....	252	.....	58.8	.....	52.5

(1) 1925—per cwt. (2) Sales tax included in 1937 and 1938. (3) New source in 1936.



TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1935-1938—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.									
Furs—Con									
Muskrat, spring.	per skin	1.119	52.5	1.063	78.0	1.678	78.7	.976	45.8
Muskrat, fall and winter.	"	.885	56.5	1.206	76.9	1.264	80.7	.825	52.6
Hides and Skins									
Beef hides, country cured.	per pound	.063	69.2	.075	80.4	.100	101.9	.057	64.4
Packer hides, native steers.	"	.122	90.6	.129	96.0	.160	118.8	.111	82.4
Packer hides, native cows.	"	.096		.105		.136		.094	
Calf skins, city cured.	"	.105	35.5	.125	42.1	.148	50.0	.091	30.7
Sheep skins, city cured.	per skin	.817	133.1	1.092	93.8	1.342	115.4	.817	70.2
Sheep skins, country cured.	"	.696		.954	181.6	1.171	223.9	.679	129.8
Leather									
Packer crops, No. I and II.	per pound	.318	79.0	.363	87.1	.433	97.7	.374	85.0
Packer crops, No. III.	"	.298	82.4	.343	94.0	.413	112.2	.354	96.9
Packer bends, No. I and II.	"	.360		.413		.473		.394	
Packer bends, No. III.	"	.328		.391		.453		.354	
Shoulders.	"	.233		.248		.298		.250	
Bellies.	"	.186		.187		.200		.157	
Box sides, "B".	per foot	.212	80.8	.240	91.4	.253	96.4	.211	80.4
Harness leather, No. 1.	per pound	.360	81.2	.371	83.7	.400	90.2	.378	85.3
Gunmetal calf, M No. 1.	per foot	.312	77.1	.347	85.7	.393	97.2	.355	87.8
Boots and Shoes									
Women's shoes (1), composite price.	per pair	1.795	85.3	1.817	88.4	1.895	93.7	1.776	91.2
Men's shoes, composite price.	"	3.761	87.3	3.948	91.6	4.225	98.0	4.104	94.2
Livestock									
Steers, Toronto, good over 1,050 lbs.	per cwt.	6.438	79.4	5.539	72.5	7.626	91.3	6.264	82.0
Steers, Winnipeg, good over 1,050 lbs.	"	5.362	87.8	4.663	75.6	6.412	104.0	5.430	85.5
Calves, good veal, Toronto.	"	7.733	89.5	8.538	77.8	9.227	107.0	8.229	90.7
Calves, good veal, Winnipeg.	"	7.789	65.7	8.537	72.6	9.227	78.5	8.229	78.4
Hogs, bacon, Montreal.	"	8.982	77.6	8.969	79.6	9.251	87.4	9.036	96.1
Hogs, bacon, Toronto.	"	8.973	66.3	8.461	66.2	9.068	68.3	9.329	73.4
Hogs, bacon, Winnipeg.	"	8.001	67.4	8.130	63.5	8.422	68.1	9.331	71.5
Lambs, good handyweight, Montreal.	"	7.536	65.7	8.318	66.8	8.841	66.8	8.633	76.7
Lambs, good handyweight, Toronto.	"	7.706	63.6	8.318	70.2	8.841	74.6	8.633	72.9
Lambs, good handyweight, Winnipeg.	"	6.355	59.0	9.000	69.0	9.609	73.6	9.078	69.6
Meats and Poultry									
Meats, fresh.	per pound	.114	70.6	.102	70.0	.132	77.9	.117	79.2
Beef, carcass, good steer, Montreal.	"	.114	73.8	.102	71.1	.132	85.7	.117	83.5
Beef, carcass, good steer (butcher), Toronto.	"	.108	82.6	.096	74.1	.127	95.7	.115	84.8
			93.9		83.5		110.4		100.0

(1) New source 1938.





TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1935-1938—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
Meats, Fresh—Con.									
Condensed milk.....	per case	8-100	100-0	8-100	100-0	8-100	100-0	8-100	100-0
Evaporated milk.....	"	3-600	70-6	3-600	70-6	3-600	70-6	3-600	70-6
<b>Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Montreal.</b>									
Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Toronto.....	per pound	249	63-8	253	64-9	280	71-8	284	72-8
Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Winnipeg.....	"	231	60-5	257	61-9	285	68-7	285	68-7
Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Regina.....	"	235	59-4	247	62-4	272	68-7	283	71-5
Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Calgary.....	"	233	65-2	254	65-5	284	73-2	282	72-7
Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Vancouver.....	"	238	62-9	248	65-6	278	73-5	278	73-5
		253		269		296		293	
<b>Cheese, new, large, Montreal.</b>									
Cheese, old, large, Montreal.....	"	115	58-3	131	66-5	148	75-1	148	75-1
Cheese, new, large, coloured, Toronto.....	"	150	66-0	161	70-8	181	79-6	182	80-1
	"	136	53-5	153	60-2	164	64-6	168	66-1
<b>Oils and Fats</b>									
Lard, Montreal.....	"	126	77-1		69-9		75-7		58-8
Lard, Toronto.....	"	142	80-4	130	73-6	125	72-3		51-4
Lard, Winnipeg.....	"	139	73-9	124	66-0	137	72-9		62-9
Lard, Vancouver.....	"	140	70-9	132	66-8	143	72-4		59-6
Tallow.....	"	104	72-7	105	62-5	108	65-9		63-3
									46-6
<b>Eggs</b>									
Fresh, grade A, large, Halifax.....	per dozen	321	60-5	340	67-3	326	63-2	340	67-5
Fresh, Grade A, large, Saint John.....	"	311	68-0	330	72-0	326	69-1	340	72-0
Fresh, Grade A, large, Montreal.....	per dozen	312	66-6	330	70-7	319	68-3	331	70-9
Fresh, Grade A, large, Toronto.....	"	283	67-1	340	73-1	316	68-0	335	72-0
Fresh, Grade A, large, Winnipeg.....	"	256	60-8	317	68-6	294	63-6	314	68-0
Fresh, Grade A, large, Saskatoon.....	"	220	54-2	250	70-1	265	70-1	302	71-7
Fresh, Grade A, large, Calgary.....	"	274	66-3	274	66-3	262	64-5	263	64-8
Fresh, Grade A, large, Vancouver.....	"	252	64-0	292	74-1	285	69-0	273	66-1
						278	70-6	286	72-6
<b>Fresh, Grade B, Halifax.....</b>									
Fresh, Grade B, Saint John.....	"	240	55-9	255	59-4	248	57-8	261	60-8
Fresh, Grade B, Montreal.....	"	233	55-2	252	59-7	242	57-3	261	61-8
Fresh, Grade B, Toronto.....	"	238	57-8	265	64-3	252	61-2	272	66-0
Fresh, Grade B, Winnipeg.....	"	228	56-0	253	62-2	238	58-5	259	63-6
Fresh, Grade B, Saskatoon.....	"	211	55-7	235	62-0	234	61-7	238	62-8
Fresh, Grade B, Calgary.....	"	179	48-4	207	55-9	208	56-2	210	56-8
Fresh, Grade B, Vancouver.....	"	213	57-0	218	58-3	209	55-9	209	55-9
		217	59-9	286	79-0	242	66-9	254	70-2
<b>Fresh, Grade C, Halifax.....</b>									
Fresh, Grade C, Saint John.....	"	202	60-7	215	64-6	204	61-6	212	63-7
Fresh, Grade C, Montreal.....	"	203	59-4	227	66-4	201	58-8	220	64-3
Fresh, Grade C, Toronto.....	"	212	62-7	238	70-4	219	64-8	234	69-2
Fresh, Grade C, Vancouver.....	"	207	64-5	230	71-7	213	66-7	235	73-2

Fresh, Grade C, Winnipeg.....	per dozen	179	59.5	203	67.4	103	84.1	106	65.1
Fresh, Grade C, Saskatoon.....	"	155	51.5	179	59.5	180	59.8	185	61.5
Fresh, Grade C, Calgary.....	"	177	59.2	189	63.2	173	57.9	179	59.9
Fresh, Grade C, Vancouver.....	"	155	48.3	192	59.8	163	50.8	161	50.2
FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.									
Raw Cotton.....	per pound	119	70.2	138	69.6	141	72.6	136	67.5
Raw cotton, at N.Y.....	"	119	68.0	138	69.6	141	72.6	136	67.5
Raw cotton, middling, 1-1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub> .....	"	138	71.1	141	69.4	141	72.6	136	67.5
Yarn and Thread									
Cotton thread, 6-cord, 250 yards (1).....	per gross	10.880	83.5	10.150	83.9	10.200	86.4	12.240	81.2
Cotton yarn, 10's, white, single hosiery cop.....	per pound	296	80.4	339	80.2	339	87.6	250	87.6
Cotton yarn, 24's, hosiery cones.....	"	338	80.4	339	80.2	339	87.6	250	87.6
Cotton yarns, 20's, ring spun on cones.....	"	323	80.4	329	80.2	334	87.6	233	87.6
Cotton yarns, 30's, ring spun on cones.....	"	345	80.4	350	80.2	350	87.6	233	87.6
Cotton Fabrics									
Denim, blue, 2-20 yds. to lb.....	per yard	386	76.4	389	72.6	401	76.9	338	72.2
Ticking, 2-00 yds. to lb.....	"	434	71.7	438	71.7	437	70.4	338	59.3
Flannelette, 4-00 yds. to lb.....	"	580	84.1	588	85.2	612	72.2	391	64.6
Cotton blankets, 12/4.....	per pound	511	66.7	504	65.8	527	68.8	582	84.3
Wide cotton duck, 60", No. 1.....	per yard	495	91.6	482	89.2	496	91.8	502	65.6
Bleached flannelette, 4-50 yds. to lb.....	per pound	996	66.5	971	65.7	1.016	66.0	948	60.2
Napped sheeting, 72".....	per yard	477	72.8	471	71.0	484	72.2	432	62.5
Grey cotton.....	per yard	425	72.8	425	71.0	438	72.2	365	62.5
Bleached cotton.....	"	907	88.0	907	85.5	906	89.4	889	83.8
Print.....	per yard	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Osnaburg, 7-00 oz. per yard.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Print cloth 8-54 yd. to lb.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Sheeting grey 2-85 yd. to lb.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Sheeting bleached, 2-25 yd. to lb.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Drill grey 2-35 yd. to lb.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Printed percale 5-42 yd. to lb.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Printed sheeting, 4-75 yd. per lb.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Sateen (colours), 6-50 yd. to lb.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Broadcloth (colours), 3-97 yd. to lb.....	"	135	98.7	125	89.3	132	91.7	125	88.6
Knit Cotton Goods									
Men's cotton underwear, Balbriggan.....	per dozen	3.675	82.6	3.600	82.3	3.725	84.0	3.906	82.5
Men's cotton combinations.....	per doz. pairs	9.667	81.7	7.350	80.0	8.742	82.8	9.212	80.8
Men's cotton combinations, 34-44.....	"	7.350	81.7	7.350	80.0	7.350	82.8	*7.438	80.8
Miscellaneous Cotton Products									
Sash cord, Hercules, No. 8.....	per pound	406	102.1	372	93.5	398	92.6	367	85.3
Miscellaneous Fibres and Their Products									
Linen thread, 3-cord, best quality.....	per dozen	1.023	50.9	1.015	46.3	960	49.8	960	47.9
Raw jute, first marks.....	per cwt.	4.323	103.4	4.015	102.6	4.833	97.1	4.354	97.1
Hessian, 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> oz., 40" wide.....	per 100 yds.	5.604	40.5	5.038	39.2	4.913	43.4	4.375	38.7
Mamla hemp, "I", 12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> p.c. fair current.....	per pound	0.01	35.7	0.080	37.9	0.104	70.3	0.066	44.6
Mexican sisal.....	per cwt. (3)	0.084	48.6	0.082	48.6	0.082	48.6	0.041	45.7
Binder twine, sisal, 550 ft. to lb. (2).....	per pound	0.084	48.6	0.082	48.6	0.082	48.6	0.041	45.7
Rope, manila.....	per yard	393	55.9	485	68.0	221	75.2	203	55.9
Linen huck towelling, 18".....	per 1,000 bags	104.625	91.938	91.938	99.853	470	91.000	453	89.0
Jute bags.....	"	100.750	85.292	85.292	89.417	89.417	82.604	82.604	82.604

\* Sales tax included.

(1) Previous to 1938—per pound.

(2) Previous to 1938—500 feet.

(3) Previous to 1938—per pound.



TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1935-1938—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1928=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Con.									
Raw Silk.....								\$	
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c., 13-15 denier.....	per pound	1-904	27-0	1-897	28-8	2-106	30-3	1-818	27-6
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 13-15 denier.....	"	1-812		1-851		2-018		1-775	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 13-15 denier.....	"	1-746		1-821		1-746		1-754	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 13-15 denier.....	per pound	1-700		1-789		1-886		1-735	
Silk, raw, XX, 73 p.c., 13-15 denier.....	"	1-677		1-759		1-857		1-721	
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c., 20-22 denier.....	"	1-701		1-825		1-892		1-727	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c., 20-22 denier.....	"	1-671		1-758		1-825		1-686	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c., 20-22 denier.....	"	1-649		1-758		1-801		1-666	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c., 20-22 denier.....	"	1-631		1-743		1-788		1-649	
Silk Thread and Yarn.....									
Silk, spool, 50 yds, letter "A".....	per dozen	600	63-9	605	62-3	610	64-0	610	64-6
Silk machine twist, 16 oz.....	per pound	9-500	63-7	9-250	62-0	9-513	63-8	9-600	64-4
Silk Hosiery.....									
Hosiery, men's, pure silk.....	per doz. pairs	5-758	65-8	5-883	65-8	5-900	65-3	5-871	65-1
Hosiery, women's, pure silk.....	"	6-025	62-4	5-913	61-2	5-800	60-0	5-800	60-0
Silk Fabrics.....									
Crepé de chine.....	per yard	440	46-3	458	45-5	467	47-0	458	44-6
Flat crepe.....	"	700	62-1	521	64-7	538	66-0	508	64-7
Georgette, 3 thread.....	"	658	41-2	521	30-6	538	31-6	508	29-9
Faille.....	"	888	49-9	635	48-2	660	50-1	646	49-0
Artificial Silk and Its Products.....									
Rayon yarn, 150 denier.....	per pound	600	50-5	580	46-2	570	43-5	570	42-8
Rayon yarn, 100 denier.....	"	725	39-3	708	38-0	700	37-4	700	37-4
Hosiery, women's, artificial silk.....	per doz. pairs	2-500	62-5	2-350	58-8	2-214	51-3	2-106	48-8
Raw Wool.....									
Raw wool, eastern bright, 1/4 blood.....	per pound	153	50-4	208	68-1	292	89-3	168	53-7
Raw wool, western domestic, semi-bright, 1/2 blood.....	"	151	50-0	204	68-8	258	95-4	161	54-9
Raw wool, western range, semi-bright, 1/2 blood.....	"	160	50-7	214	67-8	251	79-5	161	51-0
Yarns, Wool.....									
Worsted cloth yarn, medium 2/35, 56's.....	per pound	968	82-2	1-011	85-1	1-076	91-0	913	77-3
Worsted cloth yarn, fine 2/24, 58's.....	"	915	87-6	960	91-5	1-025	97-4	863	82-6
Worsted cloth yarn, fine 2/24, 60's.....	"	956		993		1-045		883	
Worsted cloth yarn, fine 2/45, 64's.....	"	1-121	72-9	1-161	75-6	1-206	78-5	1-038	67-5
Worsted cloth yarn, medium 2/35, 58's.....	per pound	1-067	88-5	1-113	92-4	1-177	97-7	1-014	84-1
Worsted cloth yarn, 4 ply, 8's, 44/40's.....	"	750	91-4	746	90-9	867	105-6	725	88-3
Hosiery and Knit Goods.....									
Hosiery, men's, woollen.....	per doz. pair	3-017	87-1	2-988	86-8	3-229	89-0	3-479	88-5
			91-2		90-4		97-6		105-2

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Knitted woollen underwear, men's.....	per doz., pair	4-150	85-7	4-167	4-487
Men's woollen combinations (1).....	per dozen	14-954	85-7	15-550	16-574
Men's woollen shirts and drawers (1).....	"	31-167	85-7	31-000	15-696
		20-000	85-7	11-033	11-889
Wool Blankets.....	per pound	76-5	81-3	1-073	91-5
Cloth.....					
Woollen cloth, 64's quality, 15½ oz.....	per yard	72-9	78-3	83-3	75-1
Woollen cloth, 50's quality, 13½ oz.....	"	70-7	78-4	80-9	71-5
Serge, botany, 64's quality, 16-17 oz.....	"	88-2	90-4	1-300	96-8
Serge, botany, 64's quality, 13-14 oz.....	"	67-0	1-850	79-0	71-1
Flannel, white, 32".....	"	76-2	83-2	1-808	79-8
Suiting, fancy, worsted, 13 oz.....	"	6-60	1-846	1-900	63-5
		1-721			1-738
Carpets.....					
Carpets, Wilton, 9' x 12'.....		92-5	90-6	95-0	96-7
Carpets, Axminster, 9' x 12'.....		92-9	89-7	41-563	98-0
		92-4	92-4	94-0	95-1
WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....					
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....		84-6	68-5	76-7	77-5
Paper, manila, No. 1.....	per cwt.	94-0	55-4	58-1	68-2
	"	1-660	52-6	1-805	66-7
	"	5-400	82-9	5-471	84-4
Lumber and Timber.....					
Canadian white pine.....	per M board	77-8	86-3	88-1	89-8
"C" selects and better, 1" thick.....	feet	88-5	91-3	101-7	102-7
No. 1 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 8/16' (3)	"	69-6	69-6	75-6	76-5
No. 2 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 8/16' (4)	"				
No. 1 and 2 common, 1 x 8-8/16'	"	92-500		110-000	
No. 3 common, 1 x 8-8/16'	"	69-500		88-000	
No. 4 common, 1 x 8-8/16'	"	45-000		37-053	
No. 5 common, 1 x 4/9-8/16'	"	30-500		37-750	
No. 6 common, 1 x 4/9-8/16'	"	27-000		37-300	
No. 6 common, 1 x 4 and up 6/16'	"	23-000		31-500	
Lath, No. 1.....	per M	16-833		22-750	
		5-354		8-167	
Spruce.....					
Quebec spruce deals, 2" x 4", 8/16'	per M board	70-6	79-7	97-1	82-2
	feet	86-0	90-1	118-4	83-8
Quebec spruce lumber, 3" x 8", 8/16'	"	26-583		30-833	
Lath, spruce, Quebec, 1½" x 4"	per M	31-583		35-417	100-1
Lath, Maritime, No. 1, 1½" x 4"	"	3-750		5-500	72-1
Merchantable sawn spruce deals, 3" x 6' and under.....	per M board	2-250		3-375	45-1
	feet	15-083		22-083	81-9
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 3' to 2' x 6'	"	12-042		17-375	64-8
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 7'	"	14-542		19-875	69-8
Hardwoods.....					
Maple, hard, 4/4 f.a.s.....	per M board	75-3	77-3	87-0	85-4
	feet	71-2	72-7	82-6	81-7
Maple soft, C and B.....	"	80-0			
Oak, red, plain, f.a.s.....	"	40-000			
Birch, C and B.....	"	75-000			
	"	51-083			
Hemlock.....					
Hemlock, 2" mill run.....	per M board	74-9	75-8	83-3	74-2
	feet	18-958	76-0	83-2	74-0
Hemlock, 2" culls.....	"	64-2			
		12-083			

(1) New grade in 1937.

(2) Previous to 1938-10/16'.

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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
Wood, Wood Products and Paper—Con. Lumber and Timber—Con.									
Fir									
No. 1 common fir timber, 3' x 4' x 12', 12'/40'	per M board	15-292	78.4	17-167	92.4	19-250	101.4	16-042	88.4
	feet		88.6		99.5		111.6		93.0
No. 1 common fir timber, 6' x 6' x 12', 12'/40'									
Clear fir, No. 1 and 2, D4S, 1 x 6		15-292	85.2	17-167	95.6	19-250	107.2	16-042	89.3
Drop siding, 1' x 6", No. 2 and better		43-854	85.1	49-354	97.1	51-417	97.1	49-208	85.1
Flooring, fir, 1' x 4", No. 1 and 2 fig.		24-667	85.2	28-767	97.1	28-187	103.9	24-667	90.8
Clear fir casing, No. 1 and 2, 1 x 5		13-125	81.0	22-208	100.6	27-021	116.0	23-804	91.9
No. 1 common fir dimension, 2' x 4', 12'/14'		50-021	81.0	39-046	100.6	63-750	101.3	59-542	93.5
		12-042	77.3	14-958	91.6	17-250	109.2	13-667	88.9
B.C. Cedar									
No. 1 common cedar boards, 1' x 8'-10'	per M board	14-833	84.2	16-833	95.6	19-250	101.3	15-667	88.9
	feet								
No. 1 common cedar shiplap, 1 x 8		25-125	81.7	29-146	91.1	31-854	98.5	31-187	89.8
Bevel siding, 3' x 6"	per M board	26-750	81.7	29-833	91.1	32-250	102.4	29-417	94.0
Clear cedar bungalow siding, 3' x 10, 8'/18'	feet	52-896	76.5	57-025	93.2	66-417	84.6	65-478	75.6
Shingles, XXX, 3 x 6 1/2, clear	per M	2-429	66.9	2-960	68.3	3-250	86.0	2-983	70.3
Pulp									
Sulphite pulp, unbleached, news grade (1)	per ton	37-597	70.3	36-361	70.3	44-789	82.0	41-115	74.3
Sulphite pulp, bleached	"	53-500	64.6	53-000	66.3	55-625	84.2	59-500	73.3
Groundwood pulp, No. 1		19-154	66.8	20-098	67.7	24-950	82.0	21-762	85.5
Furniture (composite)									
Mattresses, silent 3's, non-poisonous	per case	8-680	76.2	8-810	77.4	8-875	77.9	8-875	100.4
Iron and Iron Products									
Pig iron and Steel Billets									
Pig iron, No. 1 foundry	per gross ton	20-500	83.0	20-583	83.3	24-917	99.5	24-000	96.0
Pig iron, malleable (2)	"	19-000	83.2	19-083	83.6	23-250	90.3	22-000	94.2
Steel billets, mild, 6 x 6 to 9 x 9 (3)	"	34-000	89.5	34-167	89.9	41-167	108.3	40-000	105.3
Rolling Mill Products									
Steel bars, structural grade	per cwt.	2-150	85.2	2-163	93.0	2-558	108.5	2-525	107.5
Merchant bars, mild steel	"	2-250	91.8	2-263	92.4	2-638	108.9	2-625	107.4
Steel rails, open hearth	per gross ton	43-000	90.0	43-167	90.3	46-667	97.6	47-000	98.3
Steel tank plates	per cwt.	1-810	95.3	1-858	97.8	2-216	116.6	2-193	115.4
Light cold rolled sheets	"	2-966	69.0	3-019	70.3	3-500	81.3	3-337	77.7
Structural shapes, open hearth	"	2-000	93.0	2-013	93.6	2-488	101.6	2-425	99.0
Steel sheets, galvanized, No. 24, U.S.G.	"	4-008	87.5	4-158	84.6	5-292	107.7	5-183	106.5
Steel sheets, hot rolled annealed, No. 24, U.S.G.	"	3-388	81.6	3-542	91.5	4-604	118.9	4-583	118.4

(1) New basis of quoting in 1936. (2) Standard 2-25 silicon in 1937 and 1938. (3) Previous to 1937—4 x 4 and larger.



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Iron boiler plate, 1" per lb.	3-233	87-1	3-215	88-3	4-175	112-5	3-971	107-0	
Galvanized corrugated iron sheets, No. 28 gauge	4-850		5-063		-039		-042		
Steel sheets, black, No. 10-12 gauge (1)	3-400		3-463		4-396		4-258		
Open hearth steel, tank plates, quality, 1/4 to 1" thick	3-150		3-158		3-875		3-758		
Tin plate, standard coke	6-079		6-100		7-188		7-354		133-4
Pipe.....									
Pipe, cast iron, 4"	48-000	85-2	49-750	85-1	55-687	97-9	58-000	99-4	
Steel pipe, butt-weld, black, 1"	-069	84-6	-068	83-3	-079	101-2	105-5	103-5	
Hardware.....							-080	98-0	
Tools and hand implements.....									
Hammers, plain face	10-720	87-5		86-3		90-0		90-1	
Axes, chopping	12-010	79-4	10-720	86-6		90-4		91-3	
Shovels and spades, plain back	11-500	80-1	12-010	79-4	10-260	76-0	10-260	76-0	
Other hardware.....									
Wash tubs, No. 1	10-820	88-1	11-500	80-1	12-125	81-7	12-428	82-9	
Pails, No. 12	3-520	88-1	10-990	86-7	90-4	92-9	13-230	93-9	
Boilers, range, 30 gallon	7-650	84-7	3-574	86-1	13-187	103-3	12-608	98-7	
Chain, 1/4" bright coil	8-550	77-5	7-638	78-6	4-203	94-6	4-103	90-4	
Machine bolts, 1/8" diameter, 6" long	4-200	80-6	8-550	96-6	9-117	86-1	8-548	90-1	
Square nuts, hot pressed and forged	10-400	96-6	4-200	96-6	10-283	116-2	11-150	126-0	
Wire cloth, black screen (2)	1-850	90-8	10-400		3-290		3-081		
Wire nails, base (2)	2-800		1-850	90-8	11-025		11-150		
Screws, wood, No. 6	1-171	86-0	2-713	83-4	3-353	95-4	3-375	96-0	
Steel thumb latches, No. 2	1-267	81-4	1-160	85-6	-207	110-7	-205	100-6	
Bright steel safety hasps	6-636	80-2	1-192	75-4	1-828	84-1	1-328	84-1	
Flat barn door track	8-056	76-6	6-644	77-6	6-57	79-2	7-702	84-6	
Screen door hinges, No. 20	12-720	96-5	8-157	97-7	8-637	107-0	8-478	101-5	
Wire.....					12-060	82-0	14-040	95-6	
Wire, barbed, galvanized	3-750	86-8	3-754	87-2		99-1		100-4	
Wire, galvanized, No. 9	3-450	83-1	3-479	83-8	4-092	95-2	4-162	96-8	
Wire, annealed, No. 9	3-500	89-7	3-513	90-1	4-117	99-2	4-220	101-7	
Scrap Iron and Steel.....					3-942	101-1	3-950	101-3	
Steel scrap, heavy melting, charging box size	9-583	56-5	10-938	62-2		82-8		65-9	
Steel scrap, heavy melting, over charging box size	7-500	66-0	8-354	75-3	14-083	97-0	11-125	76-6	
Scrap, turnings and borings	6-417	57-8	6-500	64-4	11-563	89-1	8-958	69-0	
Scrap, No. 1, machinery cast iron	9-917	52-0	10-375	52-7	6-333	51-4	4-500	36-5	
Scrap, No. 2, machinery cast iron	6-958	51-7	7-375	54-1	14-375	75-0	12-167	63-5	
Miscellaneous.....					11-250	66-2	9-458	55-6	
Car axles.....									
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....									
Aluminum and Its Products.....									
Aluminum sheet	270	69-1	76-000	95-0	84-333	105-4	90-000	112-5	
Aluminum ingot, 99% plus	-207	78-5		70-0		83-8		70-9	
Antimony, 99%.....									
Copper, Brass and Their Products.....									
Copper, electrolytic, domestic	14-521	85-8	13-563	80-1	15-625	92-3	15-013	88-7	
Copper sheets	8-488	59-9	10-070	68-3	13-886	92-8	10-550	73-7	
	-177	87-2	-196	96-6	-251	123-6	-216	66-9	
								98-5	

(1) Previous to 1938—No. 10 gauge. (2) Sales tax included in 1937 and 1938.

TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1935-1938—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.									
Copper, Brass and Their Products—Con.									
Electrolytic copper wire bars.....	per cwt.	8.904	63.6	9.714	69.4	13.363	95.5	10.357	74.0
Copper wire, solid bare.....	per pound	.135	69.8	.153	79.1	.196	101.3	.161	83.2
Brass sheets, yellow.....	each	1.475	88.4	1.461	92.2	2.021	127.6	2.312	145.7
Brass valves.....									
Lead and Its Products									
Lead, domestic.....	per cwt.	3.925	48.9	4.642	57.5	5.799	72.2	4.176	52.3
Lead pipe.....	per pound	.111	73.6	.116	76.7	.163	108.1	.133	88.2
Silver.....	per ounce	.643	103.7	.450	72.6	.449	72.4	.435	70.1
Tin.									
Tin ingots, 99.25 p.c.....	per pound	.537	78.8	.498	73.4	.585	85.2	.465	67.6
Tin ingots, Straits.....		.555	82.9	.525	78.5	.583	87.1	.458	68.5
Zinc and Its Products									
Zinc, domestic.....	per cwt.	3.992	45.3	4.153	47.1	5.593	63.5	3.900	44.3
Zinc sheets.....	per pound	.053	63.1	.052	62.1	.071	84.5	.062	72.7
Solder, 50-50.....	"	.308	79.3	.306	78.8	.348	89.6	.290	74.6
NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS									
Clay and Allied Material Products									
Brick, soft mud process, common.....	per M	19.000	88.4	19.000	85.5	19.000	86.6	18.500	86.7
Brick, stiff mud process, wire cut.....	"	25.000	106.4	25.000	106.4	25.000	106.4	24.500	103.6
Brick, stiff mud process, No. 1.....	"	22.500	103.5	22.500	103.5	22.500	103.5	21.750	101.4
Brick, common plastic.....	"	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.219	103.6
Brick, dry press, No. 1, Quebec.....	"	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	27.550	90.6	26.648	87.7
Brick, dry press face, Toronto.....	"	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	24.500	106.1
Brick, sand-lime.....	"	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7	11.750	84.9
Hollow blocks, building tile.....	"	90.000	81.1	82.833	74.3	81.667	73.6	80.000	72.1
Stucco, mixing plant.....	per ton	11.950		12.833		13.000		12.500	
Sewer pipe, vitrified, 6".....	per foot	.150		.150		.150		.150	
Pottery.									
Cups and saucers, No. 1.....	per dozen	1.100	88.2	1.150	90.9	1.200	94.6	1.200	96.6
Dinner sets, printed.....	per set	14.500	105.3	14.500	105.3	15.000	109.0	16.000	116.2
Coal.									
Coal, U.S. anthracite, egg (1).....	per net ton	11.753	91.0	10.542	91.5	9.965	92.0	10.211	94.4
Coal, U.S. bituminous, run of mine.....	"	5.858	86.7	5.917	87.1	6.167	82.3	6.317	84.3
Coal, U.S. bituminous, slack.....	"	5.250	89.3	5.217	88.7	5.400	91.8	5.567	94.6

(1) Previous to 1936—per gross ton.

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	5-250	86-3	5-250	86-3	5-417	89-1
Coal, bituminous, run of mine, N.S.	8-367	.....	11-021	.....	11-838	.....
Coal, Welsh anthracite, No. 1 buckwheat	3-729	76-8	3-729	76-8	3-729	68-7
Coal, western domestic, standard screened lump, (1) Drumheller	3-625	74-6	3-625	74-6	3-625	78-7
Coal, western domestic, screened lump, Lethbridge	4-150	76-3	4-150	76-3	4-150	88-6
Coal, western domestic, screened lump, Edmonton	2-900	80-9	2-900	80-9	2-900	94-7
Coal, domestic, run of mine, B.C.	3-792	88-8	3-792	88-8	3-792	71-1
Coal, domestic, slack, B.C.	2-771	75-1	2-771	75-1	2-771	86-3
Coal, house lump, B.C.	7-228	86-3	7-228	86-3	7-228	109-6
Coal, washed slack, B.C.	3-990	97-2	3-990	97-2	3-990	94-7
Coal tar, crude	10-273	108-1	10-615	111-7	8-833	9-000
Coke	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	111-0
Coke, by-product, N.S.	6-000	88-9	6-000	88-9	6-000	98-8
Coke, metallurgical, Ont.	7-125	98-3	7-125	98-3	7-125	117-2
Coke, by-product, Ont.	7-000	93-3	7-125	95-0	7-000	113-3
Coke, metallurgical, B.C.	5-729	77-4	5-500	74-3	5-500	74-3
Coke, for domestic use, B.C.	7-250	87-3	7-250	87-3	7-250	102-0
Manufactured Gas	12-154	98-0	12-154	98-0	12-362	12-654
Glass and Its Products	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Window glass	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Window glass, 16 oz. 40 U.I.	3-921	80-1	3-810	77-1	3-810	84-3
Window glass, 21 oz. 60 U.I.	8-601	84-6	8-357	82-2	8-357	116-8
Plate Glass	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plate glass, 3'-4', super	525	66-0	546	62-2	546	62-3
Plate glass, 10'-12', super	800	61-8	747	57-7	747	70-3
Plate glass, 25'-30', super	1-006	71-0	929	65-5	934	57-3
Tumblers	4-450	97-8	4-383	96-3	4-310	63-7
Petroleum Products	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Crude oil	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Crude oil, mid-continent	2-715	74-9	2-804	73-4	2-804	72-2
Crude oil, Salt Creek	2-968	70-4	2-963	72-7	2-928	74-2
Gasolene	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Halifax	180	68-5	168	65-2	168	62-7
Montreal	181	63-7	168	59-5	168	51-3
Toronto	158	63-8	146	51-9	146	58-6
Winnipeg	217	62-6	217	59-0	217	62-6
Regina	230	76-4	230	76-4	230	72-1
Calgary	225	71-9	225	71-9	225	60-9
Vancouver (2)	105	88-6	178	73-8	168	57-4
Coal oil	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Halifax	195	77-8	192	78-6	192	81-3
Montreal	170	75-6	170	74-8	170	75-4
Toronto	173	74-6	173	71-7	173	70-9
Winnipeg	202	75-9	202	76-8	202	74-6
Regina	215	80-0	207	74-6	207	73-7
Calgary	210	76-8	220	82-0	214	82-0
Vancouver	240	79-8	215	78-6	214	76-4
Fuel oil, Toronto	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fuel oil, 100-0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fuel oil, 89-2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(1) Previous to 1938—double screened lump. (2) New basis in 1936.



TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1935-1938—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.									
Petroleum Products—Con.									
Lubricating oil, Toronto.....	per gallon	\$ .296	94.0	\$ .303	96.2	\$ .303	96.2	\$ .303	96.2
Asphalt.....									
Asphalt, Montreal.....	per ton	14 800	91.4	14 800	91.4	14 667	90.8	14 600	92.2
Asphalt, Toronto.....	"	13 100	86.2	13 100	86.2	13 033	85.9	13 600	88.6
Salt.....									
Salt, vacuum, fine.....	per barrel	1 550	92.6	1 357	80.6	1 310	77.7	1 445	82.7
Salt, coarse.....	"	1 897	94.5	1 597	79.5	1 540	76.7	1 685	83.9
Salt, dairy.....	"	2 780	92.7	2 437	78.3	2 350	78.3	2 425	80.8
Salt, table.....	"	3 240	86.9	2 840	76.1	2 740	73.5	2 917	78.2
Sulphur.....	per gross ton	22 220	94.6	22 086	94.0	22 631	96.3	22 673	96.5
Plaster.....									
Hard wall plaster, N. B.....	per ton	10 350	107.1	10 558	111.3	10 600	114.1	11 487	113.3
Hard wall plaster, neat, Ontario.....	"	11 950	106.2	12 833	114.1	13 000	115.6	12 500	111.1
Plaster of Paris.....	per barrel	5 000	105.3	5 000	105.3	5 500	115.8	5 729	120.6
Lime.....									
Quick lime, high calcium, Quebec.....	per ton	6 000	99.7	6 000	104.5	6 000	108.2	6 000	104.2
Quick lime, grey, Ontario.....	"	7 500	93.8	8 833	78.4	8 000	78.4	9 625	78.4
Hydrated lime, Quebec.....	"	8 000	92.7	8 000	106.3	92.7	125.0	8 000	120.3
Hydrated lime, Ontario.....	"	13 250	106.0	13 583	108.7	13 750	110.0	13 125	92.7
Cement.....									
Portland cement, Montreal.....	per barrel	1 700	105.2	1 700	105.8	1 700	106.2	1 623	102.4
Portland cement, Toronto.....	"	2 100	114.0	2 120	114.0	2 130	114.0	2 060	108.9
Portland cement, Winnipeg.....	"	2 680	87.9	2 707	88.8	2 720	89.2	2 625	86.1
Portland cement, Regina.....	"	3 350	90.5	3 377	91.3	3 390	91.6	3 295	89.1
Portland cement, Vancouver.....	"	2 491	84.7	2 522	85.8	2 538	86.3	2 559	86.4
Sand and Gravel.....									
Sand, concrete, Montreal.....	per ton	1 150	88.0	1 150	91.4	1 150	91.5	1 150	90.2
Sand, water washed, Toronto.....	"	1 000	102.2	1 000	102.2	1 000	102.2	1 000	102.2
Sand, concrete, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1 150	74.1	1 000	74.1	1 000	74.1	950	70.4
Sand, concrete, Vancouver.....	"	1 150	100.0	1 150	100.0	1 063	92.4	1 000	87.0
Gravel, pit run, Montreal.....	per ton	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9	1 000	90.9
Gravel, pit run, Toronto.....	"	1 000	80.0	1 000	80.0	1 083	86.6	1 100	88.0
Gravel, pit run, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1 563	89.3	1 350	86.6	1 083	86.6	1 100	88.0
Gravel, pit run, Vancouver.....	"	1 150	100.0	1 150	100.0	1 063	92.4	1 000	87.0
Crushed Stone.....	per ton	613	73.4	646	83.6	750	85.8	750	85.8
Crushed stone, Montreal.....	"	43.8	43.8	46.1	46.1	53.6	53.6	53.6	53.6

Crushed stone, Toronto.....	per ton	1-588	85-3	1-850	100-0	1-550	100-0	1-850	100-0
Crushed stone, Vancouver.....	per cubic yard	1-130	90-4	1-130	90-4	1-130	90-4	1-130	90-4
Building Stone.....	per cubic foot	750	64-3	750	64-3	750	64-3	750	64-3
Stanstead granite, base stock blocks.....	"	1-021	68-1	1-000	66-7	1-000	66-7	1-000	66-7
Stanstead granite, die stock blocks.....	"	800	64-0	800	64-0	800	64-0	800	64-0
Dolomite, silver grey, rough blocks.....	per ton	500-000	77-6	545-833	75-8	550-000	75-8	700-000	76-8
Asbestos and Its Products.....	"	200-000	69-1	200-000	69-1	200-000	69-1	275-000	75-0
Asbestos, crude, No. 1.....	"	120-000	64-9	120-000	64-9	120-000	64-9	140-000	75-7
Asbestos, crude, No. 2.....	"	60-000	92-3	60-000	92-3	60-000	92-3	66-000	101-5
Spinning stocks.....	"	32-500	72-2	32-500	72-2	32-500	72-2	37-500	83-3
Single stock.....	"	12-000	80-0	12-000	80-0	12-000	80-0	14-000	93-3
Mill board and paper stocks.....	per foot	558	92-5	543	90-0	543	90-0	543	90-0
Fillers, floats and other short fibre.....	per cwt.	8-667	111-8	8-500	109-7	8-500	109-7	8-500	109-7
Asbestos pipe covering, 3 ply.....									
Asbestos, mill board.....									
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.....									
Inorganic Chemicals.....									
Ammonia, anhydrous.....	per pound	1-165	79-1	1-165	78-0	1-165	78-0	1-165	78-0
Arsenious oxide (white arsenic).....	"	7-750	87-9	7-750	88-6	7-750	87-9	7-750	87-9
Nitric acid, 36".....	per cwt.	25-000	101-5	23-167	101-5	23-167	101-5	23-167	101-5
Hydrochloric acid (muriatic), 18".....	per ton	800	96-9	800	96-9	800	96-9	800	96-9
Sodium sulphate (Glauber's salt).....	per cwt.	3-000	104-2	3-000	104-2	3-000	104-2	3-000	104-2
Sodium bicarbonate, 99-8 p.c. pure.....	"	1-750	122-4	1-750	122-4	1-750	122-4	1-750	122-4
Bleaching powder, 35-37 p.c.....	"	1-630	102-2	1-605	102-2	1-605	102-2	1-605	102-2
Soda ash, 58 p.c. light.....	"	3-238	87-0	3-150	87-9	3-150	87-9	3-150	87-9
Cautic soda, 76-77 p.c.....	per ton	87-000	100-2	83-500	103-8	83-500	100-2	83-500	100-2
Calcium carbide.....	per cwt.	3-333	102-6	3-375	103-8	3-375	102-6	3-375	102-6
Grey acetate of lime.....	"	2-040	93-6	2-002	94-6	2-002	93-6	2-002	93-6
Alum, lump.....	"	3-600	71-1	3-700	73-1	3-700	71-1	3-700	71-1
Borax, commercial.....	per ton	3-631	73-6	3-972	80-5	3-972	73-6	3-972	73-6
Copper sulphate (blue vitriol), crystals.....	"	25-000	100-0	34-583	138-3	34-583	100-0	34-583	100-0
Magnesium sulphate (Epsom salts) (1).....	per pound	16-000	114-3	16-000	114-3	16-000	114-3	16-000	114-3
Sulphuric acid, 66° Baumé.....	"	1-003	100-0	1-003	100-0	1-003	100-0	1-003	100-0
Chlorine, liquid (1).....	"	147	72-8	155	76-7	155	72-8	155	72-8
Sodium cyanide, 98-99 p.c.....	"	104-3	104-3	104-3	104-3	104-3	104-3	104-3	104-3
Sodium bichromate.....	per ton	25-850	61-2	25-850	61-2	25-850	61-2	25-850	61-2
Sal ammoniac (ammonium chloride), grey.....	per cwt.	1-550	88-6	1-550	88-6	1-550	88-6	1-550	88-6
Calcium chloride, flake (1) (2).....									
Aluminum sulphate.....									
Organic Chemicals.....									
Acetic acid, 99 p.c. glacial crystals.....	per gallon	1-120	75-9	1-100	75-5	1-100	75-5	1-100	75-5
Alcohol, methyl, 97 p.c.....	per gallon	400	86-2	400	86-2	400	86-2	400	86-2
Alcohol, denatured.....	per pound	255	134-2	255	134-2	255	134-2	255	134-2
Cream of tartar.....	"	148	53-8	148	53-8	148	53-8	148	53-8
Formaldehyde.....	"	148	53-8	148	53-8	148	53-8	148	53-8
Glycerine, refined.....	per gallon	1-149	86-4	1-149	86-4	1-149	86-4	1-149	86-4
Coal Tar Products.....									
Creosote oil, crude.....	per gallon	253	72-1	253	72-1	253	72-1	253	72-1
Benzol, pure.....	per pound	300	105-7	300	105-7	300	105-7	300	105-7
Tanning and Dyeing Materials.....									
Dyeing Materials.....									
Direct black (oxidamine black).....									

(1) New source in 1937. (2) New source in 1938.

TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1935-1938—Concluded  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1935		1936		1937		1938	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Con.									
Tanning and Dyeing Materials—Con.									
Selling Materials—Con.									
Suphur black (kattigen, deep black).....	per pound	205	93.2	219	99.5	220	100.0	220	100.0
Nigrosine, water soluble.....	"	400	102.6	363	93.1	360	92.3	360	92.3
Methylene blue.....	"	950	90.5	950	90.5	950	90.5	950	90.5
Indigo, synthetic, 20 p.c. paste.....	"	135	128.6	135	128.6	135	128.6	135	128.6
Auramine O, yellow.....	"	770	81.8	733	77.8	730	77.5	730	77.5
Alkali blue.....	"	2 015	103.3	2 015	103.3	2 015	103.3	2 015	103.3
Tanning Materials.....									
Quebracho extract, liquid.....	per cwt.	4 225	108.9	4 379	125.1	4 662	134.1	4 604	131.5
Hemlock extract, liquid.....	"	4 861	100.0	4 708	96.9	4 750	97.7	4 542	93.5
Logwood extract, liquid.....	"	11 417	117.5	10 854	111.7	10 896	112.1	11 000	113.2
Explosives.....									
Gunpowder.....	per 25 pound keg	8 459	77.9	8 565	77.5	7 917	75.8	7 790	74.7
Dynamite, 40 p.c. gelatine.....	per cwt.	11 750	77.2	11 667	76.6	11 417	75.0	11 250	73.9
Paint Materials.....									
Shellac.....	per pound	161	67.0	146	68.8	131	76.9	115	70.2
White lead, basic carbonate.....	per cwt.	7 096	43.6	8 778	39.6	10 365	35.5	9 035	31.2
Zinc oxide.....	"	5 654	71.4	5 150	78.3	5 999	92.8	6 289	80.6
Red lead, 85 p.c.....	"	6 813	81.8	7 188	74.5	9 188	86.7	8 000	90.9
Lithopone.....	"	4 524	86.2	4 462	85.0	4 312	82.1	4 276	81.4
Litharge (?),.....	per cwt.	1 054	43.2	1 067	53.6	8 688	69.5	7 500	60.0
Lamp black, pure dry.....	per pound	1 05	75.0	105	75.0	105	75.0	105	75.0
Carbon black.....	per cwt.	883	70.6	983	68.9	981	68.8	981	68.8
Puffy, pure linseed oil.....	per cwt.	3 050	63.6	3 050	63.6	3 566	68.8	3 620	69.9
Paint Prepared.....									
Paint, pure white.....	per gallon	3 333	74.4	2 875	65.5	3 175	72.4	3 125	71.2
Paint, coloured.....	"	3 200	76.0	2 875	68.2	3 175	69.6	3 125	68.5
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals.....									
Acid, citric.....	per pound	230	73.7	243	74.7	252	76.1	260	74.8
Acid, tartaric, crystals.....	"	247	86.7	230	91.6	247	95.0	250	98.0
Chloroform (?).....	"	385	90.6	385	90.6	310	90.6	310	90.6
Ether, commercial.....	"	1 800	93.0	1 882	94.1	1 172	88.9	1 161	83.2
Potassium iodide.....	"	1 600	37.0	1 508	34.9	1 217	30.8	1 300	32.9
Hydrogen peroxide, 10 vol.....	"	850	81.6	840	65.3	840	65.3	840	65.3
Campior, gum, slabs (?),.....	"	675	65.9	675	65.9	675	65.9	675	65.9
Quinine sulphate (?),.....	per ounce	535	101.9	568	108.2	530	114.2	537	115.7

(1) Previous to 1937, unit was "per pound".

(2) New source in 1937.



Iodine, crude.....	per pound	1.525	58.7 37.1	1.100 1.500	64.5 36.5	.086 1.208	65.2 29.4	-.079 1.050	59.8 25.5
Fertilizers.....	per ton	48.000	75.8	38.833	74.5	38.875	74.5		78.9
Muriate of potash (2).....	"	54.000	127.4	54.000	103.1	54.000	103.2	40.833	108.4
Dried blood.....	"	19.000	67.5	19.000	67.5	19.000	67.5	63.667	79.6
Superphosphate.....	"	20.300	88.5	18.750	88.5	18.983	88.8	20.000	93.1
Basic slag.....	"	50.000	112.6	50.333	103.0	52.167	103.9	18.708	102.8
Sulphate of potash.....	"	42.000	97.0	42.000	97.7	42.000	101.2	54.000	104.8
Tankage.....	"	35.000	105.0	35.000	105.0	35.000	105.0	47.333	118.3
Bone meal.....	"	35.000	92.1	35.000	92.1	35.000	92.1	37.250	98.0
Cyanamid.....	"	40.000	70.0	40.000	70.0	40.000	70.0	38.000	76.0
Sulphate of ammonia.....	"	46.000	53.3	45.833	53.3	45.000	53.3	41.500	55.3
Nitrate of soda.....	"	46.000	67.9	45.833	67.7	45.000	66.4	45.000	66.4
Industrial Gases.....	per 100 cubic feet	2.750	88.7	2.558	92.4	2.565	92.4		91.5
Acetylene.....	"	1.575	91.7	.999	81.2	.983	96.0	2.536	94.9
Oxygen (2).....	per case	5.000	85.1	5.000	85.4	5.250	91.1		91.9
Soap.....	"	4.808	92.6	4.850	92.6	5.373	97.2	5.300	98.1
Soap, common laundry.....									
Soap, toilet.....									

(1) New source in 1937.

(2) New basis of quoting in 1936.



TABLE 8—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
IN CANADA, 1938—Concluded  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>VII. NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.</b>												
Coal.....	93.5	93.5	93.5	92.6	93.9	94.0	94.3	94.5	95.6	95.7	96.0	95.9
Coke.....	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0	111.0
Manufactured Gas.....	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0
Coal Tar.....	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7
Glass and Its Products.....	84.0	84.8	84.8	81.0	81.0	81.0	77.8	74.9	74.9	74.9	74.9	74.9
Window Glass.....	116.8	116.8	116.8	101.8	101.8	101.8	95.7	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5
Plate Glass.....	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	63.9	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7
Glassware.....	94.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9
Petroleum Products.....	73.1	73.1	72.8	72.8	72.8	72.8	72.3	72.3	72.3	70.9	70.5	70.5
Crude Oil.....	75.1	75.1	75.0	74.7	74.8	75.0	74.8	74.9	74.9	72.0	72.1	72.1
Gasoline.....	63.9	63.9	63.5	63.5	63.5	63.5	63.0	63.0	63.0	60.6	60.6	60.6
Kerosene.....	76.7	76.7	76.7	76.7	76.7	75.5	75.5	75.5	75.5	75.5	72.1	72.1
Asphalt.....	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2
Salt.....	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	77.7	97.6	97.6	97.6
Sulphur.....	98.1	98.0	98.2	98.5	98.8	99.2	98.7	98.5	92.0	92.9	92.3	92.4
Plaster.....	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	112.0	112.0	111.2	110.2	109.3	109.3
Lime.....	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	108.2	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3	100.3
Cement.....	106.2	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.4	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	96.7	96.7
Sand and Gravel.....	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	91.4	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.8
Crushed Stone.....	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8
Building Stone.....	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3
Asbestos and Its Products.....	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8
<b>VIII. CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.</b>												
Inorganic Chemicals.....	80.7	80.6	80.5	80.5	80.5	80.1	79.4	79.4	79.4	79.4	79.3	79.0
Organic Chemicals.....	87.1	87.0	87.2	87.1	87.1	87.2	87.3	87.3	87.6	87.3	87.5	86.4
Coal Tar Products.....	77.4	77.4	77.4	77.4	77.4	74.5	74.6	74.6	74.6	74.6	73.0	73.0
Dyeing and Tanning Materials.....	95.7	92.2	92.2	95.7	95.7	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2
Dyeing Materials.....	106.6	106.6	105.3	105.3	105.3	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0
Tanning Materials.....	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8
Explosives.....	113.6	113.6	110.7	110.7	110.7	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8
Paints.....	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7
Paints, Prepared.....	72.3	71.8	71.7	71.8	71.8	71.5	68.5	68.4	68.4	68.7	68.5	68.4
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals.....	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4
Fertilizers.....	76.0	75.7	75.4	74.4	74.5	73.9	74.8	74.4	74.4	74.8	74.8	74.2
Industrial Gases.....	75.2	75.2	75.2	75.2	75.2	75.4	80.9	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8
Soap.....	88.6	80.0	90.1	92.5	92.7	93.7	95.1	94.9	90.9	90.3	89.8	90.4
	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9	91.9

# INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH USED

Both Producers' and Consumers' Goods contain a representation of primary as well as manufactured products and their price movements are broadly similar. The larger representation of primary products among producers' materials, however, causes the fluctuations of the Producers' Goods index to be slightly wider than those for the Consumers' Goods group.

From 1890 to 1913 there is little in the behaviour of price group relationships to attract special attention. The gradual decline in the first six years of this period, and the subsequent rise still in progress when the Great War began, failed to produce any serious problems related to price disequilibrium. Interest in prices during these years concentrated for the most part upon considerations such as the effect of gold discoveries upon general price levels, and the interaction of cyclical movements in prices and business conditions.

During the war years, however, the relationships of prices were complicated by the unequal reactions of price groups to inflationary stimuli and to the deflationary forces which followed later. The index for Producers' Goods which had trailed along below the Consumers' Goods index from 1890 to 1913, reversed its position in 1914, and reached a post-war peak in 1920, appreciably higher than for Consumers' Goods. When readjustment followed, the decline for Producers' Goods was of greater magnitude than that for Consumers' Goods, and from 1921 to 1937 the Producers' Goods index reverted to its former position. In 1931 and 1932, it declined so rapidly that the gap between these two series assumed abnormal proportions judged upon the basis of their historical relationships. It was in these years that the relatively low level of Producers' prices created so serious a shortage of purchasing power in the hands of farmers and other primary producers. The correctional movement commencing in 1933 was at first very gradual, but by the end of 1935, the producers' and consumers' indexes appeared to be approaching a position of equilibrium. In the rapid rise of commodity prices during the latter half of 1936, Producers' Goods moved above Consumers' Goods for the first time since early post-war years. Both indexes continued upward until July, 1937, when Producers' Goods reached 90.3, and Consumers' Goods 81.2. In the subsequent general decline of commodity prices Producers' Goods again suffered more sharply than Consumers' Goods, as witnessed by December 1938 indexes of 68.2 and 74.6 for these respective groups.



Chart 2

# **CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS**

CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE, 1890-1938

1913=100

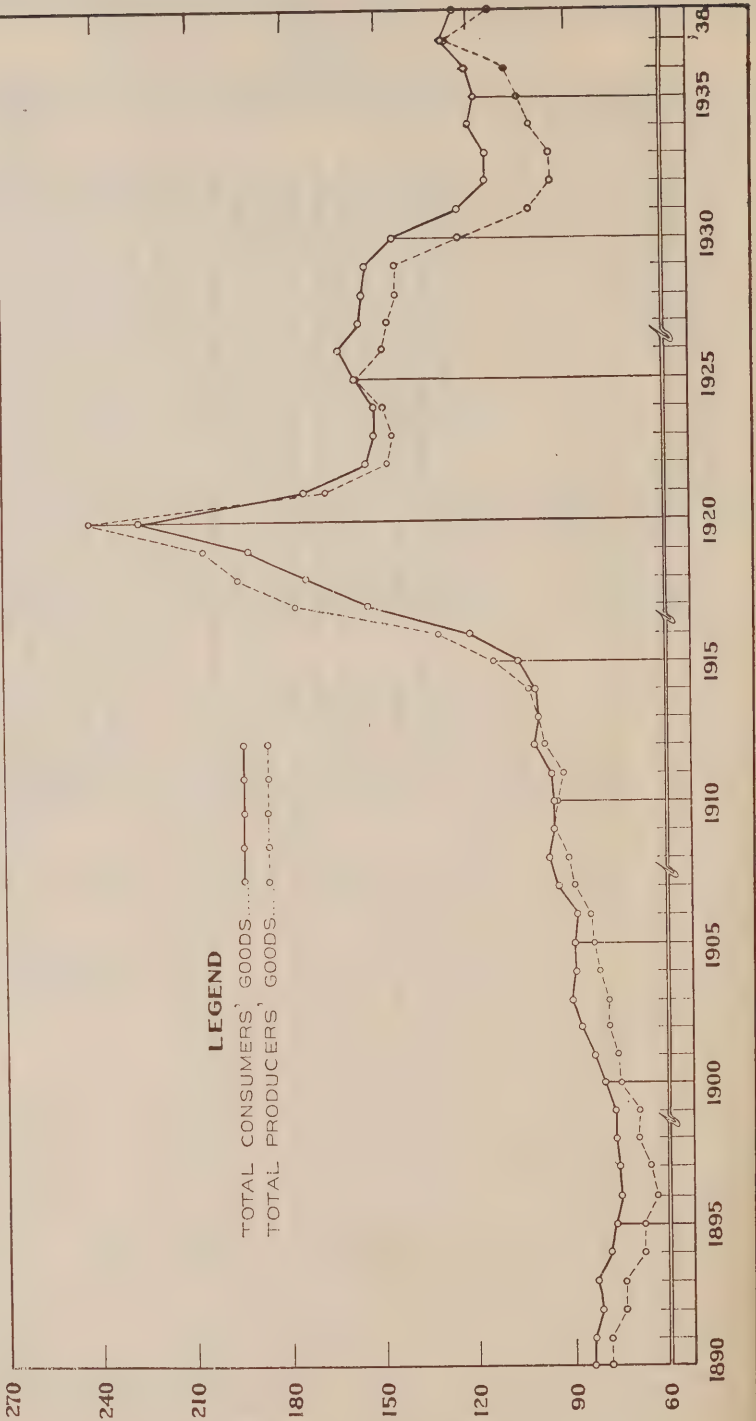


TABLE 9—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1938

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Groups	I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
	All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
						All	Building and Con- struction	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	(1890-1912) 76 (1913-1925) 98 (1926-1933) 204 (1934-1938) 236	45 74 116 126	31 24 88 110	112 146 351 402	8 15 22 24	104 131 329 378	34 32 97 111	70 99 232 267
890.....	52.0	51.4	52.4	54.3	47.2	55.1	49.1	56.1
891.....	52.4	52.2	52.5	54.6	47.1	55.4	48.9	56.8
892.....	50.9	48.3	52.6	50.9	47.8	51.2	47.5	51.8
893.....	51.4	49.4	52.8	50.3	48.0	50.5	46.9	51.1
894.....	49.5	47.0	51.1	45.5	46.1	45.4	46.8	45.2
895.....	48.2	45.3	50.2	46.2	45.6	46.3	44.8	46.6
896.....	46.9	41.6	50.4	43.0	45.5	42.7	44.6	42.4
897.....	47.5	43.7	50.0	45.5	45.1	45.5	41.5	46.2
898.....	47.9	46.3	49.0	48.3	44.2	48.7	42.3	49.8
899.....	47.9	46.5	48.9	47.2	44.1	47.5	44.8	48.0
900.....	50.0	46.8	52.1	50.9	46.8	51.3	50.2	51.5
901.....	52.2	47.2	55.5	51.6	51.1	51.7	48.6	52.2
902.....	54.2	49.9	57.1	53.8	53.0	53.9	50.2	54.5
903.....	56.1	52.3	58.6	53.3	54.9	53.1	54.1	52.9
904.....	55.8	52.4	58.0	55.3	53.6	55.5	55.7	55.5
905.....	55.5	54.0	56.5	56.4	50.9	57.0	55.2	57.3
906.....	55.0	53.5	56.0	56.1	50.1	56.8	58.0	56.6
907.....	58.1	57.6	58.5	59.8	52.1	60.6	60.1	60.7
908.....	59.9	59.4	60.2	61.1	54.1	61.9	65.0	61.4
909.....	58.7	58.9	58.6	63.9	53.2	65.1	63.5	65.4
910.....	58.8	59.0	58.7	63.9	52.2	65.2	62.0	65.7
911.....	59.5	60.8	58.7	61.9	52.1	63.0	65.1	62.7
912.....	62.4	65.8	60.1	66.7	53.9	68.1	64.9	68.7
913.....	62.0	61.8	62.2	67.7	55.1	69.1	67.0	69.5
914.....	62.1	65.0	60.1	70.1	52.4	72.1	62.8	74.2
915.....	62.8	68.7	58.8	77.1	51.2	80.0	60.5	84.6
916.....	72.2	81.2	66.2	89.7	55.7	93.5	69.5	99.1
917.....	90.5	109.1	78.1	120.6	65.3	127.7	87.4	136.0
918.....	102.7	119.0	91.9	133.3	81.9	133.0	100.7	148.1
919.....	115.2	127.9	106.7	139.8	90.7	145.2	117.8	151.6
920.....	136.1	150.8	126.3	164.3	108.6	171.0	144.0	177.3
921.....	108.9	105.1	111.5	113.3	113.8	113.3	122.7	110.8
922.....	96.9	90.2	101.4	98.8	104.1	98.2	108.7	95.8
923.....	94.7	91.2	97.0	97.6	102.5	87.1	111.9	93.7
924.....	94.2	90.4	96.8	99.4	102.7	99.0	106.6	97.5
925.....	97.0	97.7	96.5	104.9	99.2	105.5	102.9	106.2
926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
927.....	95.7	99.4	93.3	98.5	101.1	98.2	96.1	98.6
928.....	95.6	99.6	92.9	96.7	93.7	97.0	97.4	96.9
929.....	94.7	100.0	91.1	96.1	94.6	96.3	99.0	95.9
930.....	89.3	93.1	86.8	82.5	92.9	81.3	90.8	79.7
931.....	76.2	70.4	80.0	67.1	90.0	64.6	81.9	61.7
932.....	71.3	61.5	77.8	62.4	88.7	59.5	77.2	56.5
933.....	71.1	63.8	76.0	63.1	86.0	60.5	78.3	57.5
934.....	74.1	69.7	77.0	67.8	88.9	65.5	82.5	62.6
935.....	73.6	70.4	75.7	69.5	89.8	67.2	81.2	64.8
936.....	74.7	73.4	75.5	72.4	90.0	70.4	85.3	67.9
937.....	79.5	81.2	78.4	86.1	93.8	85.2	94.4	83.6
938.....	77.2	77.1	77.2	75.8	95.1	73.7	89.1	71.1
937-January.....	78.0	79.4	77.1	83.5	92.1	82.5	90.0	81.2
937-February.....	78.6	79.7	77.8	84.7	92.3	83.8	91.8	82.5
937-March.....	78.3	79.4	77.5	85.7	92.3	88.3	97.3	86.8
937-April.....	79.1	80.7	78.1	89.2	92.4	88.8	98.2	87.2
937-May.....	79.2	80.0	78.7	87.3	94.1	86.5	98.0	84.6
937-June.....	79.5	80.3	79.0	85.3	94.3	84.9	96.4	83.0
937-July.....	81.2	84.4	79.1	90.3	94.3	89.8	95.7	88.0
937-August.....	82.8	82.8	79.2	86.8	94.6	85.9	95.4	84.3
937-September.....	80.3	82.1	79.1	85.9	94.5	84.9	94.3	83.3
937-October.....	80.6	83.0	79.0	84.8	94.5	83.7	92.6	82.2
937-November.....	79.7	81.6	78.5	82.4	94.5	81.0	91.8	79.2
937-December.....	79.1	80.2	78.3	82.6	94.3	81.3	91.7	79.5
938-January.....	78.8	79.9	78.1	84.5	94.5	83.4	91.7	82.0
938-February.....	79.0	80.7	77.9	83.7	94.5	82.5	91.4	81.0
938-March.....	79.1	81.2	77.7	82.5	94.5	81.2	91.0	79.5
938-April.....	78.5	80.5	77.1	81.8	94.5	80.4	89.9	78.8
938-May.....	77.7	78.4	77.2	78.9	95.5	77.0	89.4	74.9
938-June.....	77.4	78.1	76.9	78.6	95.5	76.7	89.0	74.6
938-July.....	77.7	78.9	76.9	78.8	95.5	73.6	87.4	71.3
938-August.....	76.3	75.5	76.8	71.7	95.5	69.1	88.5	65.8
938-September.....	76.0	74.3	77.2	68.7	95.5	65.7	87.8	62.0
938-October.....	75.2	73.0	76.7	68.3	95.3	65.3	88.0	61.5
938-November.....	74.8	72.0	76.7	67.9	95.3	64.8	87.5	60.9
938-December.....	74.6	71.5	76.6	68.2	95.2	65.2	87.3	61.4

TABLE 10—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1938

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1913=100)

Groups	I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
	All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
						All	Building and Con- struction	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	(1890-1912) 76 (1913-1925) 204 (1926-1933) 236 (1934-1938)	45 74 116 126	31 24 88 110	112 146 351 402	8 15 22 24	104 131 329 378	34 32 97 111	70 99 232 267
1890	83.7	83.1	84.3	70.1	85.6	78.6	73.3	80.7
1891	84.4	84.5	84.4	78.8	85.5	78.3	70.0	81.7
1892	81.6	78.1	84.6	74.4	86.7	73.5	70.9	74.5
1893	82.6	80.0	84.9	73.5	87.1	72.5	70.0	73.5
1894	79.3	76.0	82.2	67.7	83.6	66.4	69.9	65.0
1895	77.8	73.3	80.7	68.1	82.8	67.0	66.9	67.0
1896	74.7	67.3	81.1	64.0	82.6	62.6	66.5	61.0
1897	75.9	70.7	80.4	66.4	81.8	65.2	62.0	66.5
1898	77.0	74.9	78.8	69.9	80.2	69.1	63.2	71.6
1899	77.1	75.3	78.6	69.2	80.1	68.4	66.8	69.1
1900	80.0	75.8	83.7	75.1	85.0	74.3	74.9	74.1
1901	83.3	76.4	89.2	75.7	92.8	74.3	72.5	75.1
1902	86.6	80.7	91.8	78.7	96.1	77.4	74.9	78.4
1903	89.8	84.7	94.2	79.1	99.6	77.5	80.7	76.1
1904	89.3	84.8	93.2	82.0	97.2	80.8	83.2	79.9
1905	89.2	87.4	90.8	83.2	92.3	82.5	82.4	82.5
1906	88.4	86.6	90.0	83.5	91.0	82.9	86.5	81.4
1907	93.7	93.2	94.0	88.6	94.6	88.1	89.7	87.4
1908	96.5	96.1	95.8	91.4	98.1	90.9	97.0	88.3
1909	94.7	95.3	94.2	94.5	96.5	94.3	94.8	94.1
1910	94.9	95.5	94.4	94.8	94.8	94.0	92.5	94.6
1911	96.2	98.4	94.3	92.4	94.5	92.2	97.1	90.2
1912	101.2	106.5	96.7	98.3	97.8	98.3	96.8	98.9
1913	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914	101.4	105.1	96.7	103.4	95.1	104.3	93.8	106.8
1915	103.9	111.2	94.5	113.5	92.9	115.8	90.3	121.7
1916	120.4	131.4	106.5	131.9	101.0	135.5	103.7	142.6
1917	154.1	176.5	125.6	177.0	118.6	183.4	130.5	195.7
1918	172.9	192.5	147.8	196.1	148.7	201.2	150.3	213.1
1919	191.7	207.0	171.6	205.8	164.6	210.1	175.8	218.1
1920	226.3	244.0	203.1	242.7	197.1	247.5	214.9	255.1
1921	174.0	170.0	179.2	167.9	206.5	163.9	183.2	159.4
1922	153.6	146.0	173.1	146.8	189.0	142.2	162.2	137.7
1923	151.3	147.6	155.9	145.0	186.1	140.6	167.0	134.7
1924	150.5	146.3	155.7	147.6	186.4	143.4	159.1	140.2
1925	156.9	158.2	155.2	155.5	180.1	152.8	153.5	152.7
1926	161.2	161.9	160.8	148.5	181.5	144.8	149.2	143.8
1927	154.4	160.9	150.0	146.3	183.5	142.2	143.4	141.8
1928	154.2	161.3	149.4	143.5	170.1	140.5	145.3	139.3
1929	152.7	161.9	165.5	142.6	171.7	139.4	147.7	137.6
1930	144.0	150.7	139.6	122.8	168.6	117.7	135.5	114.6
1931	122.8	114.0	128.6	100.5	163.4	93.5	122.2	88.7
1932	114.9	99.6	125.1	93.7	161.0	86.2	115.2	81.2
1933	114.6	103.3	122.2	94.5	156.1	87.6	116.8	82.7
1934	119.4	112.8	123.8	101.5	161.4	94.8	123.1	90.0
1935	118.6	114.0	121.7	103.9	163.0	97.3	121.2	93.2
1936	120.4	118.8	121.4	108.1	163.4	101.9	127.3	97.0
1937	128.3	131.5	126.1	127.9	170.2	123.2	140.8	120.2
1938	124.4	124.8	124.1	113.3	172.6	106.7	132.9	102.2
1937-January	125.8	128.5	124.0	124.1	167.2	119.3	134.3	116.6
February	126.7	129.0	125.1	125.9	167.5	121.3	137.0	118.1
March	126.2	128.5	124.6	131.8	167.5	127.8	145.2	124.4
April	127.6	130.7	125.6	132.4	167.7	128.5	146.5	125.5
May	127.7	129.5	126.5	129.9	170.8	125.3	146.2	121.1
June	128.2	130.0	127.0	127.7	171.2	122.9	143.8	119.9
July	131.0	136.6	127.2	134.0	171.2	129.9	142.8	127.7
August	130.1	134.1	127.4	129.0	171.7	124.3	142.3	121.4
September	129.5	132.9	127.2	127.7	171.5	122.8	140.7	119.4
October	130.0	134.4	127.0	126.1	171.5	121.1	138.2	118.2
November	128.6	132.1	126.2	122.6	171.5	117.2	137.0	113.1
December	127.5	129.8	125.9	122.9	171.2	117.6	136.8	114.4
1938-January	127.1	129.4	125.6	125.7	171.5	120.6	136.8	117.9
February	127.5	130.7	125.3	124.6	171.5	119.4	136.4	116.6
March	127.5	131.5	124.9	122.8	171.5	117.4	135.8	114.4
April	126.5	130.3	124.0	121.8	171.5	116.3	134.1	113.3
May	125.2	126.9	124.1	117.6	173.3	111.4	133.4	107.7
June	124.8	126.4	123.7	117.2	173.3	111.0	132.8	107.7
July	125.3	127.7	123.7	113.2	173.3	106.5	130.4	102.2
August	123.0	122.2	123.5	107.3	173.3	100.0	132.0	94.4
September	122.6	120.3	124.1	103.1	173.3	95.3	131.0	89.9
October	121.3	118.2	123.3	102.4	173.0	94.6	131.3	88.4
November	120.6	116.6	123.3	101.7	173.0	93.8	130.6	87.0
December	120.2	115.8	123.2	102.2	172.8	94.4	130.3	88.4



TABLE 11—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1935-1938

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of com- modities	1935	1936	1937	1938
	1935-38				
TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.....	567	72.1	74.6	84.6	78.6
CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B).....	236	73.6	74.7	79.5	77.2
Food, Beverages and Tobacco.....	126	70.4	73.4	81.2	77.1
Beverages.....	9	74.2	73.8	78.8	78.2
Flour and other milled products.....	12	69.8	75.5	97.1	80.4
Bakery products.....	2	83.0	84.0	91.1	91.4
Fish.....	16	71.5	72.1	74.2	71.9
Fruits, fresh.....	4	77.3	80.4	93.6	69.8
Fruits, dried.....	5	82.6	81.4	84.1	78.9
Fruits, canned.....	6	70.0	67.0	67.8	64.9
Meats, fresh.....	6	73.8	71.1	85.3	83.5
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	3	70.4	69.8	71.8	76.4
Poultry.....	1	52.8	64.1	65.6	68.7
Milk and its Products.....	12	68.2	71.0	77.8	73.4
Sugar and its Products.....	8	82.7	79.6	86.3	84.1
Vegetables.....	(13)				
Potatoes.....	7	33.4	67.5	54.6	36.8
Onions.....	2	81.0	71.3	101.5	110.3
Vegetables, canned.....	4	72.2	76.3	81.9	73.7
Eggs.....	3	60.5	67.3	63.2	67.5
Tobacco.....	8	42.7	48.9	54.0	51.3
Miscellaneous.....	18	74.8	71.8	78.3	65.2
Other Consumers' Goods.....	110	75.7	75.5	78.4	77.2
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and under- wear).....	52	74.6	74.6	78.2	74.2
Household equipment and supplies.....	58	76.5	76.2	78.6	79.4
Coal.....		89.1	89.1	88.0	90.5
Coke.....		92.7	94.2	110.6	110.6
Coal oil, gasoline, fuel oil and lubricating oil.....		74.9	73.4	74.1	72.2
Drugs and pharmaceuticals.....		73.7	74.7	76.1	74.8
Rubber tires and tubes.....		50.8	50.3	54.9	56.7
PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D).....	402	69.5	72.4	86.1	75.8
Producers' Equipment.....	24	89.8	90.0	93.8	95.1
Tools.....	3	86.6	86.6	90.4	91.3
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies.....	17	90.4	90.6	94.5	95.7
Explosives.....	2	77.9	77.5	75.8	74.7
Miscellaneous.....	2	84.5	84.5	87.8	95.3
Producers' Materials.....	378	67.2	70.4	85.2	73.7
Building and construction materials.....	111	81.2	85.3	94.4	89.1
Lumber.....	33	77.8	86.3	98.1	89.8
Paint materials.....	13	71.1	68.2	74.6	69.6
Miscellaneous.....	63	87.0	88.6	95.9	93.3
Manufacturers' Materials.....	267	64.8	67.9	83.6	71.1
For textile and clothing industries.....	64	68.0	67.5	71.1	65.3
For the fur and leather industries.....	24	68.2	76.7	88.9	71.2
For the metal working industries.....	41	72.5	73.5	87.8	76.9
For chemical using industries.....	93	88.8	89.2	90.6	88.6
For meat packing industries.....	4	79.4	72.5	91.3	82.0
For milling and other industries.....	23	58.8	66.3	92.6	68.1
Miscellaneous Producers' Materials.....	68	59.8	62.0	72.0	69.2
For farm supplies.....		72.1	69.4	78.8	75.6
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.....		57.1	58.5	64.4	70.0
For rubber working industries.....		25.3	34.9	42.5	31.7
Other producers' materials.....		60.7	65.8	82.2	67.8

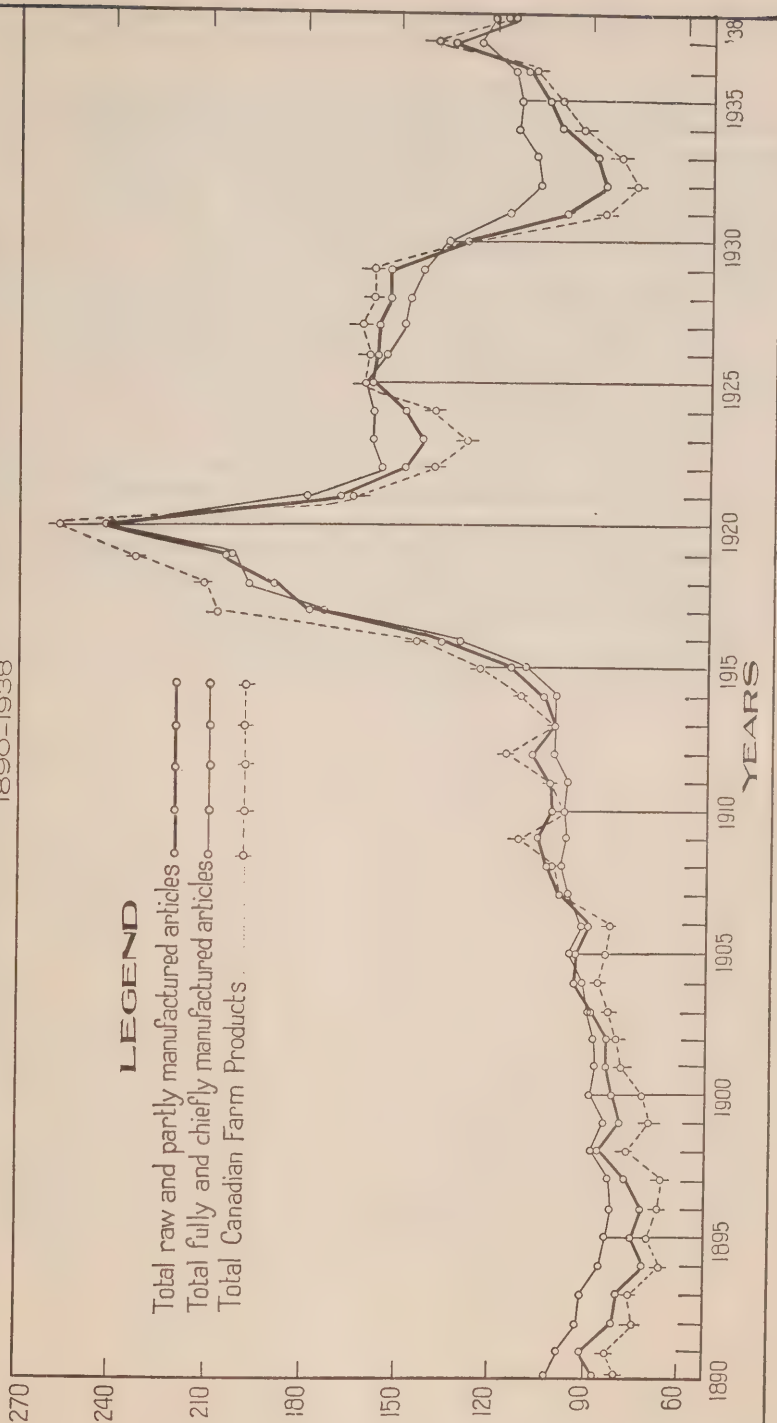
TABLE 12—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1938

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	No. of com- mod- ities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES</b>	567	83.8	83.6	83.1	82.3	80.3	80.1	78.6	76.0	74.5	74.1	73.5	73.3
<b>CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B)</b>	236	78.8	79.0	79.1	78.5	77.7	77.4	77.7	76.3	76.0	75.2	74.8	74.6
<b>A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco</b>	126	79.9	80.7	81.2	80.5	78.4	78.1	78.9	75.5	74.3	73.0	72.0	71.5
Beverages	9	78.7	79.0	79.0	79.6	78.1	77.0	77.0	76.7	77.4	79.0	79.2	78.2
Flour and other milled products	12	97.3	98.2	95.9	93.2	87.0	86.3	81.4	73.6	64.5	64.2	62.1	61.6
Bakery products	2	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.2	91.1	89.3	85.3	85.3	85.3
Fish	16	75.3	76.4	75.3	70.0	69.0	68.6	68.3	70.3	73.1	74.9	73.0	68.8
Fruits, fresh	4	60.9	61.0	65.7	66.3	67.2	70.0	74.4	76.1	75.2	71.2	73.4	74.9
Fruits, dried	5	82.0	82.0	80.6	79.6	79.9	77.7	76.1	77.7	78.0	78.0	77.0	78.0
Fruits, canned	6	65.4	65.4	65.1	65.1	65.2	65.2	64.9	64.7	64.8	64.7	64.7	64.8
Meats, fresh	6	79.1	75.7	79.1	86.6	90.4	95.3	94.2	86.8	83.7	77.1	74.1	79.9
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared	3	68.0	71.9	73.2	76.9	75.2	82.9	86.5	82.9	80.9	75.1	71.8	71.4
Poultry	1	68.7	68.7	68.7	68.7	76.3	72.5	72.5	72.5	72.5	61.1	61.1	61.1
Milk and its products	12	83.9	86.7	89.1	86.6	78.6	75.3	74.8	73.2	74.5	74.5	72.6	71.2
Sugar and its products	8	87.3	87.1	86.7	85.3	83.9	82.6	82.7	82.6	82.7	82.5	82.8	82.8
Vegetables	(13)	7	31.9	30.5	29.7	29.0	31.5	40.8	47.4	34.3	33.6	40.3	47.7
Potatoes	2	151.6	164.2	153.8	138.8	137.2	137.2	99.6	71.7	69.2	70.0	65.1	65.7
Onions	4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	76.4	75.4	74.1	72.2	71.8	69.6	69.5	69.5
Vegetables, canned	3	61.1	62.0	59.9	54.7	59.7	63.7	68.8	68.1	75.7	79.8	81.4	75.0
Eggs	8	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.5	45.3	45.3
Tobacco	3	52.4	52.4	52.4	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.5	52.5	45.3	45.3
Miscellaneous	18	67.6	65.8	67.4	66.3	66.0	65.2	66.1	65.4	64.1	64.1	62.9	61.3
<b>B. Other Consumers' Goods</b>	110	78.1	77.9	77.7	77.1	77.2	76.9	76.9	76.8	77.2	76.7	76.7	76.6
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and underwear)	52	76.2	75.8	75.5	74.9	74.7	74.0	73.8	73.4	73.5	72.9	72.7	72.6
Household equipment and supplies	58	79.5	79.5	79.4	78.7	79.1	79.1	79.2	79.3	80.0	79.5	79.6	79.5
Coal	110-6	89.6	89.6	89.7	87.8	89.0	89.1	89.8	90.2	92.3	92.7	93.2	93.2
Coke	110-6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6
Coal oil, gasoline, fuel oil and lubricating oil	73-1	73.1	73.1	72.8	72.8	72.8	72.7	72.3	72.3	72.3	70.9	70.5	70.5
Drugs and pharmaceuticals	76-0	75.7	75.4	74.4	74.5	73.9	74.8	74.4	74.4	74.4	74.8	74.8	74.2
Rubber tires and tubes	57-0	57.0	57.0	57.0	57.0	57.0	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6
<b>PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D)</b>	402	84.5	83.7	82.5	81.8	78.9	78.6	75.8	71.7	68.7	68.3	67.9	68.2
<b>C. Producers' Equipment</b>	24	94.5	94.5	94.5	94.5	95.5	95.5	95.5	95.5	95.5	95.3	95.3	95.2
Tools	3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies	17	95.0	95.0	95.0	95.0	96.1	96.1	96.1	96.1	96.1	95.9	95.9	95.8
Explosives	2	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7
Miscellaneous	2	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3
<b>D. Producers' Materials</b>	378	83.4	82.5	81.2	80.4	77.0	76.7	73.6	69.1	65.7	65.3	64.8	65.2
Building and construction materials	111	91.7	91.4	91.0	89.9	89.4	89.0	87.4	88.5	87.8	88.0	87.5	87.3
Lumber	33	92.3	92.2	91.2	89.1	88.2	88.1	88.4	90.9	89.7	89.9	89.0	88.8
Paint materials	13	74.0	73.3	73.2	73.1	71.8	70.4	66.6	66.6	66.5	66.6	66.6	66.1
Miscellaneous	65	95.5	95.2	95.2	94.9	94.9	94.5	91.6	91.6	91.4	91.6	91.3	91.1
<b>Manufacturers' Materials</b>	267	82.0	81.0	79.5	78.8	74.9	74.6	71.3	65.8	62.0	61.5	60.9	61.4
For textile and clothing industries	64	66.8	66.6	65.8	65.6	65.4	65.2	65.1	64.9	64.9	64.3	64.3	64.4
For the fur and leather industries	24	80.2	76.1	73.6	71.6	70.1	68.0	66.2	67.3	69.0	70.2	71.1	71.1
For metal working industries	41	79.2	77.9	77.9	77.1	75.5	74.5	76.0	75.6	76.4	78.1	77.9	76.9
For chemical using industries	43	89.2	89.0	89.0	89.2	89.2	88.7	88.8	88.8	88.3	88.2	88.0	87.4
For meat packing industries	4	76.3	74.5	79.2	82.4	86.4	94.4	94.9	88.2	78.1	73.0	75.2	81.9
For milling and other industries	23	94.7	93.3	89.2	88.5	78.6	77.5	67.5	53.8	45.3	43.8	42.1	43.1
<b>Miscellaneous Producers' Materials</b>	68	75.6	75.4	74.4	72.9	70.8	70.4	69.2	66.8	64.3	64.1	63.4	63.3
For farm supplies	81.3	84.2	85.2	81.8	78.8	76.0	74.9	73.2	67.7	68.8	68.2	67.5	67.5
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.	72.2	71.9	71.6	70.6	70.3	69.7	69.4	68.9	69.0	69.1	68.5	68.7	68.7
For rubber making industries	30.9	30.5	28.9	25.6	25.4	27.6	33.3	34.8	35.2	36.9	35.9	35.6	35.6
Other producers' materials	80.9	79.7	76.8	75.5	71.1	71.8	68.9	63.0	57.7	56.6	55.7	55.7	55.3

1913=100  
CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS  
CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE  
1890-1938





## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE

The broad movements of raw and partly manufactured, fully and chiefly manufactured, and Canadian farm products during the past forty-eight years may be observed from Chart 3. The violent shifts in price levels since the beginning of the Great War stand out in clear contrast to the minor fluctuations of the preceding twenty-four years. Throughout the whole period, the sensitive behaviour of farm product prices is plainly evident. The index for this group fluctuates more widely than that of raw and partly manufactured materials chiefly because of the presence of ferrous metals and non-metallic minerals among the latter. Price movements for such commodities are characteristically more rigid than those for most other commodity groups.

The advance in prices which commenced in 1936 continued into 1937. The 1937 annual average index for raw and partly manufactured goods reached 84·3, the highest point since 1929, while that for fully and chiefly manufactured goods was 80·5, the highest since 1930. Especially marked was the sharp rise in the prices of farm products, with field crops showing the greatest gain. Only in the case of products of mineral origin was the rise in prices fully and chiefly manufactured goods proportionate to that in raw and partly manufactured goods. The difference was most apparent in commodities of forest origin, raw and partly manufactured goods gaining 13·2 points, while fully and chiefly manufactured goods gained only 3·6 points.

The situation changed entirely in 1938, with sharp declines in raw and partly manufactured items depressing that index again below the level of fully and chiefly manufactured goods. This has been the characteristic relationship between these two groups for the past decade. It was reversed only in 1937. The 1938 annual index for raw and partly manufactured goods was 72·7, and that for fully and chiefly manufactured goods, 78·2.

Details of index numbers of wholesale commodity prices classified according to origin and degree of manufacture may be found in Tables 9-12 following.

# PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES, 1913-1938

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1916-1938  
 (CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
 (1926=100)

Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)										Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin			
	Total Raw and Partly Manufactured	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					Animal					Field	Animal	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total
		Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured													
Number of Commodities...	245	322	95	91	186	46	59	105	52	18	70		5	11	16	37	20	57	62	141	203		
1890.....	56.1	66.0	54.0	67.0	61.0	45.3	44.3	44.7	47.9	48.7	48.2		47.7	39.7	41.9	40.6	35.6	37.9	62.0	82.0	73.1		
1895.....	47.8	53.8	44.9	49.1	47.2	43.0	42.5	42.7	41.2	45.6	42.8		49.3	38.6	41.5	39.5	36.8	38.1	52.4	70.5	62.4		
1900.....	52.3	57.5	47.2	51.7	49.6	49.5	49.4	49.5	41.3	52.2	45.4		54.9	40.6	44.5	43.3	42.4	42.8	60.9	73.6	67.9		
1905.....	58.9	60.9	57.1	60.6	59.0	53.9	51.9	52.8	49.7	55.7	51.9		56.5	43.9	47.3	51.5	48.4	49.8	59.2	69.1	64.7		
1910.....	64.2	63.1	63.0	61.8	62.4	64.9	64.3	64.6	55.8	68.7	60.6		73.4	51.3	57.3	60.5	49.7	54.7	59.0	65.3	62.5		
1913.....	63.8	64.8	58.4	59.9	59.2	73.0	67.8	70.1	56.4	77.0	64.1		78.7	61.2	65.9	67.0	54.0	60.1	64.1	70.9	67.9		
1914.....	66.2	65.6	65.9	64.6	65.2	75.6	67.0	70.7	65.4	78.3	77.2		72.5	60.7	63.9	61.8	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9		
1915.....	72.5	71.1	77.8	73.7	75.6	75.0	72.7	73.7	76.9	79.5	77.2		73.7	61.8	65.0	57.4	54.9	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9		
1916.....	86.4	84.6	90.2	85.4	87.6	86.4	85.8	86.1	88.8	91.4	89.8		81.0	66.7	69.8	68.0	56.4	56.1	68.4	69.3	68.9		
1917.....	113.6	113.5	131.2	118.8	124.5	113.3	111.8	125.3	134.5	118.4	128.5		120.4	82.3	87.2	82.1	72.4	76.9	83.1	87.4	85.5		
1918.....	120.8	127.7	132.7	136.5	134.7	133.2	125.7	129.0	132.0	133.6	132.6		130.0	108.6	111.7	90.8	88.7	89.7	104.9	123.6	107.7		
1919.....	130.3	132.1	144.8	140.5	142.5	146.4	139.7	142.6	146.5	153.5	146.7		127.8	111.3	115.8	112.1	103.3	107.9	105.2	121.7	115.2		
1920.....	154.1	156.5	176.9	175.9	176.4	176.9	176.9	176.9	176.9	176.9	176.9		150.8	133.7	133.7	123.9	123.9	123.9	123.9	123.9	114.3		
1921.....	107.2	110.6	110.8	110.7	106.6	104.7	111.0	108.3	109.5	109.5	109.5		108.3	106.9	114.1	112.1	103.3	107.9	105.2	121.7	114.3		
1922.....	94.7	100.4	86.3	95.3	91.2	95.3	96.3	95.9	81.4	99.0	88.0		90.2	91.6	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	91.2	117.8		
1923.....	91.1	103.1	83.6	101.2	93.1	90.8	99.4	95.7	73.3	95.1	81.5		90.3	92.2	91.7	106.0	107.5	106.8	103.5	108.4	106.4		
1924.....	94.8	101.9	89.4	102.7	96.6	91.5	90.4	90.9	82.7	97.2	88.1		86.9	91.8	85.4	91.8	112.8	107.6	103.5	108.4	106.4		
1925.....	100.8	103.8	100.6	106.9	104.0	104.0	100.0	100.0	98.2	105.6	100.0		94.4	99.1	92.8	100.3	110.2	107.6	101.8	106.9	104.6		
1926.....	99.9	99.5	99.0	96.9	97.9	106.6	95.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	101.7		
1927.....	99.9	95.0	95.0	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2		92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2		
1928.....	97.5	93.0	90.2	93.9	92.2	90.2	93.9	105.1	92.6	105.7	102.1		96.7	101.5	100.2	97.0	99.5	98.3	94.6	94.6	94.6		
1929.....	82.2	87.3	87.4	84.0	76.3	103.7	89.4	95.6	70.0	102.9	82.8		86.9	108.5	105.3	99.4	97.9	93.7	92.7	91.8	91.8		
1930.....	61.9	74.8	67.4	69.5	57.7	76.8	71.6	73.9	43.6	77.6	52.3		70.3	98.4	95.3	90.9	86.4	88.5	86.1	85.1	85.1		
1931.....	55.0	69.8	41.0	67.1	55.1	59.9	61.1	60.6	41.1	60.7	48.4		56.2	66.6	63.8	69.6	68.9	69.2	77.0	84.9	81.4		
1932.....	55.0	70.2	45.3	71.2	59.3	59.0	62.5	61.0	45.8	59.7	51.6		60.3	69.4	62.9	69.7	68.9	69.2	77.0	84.9	81.4		
1933.....	63.5	73.4	54.2	73.9	64.8	66.0	69.8	68.2	53.8	67.7	59.0		60.3	73.9	71.1	76.3	66.1	65.5	77.5	86.0	80.6		
1934.....	66.0	72.8	56.2	72.8	65.1	71.6	69.9	70.6	57.3	74.0	63.5		67.1	72.0	69.2	74.5	56.1	64.7	79.9	85.2	82.8		
1935.....	70.8	73.6	63.8	73.8	69.2	73.6	71.4	72.4	65.3	75.3	69.4		67.1	70.1	71.8	80.0	57.5	69.4	79.9	85.2	82.8		
1936.....	84.3	80.5	82.8	83.4	83.1	82.7	76.2	79.0	88.3	85.0	87.1		72.1	77.7	71.3	94.0	61.1	76.4	85.2	91.6	88.8		
1937.....	72.7	78.2	63.0	76.5	70.3	79.8	74.3	76.7	69.0	81.3	73.6		63.4	72.0	70.2	85.5	69.9	77.2	81.5	86.5	86.5		

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.

TABLE 14—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1890-1938

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)										Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin			
	Total Raw and Partly Manufactured	Total Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)			Animal			Total			Field	Animal	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total
			Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total															
*Number of Commodities...	245	322	95	91	186	46	59	105	52	18	70	5	11	16	37	20	57	62	141	203			
1890.....	88.0	101.8	92.5	111.8	98.1	62.0	65.3	63.7	84.9	63.3	79.5	60.6	64.8	63.9	60.6	66.0	61.1	96.8	115.6	104.8			
1895.....	74.9	83.1	76.9	81.9	78.4	58.9	62.7	60.8	73.0	59.2	69.6	62.7	63.1	63.0	58.9	68.1	59.7	81.8	99.5	89.3			
1900.....	81.9	88.7	80.9	86.3	82.5	67.8	72.9	70.3	73.2	67.8	71.9	69.7	66.4	67.1	64.6	78.6	65.8	95.0	103.8	98.8			
1905.....	92.3	94.0	97.7	101.2	98.7	73.9	76.5	75.2	88.1	72.4	84.2	71.8	71.8	71.8	76.9	89.6	78.0	92.4	97.5	94.6			
1910.....	100.7	97.3	107.9	103.2	106.5	88.9	94.8	91.9	98.9	89.2	96.5	93.3	83.8	85.7	90.3	92.0	90.4	92.0	92.1	92.0			
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0			
1914.....	103.8	101.3	112.8	107.9	109.6	103.6	98.7	101.9	116.0	101.7	110.8	92.1	99.2	97.6	92.3	102.8	94.4	96.0	95.5	96.0			
1915.....	113.6	109.7	133.3	123.0	125.4	102.8	107.3	125.1	136.4	103.2	124.3	93.7	100.6	99.3	85.7	101.6	88.9	106.7	97.7	98.8			
1916.....	135.5	130.5	154.5	142.5	146.0	118.4	126.5	121.3	157.5	118.7	143.3	102.9	107.3	106.3	101.5	104.5	102.1	129.6	123.3	121.6			
1917.....	178.0	175.3	224.6	198.4	209.4	158.6	164.9	188.6	238.4	153.8	207.5	127.6	134.5	133.0	122.6	134.1	124.9	154.0	162.1	153.7			
1918.....	189.3	197.0	227.2	227.0	225.0	182.4	185.4	184.5	243.8	173.5	211.9	152.5	177.5	173.0	132.6	164.2	141.3	163.6	174.3	167.1			
1919.....	204.2	208.9	247.9	234.6	239.2	200.5	206.1	208.5	292.8	199.3	233.1	182.4	181.8	177.5	167.3	193.1	172.4	164.1	171.6	167.4			
1920.....	241.6	241.5	302.9	293.6	291.2	201.1	214.4	201.5	325.3	235.8	288.8	189.9	174.6	173.5	234.2	271.2	241.6	194.9	201.0	195.6			
1921.....	168.1	170.2	174.3	184.8	177.6	143.4	163.7	156.2	177.8	142.2	164.8	114.6	140.7	141.9	147.7	158.3	136.4	161.4	153.4	158.0			
1922.....	148.5	155.0	147.7	159.1	152.9	130.6	142.1	135.6	144.3	128.6	138.5	114.7	150.7	142.7	158.3	199.1	166.4	161.4	153.4	157.9			
1923.....	142.8	159.1	143.2	168.9	135.4	124.4	146.6	133.7	130.7	123.5	137.6	126.5	130.9	129.9	149.7	188.8	208.6	176.8	168.7	157.9			
1924.....	148.6	157.3	152.1	171.5	161.3	125.3	133.3	130.7	146.6	126.2	139.1	121.8	150.0	143.7	156.3	204.0	165.8	158.8	150.8	156.2			
1925.....	158.0	160.2	172.2	178.5	175.7	137.6	148.3	142.9	174.1	137.2	160.5	120.0	162.0	162.0	149.3	185.3	159.0	158.9	143.2	151.7			
1926.....	156.7	154.3	171.2	167.0	171.7	136.9	147.4	142.0	177.4	129.8	159.6	122.1	163.4	155.3	149.3	185.3	156.5	156.1	141.0	149.3			
1927.....	152.6	148.9	169.5	161.8	165.3	135.0	144.2	143.2	177.4	129.8	159.6	122.1	163.4	155.3	149.3	185.3	156.5	156.1	141.0	149.3			
1928.....	152.8	143.5	153.2	151.5	152.3	137.0	145.2	150.3	166.4	148.4	138.4	123.0	177.3	169.9	155.4	148.4	166.0	142.4	129.4	135.2			
1929.....	128.8	134.7	115.4	140.3	128.8	142.0	131.8	139.2	124.2	133.6	127.7	110.4	160.8	146.3	135.7	160.1	148.7	134.4	127.3	130.5			
1930.....	97.0	115.4	75.3	116.1	97.3	105.1	105.5	105.3	77.3	70.7	86.1	89.4	108.8	116.7	118.5	145.8	133.1	121.6	120.0	120.7			
1931.....	86.2	107.7	70.2	112.1	92.8	82.0	90.1	86.6	72.9	78.8	75.1	71.4	106.9	98.7	103.9	127.7	116.6	120.2	119.7	119.9			
1932.....	88.7	108.3	77.6	118.9	99.3	80.8	92.1	87.2	81.2	77.5	79.8	76.6	106.9	97.3	104.1	106.0	105.1	118.0	119.3	118.7			
1933.....	90.5	113.3	92.8	123.4	109.8	90.4	102.9	97.5	95.4	87.9	92.6	71.4	106.9	102.7	113.9	104.0	108.6	121.0	121.3	121.2			
1934.....	103.4	112.3	96.2	121.6	109.9	98.0	103.0	100.8	101.7	96.1	99.6	78.5	117.6	117.6	111.2	104.0	107.4	124.3	120.3	122.1			
1935.....	110.9	113.6	109.2	123.2	116.8	100.8	105.2	103.3	116.7	97.7	109.6	85.3	114.5	106.6	120.6	106.5	113.1	124.7	120.1	122.2			
1936.....	132.1	124.2	141.8	139.3	149.4	113.2	112.3	112.7	156.6	110.3	139.3	91.6	117.2	110.3	140.3	113.2	126.8	133.0	129.2	130.9			
1937.....	113.9	120.7	107.9	127.8	118.6	109.2	109.5	109.4	122.4	105.5	116.1	83.1	117.6	108.3	127.7	129.5	128.7	127.2	127.2	127.4			
1938.....																							

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.



TABLE 15—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1936-1938

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	68.0	67.5	67.3	66.8	66.2	66.6	69.7	73.0	73.9	75.2	75.8	79.3
1937.....	82.5	83.8	86.8	87.6	85.8	83.2	88.3	83.6	83.7	83.5	81.1	80.8
1938.....	81.9	81.1	79.6	79.0	75.8	75.4	72.5	67.5	65.5	65.1	64.6	64.9
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	72.7	72.2	72.1	72.3	71.7	71.9	73.3	74.8	74.9	75.2	75.4	77.3
1937.....	78.5	78.7	79.6	80.6	80.1	80.3	82.3	81.9	81.3	81.4	80.7	80.3
1938.....	81.5	81.9	82.0	81.3	79.3	79.2	78.4	76.8	75.6	74.7	73.9	73.6
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	57.2	55.9	56.3	56.2	55.0	57.1	63.8	70.3	70.4	72.1	71.8	78.0
1937.....	82.7	83.9	87.4	88.1	83.8	81.1	63.0	80.4	79.8	80.8	76.4	77.6
1938.....	80.9	80.0	77.0	76.0	69.5	69.5	63.4	53.3	47.5	46.9	46.1	46.6
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	72.0	71.3	71.4	71.1	70.5	70.3	73.2	75.6	75.5	77.5	77.6	80.7
1937.....	81.7	82.0	83.2	84.4	83.9	83.3	87.3	84.6	83.0	83.3	82.3	82.5
1938.....	83.2	83.3	82.6	81.5	79.0	78.0	76.8	73.9	71.1	70.1	69.5	69.3
<b>Total—</b>												
1936.....	65.2	64.2	64.4	64.2	63.3	64.2	68.9	73.1	73.1	75.0	74.9	79.5
1937.....	82.2	82.9	85.1	86.1	83.8	82.3	89.0	82.7	81.5	82.1	79.6	80.2
1938.....	82.1	81.8	80.0	79.0	74.6	74.1	70.6	64.4	60.2	59.4	58.7	58.8
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	75.8	75.8	73.9	72.4	72.6	70.3	70.1	70.5	72.9	74.3	76.8	78.0
1937.....	79.5	80.5	81.4	83.8	84.4	80.8	81.8	82.7	85.2	84.5	84.5	81.6
1938.....	80.9	79.4	79.8	80.6	81.1	79.8	79.3	77.9	80.1	79.4	79.3	80.1
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	71.5	70.0	69.5	70.3	68.9	69.9	71.1	73.1	73.9	72.3	72.6	73.5
1937.....	75.2	74.8	73.8	75.0	73.7	74.8	76.3	78.6	78.6	79.1	77.7	76.1
1938.....	75.3	77.1	78.7	77.9	74.1	75.0	75.7	74.0	73.3	71.8	69.9	68.8
<b>Total—</b>												
1936.....	73.4	72.5	71.4	71.2	70.5	70.1	70.7	72.0	73.5	73.2	74.4	75.5
1937.....	77.1	77.3	77.1	78.8	78.3	77.4	78.7	80.4	81.5	81.4	80.6	78.5
1938.....	77.7	78.1	79.2	79.2	77.1	77.1	77.3	75.7	76.2	75.1	74.0	73.7
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products -</b>												
<b>Field (grains, etc.)—</b>												
1936.....	59.0	58.9	59.2	59.8	59.9	60.8	63.2	74.1	74.2	76.4	75.6	83.4
1937.....	88.3	89.6	93.4	94.4	89.0	85.1	97.7	84.6	84.8	86.3	81.8	83.9
1938.....	88.8	87.5	83.9	83.2	74.6	74.3	65.9	54.9	53.4	53.6	54.6	53.8
<b>Animal—</b>												
1936.....	77.5	77.8	76.0	73.8	73.0	70.4	71.6	71.9	74.7	76.2	79.5	80.8
1937.....	82.1	82.6	84.2	86.3	85.7	81.4	83.9	85.5	88.8	86.9	87.4	84.6
1938.....	82.2	81.1	81.6	81.2	81.7	80.4	80.7	79.6	81.1	81.0	82.1	82.6
<b>Total—</b>												
1936.....	65.9	66.0	65.5	65.0	64.8	64.4	66.3	73.3	74.4	76.3	77.1	82.4
1937.....	86.0	87.0	90.0	91.4	87.8	83.7	92.5	84.9	86.3	86.5	83.9	84.2
1938.....	86.3	85.1	83.0	82.5	77.3	76.6	71.4	64.1	63.8	63.8	64.9	64.6
<b>D. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	61.0	63.7	68.5	64.0	56.0	62.9	61.6	68.9	73.6	79.6	75.2	69.5
1937.....	68.7	69.1	57.2	60.9	62.1	70.5	68.5	83.0	84.7	85.6	82.1	72.8
1938.....	70.9	73.1	69.5	56.0	56.0	55.4	56.7	62.6	72.7	76.3	73.6	60.8
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	69.4	70.0	69.6	69.3	68.7	69.7	70.6	72.0	71.2	70.5	69.9	69.6
1937.....	69.3	69.5	69.7	72.1	71.3	72.2	72.4	70.9	73.4	72.6	73.7	73.8
1938.....	74.1	74.6	74.7	74.0	72.5	72.4	71.1	70.8	69.9	70.6	69.3	69.8
<b>Total—</b>												
1936.....	67.1	68.3	69.3	67.9	65.3	67.9	68.2	71.2	71.8	73.0	71.3	69.6
1937.....	69.1	69.4	66.3	69.1	68.8	71.7	71.3	74.2	76.4	76.1	76.0	73.5
1938.....	73.2	74.2	73.8	69.1	68.0	67.8	67.2	68.6	70.6	72.1	70.5	67.4

**TABLE 15—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1936-1938—Concluded**

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1936.....	78.7	79.5	79.4	79.8	80.3	80.1	80.7	81.2	81.6	82.8	82.9	83.3
1937.....	86.8	89.3	95.8	98.0	98.5	96.1	96.6	96.3	94.9	92.8	91.7	91.3
1938.....	89.6	89.3	88.2	86.0	84.8	83.6	83.9	84.3	84.4	84.4	83.2	83.1
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1936.....	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.6	57.5	57.4	57.4	57.4	57.3	57.4	57.4	57.5
1937.....	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.9	61.1	61.2	61.2	61.2	61.3	61.2	61.2	61.3
1938.....	70.2	70.2	70.3	69.8	69.9	70.2	69.9	69.7	69.9	69.8	69.6	69.7
Total—												
1936.....	67.4	67.8	67.7	67.9	68.1	68.0	68.3	68.5	68.6	69.2	69.3	69.5
1937.....	72.9	74.0	77.1	78.2	78.5	77.5	77.7	77.6	77.0	75.9	75.4	75.3
1938.....	79.2	79.1	78.6	77.4	76.8	76.4	76.4	76.5	76.7	76.6	75.9	75.9
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1936.....	79.6	79.9	80.1	79.6	79.0	78.9	78.8	79.2	79.9	80.0	81.1	82.7
1937.....	84.0	85.6	88.8	86.3	86.4	85.4	86.0	86.1	85.6	84.0	82.7	82.3
1938.....	82.1	81.8	81.8	81.2	80.8	80.7	81.2	81.0	81.8	82.0	82.0	81.6
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1936.....	84.3	84.8	84.8	85.0	85.0	85.2	85.1	85.2	85.3	84.9	85.1	87.2
1937.....	87.4	88.2	91.0	92.0	91.9	92.2	92.7	93.2	93.3	92.8	92.6	92.2
1938.....	92.2	92.0	91.8	91.6	91.4	91.3	89.7	89.6	89.6	89.2	89.0	88.9
Total—												
1936.....	82.2	82.6	82.7	82.5	82.3	82.4	82.3	82.5	82.9	82.7	83.3	85.1
1937.....	85.9	87.1	90.0	89.5	89.5	89.2	89.7	90.1	89.9	88.9	88.2	87.8
1938.....	87.7	87.4	87.3	87.0	86.7	86.6	85.9	85.8	86.1	86.0	85.9	85.6

**TABLE 16—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1936-1938**

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	106.6	105.8	105.5	104.7	103.7	104.4	109.2	114.4	115.8	117.8	118.8	124.3
1937.....	129.3	131.3	136.0	137.3	134.4	130.4	138.4	131.0	131.2	130.8	127.1	126.6
1938.....	128.3	127.1	124.7	123.8	118.8	118.2	113.6	105.8	102.6	102.0	101.2	101.7
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1936.....	112.2	111.4	111.3	111.6	110.6	110.9	113.1	115.4	115.6	116.0	116.3	119.3
1937.....	121.1	121.4	122.8	124.4	123.6	123.9	127.0	126.4	125.4	125.6	124.5	123.9
1938.....	125.8	126.4	126.5	125.4	122.4	122.2	121.0	118.5	116.7	115.3	114.0	113.6
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1936.....	97.9	95.7	96.4	96.2	94.2	97.8	109.2	120.4	120.5	123.4	122.9	133.5
1937.....	141.6	143.6	149.6	150.8	143.5	138.8	155.8	137.6	136.6	138.3	130.8	132.9
1938.....	138.5	137.0	131.8	130.1	119.0	119.0	108.5	91.2	81.3	80.3	78.9	79.8
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1936.....	120.2	119.1	119.2	118.7	117.7	117.4	122.2	126.3	126.1	129.4	129.6	134.8
1937.....	136.4	136.9	138.9	140.9	140.0	139.1	145.8	141.3	138.6	139.1	137.4	137.8
1938.....	138.9	139.1	137.9	136.1	131.9	130.3	128.3	123.4	118.7	117.1	116.1	115.7
<b>Total—</b>												
1936.....	109.9	108.3	108.7	108.3	106.9	108.3	116.2	123.5	123.5	126.7	126.5	134.2
1937.....	138.8	140.0	143.8	145.5	141.6	139.0	150.4	139.6	137.7	138.7	134.3	135.5
1938.....	138.7	138.1	135.1	133.3	125.9	125.1	119.2	108.5	101.4	100.1	98.9	99.1

TABLE 16—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1936-1938—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1936.....	103.8	103.8	101.2	99.1	99.4	96.2	96.0	96.5	99.8	101.7	105.1	106.8
1937.....	108.8	110.2	111.4	114.7	115.5	110.6	112.0	113.2	116.6	115.6	115.6	111.7
1938.....	110.8	108.7	109.2	110.3	111.0	109.2	108.6	106.6	109.7	108.7	108.6	109.7
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1936.....	105.4	103.2	102.4	103.6	101.6	103.0	104.8	107.7	108.9	106.6	107.0	108.3
1937.....	110.8	110.3	108.8	110.6	108.6	110.3	112.5	115.9	115.9	116.6	114.5	112.2
1938.....	111.0	113.6	116.0	114.8	109.2	110.6	111.6	109.1	108.0	105.8	103.0	101.4
Total—												
1936.....	104.7	103.4	101.9	101.7	100.6	100.1	101.0	102.9	105.0	104.5	106.2	107.7
1937.....	109.9	110.3	109.9	112.4	111.6	110.4	112.3	114.7	116.2	116.2	115.0	112.0
1938.....	110.9	111.5	113.1	112.8	110.0	110.0	110.3	108.0	108.7	107.1	105.4	105.0
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
Field (grain, etc.)—												
1936.....	104.7	104.5	105.0	106.1	106.3	107.9	112.1	131.5	131.6	135.5	134.1	148.0
1937.....	156.6	159.0	165.7	167.5	157.9	151.0	173.3	150.1	150.4	153.1	145.1	148.8
1938.....	157.5	155.2	148.8	147.6	132.3	131.8	116.9	97.4	94.7	95.1	96.9	95.4
Animal—												
1936.....	100.6	101.0	98.6	95.8	94.8	91.4	82.9	93.3	97.0	98.9	103.2	104.9
1937.....	106.6	107.2	109.3	112.0	111.2	105.7	108.9	111.0	115.3	112.8	112.4	109.8
1938.....	106.7	105.3	105.9	105.4	106.0	104.4	104.7	103.3	105.3	105.1	106.6	107.2
Total—												
1936.....	103.2	103.2	102.6	102.2	102.0	101.7	104.9	117.2	118.7	121.8	122.5	131.9
1937.....	137.9	139.6	144.6	146.7	140.4	134.1	149.2	135.5	137.3	138.0	133.2	134.2
1938.....	138.5	136.5	132.8	131.8	122.5	121.6	112.3	99.6	98.7	98.8	100.5	99.8
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1936.....	77.5	81.0	87.1	81.3	71.2	79.9	78.3	87.6	93.5	101.2	95.6	88.3
1937.....	87.3	87.8	72.7	77.4	78.9	89.6	87.0	105.5	107.7	108.8	104.3	92.5
1938.....	90.1	92.9	88.3	71.2	71.2	70.4	72.1	79.6	92.4	97.0	93.5	77.3
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1936.....	113.4	114.4	113.7	113.2	112.3	113.9	115.4	117.6	116.3	115.2	114.2	113.7
1937.....	113.2	113.6	113.9	117.8	116.5	118.0	118.3	115.9	119.9	118.6	120.4	120.6
1938.....	121.1	121.9	122.1	120.9	118.5	118.3	116.2	115.7	114.2	115.4	113.2	114.1
Total—												
1936.....	103.7	105.3	106.5	104.6	101.1	104.7	105.3	109.5	110.2	111.4	109.2	106.9
1937.....	106.2	106.6	102.8	106.9	106.3	110.3	109.8	113.1	116.6	115.9	116.0	113.0
1938.....	112.7	114.1	113.0	107.5	105.7	105.3	104.3	105.9	108.3	110.4	107.9	104.1
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1936.....	117.5	118.7	118.5	119.1	119.9	119.6	120.5	121.2	121.8	123.6	123.8	124.4
1937.....	129.6	133.3	143.0	146.3	147.0	143.5	144.2	143.8	141.7	138.6	136.9	136.3
1938.....	133.8	133.3	131.7	128.4	126.6	124.8	125.3	125.9	126.0	126.0	124.2	124.1
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1936.....	106.5	106.7	106.5	106.7	106.5	106.4	106.4	106.4	106.2	106.4	106.4	106.5
1937.....	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.8	113.2	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.6	113.4	113.4	113.6
1938.....	130.1	130.1	130.3	129.3	129.5	130.1	129.5	129.2	129.5	129.3	129.0	129.2
Total—												
1936.....	111.7	112.3	112.1	112.5	112.8	112.5	112.9	113.3	113.5	114.4	114.5	114.9
1937.....	120.5	122.2	126.7	128.4	129.0	127.4	127.8	127.6	126.7	125.1	124.4	124.2
1938.....	131.8	131.6	131.0	128.9	128.1	127.6	127.5	127.7	127.9	127.8	126.8	126.8
<b>V. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1936.....	124.3	124.7	125.0	124.3	123.3	123.2	123.0	123.6	124.7	124.9	126.6	129.1
1937.....	131.1	133.6	138.6	134.7	134.9	133.3	134.2	134.4	133.6	131.1	129.1	128.5
1938.....	128.2	127.7	127.7	126.8	126.1	126.0	126.8	126.4	127.7	128.0	128.0	127.4
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1936.....	118.9	119.6	119.6	119.9	119.9	120.1	120.0	120.1	120.3	119.7	120.0	123.0
1937.....	123.2	124.4	128.3	129.7	129.6	130.0	130.7	131.4	131.6	130.8	130.6	130.0
1938.....	130.0	129.7	129.4	129.2	128.9	128.7	126.5	126.3	126.3	125.8	125.5	125.3
Total—												
1936.....	121.3	121.9	122.0	121.8	121.4	121.5	121.3	121.7	122.3	122.0	122.9	125.7
1937.....	126.7	128.5	132.9	131.9	132.0	131.5	132.3	132.7	132.5	130.9	129.9	129.3
1938.....	129.2	128.8	128.6	128.1	127.6	127.5	126.6	126.3	126.9	126.8	126.6	126.2



TABLE 17—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1934-1938

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)					
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials	54.2	56.2	63.8	82.8	63.0
Fruits, fresh, domestic	82.7	77.3	80.4	93.6	69.8
Fruits, fresh	86.6	82.6	81.4	84.1	78.9
Fruits, dried	54.9	58.8	66.3	92.6	68.1
Grains	27.1	25.3	34.9	42.5	31.7
Rubber, raw	41.1	39.3	39.1	45.8	41.9
Sugar, raw	71.7	70.7	73.2	79.0	73.9
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices	41.4	42.7	48.9	54.9	51.3
Tobacco					
Vegetables	33.9	33.4	67.5	54.6	36.8
Potatoes	73.2	81.0	71.3	101.5	110.3
Onions	77.1	71.7	64.2	72.0	72.0
Miscellaneous vegetable products	70.4	69.6	71.1	67.7	52.0
Cotton, raw	30.7	42.0	61.3	68.4	45.3
Miscellaneous fibres	70.0	69.9	75.8	70.0	74.7
Pharmaceuticals					
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles	73.9	72.8	73.8	83.4	76.5
Canned fruits	68.5	70.0	67.9	67.8	64.9
Flour and other milled products	68.3	69.8	75.5	97.1	80.4
Bakery products	82.8	83.0	84.0	91.1	91.4
Vegetable oils	56.3	70.8	74.5	80.1	61.2
Rubbers	67.1	67.1	67.8	70.2	61.4
Tires and tubes	48.6	50.8	50.3	54.9	56.7
Sugar products and glucose	93.8	82.1	78.8	84.8	83.1
Chocolate and cocoa butter	57.6	57.6	65.5	81.8	61.6
Canned vegetables	73.4	72.2	76.2	81.9	73.7
Miscellaneous vegetable products	76.0	76.0	68.6	69.0	64.1
Miscellaneous fibre products	55.6	50.3	50.2	52.5	48.9
Cotton yarn and thread	85.5	82.2	82.7	86.4	81.2
Sash cord	109.1	102.1	93.5	92.6	85.3
Cotton fabrics	78.7	76.4	72.6	76.9	72.2
Cotton knit goods	81.1	82.6	82.3	84.0	82.8
Chemicals	80.9	80.8	87.0	87.9	87.3
Soap	87.1	85.1	85.4	91.1	91.0
(c) Total	64.8	65.1	69.2	83.1	70.5
(B) ANIMAL					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials	66.0	71.6	73.6	82.7	79.9
Live stock	69.4	79.4	72.5	91.3	82.0
Furs	56.9	51.7	59.8	70.4	53.2
Hides and skins	57.7	69.2	80.4	101.9	64.1
Meats	65.4	73.8	71.1	85.3	83.3
Poultry	51.5	52.8	64.1	65.6	68.1
Milk	71.2	77.3	70.1	87.0	87.7
Eggs	60.2	60.5	67.3	63.2	67.1
Silk, raw	21.0	27.0	28.8	30.3	27.1
Wool, raw	61.3	50.4	68.1	89.3	53.1
Shellac	65.9	43.6	39.6	35.5	31.1
Fertilizers	100.8	99.3	99.3	99.3	110.1
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles	69.8	69.9	71.4	76.4	74.1
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared	73.7	70.4	69.8	71.8	76.1
Oils, fats, etc.	57.8	77.1	69.9	75.7	58.1
Leather	77.7	79.0	87.1	97.7	85.1
Boots and shoes	87.3	85.3	88.4	93.7	91.1
Milk, condensed and evaporated	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2
Butter	59.2	60.6	62.2	69.0	69.1
Cheese	58.9	62.7	70.5	77.1	78.1
Silk products	53.9	51.7	51.0	52.1	50.1
Spool and machine twist	63.9	63.9	62.3	64.0	64.1
Silk fabrics	49.4	46.3	45.5	47.0	44.1
Silk hosiery	65.9	65.8	65.8	65.3	65.1
Wool products	82.8	77.5	81.1	86.0	79.1
Wool yarns	88.5	82.2	85.1	91.0	77.1
Wool cloth	73.6	72.9	78.3	83.3	75.1
Wool blankets	83.3	76.5	81.3	101.4	91.1
Wool carpets	88.5	92.5	90.6	95.0	96.1
Wool hosiery and knit goods	91.3	87.1	86.8	89.0	88.1
Glycerine	49.7	53.3	62.3	89.7	62.1
(c) Total	68.2	70.6	72.4	79.0	76.1

TABLE 17—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1934-1938—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)— <i>Concluded</i>					
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS					
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	53.8	57.3	65.8	88.3	69.0
(b) Animal.....	67.7	74.0	75.3	85.0	81.3
(c) Total.....	59.0	63.5	69.4	87.1	73.6
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	60.3	61.8	67.1	72.1	65.4
Fish, salt.....	28.4	31.8	26.6	33.3	21.7
Fish, fresh.....	65.9	67.1	74.2	78.9	73.1
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	75.1	72.0	70.1	71.7	72.0
Dried or prepared fish.....	78.7	67.7	64.8	72.6	71.8
Canned fish.....	73.2	74.2	72.8	71.3	72.1
(c) Total.....	71.1	69.2	69.3	71.8	70.2
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	76.3	74.5	80.8	94.0	85.5
Lumber and Timber.....	78.6	77.8	86.3	98.1	89.8
Camphor.....	63.7	65.9	65.9	71.0	73.0
Woodpulp.....	70.9	66.9	68.3	84.6	75.6
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	56.1	56.1	57.5	61.1	69.9
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	53.9	54.0	55.4	58.1	68.2
Furniture.....	65.7	66.8	69.5	82.0	85.5
Matches.....	76.2	76.2	77.4	77.9	77.9
Artificial Silk Products.....	56.1	50.5	46.2	43.5	42.8
Alcohol, methyl.....	75.2	86.2	84.9	83.3	82.8
Formaldehyde.....	61.5	59.8	53.6	57.1	52.7
Tanning extracts.....	112.0	108.9	108.8	112.9	109.5
(c) Total.....	65.5	64.7	68.4	76.4	77.2
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	77.5	79.6	79.9	85.2	81.5
Pig Iron.....	82.8	83.0	83.3	99.5	96.0
Scrap.....	55.6	56.5	62.2	82.8	65.9
Non-ferrous metals.....	64.9	70.0	69.9	80.8	69.2
Non-metallic minerals.....	85.7	86.2	86.6	87.3	88.8
Chemicals.....	76.6	77.9	76.1	75.2	72.3
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	86.0	85.3	85.2	91.6	90.5
Pipe.....	89.0	85.2	85.1	97.9	99.4
Rolling mill products.....	90.9	92.0	93.0	108.5	107.5
Wire and wire goods.....	86.7	86.8	87.2	99.1	100.4
Hardware.....	87.3	87.5	86.3	90.0	90.1
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	95.0	105.4	112.5
Non-ferrous metal products.....	67.6	70.5	76.7	100.4	82.4
Non-metallic mineral products.....	84.9	83.6	83.5	85.2	84.0
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	84.5	82.4	79.7	81.8	82.1
(c) Total.....	82.2	82.8	82.8	88.8	86.5





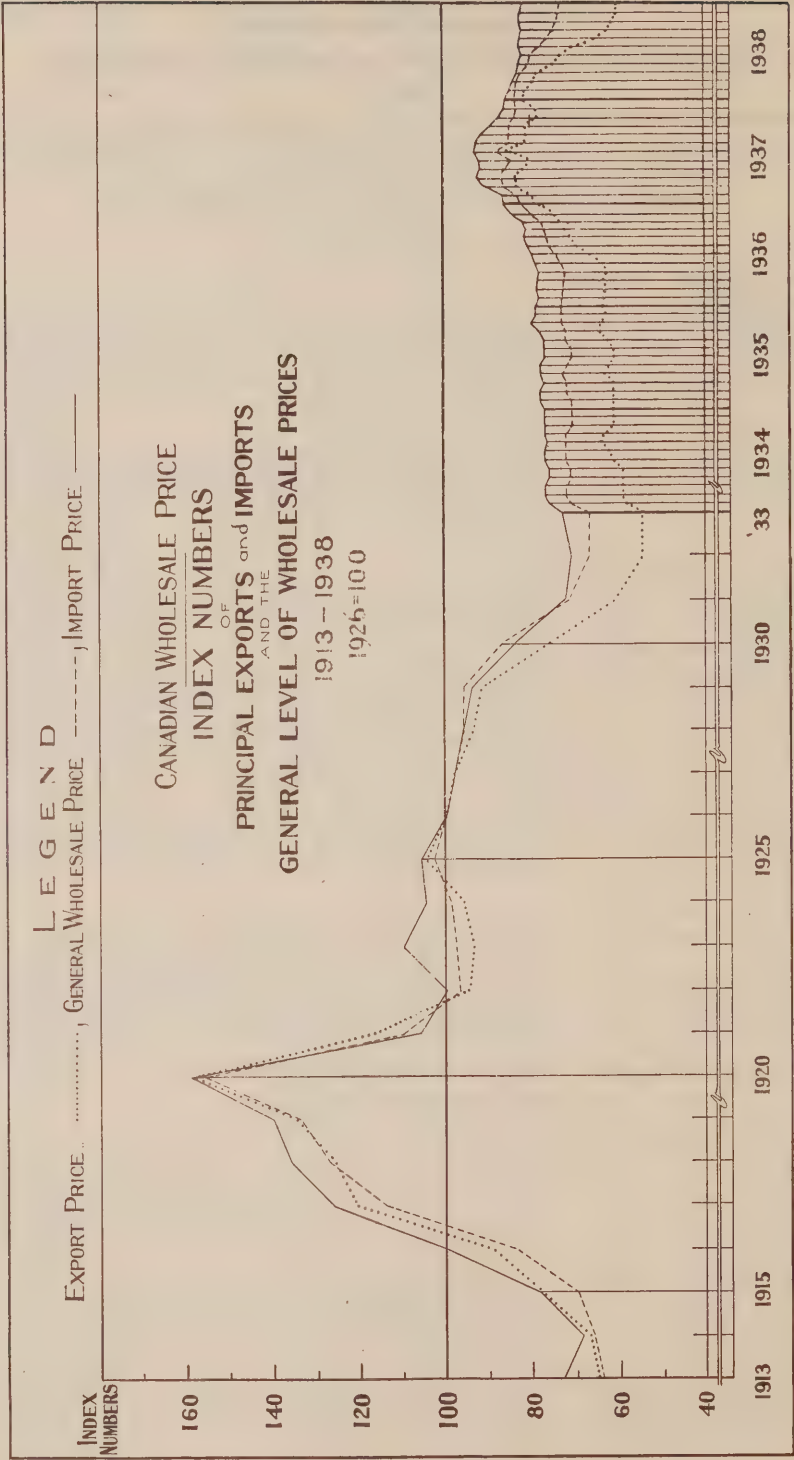
TABLE 18—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1938—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)— <i>Concluded</i>												
(B) ANIMAL— <i>Con.</i>												
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles— <i>Con.</i>												
Wool products— <i>Con.</i>												
Wool hosiery and knit goods....	89.7	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.8	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2
Glycerine.....	67.0	67.0	67.0	67.0	67.0	59.8	59.8	59.8	59.8	59.8	55.5	55.5
(c) Total.....	77.7	78.1	79.2	79.2	77.1	77.1	77.3	75.7	76.2	75.1	74.0	73.7
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS												
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	88.8	87.5	83.9	83.2	74.6	74.3	65.9	54.9	53.4	53.6	54.6	53.8
(b) Animal.....	82.2	81.1	81.6	81.2	81.7	80.4	80.7	79.6	81.1	81.0	82.1	82.6
(c) Total.....	86.3	85.1	83.0	82.5	77.3	76.6	71.4	64.1	63.8	63.8	64.9	64.6
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	70.9	73.1	69.5	56.0	56.0	55.4	56.7	62.6	72.7	76.3	73.6	60.8
Fish, salt.....	28.5	27.0	25.9	24.9	24.9	20.8	17.1	17.1	17.1	18.0	13.2	20.8
Fish, fresh.....	78.4	81.2	77.2	61.5	61.5	61.5	63.7	70.6	82.5	80.6	83.4	37.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	74.1	74.6	74.7	74.0	72.5	72.4	71.1	70.8	69.9	70.6	69.3	69.8
Dried or prepared fish.....	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	73.3	73.3	70.6	69.2	69.2	69.2	68.5	70.0
Canned fish.....	73.8	74.5	74.7	73.7	72.1	72.0	71.3	71.6	70.3	71.3	69.7	69.7
(c) Total.....	73.2	74.2	73.3	69.1	68.0	67.8	67.2	68.6	70.6	72.1	70.5	67.4
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	89.6	89.3	88.2	86.0	84.8	83.6	83.9	84.3	84.4	84.4	83.2	83.1
Lumber and timber.....	92.1	92.2	91.2	89.1	88.2	87.8	88.4	89.6	89.9	89.9	89.0	88.8
Camphor.....	79.3	79.3	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8
Woodpulp.....	83.9	82.6	81.4	78.9	77.0	73.9	73.5	72.0	71.7	71.8	69.9	70.1
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	70.2	70.2	70.3	69.8	69.9	70.2	69.9	69.7	69.9	69.8	69.6	69.7
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	68.5	68.5	68.6	38.0	68.2	68.4	68.1	67.9	68.1	68.3	68.1	68.2
Furniture.....	85.6	85.6	85.6	85.6	85.6	86.7	86.7	86.7	86.7	86.7	83.7	83.7
Matches.....	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
Artificial silk products.....	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8
Alcohol, methyl.....	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8
Formaldehyde.....	61.5	61.5	61.5	61.5	61.5	46.6	46.3	46.6	46.6	46.6	48.3	48.3
Tanning extracts.....	113.3	113.6	110.7	110.7	110.7	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8
(c) Total.....	79.2	79.1	78.6	77.4	76.8	76.4	76.4	76.5	76.7	76.6	75.9	75.9
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN												
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	82.1	81.8	81.8	81.2	80.8	80.7	81.2	81.0	81.8	82.0	82.0	81.6
Pig iron.....	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2
Scrap.....	70.5	70.5	68.0	65.8	56.0	54.7	60.3	64.7	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0
Non-ferrous metals.....	70.8	69.8	70.1	69.3	67.6	67.1	69.2	68.1	68.9	70.5	70.0	68.9
Non-metallic minerals.....	88.4	88.4	88.4	87.8	88.7	88.8	88.9	89.1	89.6	89.0	89.3	89.4
Chemicals.....	71.5	71.1	71.5	72.2	72.6	72.8	73.0	73.1	72.3	72.8	72.4	72.4
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	92.2	92.0	91.8	91.6	91.4	91.3	89.7	89.6	89.6	89.2	89.0	88.9
Pipe.....	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
Rolling mill products.....	111.3	111.0	110.4	109.4	108.7	108.7	105.2	105.1	105.0	104.9	105.0	104.9
Wire and wire goods.....	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.8	97.2
Hardware.....	91.7	91.7	91.6	91.6	91.6	91.4	89.7	88.8	88.2	88.2	88.1	88.1
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5
Non-ferrous metal products.....	86.3	81.0	81.0	80.8	80.6	75.3	79.8	81.2	81.8	86.6	87.7	87.4
Non-metallic mineral products.....	85.0	85.1	84.9	84.8	84.8	84.8	83.9	83.8	83.8	82.8	82.3	82.3
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	82.0	82.1	82.2	82.4	82.4	82.5	82.2	82.2	82.0	81.8	81.9	81.6
(c) Total.....	87.7	87.4	87.3	87.0	86.7	86.5	85.9	85.8	86.1	86.0	85.9	85.6

Chart 4



## WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

The index numbers of wholesale prices of principal exports and imports presented herewith have been designed primarily to indicate the influence of commodities entering into international trade upon internal price levels. For that reason, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics general wholesale price index number has been used as a pattern for construction. The base year, 1926, is the same for both series, and the weighted arithmetic aggregative method of compilation was employed in both cases. The prices used in the export and import series have been taken from the general wholesale series. Only in weighting did it appear advisable to use slightly different procedure. Instead of referring to the base year, weights were computed from averages of the volumes of imports and exports for the years 1926-1931 inclusive. The rapidly changing volume of trade for certain commodities made this seem advisable.

Declines of unusual magnitude were noted in the prices of Canada's leading exports during 1938. The Bureau's index of export wholesale prices dropped continuously from 82.3 in January to 61.9 in September, where it levelled off to close the year at 60.8. This was down 22.9 per cent from December, 1937. An analysis of individual commodity price changes showed practically all the loss concentrated in the Vegetable Products group in which grain and flour prices are of predominant importance. These prices as noted previously, suffered very sharp recessions in 1938. The actual index decline in Vegetable Product exports was from 89.8 in January to 44.4 in December. With the exception of the Chemicals group which advanced, due to increases in fertilizer prices, all other sections of the export index series experienced moderate price recessions between the opening and closing months of the year. Compared with the export price situation, import price movements were of a minor character, the net recession amounting to only 4.4 per cent between December, 1937, and December, 1938. Sub-group indexes in this series were generally lower in December, 1938, than at the close of the previous year although slight advances were noted for non-ferrous and chemical sub-group indexes. At the beginning of 1938 the import price index level exceeded that for exports by only 4.1 per cent, the narrowest difference in several years. By December, however, the divergence in favour of imports had increased to 35.2 per cent.

**TABLE 19—CANADIAN INDEX NUMBERS OF GENERAL WHOLESALE PRICES,  
EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1938**

(1926=100)

—	General Wholesale Prices	Exports	Imports	—	General Wholesale Prices	Exports	Imports
1913.....	64.0	64.7	73.0	1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	65.5	66.5	69.3	1927.....	97.7	97.8	97.7
1915.....	70.4	78.1	77.5	1928.....	96.4	94.2	96.1
1916.....	84.3	88.7	100.0	1929.....	95.6	92.2	94.2
1917.....	114.3	120.5	125.6	1930.....	86.6	77.4	83.7
1918.....	127.4	126.2	135.5	1931.....	72.1	60.5	72.4
1919.....	134.0	134.8	139.6	1932.....	66.7	54.9	70.5
1920.....	155.9	158.1	158.8	1933.....	67.1	55.2	73.0
1921.....	110.0	116.5	105.8	1934.....	71.6	60.6	76.5
1922.....	97.3	94.7	100.4	1935.....	72.1	62.2	77.9
1923.....	98.0	93.5	110.0	1936.....	74.6	66.8	79.4
1924.....	99.4	95.7	105.0	1937.....	84.6	81.1	89.8
1925.....	102.6	104.5	105.6	1938.....	78.6	70.9	83.1



TABLE 20—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1938

(1926=100)

## EXPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Exports
1913	60.6	61.3	63.2	58.3	73.9	89.0	98.7	75.3	64.7
1914	67.8	60.2	59.6	58.4	71.6	82.6	80.1	75.1	66.5
1915	84.7	63.3	66.4	57.3	82.7	113.7	106.6	75.1	78.1
1916	91.9	74.3	82.7	63.4	111.9	143.7	106.6	74.2	88.7
1917	142.4	94.9	166.3	78.6	160.6	141.8	122.0	85.6	120.5
1918	145.5	107.5	196.1	88.9	177.9	126.1	128.7	105.6	126.2
1919	151.1	142.8	181.7	106.4	148.3	119.3	128.3	108.2	134.8
1920	168.2	136.9	139.7	156.2	196.1	129.9	152.4	128.9	158.1
1921	109.9	96.5	95.5	141.6	137.9	90.3	138.6	120.6	116.5
1922	84.4	96.5	82.5	105.9	110.3	90.2	129.1	106.9	94.7
1923	77.1	92.6	94.9	114.2	124.0	92.9	101.7	100.4	93.5
1924	88.2	82.6	104.4	108.9	118.8	96.2	99.7	98.1	95.7
1925	107.7	94.7	114.3	103.9	107.1	106.1	93.4	98.1	104.5
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927	97.0	105.3	88.1	99.1	97.4	90.7	89.2	100.7	97.8
1928	88.8	111.3	95.3	98.7	91.9	87.5	83.8	98.2	94.2
1929	89.3	107.9	85.8	91.9	91.3	88.0	83.7	95.6	92.2
1930	65.3	94.2	69.5	87.3	87.4	75.4	81.5	92.9	77.4
1931	41.7	70.7	56.7	78.3	82.7	66.2	67.8	87.9	60.5
1932	40.4	55.7	39.6	68.1	81.3	65.2	66.1	68.3	54.9
1933	44.9	58.0	46.1	60.0	75.8	68.6	65.7	69.9	55.2
1934	53.4	64.5	59.1	62.5	78.0	67.6	71.2	72.2	60.6
1935	56.7	65.7	49.5	60.8	78.0	73.8	70.5	71.7	62.2
1936	63.9	69.5	61.4	65.0	80.1	71.1	69.4	71.8	66.8
1937	87.2	76.5	73.1	72.1	95.2	79.9	69.7	72.1	81.1
1938	66.4	69.1	54.5	73.4	93.9	70.7	80.0	78.1	70.9

## IMPORTS

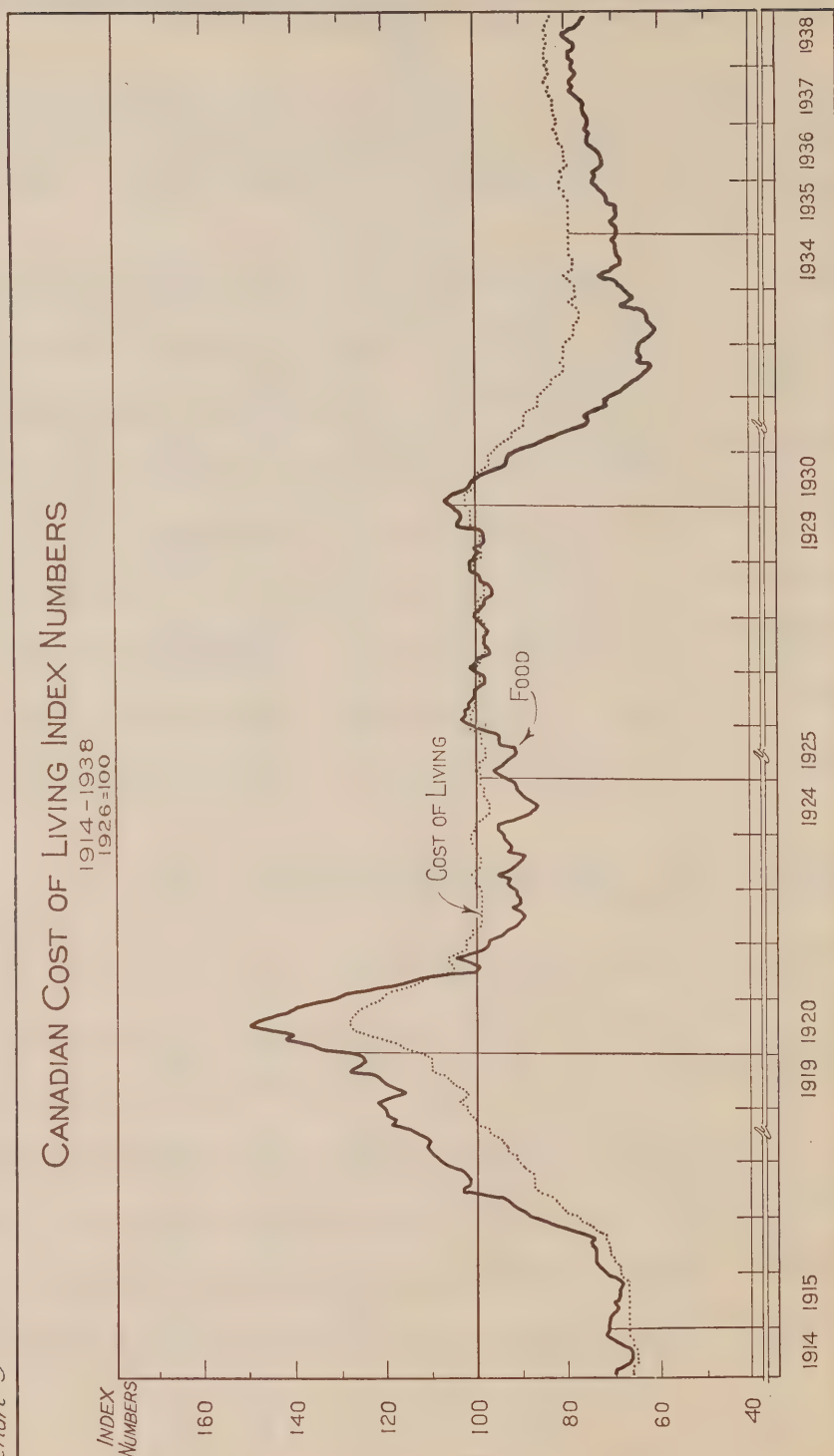
Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Imports
1913	78.0	92.3	63.3	.....	75.7	93.6	61.9	51.9	73.0
1914	80.2	95.6	60.5	.....	68.6	79.1	55.2	55.4	69.3
1915	92.1	104.9	57.0	.....	77.7	98.2	64.7	61.4	77.5
1916	105.7	129.0	79.8	.....	112.2	146.9	67.6	88.5	100.0
1917	122.1	148.0	117.4	.....	154.6	160.4	75.8	102.7	125.6
1918	132.2	147.0	150.2	.....	152.3	162.9	86.4	116.9	135.5
1919	145.6	212.9	167.6	.....	137.5	115.6	96.4	99.5	139.6
1920	200.6	178.8	172.7	.....	152.1	116.4	118.5	114.1	158.8
1921	102.8	101.4	98.4	.....	116.8	76.8	114.0	105.9	105.8
1922	98.4	102.4	105.7	.....	101.2	79.2	104.4	99.2	100.4
1923	113.7	101.6	127.7	.....	114.2	88.5	94.0	97.1	110.0
1924	105.7	97.1	113.5	.....	113.2	88.2	93.8	95.7	105.0
1925	111.9	108.2	112.9	.....	104.7	96.0	95.7	95.5	105.6
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927	102.0	111.7	92.4	.....	98.1	94.7	93.2	98.0	97.7
1928	94.0	132.0	94.7	.....	94.8	99.7	88.4	92.3	96.1
1929	85.6	113.3	93.4	.....	95.0	116.9	89.4	92.0	94.2
1930	75.0	94.5	75.5	.....	91.1	84.7	87.3	87.5	83.7
1931	60.1	72.5	59.9	.....	88.7	57.5	80.3	83.3	72.4
1932	57.6	59.1	52.6	.....	91.1	46.5	84.8	86.3	70.5
1933	61.4	67.7	57.3	.....	92.2	59.1	79.4	86.9	73.0
1934	65.0	69.7	64.2	.....	92.7	66.7	83.6	88.0	76.5
1935	68.5	74.6	63.6	.....	94.4	68.0	82.5	89.7	77.9
1936	68.4	78.7	67.7	.....	96.3	71.5	82.0	86.9	79.4
1937	79.7	89.9	72.1	.....	114.5	93.6	82.8	85.1	89.8
1938	68.8	75.9	61.2	.....	113.7	72.7	84.1	85.4	83.1

TABLE 21—MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1937-1938

(1926=100)

Commodity Groups	—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
EXPORTS														
Total Exports.....	1937 1938	78.7 82.3	80.0 81.3	83.7 79.6	83.8 78.7	81.3 74.4	79.6 73.8	85.8 90.4	81.0 65.2	80.7 61.9	80.7 61.5	78.4 60.7	78.9 60.8	81.1 70.9
Vegetable Products.....	1937 1938	85.0 89.8	86.1 88.8	90.7 84.7	91.4 84.1	86.6 75.3	83.3 74.7	96.3 66.2	85.5 54.3	85.5 46.2	87.3 45.0	82.9 43.8	85.3 44.4	87.2 66.4
Animals and Their Products.....	1937 1938	73.3 74.4	73.8 70.6	74.5 71.3	75.6 69.7	73.9 68.0	75.8 67.0	78.5 68.9	78.7 68.0	78.8 68.3	77.8 68.6	77.2 67.6	74.8 66.8	76.5 69.1
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products.....	1937 1938	74.7 60.7	75.5 57.4	74.3 56.2	74.9 52.5	79.1 52.5	77.4 51.7	77.4 53.3	76.6 53.7	74.1 53.7	66.9 54.1	64.8 54.1	63.1 53.3	73.1 54.5
Wood, Wood Products and Paper.....	1937 1938	69.5 75.4	70.7 75.3	73.0 75.2	74.1 73.6	74.3 73.3	73.1 72.5	73.9 72.2	73.0 72.9	71.8 72.9	70.9 72.8	70.1 72.3	70.0 72.2	72.1 73.4
Iron and Its Products.....	1937 1938	86.2 96.3	90.6 96.3	97.3 96.3	98.8 96.3	97.0 95.1	94.6 94.2	94.6 91.7	94.6 91.7	97.5 92.4	97.5 92.4	97.5 92.4	96.3 92.4	95.2 93.9
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....	1937 1938	80.6 72.6	82.6 71.8	90.1 72.1	83.0 71.3	80.8 70.1	79.4 69.7	80.6 71.0	80.9 69.0	78.7 69.7	75.5 70.7	73.8 70.3	73.0 69.7	79.9 70.7
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products.....	1937 1938	69.1 80.1	69.3 80.1	69.3 80.1	69.3 80.1	69.3 80.1	69.7 80.1	70.1 80.1	70.1 80.1	70.1 80.1	70.1 79.7	70.1 79.7	70.1 79.7	69.7 80.0
Chemicals and Allied Products.....	1937 1938	72.0 72.3	72.0 72.3	72.0 72.3	72.0 72.3	72.0 72.3	72.1 72.3	72.1 81.6	72.1 84.4	72.1 84.4	72.1 84.4	72.1 84.4	72.1 84.4	72.1 78.1
IMPORTS														
Total Imports.....	1937 1938	86.2 85.6	86.7 84.8	90.8 84.2	91.8 83.1	91.0 82.7	91.4 82.2	92.5 82.9	92.1 82.7	91.3 82.2	89.8 82.5	87.5 82.6	86.0 82.2	89.8 83.1
Vegetable Products.....	1937 1938	80.8 69.8	79.6 69.6	80.1 69.3	80.6 68.6	80.8 68.4	82.8 69.1	84.3 71.7	81.2 70.4	80.7 67.9	80.6 67.0	73.6 66.3	70.8 66.7	79.7 68.8
Animals and Their Products.....	1937 1938	99.0 85.8	87.7 82.3	89.5 80.5	93.2 75.5	88.6 71.9	84.1 67.8	90.1 71.4	94.6 71.7	94.0 73.7	91.4 77.1	90.3 79.0	85.3 74.2	89.9 75.9
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products.....	1937 1938	74.0 63.4	74.2 62.3	75.4 61.7	75.7 61.0	75.5 61.0	74.9 60.7	75.5 61.6	73.1 60.8	68.6 60.5	66.6 60.8	65.9 60.7	65.2 60.3	72.1 61.2
Iron and Its Products.....	1937 1938	100.6 117.2	102.8 117.1	112.4 116.2	116.1 114.9	115.8 114.4	116.8 114.4	116.8 112.0	118.6 112.1	118.9 111.4	118.8 111.6	118.5 111.7	118.0 111.5	114.5 113.7
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....	1937 1938	88.5 75.3	91.0 70.5	113.3 70.6	106.4 69.9	96.7 69.7	97.2 65.4	98.9 70.0	98.8 71.9	98.9 72.7	84.9 78.2	77.4 79.5	71.4 79.5	95.6 72.7
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products.....	1937 1938	82.1 84.8	82.9 84.8	80.5 84.8	80.8 83.7	81.9 83.6	82.4 83.6	83.0 83.9	83.1 84.2	83.9 84.7	83.9 83.5	84.4 83.8	84.4 83.8	82.8 84.1
Chemicals and Allied Products.....	1937 1938	83.8 85.2	84.5 85.2	84.6 85.2	85.5 85.2	85.6 86.0	85.3 85.7	85.5 85.5	85.5 85.5	85.5 85.5	85.5 85.5	84.9 85.3	85.4 85.2	85.1 85.4

Chart 5





# RETAIL PRICES AND COST OF LIVING IN CANADA, 1938

Living costs in Canada advanced from 83.1 in 1937 to 84.1 in 1938. Most of this increase occurred in the first eight months of 1938, when monthly indexes rose irregularly from 84.1 in January to 84.9 in August. This increase was followed by a minor reaction in the closing months of the year which reduced the average to 83.6 in December. The 1.2 per cent advance noted in the index between 1937 and 1938 was distributed as follows: Rent 3.3 per cent, food 0.9 per cent, clothing 0.8 per cent, miscellaneous items 0.7 per cent and fuel 0.2 per cent.

*Foods.*—The average yearly index for foods moved up from 77.3 in 1937 to 78.0 in 1938. Prices for meats, fish, eggs, milk, butter, cheese, bread, rice, onions, jam, marmalade and tea, were higher, while flour, rolled oats, tapioca, canned vegetables, dry beans, evaporated apples, prunes, raisins, currants, canned peaches, corn syrup, coffee, cocoa, lard and pepper recorded declines. The food index in December 1938 was 76.2 per cent of the average level in 1926. The position of individual foods relative to 1926 averages may be observed from the following summary:—

## DECEMBER 1938 RETAIL FOOD PRICES AS A PERCENTAGE OF 1926 AVERAGES

Less than 70 per cent of 1926 averages.....	Canned salmon, lard, butter, flour, canned vegetables, dry beans, onions, potatoes, prunes, canned peaches, coffee, pepper.
From 70 per cent to 79.9 per cent.....	Mutton, pork, bacon, cheese, rice, evaporated apples, raspberry jam, cocoa, salt.
From 80 per cent to 89.9 per cent.....	Beef, veal, cooked ham, codfish, finnan haddie, grades "B" and "C" eggs, bread, soda biscuits, tapioca, currants, orange marmalade, sugar, tea, vinegar.
90 per cent and over.....	Grade "A" eggs, milk, rolled oats, raisins, corn syrup.

*Fuel.*—For the first time in 18 years fuel prices showed an advance, the 1938 index being 85.1 as against 84.9 for 1937. Higher quotations for coal and wood partially offset by decreases of lesser importance in electricity, gas, and coke, were responsible for the upward movement.

*Rents.*—The annual index for rentals was 89.8 in 1938 as compared with 86.9 in 1937. The rental survey in May indicated an advance of 1.5 per cent but this was partially cancelled by a decline in October. During both periods, apartment rentals displayed less movement than did houses and flats.

*Clothing.*—An index for clothing moved up 0.8 per cent from 72.7 in 1937 to 73.3 in 1938. The highest level recorded for the year was during the spring quarter. The small extent of movements in clothing prices in 1938 is indicated by quarterly indexes of 73.7 for March, 73.0 for June, 73.4 for September, and 72.8 for December.

*Miscellaneous.*—Increases for medicines, household effects, furniture, amusements, newspapers, doctors' fees, hospital charges and barbers' fees were of more consequence than declines in tobacco, educational requirements, laundry charges and toilet articles. As a result there was an advance in the index for miscellaneous items from 93.4 in 1937 to 94.1 in 1938. Indexes for tramfares, telephone rates, dentists' fees, insurance, cleaning supplies and motor operating costs were unchanged. Further sharp advances in the price of newsprint were followed by an increase in the sub-index for newspaper costs from 110.7 in 1937 to 121.5 in 1938. Barbers' fees were notably higher at 99.2, the figure for the previous year being 94.7.

TABLE 22—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1938

(1926=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index	Retail Prices Index (Foods, Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements, etc.)	Retail Prices Index (Fuel, Clothing, Household Requirements, etc.)
1913	65.4	66.2	65.8	64.1	63.3	66.2		
1914	66.0	68.9	64.5	62.2	63.9	66.2		
1915	67.2	69.5	63.2	60.3	69.6	66.9		
1916	72.5	77.5	64.5	60.9	79.7	70.2		
1917	85.6	100.0	71.7	65.4	93.7	76.8		
1918	97.4	114.6	78.9	69.2	109.5	86.1		
1919	107.2	122.5	86.2	75.6	125.9	95.4		
1920	124.2	141.1	102.6	86.5	153.2	104.0		
1921	109.2	107.9	109.2	94.2	124.7	106.0		
1922	100.0	91.4	104.6	95.1	105.7	106.0		
1923	100.0	92.1	104.6	100.6	104.4	105.3		
1924	98.0	90.7	102.0	101.3	101.9	103.3		
1925	99.3	94.7	100.0	101.3	101.9	101.3		
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927	93.4	98.1	97.9	98.8	97.5	99.1	97.9	97.7
1928	98.9	98.6	96.9	101.2	97.4	98.8	97.9	97.3
1929	99.9	101.0	96.4	103.3	96.9	99.0	98.9	96.9
1930	99.2	98.6	95.7	105.9	93.9	99.4	96.7	94.9
1931	89.6	77.3	94.2	103.0	82.2	97.4	82.5	87.3
1932	81.3	64.3	91.4	94.7	72.3	94.6	72.6	80.3
1933	77.5	63.7	87.7	85.1	67.1	92.6	70.1	76.2
1934	73.6	69.4	87.7	80.1	69.7	92.1	73.7	77.7
1935	79.1	70.4	86.8	81.3	69.9	92.2	74.1	77.5
1936	80.8	73.4	86.4	83.7	70.5	92.8	75.9	78.0
1937	83.1	77.3	84.9	86.9	72.7	93.4	78.6	79.8
1938	84.1	78.0	85.1	89.8	73.3	94.1	79.3	80.6
1935								
January	78.6	68.8	88.7	80.3	70.2	92.0	73.5	78.0
February	78.7	69.2	88.7	80.3	70.2	92.0	73.7	78.0
March	78.7	69.5	88.6	80.3	70.0	92.0	73.8	77.9
April	78.5	68.6	88.6	80.3	70.0	92.1	73.4	77.9
May	78.6	68.7	85.8	81.4	70.0	92.0	73.2	77.0
June	78.7	69.3	84.7	81.4	69.7	92.5	73.3	76.9
July	78.7	69.3	84.6	81.4	69.7	92.3	73.2	76.9
August	79.3	71.3	85.3	81.4	69.7	92.3	74.3	77.1
September	79.2	70.9	85.3	81.4	69.6	92.5	74.1	77.2
October	80.0	72.4	86.4	82.6	69.6	92.3	74.9	77.3
November	80.2	73.2	87.0	82.6	69.6	92.3	75.4	77.4
December	80.4	73.7	87.1	82.6	69.9	92.1	75.8	77.7
1936								
January	80.6	73.9	87.0	82.6	69.9	92.7	75.9	77.7
February	80.3	72.9	87.0	82.6	69.9	92.8	75.4	77.7
March	80.6	73.4	87.2	82.6	70.2	92.9	75.8	78.0
April	79.8	71.0	87.1	82.6	70.2	92.9	74.6	78.0
May	80.2	71.3	87.0	83.8	70.2	92.9	74.8	78.0
June	80.2	71.3	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	74.8	78.0
July	80.6	72.6	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	75.4	78.0
August	81.2	74.7	85.6	83.8	70.7	92.9	76.4	78.0
September	81.3	75.1	85.9	83.8	70.6	92.9	76.6	78.0
October	81.3	74.4	86.1	84.9	70.6	92.9	76.3	78.0
November	81.5	75.0	86.4	84.9	70.6	92.9	76.6	78.3
December	81.8	75.3	86.4	84.9	71.6	93.0	77.1	78.8
1937								
January	81.8	75.2	85.8	84.9	71.6	92.8	77.1	78.9
February	81.9	75.6	85.8	84.9	71.6	92.9	77.4	79.0
March	82.2	75.7	85.8	84.9	72.6	93.1	77.8	79.7
April	82.4	76.3	85.8	84.9	72.6	93.1	78.1	79.7
May	82.9	76.6	85.3	87.3	72.6	93.2	78.1	79.6
June	82.9	76.4	83.4	87.3	72.9	93.5	78.1	79.7
July	83.1	77.2	83.2	87.3	72.9	93.5	78.5	79.7
August	83.7	79.1	83.9	87.3	72.9	93.5	79.5	79.8
September	83.6	78.3	83.9	87.3	73.3	93.7	79.3	80.2
October	84.2	78.9	84.8	89.0	73.3	93.7	79.6	80.3
November	84.2	78.8	85.1	89.0	73.3	93.7	79.6	80.4
December	84.3	79.1	85.5	89.0	73.3	93.7	79.8	80.5
1938								
January	84.1	78.4	85.5	89.0	73.3	94.1	79.6	80.7
February	83.9	77.9	85.3	89.0	73.3	94.1	79.3	80.7
March	84.3	78.6	85.7	89.0	73.7	94.1	79.8	80.9
April	84.3	78.8	85.6	89.0	73.7	94.1	79.9	80.9
May	84.2	77.7	85.3	90.3	73.7	94.1	79.3	80.8
June	84.1	78.1	84.5	90.3	73.0	94.0	79.2	80.3
July	84.2	78.4	84.3	90.3	73.0	94.0	79.3	80.2
August	84.9	80.7	84.6	90.3	73.0	94.0	80.5	80.3
September	84.1	77.6	84.7	90.3	73.4	94.0	79.1	80.5
October	83.9	77.1	85.1	90.1	73.4	93.9	78.9	80.6
November	83.8	76.6	85.5	90.1	73.4	94.2	78.7	80.6
December	83.6	76.2	85.6	90.1	72.8	94.2	78.3	80.3

TABLE 23—INDEX NUMBERS OF RETAIL PRICES, RENTS AND COSTS OF SERVICES, 1913-1938

(1913=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Fuel Index	Rent Index	Clothing Index	Sundries Index
1913	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914	101.0	104.0	98.0	97.0	101.0	100.0
1915	103.0	104.9	96.1	94.1	110.0	101.0
1916	111.0	117.0	98.0	95.0	125.9	106.0
1917	131.0	151.0	109.0	102.0	148.0	116.0
1918	149.0	173.0	119.9	108.0	173.0	130.0
1919	164.0	185.0	131.0	117.9	198.9	144.1
1920	180.0	213.1	156.0	134.0	242.1	157.0
1921	167.1	162.9	166.0	147.0	197.0	160.1
1922	153.0	138.0	159.0	153.0	167.0	160.1
1923	158.0	139.1	159.0	156.9	165.0	159.0
1924	149.9	137.0	155.0	158.0	161.0	156.0
1925	151.9	143.0	152.0	158.0	161.0	153.0
1926	153.0	151.0	152.0	156.0	158.0	151.0
1927	150.6	148.1	148.8	154.1	154.1	149.6
1928	151.3	148.9	147.3	157.9	153.9	149.2
1929	152.8	152.5	146.5	161.1	153.1	149.5
1930	151.8	148.9	145.5	165.2	148.4	150.1
1931	137.1	116.7	143.2	160.7	129.9	147.1
1932	124.4	97.1	138.9	147.7	114.2	142.8
1933	118.6	96.2	133.3	132.8	106.0	139.8
1934	120.3	104.8	133.3	125.0	110.1	139.1
1935	121.0	106.3	131.9	126.8	110.4	139.2
1936	123.6	110.8	131.3	130.6	111.4	140.1
1937	127.1	116.7	129.0	135.6	114.9	141.0
1938	128.7	117.8	129.4	140.1	115.8	142.1
1935						
January	120.3	103.9	134.8	125.3	110.9	138.9
February	120.4	104.5	134.8	125.3	110.9	138.9
March	120.4	104.9	134.7	125.3	110.6	138.9
April	120.1	103.6	134.7	125.3	110.6	139.1
May	120.3	103.7	130.4	127.0	110.6	138.9
June	120.4	104.6	128.7	127.0	110.1	139.7
July	120.4	104.6	128.6	127.0	110.1	139.4
August	121.3	107.7	129.7	127.0	110.1	139.4
September	121.2	107.1	129.7	127.0	110.0	139.7
October	122.4	109.3	131.3	128.9	110.0	139.4
November	122.7	110.5	132.2	128.9	110.0	139.4
December	123.0	111.3	132.4	128.9	110.4	139.1
1936						
January	123.3	111.6	132.2	128.9	110.4	140.0
February	122.9	110.1	132.2	128.9	110.4	140.1
March	123.3	110.8	132.5	128.9	110.9	140.3
April	122.1	107.2	132.4	128.9	110.9	140.3
May	122.7	107.7	132.2	130.7	110.9	140.3
June	122.7	107.7	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.3
July	123.2	109.6	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.1
August	124.2	112.8	130.1	130.7	111.7	140.1
September	124.4	113.4	130.6	130.7	111.5	140.1
October	124.4	112.3	130.9	132.4	111.5	140.1
November	124.7	113.3	131.3	132.4	111.5	140.3
December	125.2	113.7	131.3	132.4	113.1	140.4
1937						
January	125.2	113.6	130.4	132.4	113.1	140.1
February	125.3	114.2	130.4	132.4	113.1	140.3
March	125.8	114.3	130.4	132.4	114.7	140.6
April	126.1	115.2	130.4	132.4	114.7	140.6
May	126.8	115.7	129.7	136.2	114.7	140.7
June	126.8	115.4	126.8	136.2	115.2	141.2
July	127.1	116.6	126.5	136.2	115.2	141.2
August	128.1	119.4	127.5	136.2	115.2	141.2
September	127.9	118.2	127.5	136.2	115.8	141.5
October	128.8	119.1	128.9	138.8	115.8	141.5
November	128.8	119.0	129.4	138.8	115.8	141.5
December	129.0	119.4	130.0	138.8	115.8	141.5
1938						
January	128.7	118.4	130.0	138.8	115.8	142.1
February	128.4	117.6	129.7	138.8	115.8	142.1
March	129.0	118.7	130.3	138.8	116.4	142.1
April	129.0	119.0	130.1	138.8	116.4	142.1
May	128.8	117.3	129.7	140.9	116.4	142.1
June	128.7	117.9	128.4	140.9	115.3	141.9
July	128.8	118.4	128.1	140.9	115.3	141.9
August	129.9	121.9	128.6	140.9	115.3	141.9
September	128.7	117.2	128.7	140.9	116.0	141.9
October	128.4	116.4	129.4	140.6	116.0	141.8
November	128.2	115.7	130.0	140.6	116.0	142.2
December	127.9	115.1	130.1	140.6	115.8	142.2



TABLE 24—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1934-1938

	Beef, sirloin (Pound)		Beef, chuck (Pound)		Veal, roast (Pound)		Mutton, roast (Pound)		Pork, fresh (Pound)		Pork, salt (Pound)		Bacon, breakfast (Pound)	
Year and month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	22.2	75.3	14.8	92.5	15.7	81.8	19.1	63.9	19.5	64.6	17.6	62.9	24.7	57.2
1926—Av. for year.....	29.4	100.0	15.9	100.0	19.2	100.0	29.8	100.0	30.2	100.0	27.9	100.0	43.2	100.0
1934—Av. for year.....	21.3	72.4	11.4	71.7	12.1	63.0	20.1	67.4	20.1	66.6	18.6	66.7	30.4	70.4
January.....	20.0	68.0	10.5	66.0	12.2	63.5	19.0	63.8	16.6	55.0	15.7	56.3	21.6	50.0
February.....	21.1	71.8	11.3	71.1	12.5	65.1	20.1	67.4	19.1	63.2	18.3	65.6	24.8	57.4
March.....	21.4	72.8	11.9	74.8	13.1	68.2	20.9	70.1	21.2	70.2	18.8	67.4	28.7	66.4
April.....	21.4	72.8	12.0	75.5	12.9	67.2	20.6	69.1	20.6	68.2	18.7	67.0	29.0	67.1
May.....	22.0	74.8	12.1	76.1	12.2	63.5	22.1	74.2	19.6	64.9	17.9	64.2	28.7	66.4
June.....	22.2	75.5	12.3	77.4	11.9	62.0	21.6	72.5	20.0	66.2	18.3	65.6	29.1	67.4
July.....	22.5	76.5	12.2	76.7	11.9	62.0	20.9	70.1	20.9	69.2	18.8	67.4	31.1	72.0
August.....	22.4	76.2	11.8	74.2	11.8	61.5	20.9	70.1	21.7	71.9	19.3	69.2	33.2	76.9
September.....	21.9	74.5	11.4	71.7	11.9	62.0	19.0	63.8	21.6	71.5	19.6	70.3	35.1	81.3
October.....	21.0	71.4	11.1	69.8	11.7	60.9	18.4	61.7	20.7	68.5	19.6	70.3	36.2	83.8
November.....	20.2	68.7	10.6	66.7	11.6	60.4	18.7	62.8	20.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	34.5	79.9
December.....	19.3	65.6	10.3	64.8	11.6	60.4	18.8	63.1	19.1	63.2	19.1	68.5	32.7	75.7
1935—Av. for year.....	22.9	77.9	12.5	78.6	12.9	67.2	20.8	69.8	21.2	70.2	19.9	71.3	31.0	71.8
January.....	20.0	68.0	10.8	67.9	12.1	63.0	19.8	66.4	19.4	64.2	19.0	68.1	32.3	74.8
February.....	20.9	71.1	11.2	70.4	12.9	67.2	20.7	69.5	19.9	65.9	19.4	69.5	31.9	73.8
March.....	21.2	72.1	11.6	73.0	12.9	67.2	20.9	70.1	20.0	66.2	19.2	68.8	31.5	72.9
April.....	22.5	76.5	12.6	79.2	12.7	66.1	21.5	72.1	20.0	66.2	19.4	69.5	31.2	72.2
May.....	23.7	80.6	13.4	84.3	12.6	65.6	21.6	72.5	20.4	67.5	19.6	70.3	30.3	70.1
June.....	24.8	84.4	14.0	88.1	12.7	66.1	21.5	72.1	21.3	70.5	19.7	70.6	30.1	69.7
July.....	25.1	85.4	14.0	88.1	12.8	66.7	21.4	71.8	22.4	74.2	20.2	72.4	30.1	69.7
August.....	24.8	84.4	13.2	83.0	12.7	66.1	21.1	70.8	22.6	74.8	20.1	72.0	30.5	70.6
September.....	24.3	82.7	12.8	80.5	12.9	67.2	20.9	70.1	23.1	76.5	20.5	73.5	31.6	73.1
October.....	23.4	79.6	12.7	79.9	13.4	69.8	20.3	68.1	22.7	75.2	20.5	73.5	31.8	73.6
November.....	22.5	76.5	12.3	77.4	13.4	69.8	19.9	66.8	21.9	72.5	20.4	73.1	31.2	72.2
December.....	22.3	75.9	12.1	76.1	13.4	69.8	20.2	67.8	20.8	68.9	20.4	73.1	29.9	69.2
1936—Av. for year.....	22.9	77.9	12.5	78.6	13.7	71.4	22.2	74.5	21.4	70.9	20.1	72.0	29.5	68.3
January.....	22.8	77.6	12.6	79.2	14.1	73.4	21.6	72.5	21.1	69.9	20.3	72.8	29.3	67.8
February.....	23.1	78.6	12.9	81.1	14.7	76.6	22.4	73.8	21.3	70.5	20.2	72.4	29.1	67.4
March.....	23.4	79.6	12.9	81.1	15.2	79.2	22.3	74.8	21.1	69.9	20.1	72.0	29.0	67.1
April.....	22.9	77.9	12.6	79.2	13.8	71.9	22.3	74.8	21.0	69.5	19.9	71.3	28.7	66.4
May.....	23.1	78.6	12.9	81.1	13.7	71.4	23.9	80.2	21.2	70.2	20.1	72.0	28.8	66.7
June.....	23.0	78.2	12.7	79.9	13.2	68.8	24.2	81.2	21.2	70.2	19.9	71.3	28.9	66.9
July.....	23.2	78.9	12.5	78.6	13.3	69.3	23.0	77.2	21.9	72.5	20.1	72.0	29.5	68.3
August.....	23.1	78.6	12.6	79.2	13.1	68.2	22.9	76.8	22.4	74.2	20.3	72.8	30.0	69.4
September.....	23.3	79.3	12.3	77.4	13.3	69.3	22.5	75.5	22.4	74.2	20.2	72.4	30.8	71.3
October.....	22.9	77.9	12.1	76.1	13.4	69.8	21.1	70.8	21.7	71.9	20.3	72.8	30.6	70.8
November.....	22.6	76.9	12.0	75.5	13.4	69.8	20.7	69.5	21.1	69.9	19.9	71.3	30.0	69.4
December.....	22.0	74.8	11.8	74.2	13.3	69.3	20.4	68.5	20.4	67.5	19.5	69.9	29.1	67.4
1937—Av. for year.....	26.1	88.8	14.1	83.7	14.5	75.5	22.8	76.5	22.2	73.5	20.3	72.8	30.0	69.4
January.....	22.7	77.2	12.2	76.7	14.1	73.4	21.5	72.1	20.5	67.9	19.7	70.6	29.2	67.6
February.....	23.9	81.3	12.9	81.1	14.9	77.6	22.4	75.2	21.2	70.2	19.9	71.3	29.0	67.1
March.....	23.3	79.3	12.8	80.5	14.4	75.0	21.7	72.8	20.5	67.9	19.7	70.6	28.6	66.2
April.....	24.8	84.4	13.6	85.5	14.3	74.5	22.8	76.5	20.9	69.2	19.6	70.3	28.5	66.0
May.....	26.9	91.5	14.8	93.1	14.3	74.5	24.0	80.5	21.3	70.5	19.9	71.3	28.6	66.2
June.....	28.3	96.3	15.6	98.1	14.2	74.0	24.3	81.5	21.8	72.2	19.9	71.3	28.8	66.7
July.....	29.5	100.3	16.2	101.9	14.3	74.5	24.9	83.6	22.6	74.8	20.3	72.8	29.1	67.4
August.....	29.0	98.6	15.2	95.6	14.3	74.5	23.9	80.2	23.7	78.5	20.6	73.8	30.7	71.1
September.....	27.4	93.2	14.7	92.5	14.7	76.6	22.7	76.2	24.7	81.8	21.5	76.3	31.8	73.6
October.....	26.6	90.5	14.3	89.9	14.7	76.6	22.1	74.2	24.4	80.8	21.5	77.1	32.5	75.2
November.....	25.6	87.1	13.8	86.8	14.7	76.6	22.0	73.8	22.8	75.5	21.0	75.3	32.3	74.8
December.....	24.9	84.7	13.7	86.2	14.9	77.6	21.2	71.1	21.9	72.5	20.8	74.6	31.3	73.1
1938—Av. for year.....	26.5	90.1	14.8	93.1	15.7	81.8	23.5	78.9	24.1	79.8	21.4	76.7	32.6	75.5
January.....	25.1	85.4	13.8	86.8	15.1	78.6	22.0	73.8	22.1	73.2	20.9	74.9	30.5	70.6
February.....	25.5	86.7	14.0	88.1	16.1	83.9	22.4	75.2	22.1	73.2	20.8	74.6	30.3	70.1
March.....	25.1	85.4	14.0	88.1	15.9	82.8	23.4	78.5	22.6	74.8	20.8	74.6	30.4	70.4
April.....	25.8	87.8	14.4	90.6	15.6	81.3	24.2	81.2	23.6	78.1	21.0	75.3	31.9	73.8
May.....	26.9	91.5	15.1	95.0	15.6	81.3	25.7	86.2	24.3	80.5	21.3	76.3	32.5	75.2
June.....	28.4	96.6	16.1	101.3	16.0	83.3	25.7	86.2	24.8	82.1	21.6	77.4	33.1	76.6
July.....	28.4	96.6	16.1	101.3	15.7	81.8	23.7	79.5	26.2	86.8	22.0	78.9	34.2	79.2
August.....	28.6	97.3	15.8	99.4	15.6	81.3	24.5	82.2	27.4	90.7	22.8	81.7	36.3	84.0
September.....	27.5	93.5	15.1	95.0	15.8	82.3	24.0	80.5	25.8	85.4	22.2	79.6	34.9	80.8
October.....	26.8	91.2	14.7	92.5	16.1	83.9	22.9	76.8	24.8	82.1	21.8	78.1	34.0	78.7
November.....	25.7	87.4	14.2	89.3	15.7	81.8	21.7	72.8	23.1	76.5	21.1	75.6	32.5	75.2
December.....	24.8	84.4	14.1	88.7	15.5	80.7	22.0	73.8	22.6	74.8	20.9	74.9	30.9	71.5

TABLE 24—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 and 1934-1938—Continued

	Ham, boiled, sliced (Pound)		Fish, cod, salt, boneless (Pound)		Fish, Finnan Haddie (Pound)		Fish, Salmon, kind most sold (Pound)		Lard, pure (Pound)		(A) Eggs, fresh (Dozen)		(B & C) Eggs, storage (Dozen)	
Year and month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	39.8	62.7	12.3	58.9	12.4	60.8	22.8	63.5	19.2	78.4	38.5	82.3	33.0	82.9
1926—Av. for year.....	63.5	100.0	20.9	100.0	20.4	100.0	35.9	100.0	24.5	100.0	46.8	100.0	39.8	100.0
1934—Av. for year.....	46.7	73.5	17.3	82.8	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	13.5	55.1	29.9	63.9	25.9	65.1
January.....	38.3	60.3	17.2	82.3	16.4	80.4	22.6	63.0	13.5	55.1	40.7	87.0	30.4	76.4
February.....	41.6	65.5	16.7	79.9	16.4	80.4	23.0	64.1	13.5	55.1	35.3	75.4	28.4	71.4
March.....	45.8	72.1	16.9	80.9	16.7	81.9	22.4	62.4	13.8	56.3	40.5	86.5	34.6	86.9
April.....	46.1	72.6	16.9	80.9	17.3	84.8	22.9	63.8	13.5	55.1	27.1	57.9	22.8	57.3
May.....	45.8	72.1	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	13.1	53.5	22.3	47.6	18.5	46.5
June.....	46.4	73.1	17.7	84.7	16.8	82.4	22.2	61.8	12.9	52.7	22.3	47.6	18.6	46.7
July.....	48.1	75.7	17.8	85.2	17.0	83.3	22.5	62.7	12.6	51.4	24.8	53.0	21.1	53.0
August.....	50.1	78.9	17.3	82.8	17.3	84.8	22.2	61.8	12.7	51.8	26.9	57.5	22.6	56.8
September.....	50.6	79.7	18.0	86.1	17.1	83.8	22.7	63.2	13.2	53.9	27.5	58.8	23.6	59.3
October.....	50.6	79.7	17.4	83.3	17.2	84.3	22.6	63.0	14.5	59.2	32.6	69.7	27.2	68.3
November.....	49.0	77.2	17.5	83.7	16.9	82.8	22.4	62.4	14.6	59.6	40.4	86.3	31.7	79.6
December.....	47.9	75.4	17.1	81.8	17.0	83.3	22.3	62.1	14.6	59.6	41.4	88.5	31.2	78.4
1935—Av. for year.....	50.1	78.9	17.1	81.8	16.8	82.4	22.4	62.4	16.1	65.7	31.2	66.7	25.8	64.8
January.....	47.2	74.3	16.2	77.5	16.7	81.9	22.2	61.8	14.6	59.6	37.1	79.3	29.3	73.6
February.....	47.6	75.0	16.9	80.9	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	14.9	60.8	32.9	70.3	27.0	67.8
March.....	47.7	75.1	16.6	79.4	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	15.1	61.6	31.4	67.1	25.9	65.1
April.....	47.5	74.8	16.8	80.4	16.6	81.4	22.6	63.0	15.2	62.0	24.3	51.9	20.3	51.0
May.....	47.8	75.3	17.2	82.3	16.5	80.9	22.4	62.4	15.2	62.0	22.0	47.0	18.6	46.7
June.....	49.2	77.5	16.8	80.4	17.1	83.8	22.6	63.0	15.3	62.4	22.6	48.3	18.9	47.5
July.....	50.4	79.4	17.5	83.7	16.8	82.4	22.7	63.2	15.5	63.3	24.7	52.8	21.1	53.0
August.....	52.5	82.7	17.7	84.7	16.9	82.8	22.5	62.7	15.9	64.9	27.7	59.2	23.7	59.5
September.....	54.0	85.0	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	22.4	62.4	17.2	70.2	31.2	66.7	26.4	66.3
October.....	53.5	84.3	17.7	84.7	16.9	82.8	22.0	61.3	18.1	73.9	35.8	76.5	30.1	75.6
November.....	52.4	82.5	17.3	82.8	17.1	83.8	22.3	62.1	18.3	74.7	41.5	88.7	33.4	83.9
December.....	51.7	81.4	17.1	81.8	16.8	82.4	22.0	61.3	18.3	74.7	43.4	92.7	34.7	87.2
1936—Av. for year.....	51.7	81.4	17.2	82.3	17.0	83.3	21.7	60.4	16.1	65.7	33.8	72.2	27.9	70.1
January.....	51.2	80.6	16.9	80.9	17.0	83.3	22.2	61.8	17.9	73.1	41.5	88.7	33.9	82.4
February.....	50.4	79.4	16.9	80.9	17.0	83.3	21.9	61.0	17.2	70.2	33.8	72.2	28.8	72.4
March.....	50.4	79.4	16.6	79.4	17.1	83.8	21.9	61.0	16.6	67.8	38.1	81.4	31.6	79.4
April.....	50.2	79.1	17.0	81.3	16.9	82.8	22.1	61.6	16.0	65.3	38.1	80.0	23.2	58.3
May.....	50.3	79.2	17.2	82.3	17.0	83.3	22.0	61.3	15.9	64.9	23.7	50.6	19.9	50.0
June.....	50.9	80.2	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	21.3	59.3	15.6	63.7	24.4	52.1	20.5	51.5
July.....	51.9	81.7	17.9	85.6	17.4	85.3	21.8	60.7	15.3	62.4	27.2	58.1	23.4	58.8
August.....	53.5	84.3	17.4	83.3	16.8	82.4	21.4	59.6	15.4	62.9	30.1	64.3	25.6	64.3
September.....	53.8	84.7	17.5	83.7	17.1	83.8	21.7	60.4	15.6	63.7	33.5	71.6	28.5	71.6
October.....	53.2	83.8	17.1	81.8	17.1	83.8	21.5	59.9	15.7	64.1	35.5	75.9	29.6	74.4
November.....	52.6	82.8	17.5	83.7	17.3	84.8	21.2	59.1	15.8	64.5	43.9	93.8	34.3	86.2
December.....	51.6	81.3	17.3	82.8	16.9	82.8	21.3	59.3	15.9	64.9	45.6	97.4	35.2	88.4
1937—Av. for year.....	54.3	85.5	17.6	84.2	17.1	83.8	21.2	59.1	16.8	68.6	33.3	71.2	27.3	68.6
January.....	51.5	81.1	16.8	80.4	16.9	82.8	21.3	59.3	15.9	64.9	39.6	84.6	32.6	81.9
February.....	51.4	80.9	16.9	80.9	16.9	82.8	21.5	59.9	16.6	67.8	31.6	67.5	26.3	66.1
March.....	51.4	80.9	16.8	80.4	16.9	82.8	21.0	58.5	16.6	67.8	29.8	63.7	24.7	62.1
April.....	51.6	81.3	17.2	82.3	16.9	82.8	21.4	59.6	16.8	68.6	26.8	57.3	22.7	57.0
May.....	52.3	82.4	17.4	83.3	17.0	83.3	21.4	59.6	16.8	68.6	25.5	54.5	21.3	53.5
June.....	53.0	83.5	17.5	85.2	17.3	84.8	21.0	58.5	16.9	69.0	25.2	53.8	21.3	53.5
July.....	54.5	85.8	17.7	84.7	17.0	83.3	21.3	59.3	16.9	69.0	27.0	57.7	22.8	57.3
August.....	56.8	89.4	17.7	84.7	17.2	84.3	21.0	58.5	16.9	69.0	32.2	68.8	26.7	67.1
September.....	58.0	91.3	18.0	86.1	16.9	82.8	21.0	58.5	17.0	69.4	34.5	73.7	28.8	72.4
October.....	57.7	90.9	18.2	87.1	17.6	86.3	20.9	58.2	17.0	69.4	39.2	83.8	31.7	79.6
November.....	57.2	90.1	18.2	87.1	17.6	86.3	21.3	59.3	17.1	69.8	44.0	94.0	34.3	86.2
December.....	56.3	88.7	18.1	86.6	17.2	84.3	21.8	60.7	16.9	69.0	44.9	95.9	35.1	88.2
1938—Av. for year.....	57.8	91.0	18.0	86.1	17.5	85.8	21.6	60.2	15.2	62.0	34.5	73.7	28.6	71.9
January.....	55.6	87.6	17.8	85.2	17.4	85.3	21.5	59.9	16.4	66.9	38.3	81.8	31.3	78.6
February.....	55.2	86.9	17.5	83.7	17.3	84.8	21.6	60.2	15.6	63.7	32.0	68.4	26.9	67.6
March.....	55.3	87.1	17.6	84.2	17.3	84.8	22.1	61.6	15.3	62.4	32.0	68.4	27.0	67.8
April.....	56.4	88.8	17.4	83.3	17.5	85.8	21.4	59.6	15.4	62.9	29.0	62.0	24.4	61.3
May.....	57.0	89.8	17.5	83.7	17.4	85.3	21.5	59.9	15.4	62.9	25.9	55.3	21.9	55.0
June.....	57.8	91.0	18.1	86.6	17.6	86.3	21.5	59.9	15.3	62.4	27.9	59.6	23.7	59.5
July.....	59.9	94.3	18.6	89.0	17.7	86.8	21.4	59.6	15.2	62.0	31.0	66.2	26.7	67.1
August.....	62.0	97.6	18.6	89.0	17.5	85.8	21.5	59.9	15.3	62.4	34.1	72.9	29.2	73.4
September.....	60.6	95.4	18.1	86.6	17.6	86.3	22.0	61.3	15.0	61.2	36.0	76.9	30.2	75.9
October.....	59.2	93.2	18.9	90.4	17.7	86.8	21.5	59.9	14.9	60.8	39.7	84.8	32.9	82.7
November.....	57.7	90.9	18.0	86.1	17.5	85.8	22.0	61.3	14.8	60.4	43.9	93.8	34.9	87.7
December.....	56.5	89.0	18.3	87.6	17.4	85.3	21.9	59.3	14.4	58.8	44.0	94.0	34.7	87.2

TABLE 24—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1934-1938—Continued

Year and month	Milk (Quart)		Butter, dairy (Pound)		Butter, creamery (Pound)		Cheese (Pound)		Bread (Pound)		Flour (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	8.6	71.7	29.2	72.1	33.9	75.8	19.8	62.3	4.1	55.4	3.2	60.4
1926—Av. for year.....	12.0	100.0	40.5	100.0	44.7	100.0	31.8	100.0	7.4	100.0	5.3	100.0
1934—Av. for year.....	10.0	83.3	23.6	58.3	27.0	60.4	19.9	62.6	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4
January.....	9.9	82.5	24.4	60.2	28.4	63.5	19.7	61.9	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
February.....	10.0	83.3	25.7	63.5	29.7	66.4	20.1	63.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
March.....	9.9	82.5	28.3	69.9	32.5	72.7	20.3	63.8	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
April.....	10.0	83.3	29.3	72.3	32.9	73.6	20.4	64.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
May.....	10.0	83.3	24.5	60.5	27.8	62.2	20.1	63.2	5.6	75.7	3.1	58.5
June.....	9.9	82.5	22.2	54.8	25.3	56.6	19.9	62.6	5.5	74.3	3.2	60.4
July.....	9.9	82.5	22.0	54.3	25.1	56.2	20.0	62.9	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3
August.....	9.9	82.5	20.8	51.4	24.1	53.9	19.9	62.6	5.6	75.7	3.3	62.3
September.....	10.0	83.3	20.0	51.9	23.9	53.5	19.9	62.6	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
October.....	10.1	84.2	21.8	53.8	24.6	55.0	19.8	62.3	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
November.....	10.6	88.3	21.7	53.6	24.4	54.6	19.6	61.6	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2
December.....	10.5	87.5	22.2	54.8	25.1	56.2	19.4	61.0	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
1935—Av. for year.....	10.5	87.5	23.7	58.5	27.3	61.1	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
January.....	10.4	86.7	22.2	54.8	25.5	57.0	19.4	61.0	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
February.....	10.4	86.7	24.3	60.0	28.0	62.6	19.7	61.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
March.....	10.5	87.5	25.4	62.7	29.6	66.2	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
April.....	10.5	87.5	24.6	60.7	28.1	62.9	20.0	62.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
May.....	10.5	87.5	24.9	61.5	28.6	64.0	20.2	63.5	5.6	75.7	3.4	64.2
June.....	10.5	87.5	23.3	57.5	26.3	58.8	20.0	62.9	5.7	77.0	3.4	64.2
July.....	10.3	85.8	21.4	52.8	24.8	55.5	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
August.....	10.3	85.8	21.3	52.6	25.0	55.9	19.7	61.9	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
September.....	10.4	86.7	21.9	54.1	25.4	56.8	19.6	61.6	5.6	75.7	3.2	60.4
October.....	10.6	88.3	23.5	58.0	27.1	60.6	19.9	62.6	5.7	77.0	3.3	62.3
November.....	10.6	88.3	24.9	61.5	28.6	64.0	20.5	64.5	5.7	77.0	3.5	66.0
December.....	10.6	88.3	26.5	65.4	30.3	67.8	20.5	64.5	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
1936—Av. for year.....	10.7	89.2	24.8	61.2	28.3	63.3	21.1	66.4	5.9	79.7	3.5	66.0
January.....	10.7	89.2	26.9	66.4	30.6	68.5	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
February.....	10.7	89.2	26.4	65.2	30.1	67.3	20.5	64.5	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
March.....	10.7	89.2	25.6	63.2	28.7	64.2	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
April.....	10.7	89.2	24.7	61.0	27.6	61.7	20.6	64.8	5.8	78.4	3.4	64.2
May.....	10.7	89.2	23.6	58.3	26.8	60.0	20.4	64.2	5.9	79.7	3.4	64.2
June.....	10.7	89.2	22.0	54.3	25.2	56.4	20.3	63.8	5.9	79.7	3.4	64.2
July.....	10.4	86.7	22.3	55.1	26.2	58.6	20.7	65.1	5.9	79.7	3.3	62.3
August.....	10.4	86.7	23.9	59.0	28.0	62.6	21.0	66.0	6.0	81.1	3.5	66.0
September.....	10.5	87.5	25.4	62.7	29.6	66.2	21.8	68.6	6.1	82.4	3.7	69.8
October.....	10.8	90.0	25.8	63.7	29.2	65.3	22.4	70.4	6.1	82.4	3.8	71.7
November.....	10.8	90.0	25.4	62.7	28.4	63.5	22.5	70.8	6.1	82.4	3.9	73.6
December.....	10.9	90.8	26.0	64.2	29.4	65.8	22.4	70.4	6.2	83.8	3.9	73.6
1937—Av. for year.....	10.9	90.8	27.1	66.9	30.9	69.1	22.8	71.7	6.6	89.2	4.4	83.0
January.....	10.8	90.0	26.8	66.2	30.3	67.8	22.4	70.4	6.2	83.8	4.0	75.5
February.....	10.8	90.0	27.0	66.7	30.9	69.1	22.6	71.1	6.2	83.8	4.2	79.2
March.....	11.0	91.7	26.5	65.4	29.9	66.9	22.4	70.4	6.3	85.1	4.3	81.1
April.....	11.0	91.7	26.9	66.4	30.5	68.2	22.5	70.8	6.4	86.5	4.4	83.0
May.....	11.0	91.7	27.3	67.4	30.8	68.9	22.6	71.1	6.4	86.5	4.5	84.9
June.....	10.8	90.0	25.2	62.2	28.5	63.8	22.6	71.1	6.7	90.5	4.5	84.9
July.....	10.8	90.0	25.0	61.7	28.9	64.7	22.9	72.0	6.7	90.5	4.5	84.9
August.....	10.8	90.0	26.6	65.7	30.8	68.9	23.0	72.3	6.7	90.5	4.7	88.7
September.....	10.8	90.0	27.3	67.4	31.4	70.2	23.3	73.3	6.8	91.9	4.6	86.8
October.....	11.1	92.5	27.7	68.4	31.5	70.5	23.2	73.0	6.8	91.9	4.6	86.8
November.....	11.1	92.5	28.7	70.9	32.6	72.9	23.2	73.0	6.8	91.9	4.5	84.9
December.....	11.3	94.2	30.4	75.1	34.5	77.2	23.1	72.6	6.8	91.9	4.5	84.9
1938—Av. for year.....	11.3	94.2	28.6	70.6	31.9	71.4	23.5	73.9	6.7	90.5	4.0	75.5
January.....	11.5	95.8	30.9	76.3	34.7	77.6	23.3	73.3	6.8	91.9	4.5	84.9
February.....	11.5	95.8	32.1	79.3	36.0	80.5	23.3	73.3	6.9	93.2	4.5	84.9
March.....	11.5	95.8	35.0	86.4	39.1	87.5	23.4	73.6	6.8	91.9	4.4	83.0
April.....	11.5	95.8	35.6	87.9	39.7	88.8	23.7	74.5	6.9	93.2	4.3	81.1
May.....	11.5	95.8	30.0	74.1	33.3	74.5	23.8	74.8	6.9	93.2	4.3	81.1
June.....	11.3	94.2	28.1	69.4	31.4	70.2	23.8	74.8	6.8	91.9	4.1	77.4
July.....	11.1	92.5	26.2	64.7	29.9	66.9	23.8	74.8	6.8	91.9	4.1	77.4
August.....	11.1	92.5	26.2	64.7	29.8	66.7	23.9	75.2	6.8	91.9	4.0	75.5
September.....	11.1	92.5	25.5	63.0	28.3	63.3	23.6	74.2	6.6	89.2	3.6	67.9
October.....	11.3	94.2	24.7	61.0	27.2	60.9	23.3	73.3	6.5	87.8	3.3	62.3
November.....	11.3	94.2	24.5	60.5	27.3	61.1	23.3	73.3	6.4	86.5	3.3	62.3
December.....	11.3	94.2	24.1	59.5	26.7	59.7	23.3	73.3	6.5	87.8	3.2	60.4



TABLE 24—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1934-1938—Continued

Year and month	Soda Biscuits (Pound)		Rolled Oats (Pound)		Rice (Pound)		Tapioca, med. pearl (Pound)		Tomatoes, 2½'s, canned (tin)		Peas, 2's, canned (tin)		Corn, 2's, canned (tin)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.3	61.4	4.4	75.9	5.7	52.3	9.6	74.4	11.8	72.4	11.1	64.2	10.4	63.8
1926—Av. for year.....	18.4	100.0	5.8	100.0	10.9	100.0	12.9	100.0	16.3	100.0	17.3	100.0	16.3	100.0
1934—Av. for year.....	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.7	71.8
January.....	14.9	81.0	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.7	71.8	12.4	71.7	11.7	71.8
February.....	15.1	82.1	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.6	71.2	12.5	72.3	11.8	72.4
March.....	14.5	78.8	5.0	86.2	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.7	71.8	12.7	73.4	11.9	73.0
April.....	14.9	81.0	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4
May.....	14.8	80.4	4.9	84.5	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	11.5	70.6	12.7	73.4	11.8	72.4
June.....	14.8	80.4	5.0	86.2	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4
July.....	14.6	79.3	5.0	86.2	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.5	70.6	12.9	74.6	11.8	72.4
August.....	14.8	80.4	5.1	87.9	8.0	73.4	10.8	83.7	11.4	70.0	12.7	73.4	11.7	71.8
September.....	15.2	82.6	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.5	70.6	12.6	72.8	11.6	71.2
October.....	14.9	81.0	5.1	87.9	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.3	69.3	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2
November.....	14.7	79.9	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.3	69.3	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6
December.....	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9
1935—Av. for year.....	14.5	78.8	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.9	66.9	12.4	71.7	11.5	70.6
January.....	14.3	77.7	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.2	68.7	12.5	72.3	11.4	69.9
February.....	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.1	68.1	12.7	73.4	11.4	69.9
March.....	14.1	76.6	5.2	89.7	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	12.6	72.8	11.5	70.6
April.....	14.1	76.6	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.0	85.3	10.9	66.9	12.6	72.8	11.4	69.9
May.....	14.2	77.2	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.0	85.3	10.8	66.3	12.6	72.8	11.4	69.9
June.....	14.2	77.2	5.3	91.4	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	10.8	66.3	12.7	73.4	11.5	70.6
July.....	14.4	78.3	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	11.1	86.0	10.7	65.6	12.5	72.3	11.6	71.2
August.....	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	10.7	65.6	12.4	71.7	11.5	70.6
September.....	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.7	65.6	12.2	70.5	11.5	70.6
October.....	15.0	81.5	5.3	91.4	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	10.8	66.3	12.1	69.9	11.5	70.6
November.....	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	10.8	66.3	12.1	69.9	11.6	71.2
December.....	15.2	82.6	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.0	67.5	12.1	69.9	11.7	71.8
1936—Av. for year.....	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.6	71.2	11.9	68.8	11.9	73.0
January.....	15.1	82.1	5.2	89.7	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	11.0	67.5	12.0	69.4	11.7	71.8
February.....	14.9	81.0	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.0	67.5	12.0	69.4	11.8	72.4
March.....	14.9	81.0	5.1	87.9	7.8	71.6	10.8	83.7	11.1	68.1	11.9	68.8	11.8	72.4
April.....	14.8	80.4	5.1	87.9	7.8	71.6	10.9	84.5	11.1	68.1	11.9	68.8	11.8	72.4
May.....	15.0	81.5	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	11.0	85.3	11.1	68.1	11.8	68.8	11.8	72.4
June.....	15.1	82.1	5.1	87.9	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.2	68.7	11.7	67.6	11.8	72.4
July.....	15.0	81.5	5.1	87.9	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	11.4	69.9	11.5	66.5	11.7	71.8
August.....	15.1	82.1	5.2	89.7	7.9	72.5	10.8	83.7	11.9	73.0	11.7	67.6	11.7	71.8
September.....	15.0	81.5	5.3	91.4	8.0	73.4	10.9	84.5	12.3	75.5	12.0	69.4	12.0	73.6
October.....	15.2	82.6	5.4	93.1	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	12.3	75.5	12.2	70.5	12.0	73.6
November.....	15.0	81.5	5.4	93.1	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	12.4	76.1	12.1	69.9	12.1	74.2
December.....	15.2	82.6	5.4	93.1	8.0	73.4	11.0	85.3	12.6	77.3	12.1	69.9	12.2	74.8
1937—Av. for year.....	15.9	86.4	5.8	100.0	8.1	74.3	11.0	85.3	12.9	79.1	12.1	69.9	12.2	74.8
January.....	15.3	83.2	5.5	94.8	7.9	72.5	10.9	84.5	12.8	78.5	12.2	70.5	12.3	75.5
February.....	15.8	85.9	5.6	96.6	8.1	74.3	11.0	85.3	13.0	79.8	12.3	71.1	12.3	75.5
March.....	15.6	84.8	5.7	98.3	8.1	74.3	11.0	85.3	13.1	80.4	12.3	71.1	12.5	76.7
April.....	15.8	85.9	5.7	98.3	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	13.3	81.6	12.3	71.1	12.4	76.1
May.....	16.1	87.5	5.8	100.0	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	13.3	81.6	12.2	70.5	12.4	76.1
June.....	16.0	87.0	5.8	100.0	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	13.4	82.2	12.2	70.5	12.3	75.5
July.....	16.0	87.0	5.8	100.0	8.1	74.3	11.0	85.3	13.4	82.2	12.2	70.5	12.3	75.5
August.....	16.1	87.5	6.0	103.4	8.2	75.2	11.1	86.0	13.4	82.2	12.3	71.1	12.3	75.5
September.....	15.9	86.4	6.0	103.4	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	13.1	80.4	11.9	68.8	12.1	74.2
October.....	16.1	87.5	6.0	103.4	8.2	75.2	11.0	85.3	12.5	76.7	11.9	68.8	12.1	74.2
November.....	16.0	87.0	5.9	101.7	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	12.1	74.2	11.7	67.6	11.8	72.4
December.....	16.1	87.5	5.9	101.7	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.9	73.0	11.6	67.1	11.7	71.8
1938—Av. for year.....	15.8	85.9	5.6	96.6	8.2	75.2	10.8	83.7	11.3	69.3	11.2	64.7	11.2	68.7
January.....	16.0	87.0	5.8	100.0	8.1	74.3	10.9	84.5	11.8	72.4	11.6	67.1	11.6	71.2
February.....	16.0	87.0	5.8	100.0	8.2	75.2	10.8	83.7	11.7	71.8	11.4	65.9	11.5	70.6
March.....	15.9	86.4	5.8	100.0	8.2	75.2	10.8	83.7	11.7	71.8	11.5	66.5	11.5	70.6
April.....	16.0	87.0	5.7	98.3	8.2	75.2	10.8	83.7	11.5	70.6	11.3	65.3	11.4	69.9
May.....	16.0	87.0	5.7	98.3	8.2	75.2	10.9	84.5	11.4	69.9	11.4	65.9	11.5	70.6
June.....	15.8	85.9	5.7	98.3	8.2	75.2	10.7	82.9	11.4	69.9	11.2	64.7	11.3	69.3
July.....	15.8	85.9	5.7	98.3	8.2	75.2	10.7	82.9	11.3	69.3	11.2	64.7	11.2	68.7
August.....	15.7	85.3	5.7	98.3	8.2	75.2	10.7	82.9	11.3	69.3	11.1	64.2	11.3	69.3
September.....	15.8	85.9	5.6	96.6	8.2	75.2	10.8	83.7	11.1	68.1	11.1	64.2	11.3	69.3
October.....	15.6	84.8	5.4	93.1	8.1	74.3	10.7	82.9	11.0	67.5	10.9	63.0	11.0	67.5
November.....	15.4	83.7	5.3	91.4	8.1	74.3	10.8	83.7	10.8	66.3	10.7	61.8	10.8	66.3
December.....	15.7	85.3	5.3	91.4	8.2	75.2	10.7	82.9	10.8	66.3	10.6	61.3	10.7	65.6

TABLE 24—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1934-1938—Continued

Year and month	Beans (Pound)		Onions, dry, yellow, etc. (Pound)		Potatoes (Peck)		Apples, evaporated (Pound)		Prunes, (Pound)		Raisins, seeded (15 oz. pkg.)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	6.2	78.5	3.9	67.2	18.0	35.7	12.0	60.3	11.9	75.8	11.7	63.9
1926—Av. for year.....	7.9	100.0	5.8	100.0	50.4	100.0	19.9	100.0	15.7	100.0	18.3	100.0
1934—Av. for year.....	4.6	58.2	4.2	72.4	22.5	44.6	15.1	75.9	12.7	80.9	16.7	91.3
January.....	4.4	55.7	3.5	60.3	22.1	43.8	15.4	77.4	12.3	78.3	16.7	91.3
February.....	4.4	55.7	3.7	63.8	23.5	46.6	15.3	76.9	12.5	79.6	16.8	91.8
March.....	4.5	57.0	3.8	65.5	26.4	52.4	14.9	74.9	12.7	80.9	16.9	92.3
April.....	4.5	57.0	3.9	67.2	26.9	53.4	15.3	76.9	12.7	80.9	16.8	91.8
May.....	4.5	57.0	4.1	70.7	25.9	51.4	15.0	75.4	12.7	80.9	16.8	91.8
June.....	4.6	58.2	5.4	93.1	24.3	48.2	15.2	76.4	12.7	80.9	16.8	91.8
July.....	4.6	58.2	6.3	108.6	23.1	45.8	14.7	73.9	12.7	80.9	16.8	91.8
August.....	4.7	59.5	5.6	96.6	25.7	51.0	15.1	75.9	12.9	82.2	16.7	91.3
September.....	4.6	58.2	4.3	74.1	20.4	40.5	15.4	77.4	12.9	82.2	16.6	90.7
October.....	4.7	59.5	3.5	60.3	18.6	36.9	15.1	75.9	12.9	82.2	16.7	91.3
November.....	4.9	62.0	3.3	56.9	16.7	33.1	14.9	74.9	12.8	81.5	16.5	90.2
December.....	4.9	62.0	3.3	56.9	16.0	31.7	15.0	75.4	12.6	80.3	16.4	89.6
1935—Av. for year.....	5.2	65.8	4.5	77.6	19.3	38.3	15.5	77.9	12.2	77.7	16.5	90.2
January.....	5.0	63.3	3.5	60.3	16.4	32.5	15.0	75.4	12.5	79.6	16.6	90.7
February.....	5.1	64.6	3.7	63.8	16.5	32.7	15.1	75.9	12.5	79.6	16.5	90.2
March.....	5.1	64.6	3.9	67.2	16.8	33.3	14.9	74.9	12.5	79.6	16.5	90.2
April.....	5.2	65.8	4.1	70.7	16.9	33.5	15.3	76.9	12.3	78.3	16.5	90.2
May.....	5.2	65.8	4.6	79.3	16.6	32.9	15.6	78.4	12.3	78.3	16.5	90.2
June.....	5.3	67.1	6.4	110.3	16.7	33.1	15.9	79.9	12.4	79.0	16.6	90.7
July.....	5.4	68.4	7.5	129.3	16.3	32.3	16.0	80.4	12.3	78.3	16.4	89.6
August.....	5.3	67.1	6.1	105.2	27.5	54.6	16.1	80.9	12.3	78.3	16.5	90.2
September.....	5.2	65.8	4.2	72.4	20.4	40.5	15.7	78.9	12.1	77.1	16.6	90.7
October.....	5.3	67.1	3.5	60.3	22.1	43.8	15.4	77.4	12.0	76.4	16.4	89.6
November.....	5.3	67.1	3.4	58.6	22.0	43.7	15.4	77.4	11.6	73.9	16.4	89.6
December.....	5.4	68.4	3.5	60.3	23.6	46.8	15.7	78.9	11.3	72.0	16.6	90.7
1936—Av. for year.....	5.5	69.6	4.3	74.1	30.9	61.3	16.0	80.4	11.1	70.7	16.5	90.2
January.....	5.4	68.4	3.6	62.1	24.2	48.0	15.4	77.4	11.4	72.6	16.4	89.6
February.....	5.4	68.4	3.8	65.5	25.4	50.4	16.0	80.4	11.2	71.3	16.5	90.2
March.....	5.4	68.4	3.9	67.2	26.2	52.0	15.8	79.4	10.9	69.4	16.5	90.2
April.....	5.0	63.3	4.0	69.0	26.0	51.6	15.8	79.4	11.0	70.1	16.5	90.2
May.....	5.0	63.3	4.7	81.0	30.5	60.5	15.5	77.9	10.8	68.8	16.5	90.2
June.....	4.8	60.8	5.7	98.3	32.3	64.1	15.8	79.4	10.9	69.4	16.4	89.6
July.....	4.9	62.0	6.0	103.4	37.7	74.8	16.2	81.4	10.8	68.8	16.5	90.2
August.....	5.1	64.6	5.2	89.7	42.8	84.9	15.7	78.9	11.1	70.7	16.4	89.6
September.....	5.7	72.2	4.2	72.4	36.8	73.0	16.4	82.4	11.3	72.0	16.6	90.7
October.....	6.2	78.5	3.6	62.1	30.6	60.7	16.5	82.9	11.2	71.3	16.5	90.2
November.....	6.4	81.0	3.3	56.9	28.6	56.7	16.7	83.9	11.3	72.0	16.5	90.2
December.....	6.7	84.8	3.4	58.6	29.4	58.3	15.9	79.9	11.3	72.0	16.6	90.7
1937—Av. for year.....	7.3	92.4	4.6	79.3	28.7	56.9	15.9	79.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
January.....	6.9	87.3	3.6	62.1	30.2	59.9	16.4	82.4	11.4	72.6	16.7	91.3
February.....	7.2	91.1	3.8	65.5	34.5	68.5	16.0	80.4	11.5	73.2	16.7	91.3
March.....	7.5	94.9	4.0	69.0	37.1	73.6	15.8	79.4	11.6	73.9	16.8	91.8
April.....	7.8	98.7	4.0	69.0	37.0	73.4	16.1	80.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
May.....	7.9	100.0	4.3	74.1	33.1	65.7	15.7	78.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
June.....	7.9	100.0	5.9	101.7	30.0	69.5	15.7	78.9	11.7	74.5	16.9	92.3
July.....	7.8	98.7	6.1	105.2	28.0	55.6	15.7	78.9	11.8	75.2	16.9	92.3
August.....	7.6	96.2	5.5	94.8	30.6	60.7	15.5	77.9	11.8	75.2	17.0	92.9
September.....	7.5	94.9	4.7	81.0	22.7	45.0	15.4	77.4	12.0	76.4	16.9	92.3
October.....	7.0	88.6	4.1	70.7	21.4	42.5	16.0	80.4	11.7	74.5	17.0	92.9
November.....	6.2	78.5	4.3	74.1	20.1	39.9	16.8	84.4	11.7	74.5	17.0	92.9
December.....	5.9	74.7	4.8	82.8	20.1	39.9	15.7	78.9	11.5	73.2	17.0	92.9
1938—Av. for year.....	5.4	68.4	5.4	93.1	21.3	42.3	15.1	75.9	11.0	70.1	16.8	91.8
January.....	5.7	72.2	5.2	89.7	20.2	40.1	15.7	78.9	11.3	72.0	17.0	92.9
February.....	5.6	70.9	5.8	100.0	20.3	40.3	15.0	75.4	11.2	71.3	16.9	92.3
March.....	5.5	69.6	6.4	110.3	20.2	40.1	15.0	75.4	11.1	70.7	16.9	92.3
April.....	5.4	68.4	6.4	110.3	19.5	38.7	15.4	77.4	11.0	70.1	16.9	92.3
May.....	5.4	68.4	6.5	112.1	18.9	37.5	15.4	77.4	10.8	68.8	16.8	91.8
June.....	5.4	68.4	7.0	120.7	19.7	39.1	15.3	76.9	11.0	70.1	16.9	92.3
July.....	5.3	67.1	7.0	120.7	20.5	40.7	15.0	75.4	11.0	70.1	16.9	92.3
August.....	5.3	67.1	5.7	98.3	28.6	56.7	14.9	74.9	11.1	70.7	16.9	92.3
September.....	5.3	67.1	4.1	70.7	21.1	41.9	15.0	75.4	11.0	70.1	16.8	91.8
October.....	5.2	65.8	3.7	63.8	21.5	42.7	15.5	77.9	10.9	69.4	16.8	91.8
November.....	5.2	65.8	3.8	65.5	22.0	43.7	14.8	74.4	10.9	69.4	16.8	91.8
December.....	5.1	64.6	3.9	67.2	23.5	46.6	14.9	74.9	10.8	68.8	16.7	91.3

TABLE 24—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1934-1938—Continued

	Currants, all grades (Pound)		Jam, raspberry (4 lb. tin)		Peaches, canned, 2's (tin)		Marmalade, orange (4 lb. tin)		Corn Syrup (5 lb. tin)		Sugar, granulated (Pound)		Sugar, yellow (Pound)	
Year and month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	11.5	61.8	64.7	76.0	21.0	72.7	56.4	81.7	34.2	75.0	5.9	75.6	5.5	73.3
1926—Av. for year.....	18.6	100.0	85.2	100.0	28.9	100.0	68.8	100.0	45.6	100.0	7.8	100.0	7.5	100.0
1934—Av. for year.....	16.0	86.0	61.6	72.3	20.2	69.9	54.4	79.1	42.6	93.4	7.2	92.3	7.0	93.3
January.....	15.9	85.5	63.2	74.2	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.3	92.8	8.0	102.6	7.8	104.0
February.....	16.0	86.0	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.8	79.7	42.5	93.2	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
March.....	16.2	87.1	62.8	73.7	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
April.....	16.3	87.6	63.6	74.6	19.9	68.9	55.2	80.2	42.3	92.8	8.0	102.6	7.7	102.7
May.....	16.3	87.6	61.6	72.3	20.0	69.2	54.4	79.1	42.3	92.8	7.9	101.3	7.7	102.7
June.....	16.3	87.6	62.0	72.8	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.5	93.2	6.8	89.7	6.8	90.7
July.....	16.1	86.6	61.2	71.8	20.0	69.2	54.0	78.5	42.3	92.8	6.8	87.2	6.6	88.0
August.....	16.2	87.1	60.4	70.9	20.1	69.6	54.0	78.5	42.4	93.0	6.7	85.9	6.6	88.0
September.....	16.1	86.6	60.8	71.4	20.3	70.2	53.6	77.9	42.5	93.2	6.6	84.6	6.5	86.7
October.....	16.0	86.0	60.4	70.9	20.3	70.2	54.0	78.5	42.7	93.6	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3
November.....	15.8	84.9	60.8	71.4	20.6	71.3	54.8	79.7	43.1	94.5	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
December.....	15.3	82.3	59.6	70.0	20.8	72.0	53.6	77.9	43.3	95.0	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
1935—Av. for year.....	15.4	82.8	59.2	69.5	21.0	72.7	51.6	75.0	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7
January.....	15.3	82.3	59.6	70.0	21.0	72.7	53.6	77.9	43.5	95.4	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
February.....	15.4	82.8	59.6	70.0	21.0	72.7	53.2	77.3	43.7	95.8	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
March.....	15.4	82.8	59.2	69.5	21.1	73.0	52.4	76.2	43.3	95.0	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
April.....	15.5	83.3	58.8	69.0	21.1	73.0	52.0	75.6	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
May.....	15.5	83.3	59.2	69.5	21.3	73.7	51.2	74.4	43.0	94.3	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
June.....	15.6	83.9	58.8	69.0	21.5	74.4	50.8	73.8	42.8	93.9	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
July.....	15.6	83.9	58.0	68.1	21.2	73.4	50.4	73.3	43.1	94.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
August.....	15.5	83.3	58.8	69.0	21.2	73.4	50.8	73.8	42.9	94.1	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
September.....	15.6	83.9	59.2	69.5	21.1	73.0	51.2	74.4	43.2	94.7	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
October.....	15.5	83.3	59.2	69.5	20.9	72.3	52.0	75.6	43.0	94.3	6.3	80.6	6.1	81.3
November.....	15.3	82.3	59.2	69.5	20.7	71.6	51.6	75.0	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
December.....	15.1	81.2	59.2	69.5	20.3	70.2	51.6	75.0	43.0	94.3	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
1936—Av. for year.....	15.2	81.7	55.6	65.3	19.7	68.2	49.2	71.5	43.1	94.5	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
January.....	15.1	81.2	58.4	68.5	20.2	69.9	51.2	74.4	43.0	94.3	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
February.....	15.1	81.2	57.6	67.6	20.2	69.9	50.8	73.8	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
March.....	15.2	81.7	56.4	66.2	20.0	69.2	49.6	72.1	42.9	94.1	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
April.....	15.2	81.7	55.2	64.8	19.8	68.5	48.4	70.3	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
May.....	15.2	81.7	55.2	64.8	19.7	68.2	48.4	70.3	43.2	94.7	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
June.....	15.3	82.3	54.0	63.4	19.4	67.1	47.6	69.2	42.8	93.9	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
July.....	15.4	82.8	52.8	62.0	19.2	66.4	47.6	69.2	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
August.....	15.3	82.3	54.0	63.4	19.4	67.1	48.0	69.8	42.9	94.1	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
September.....	15.4	82.8	55.2	64.8	19.4	67.1	48.8	70.9	43.2	94.7	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
October.....	15.3	82.3	55.6	65.3	19.5	67.5	48.8	70.9	43.3	95.0	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
November.....	15.2	81.7	56.4	66.2	19.6	67.8	50.4	73.3	43.3	95.0	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
December.....	15.1	81.2	55.6	65.3	19.6	67.8	49.6	72.1	43.7	95.8	6.1	78.2	6.0	80.0
1937—Av. for year.....	15.2	81.7	54.8	64.3	18.9	65.4	48.8	70.9	44.0	96.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
January.....	15.1	81.2	55.2	64.8	19.5	67.5	50.0	72.7	43.7	95.8	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
February.....	15.1	81.2	55.2	64.8	19.5	67.5	50.0	72.7	44.1	96.7	6.2	79.5	6.1	81.3
March.....	15.1	81.2	55.2	64.8	19.4	67.1	49.2	71.5	44.1	96.7	6.3	80.8	6.2	82.7
April.....	15.2	81.7	54.8	64.3	19.3	66.8	48.8	70.9	44.0	96.5	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
May.....	15.3	82.3	54.8	64.3	19.2	66.4	48.8	70.9	44.0	96.5	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
June.....	15.3	82.3	54.4	63.8	19.2	66.4	48.0	69.8	43.9	96.3	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
July.....	15.4	82.8	54.4	63.8	19.0	65.7	48.4	70.3	43.9	96.3	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
August.....	15.4	82.8	54.0	63.4	18.9	65.4	48.4	70.9	44.1	96.7	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3
September.....	15.4	82.8	54.0	63.4	18.5	64.0	47.6	69.2	44.2	96.9	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3
October.....	15.4	82.8	54.0	63.4	18.6	64.4	47.2	68.6	44.2	96.9	6.6	84.6	6.4	85.3
November.....	15.2	81.7	55.2	64.8	18.2	63.0	48.8	70.9	44.0	96.5	6.5	83.3	6.4	85.3
December.....	15.1	81.2	55.6	65.3	18.0	62.3	49.2	71.5	43.9	96.3	6.5	83.3	6.4	85.3
1938—Av. for year.....	15.1	81.2	65.4	76.8	17.1	59.2	57.6	83.7	43.6	95.6	6.4	82.1	6.3	84.0
January.....	15.0	80.6	54.8	64.3	17.8	61.6	48.8	70.9	43.9	96.3	6.5	83.3	6.4	85.3
February.....	15.1	81.2	54.8	64.3	17.6	60.9	48.8	70.9	43.9	96.3	6.5	83.3	6.4	85.3
March.....	15.1	81.2	68.4	80.3	17.5	60.6	60.4	87.8	43.8	96.1	6.5	83.3	6.4	85.3
April.....	15.1	81.2	68.4	80.3	17.4	60.2	61.2	89.0	43.7	95.8	6.5	83.3	6.4	85.3
May.....	15.1	81.2	67.6	79.3	17.2	59.5	60.4	87.8	43.5	95.4	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
June.....	15.2	81.7	68.8	80.8	17.2	59.5	60.0	87.2	43.7	95.8	6.5	83.3	6.3	84.0
July.....	15.2	81.7	67.6	79.3	17.0	58.8	59.2	86.0	43.7	95.8	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7
August.....	15.2	81.7	68.0	79.8	16.9	58.5	58.8	85.5	43.5	95.4	6.4	82.1	6.2	82.7
September.....	15.2	81.7	66.8	78.4	16.8	58.1	59.2	86.0	43.5	95.4	6.3	80.8	6.2	82.7
October.....	15.2	81.7	67.2	78.9	16.8	58.1	58.0	84.3	43.2	94.7	6.3	80.8	6.2	82.7
November.....	15.0	80.6	66.8	78.4	16.7	57.8	58.4	84.9	43.4	95.2	6.3	80.8	6.2	82.7
December.....	14.9	80.1	65.6	77.0	16.5	57.1	58.0	84.3	43.3	95.0	6.3	80.8	6.2	82.7



TABLE 24—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF FORTY-SIX FOOD COMMODITIES, 1913, 1926 AND 1934-1938—Concluded

Year and month	Tea (Pound)		Coffee (Pound)		Cocoa, pure ( $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. tin)		Vinegar (Pint)		Salt, fine, table (Pound)		Pepper, black, gr. (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Av. for year.....	35.6	49.6	37.6	61.4	15.7	57.9	6.4	83.1	2.6	72.2	32.7	58.4
1926—Av. for year.....	71.7	100.0	61.2	100.0	27.1	100.0	7.7	100.0	3.6	100.0	55.7	100.0
1934—Av. for year.....	50.5	70.4	38.9	63.6	21.2	78.2	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.3	75.4
January.....	45.5	63.5	39.6	64.7	22.3	82.3	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.4
February.....	47.4	66.1	39.5	64.5	22.1	81.5	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.0	75.4
March.....	48.9	68.2	38.9	63.6	21.1	77.9	7.3	94.8	3.0	83.3	42.5	76.4
April.....	49.6	69.2	39.4	64.4	21.1	77.9	7.3	94.8	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.4
May.....	49.6	69.2	38.8	63.4	20.9	77.1	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.7	76.4
June.....	50.8	70.9	38.7	63.2	21.0	77.5	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.8	76.4
July.....	51.0	71.1	39.1	63.9	21.3	78.6	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.4
August.....	52.0	72.5	38.8	63.4	21.4	79.0	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	42.1	75.4
September.....	52.6	73.4	38.9	63.6	21.1	77.9	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.5	76.4
October.....	53.1	74.1	38.8	63.4	20.7	76.4	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.4
November.....	52.8	73.6	38.1	62.3	20.4	75.3	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	41.7	74.4
December.....	53.2	74.2	37.9	61.9	20.8	76.8	7.2	93.5	3.0	83.3	41.9	75.4
1935—Av. for year.....	52.1	72.7	37.4	61.1	20.3	74.9	7.0	90.9	2.9	80.6	41.9	75.4
January.....	52.9	73.8	38.0	62.1	20.6	76.0	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.4
February.....	52.4	73.1	38.2	62.4	20.9	77.1	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.3	75.4
March.....	52.3	72.9	38.1	62.3	19.9	73.4	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	43.0	77.4
April.....	51.8	72.2	37.7	61.6	20.4	75.3	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.4
May.....	52.2	72.8	37.3	60.9	20.2	74.5	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.0	75.4
June.....	52.0	72.5	37.6	61.4	20.3	74.9	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.4	76.4
July.....	51.8	72.2	37.1	60.6	20.1	74.2	7.2	93.5	2.9	80.6	42.1	75.4
August.....	51.5	71.8	37.5	61.3	20.5	75.6	7.1	92.2	2.9	80.6	42.0	75.4
September.....	52.4	73.1	37.1	60.6	20.5	75.6	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	41.3	74.4
October.....	51.8	72.2	37.1	60.6	20.1	74.2	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	41.2	74.4
November.....	52.3	72.9	36.6	59.8	20.2	74.5	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	41.1	73.4
December.....	51.9	72.4	36.7	60.0	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.4
1936—Av. for year.....	52.0	72.5	35.8	58.5	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	39.1	70.4
January.....	52.2	72.8	36.6	59.8	19.9	73.4	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.4
February.....	51.9	72.4	36.3	59.3	20.0	73.8	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	40.8	73.4
March.....	51.9	72.4	36.2	59.2	19.9	73.4	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	39.7	71.4
April.....	51.8	72.2	35.7	58.3	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	39.0	70.4
May.....	52.4	73.1	35.8	58.5	19.8	73.1	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	38.7	69.4
June.....	52.0	72.5	35.9	58.7	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.8	77.8	38.5	69.4
July.....	51.9	72.4	35.6	58.2	19.8	73.1	7.0	90.9	2.8	77.8	39.2	70.4
August.....	52.1	72.7	35.4	57.8	20.1	74.2	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.8	69.4
September.....	51.9	72.4	35.4	57.8	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	39.3	70.4
October.....	52.1	72.7	35.5	58.0	20.2	74.5	6.8	88.3	2.7	75.0	38.4	68.4
November.....	52.0	72.5	35.5	58.0	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.1	68.4
December.....	52.0	72.5	35.4	57.8	20.1	74.2	6.8	88.3	2.7	75.0	37.9	68.4
1937—Av. for year.....	53.7	74.9	35.5	58.0	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.9	68.4
January.....	52.2	72.8	35.2	57.5	20.1	74.2	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.6	69.4
February.....	52.0	72.5	35.1	57.4	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.1	68.4
March.....	52.1	72.7	35.6	58.2	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	37.8	67.4
April.....	52.3	72.9	35.4	57.8	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.0	68.4
May.....	52.4	73.1	35.4	57.8	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	38.2	68.4
June.....	52.5	73.2	35.7	58.3	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	38.0	68.4
July.....	53.4	74.5	35.7	58.3	19.6	72.3	7.0	90.9	2.6	72.2	37.9	68.4
August.....	54.3	75.7	35.5	58.0	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.7	75.0	38.1	68.4
September.....	54.8	76.4	35.9	58.7	19.8	73.1	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.7	67.4
October.....	55.5	77.4	35.6	58.2	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.9	68.4
November.....	56.3	78.5	35.6	58.2	19.9	73.4	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.7	67.4
December.....	56.4	78.7	35.4	57.8	19.6	72.3	6.8	88.3	2.6	72.2	37.3	67.4
1938—Av. for year.....	58.4	81.5	34.8	56.9	19.5	72.0	6.8	88.3	2.6	72.2	36.4	65.4
January.....	57.4	80.1	35.3	57.7	19.6	72.3	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.1	66.4
February.....	58.0	80.9	35.0	57.2	19.6	72.3	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	37.0	66.4
March.....	58.1	81.0	35.2	57.5	19.6	72.3	6.8	88.3	2.6	72.2	36.3	65.4
April.....	58.0	80.9	34.7	56.7	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	36.8	66.4
May.....	58.6	81.7	34.8	56.9	19.7	72.7	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	36.5	65.4
June.....	58.7	81.9	34.7	56.7	19.6	72.3	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	36.7	65.4
July.....	58.6	81.7	34.8	56.9	19.3	71.2	6.9	89.6	2.6	72.2	36.4	65.4
August.....	58.6	81.7	34.5	56.4	19.7	72.7	6.8	88.3	2.6	72.2	36.3	65.4
September.....	58.9	82.1	35.0	57.2	19.5	72.0	6.8	88.3	2.6	72.2	36.3	65.4
October.....	58.7	81.9	34.8	56.9	19.3	71.2	6.7	87.0	2.5	69.4	35.6	63.4
November.....	58.8	82.0	34.4	56.2	19.3	71.2	6.7	87.0	2.6	72.2	36.2	65.4
December.....	58.6	81.7	34.7	56.7	19.4	71.6	6.8	88.3	2.6	72.2	36.1	64.4

TABLE 25—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 AND 1926-1938

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1913	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0.222	0.294	0.308	0.345	0.363	0.356	0.286	0.245	0.210	0.214	0.231	0.231	0.262
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0.148	0.160	0.172	0.206	0.227	0.221	0.158	0.129	0.112	0.115	0.126	0.125	0.142
3	Veal, roast...	1 "	0.157	0.193	0.203	0.226	0.245	0.239	0.183	0.138	0.119	0.121	0.129	0.137	0.145
4	Mutton, roast...	1 "	0.191	0.298	0.291	0.300	0.309	0.302	0.253	0.209	0.188	0.200	0.209	0.218	0.228
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0.195	0.302	0.282	0.273	0.300	0.298	0.223	0.152	0.151	0.201	0.212	0.214	0.222
6	Pork, salt, mess...	1 "	0.176	0.278	0.265	0.261	0.273	0.271	0.226	0.155	0.148	0.184	0.198	0.201	0.203
7	Bacon, breakfast...	1 "	0.247	0.431	0.393	0.379	0.393	0.399	0.301	0.184	0.198	0.304	0.311	0.295	0.301
8	Lard, pure leaf...	1 "	0.192	0.246	0.221	0.221	0.219	0.212	0.157	0.121	0.126	0.135	0.161	0.161	0.168
9	Eggs, fresh...	1 doz.	0.337	0.466	0.487	0.478	0.475	0.457	0.337	0.294	0.281	0.319	0.312	0.338	0.334
10	Eggs, storage...	1 "	0.281	0.398	0.424	0.412	0.403	0.394	0.271	0.228	0.217	0.259	0.258	0.279	0.274
11	Milk...	1 qt.	0.086	0.118	0.119	0.121	0.123	0.123	0.111	0.098	0.093	0.098	0.102	0.103	0.108
12	Butter, dairy...	1 lb.	0.292	0.406	0.415	0.417	0.428	0.368	0.272	0.216	0.220	0.236	0.237	0.248	0.271
13	Butter, creamery...	1 "	0.339	0.448	0.463	0.461	0.470	0.405	0.300	0.253	0.255	0.270	0.273	0.283	0.309
14	Cheese, old...	1 "	0.205	0.318	0.310	0.329	0.334	0.318	0.251	0.206	0.196	0.199	0.199	0.211	0.228
15	Cheese, new...	1 "	0.191	0.318	0.310	0.329	0.334	0.318	0.251	0.206	0.196	0.199	0.199	0.211	0.228
16	Bread, plain white...	1 "	0.041	0.076	0.077	0.077	0.078	0.075	0.062	0.059	0.057	0.059	0.059	0.063	0.070
17	Flour, family...	1 "	0.032	0.053	0.053	0.052	0.051	0.047	0.033	0.030	0.029	0.032	0.034	0.036	0.045
18	Rolled oats...	1 "	0.044	0.058	0.061	0.063	0.064	0.061	0.050	0.047	0.048	0.051	0.052	0.052	0.058
19	Rice, good, medium	1 "	0.057	0.110	0.108	0.105	0.104	0.101	0.092	0.085	0.080	0.081	0.078	0.079	0.081
20	Beans, handpicked...	1 "	0.062	0.079	0.081	0.089	0.115	0.094	0.061	0.043	0.041	0.046	0.052	0.055	0.072
21	Apples, evaporated...	1 "	0.120	0.200	0.194	0.210	0.213	0.206	0.178	0.160	0.150	0.152	0.155	0.160	0.160
22	Prunes, medium...	1 "	0.119	0.158	0.148	0.135	0.141	0.155	0.121	0.111	0.115	0.127	0.122	0.111	0.117
23	Sugar, granulated...	1 "	0.059	0.079	0.083	0.079	0.073	0.068	0.062	0.059	0.073	0.072	0.064	0.061	0.064
24	Sugar, yellow...	1 "	0.055	0.075	0.079	0.075	0.069	0.065	0.060	0.057	0.071	0.070	0.062	0.060	0.063
25	Tea, black...	1 "	0.356	0.719	0.716	0.713	0.704	0.628	0.552	0.472	0.424	0.504	0.524	0.520	0.536
26	Tea, green...	1 "	0.372	0.719	0.716	0.713	0.704	0.628	0.552	0.472	0.424	0.504	0.524	0.520	0.536
27	Coffee...	1 "	0.376	0.612	0.612	0.607	0.604	0.572	0.492	0.428	0.400	0.392	0.376	0.360	0.356
28	Potatoes...	1 pk.	0.180	0.436	0.317	0.258	0.291	0.355	0.172	0.130	0.189	0.183	0.152	0.265	0.242
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0.064	0.080	0.080	0.080	0.080	0.080	0.080	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072	0.072
30	All foods (weighted) Total		7.337	11.21	11.00	11.04	11.34	10.96	8.49	7.10	7.03	7.56	7.70	8.09	8.62
31	Starch, laundry...	1 lb.	0.096	0.124	0.123	0.123	0.123	0.123	0.120	0.117	0.114	0.114	0.114	0.117	0.117
32	Coal, anthracite...	1 ton	8.80	17.392	16.465	16.272	16.192	16.112	16.064	15.616	15.056	15.056	14.704	14.688	14.384
33	Coal, bituminous...	1 "	6.19	10.311	10.213	10.113	10.080	10.064	9.840	9.584	9.296	9.280	9.360	9.360	9.360
34	Wood, hard, best...	1 cd.	6.80	12.195	12.128	12.077	12.208	12.176	11.696	10.912	9.808	9.632	9.792	9.568	9.536
35	Wood, soft...	1 "	4.90	8.947	8.960	8.397	8.800	8.672	8.560	7.984	7.408	7.328	7.296	7.216	7.216
36	Coal oil...	1 gal.	0.237	0.308	0.314	0.311	0.311	0.309	0.291	0.274	0.271	0.275	0.272	0.270	0.268
37	Fuel and Lighting— Weighted Total		1.91	3.36	3.30	3.27	3.27	3.25	3.18	3.03	2.87	2.86	2.84	2.82	2.80
38	Rent per month...		19.00	27.43	27.43	27.67	27.92	28.16	27.80	25.76	23.04	22.16	22.32	22.76	23.40
39	Weighted total		14.024	21.47	21.20	21.27	21.61	21.29	18.66	16.60	15.70	16.02	16.16	16.65	17.31

\* Includes data for 60 cities.

TABLE 25—PRICES AND TOTALS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT IN CANADA,\* 1913 and 1926-1938—Concluded

(Dollars)

No.	Commodities	Quantity	1938	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	Beef, sirloin steak...	1 lb.	0-266	0-252	0-256	0-252	0-259	0-269	0-285	0-284	0-286	0-277	0-268	0-257	0-249
2	Beef, chuck roast...	1 "	0-148	0-138	0-140	0-140	0-144	0-151	0-161	0-161	0-158	0-152	0-147	0-142	0-141
3	Veal, roast.....	1 "	0-157	0-152	0-161	0-159	0-156	0-156	0-160	0-157	0-156	0-156	0-161	0-157	0-155
4	Mutton, roast.....	1 "	0-235	0-220	0-224	0-234	0-243	0-249	0-258	0-247	0-245	0-234	0-230	0-217	0-222
5	Pork, roast, fresh...	1 "	0-241	0-221	0-221	0-226	0-236	0-243	0-248	0-262	0-274	0-258	0-248	0-231	0-227
6	Pork, salt, mess....	1 "	0-214	0-209	0-207	0-208	0-210	0-214	0-216	0-219	0-228	0-222	0-218	0-211	0-208
7	Bacon, breakfast....	1 "	0-327	0-307	0-303	0-304	0-319	0-325	0-331	0-342	0-363	0-351	0-340	0-325	0-309
8	Lard, pure leaf.....	1 "	0-152	0-164	0-156	0-153	0-154	0-154	0-153	0-153	0-153	0-150	0-149	0-148	0-144
9	Eggs, fresh.....	1 doz	0-345	0-383	0-320	0-320	0-290	0-259	0-279	0-310	0-341	0-360	0-397	0-439	0-440
10	Eggs, storage.....	1 "	0-287	0-313	0-269	0-270	0-244	0-222	0-237	0-267	0-292	0-302	0-329	0-349	0-347
11	Milk.....	1 qt.	0-109	0-110	0-110	0-110	0-110	0-110	0-109	0-108	0-108	0-109	0-109	0-109	0-109
12	Butter, dairy.....	1 lb.	0-286	0-311	0-323	0-351	0-357	0-301	0-280	0-263	0-262	0-255	0-248	0-246	0-241
13	Butter, creamery....	1 "	0-320	0-347	0-360	0-391	0-397	0-333	0-314	0-300	0-298	0-283	0-272	0-273	0-267
14	Cheese, old.....	1 "	0-235	0-233	0-233	0-234	0-237	0-238	0-238	0-238	0-239	0-236	0-233	0-234	0-232
15	Cheese, new.....	1 "	0-235	0-233	0-233	0-234	0-237	0-238	0-238	0-238	0-239	0-236	0-233	0-234	0-232
16	Bread, plain white...	1 "	0-071	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-071	0-069	0-068	0-067
17	Flour, family.....	1 "	0-040	0-045	0-044	0-045	0-044	0-043	0-042	0-041	0-040	0-036	0-034	0-033	0-032
18	Rolled oats.....	1 "	0-056	0-058	0-058	0-058	0-057	0-057	0-057	0-057	0-057	0-056	0-054	0-053	0-053
19	Rice, good, medium	1 "	0-082	0-082	0-082	0-082	0-082	0-082	0-082	0-082	0-082	0-082	0-081	0-081	0-082
20	Beans, hand picked...	1 "	0-054	0-057	0-056	0-055	0-055	0-054	0-054	0-053	0-053	0-053	0-052	0-052	0-051
21	Apples, evaporated...	1 "	0-154	0-159	0-152	0-151	0-156	0-156	0-154	0-152	0-152	0-154	0-155	0-148	0-154
22	Prunes, medium....	1 "	0-110	0-114	0-112	0-112	0-110	0-108	0-110	0-110	0-111	0-110	0-109	0-109	0-108
23	Sugar, granulated....	1 "	0-064	0-065	0-065	0-066	0-066	0-065	0-065	0-064	0-064	0-063	0-064	0-063	0-063
24	Sugar, yellow.....	1 "	0-063	0-064	0-064	0-064	0-064	0-063	0-063	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-062	0-062
25	Tea, black.....	1 "	0-584	0-576	0-580	0-580	0-580	0-588	0-588	0-588	0-588	0-588	0-592	0-588	0-588
26	Tea green.....	1 "	0-584	0-576	0-580	0-580	0-580	0-588	0-588	0-588	0-588	0-588	0-592	0-588	0-588
27	Coffee.....	1 "	0-348	0-352	0-352	0-352	0-348	0-348	0-348	0-348	0-344	0-352	0-348	0-344	0-344
28	Potatoes.....	1 pk.	0-170	0-161	0-160	0-158	0-150	0-145	0-155	0-163	0-235	0-166	0-173	0-179	0-19
29	Vinegar, white wine	1 pt.	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-072	0-064	0-064	0-072
30	All foods (weighted)														
	Total.....		8-56	8-68	8-59	8-69	8-69	8-50	8-56	8-57	8-81	8-52	8-45	8-38	8-33
31	Starch, laundry.....	1 lb.	0-117	0-117	0-117	0-117	0-117	0-117	0-117	0-117	0-117	0-114	0-114	0-114	0-114
32	Coal, anthracite....	1 ton	14-368	14-448	14-448	14-464	14-512	14-368	14-176	14-176	14-224	14-272	14-368	14-592	14-62
33	Coal, bituminous....	1 "	9-392	9-392	9-376	9-376	9-376	9-392	9-360	9-392	9-392	9-344	9-424	9-408	9-44
34	Wood, hard, best....	1 ed.	9-696	9-680	9-664	9-632	9-680	9-712	9-680	9-680	9-680	9-696	9-680	9-760	9-77
35	Wood, soft.....	1 "	7-200	7-216	7-232	7-184	7-216	7-216	7-184	7-184	7-174	7-184	7-184	7-232	7-23
36	Coal oil.....	1 gal.	0-267	0-268	0-265	0-265	0-268	0-267	0-267	0-266	0-266	0-267	0-267	0-267	0-26
	Fuel and Lighting—														
37	Weighted Total.....		2-81	2-81	2-81	2-81	2-82	2-81	2-79	2-79	2-80	2-80	2-81	2-83	2-83
38	Rent per month.....		24-04	23-76	23-76	23-76	23-84	24-08	24-16	24-16	24-24	24-24	24-24	24-16	24-20
39	Weighted Total.....		17-42	17-48	17-39	17-48	17-50	17-36	17-43	17-45	17-70	17-41	17-35	17-29	17-25

\* Includes data for 60 cities.



TABLE 26--INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1924-1938

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
STAPLE FOODS																
1	Nova Scotia...	99.3	144.1	149.5	154.8	148.6	149.3	153.5	151.6	121.7	102.9	99.5	106.6	107.0	110.5	116.9
2	Prince Ed. Is. .	86.4	128.9	134.8	142.3	136.8	134.3	139.1	140.4	115.4	95.4	94.9	100.0	100.2	105.4	113.1
3	New Brunswick	96.0	144.7	147.7	155.9	150.1	149.0	151.4	149.1	119.9	102.1	99.9	105.6	107.5	112.7	118.2
4	Quebec.....	93.6	132.2	139.3	144.9	139.4	139.2	142.8	138.8	107.4	89.4	87.9	95.4	96.4	102.8	107.8
5	Ontario.....	98.2	139.5	145.0	154.2	150.8	151.0	153.8	148.7	114.5	95.7	95.5	104.1	105.4	111.1	117.5
6	Manitoba.....	107.3	133.1	141.7	142.2	141.6	145.6	151.2	144.5	108.8	93.0	92.1	97.0	101.7	107.5	115.7
7	Saskatchewan..	112.4	137.7	148.2	148.6	150.7	152.3	158.3	149.1	110.4	93.4	92.4	99.5	101.4	104.7	114.9
8	Alberta.....	113.5	139.4	149.9	147.5	148.4	151.1	158.9	150.9	111.8	93.0	92.1	99.4	102.5	106.0	116.4
9	Br. Columbia	124.4	154.1	164.6	163.1	163.2	164.6	170.4	164.5	129.6	106.9	106.0	112.7	115.9	121.3	131.5

FUEL AND LIGHTING																
1	Nova Scotia...	80.1	160.9	157.1	155.5	150.8	152.4	151.8	150.3	149.2	139.3	131.4	133.0	130.4	129.8	127.7
2	Prince Ed. Is. .	77.2	179.1	174.3	167.0	162.8	152.4	154.5	153.9	152.9	150.8	138.7	142.9	139.8	137.2	139.3
3	New Brunswick	88.0	169.5	164.9	168.1	164.4	161.8	160.2	160.7	156.0	147.6	140.3	139.3	139.8	137.2	135.6
4	Quebec.....	93.7	175.4	172.8	177.5	175.4	174.9	174.9	173.3	167.0	157.1	149.2	149.7	148.7	147.1	147.6
5	Ontario.....	95.2	183.0	179.6	182.2	179.1	177.0	175.9	173.3	164.9	156.5	155.5	155.5	154.5	151.8	151.8
6	Manitoba.....	122.6	195.3	188.5	184.8	183.2	184.8	189.5	190.1	181.7	159.2	153.0	157.6	158.1	156.5	155.0
7	Saskatchewan..	139.2	195.2	186.4	181.2	182.7	183.8	181.2	174.9	160.7	112.6	102.6	102.1	103.7	101.6	102.1
8	Alberta.....	86.6	122.5	128.3	126.2	122.0	108.4	100.5	100.5	97.4	94.2	90.6	87.4	85.9	85.3	85.3
9	Br. Columbia	117.8	152.4	147.1	147.6	147.1	147.1	147.6	147.6	146.1	137.2	128.3	124.6	123.6	125.1	125.1

RENT																
1	Nova Scotia...	81.3	118.5	117.5	117.9	117.9	117.9	117.9	121.1	126.9	126.9	117.5	111.8	112.6	113.3	112.6
2	Prince Ed. Is. .	36.2	123.8	122.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	122.3	123.8	123.8	123.2	121.1	115.8	113.3	113.3	104.5
3	New Brunswick	63.7	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	139.4	135.6	132.4	124.2	120.2	117.5	117.5	120.4
4	Quebec.....	73.0	121.1	120.8	120.8	121.7	122.7	123.2	125.9	124.4	118.1	110.1	105.3	104.4	105.3	108.2
5	Ontario.....	84.9	154.4	152.8	151.8	151.2	153.1	154.3	155.8	153.3	139.6	123.2	120.4	122.9	126.7	131.8
6	Manitoba.....	152.7	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	176.6	153.5	131.8	125.1	123.4	122.7	127.4
7	Saskatchewan..	198.2	187.6	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	185.7	176.8	156.0	133.1	129.3	123.8	125.7	129.5
8	Alberta.....	156.8	150.8	148.0	151.8	152.4	151.8	157.9	161.7	160.4	143.6	125.5	116.6	116.8	117.9	120.2
9	Br. Columbia	106.1	134.3	135.4	135.8	136.6	138.1	139.8	140.8	140.2	131.4	118.3	110.3	112.0	116.2	118.5

GRAND TOTAL																
1	Nova Scotia...	90.6	137.4	139.4	142.1	138.4	138.9	141.0	140.8	127.0	115.8	109.7	111.7	111.9	114.1	117.0
2	Prince Ed. Is. .	68.0	133.7	135.6	137.3	134.0	131.2	135.3	136.3	123.1	112.4	110.2	112.8	110.7	112.5	117.2
3	New Brunswick	83.8	146.9	147.9	152.7	149.1	148.2	149.2	147.1	129.9	118.4	113.4	114.9	115.1	117.7	121.4
4	Quebec.....	86.5	134.1	137.4	141.0	138.1	138.3	140.3	138.8	121.1	108.2	103.6	106.0	106.0	109.7	113.4
5	Ontario.....	93.2	150.2	152.2	156.8	154.6	155.0	156.9	154.5	135.4	119.8	113.0	116.4	117.9	122.4	127.0
6	Manitoba.....	124.9	158.6	162.2	161.9	161.5	163.8	167.4	163.9	141.5	122.3	113.8	114.6	116.5	119.6	125.1
7	Saskatchewan..	145.5	162.1	165.3	164.8	166.2	167.2	170.0	164.7	139.5	117.0	107.4	109.7	109.1	111.5	118.2
8	Alberta.....	124.7	140.6	146.0	145.8	145.9	145.3	150.4	147.4	126.1	110.1	103.0	103.4	104.9	107.4	113.5
9	Br. Columbia	117.2	146.9	152.0	151.5	151.5	153.0	156.7	153.9	135.2	119.1	113.0	113.3	115.4	120.2	126.3

TABLE 26—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1924-1938—Contc.

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	1938	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
FOOD														
1	Nova Scotia.....	117.6	119.8	118.3	119.5	119.0	116.1	116.1	118.3	120.3	116.7	115.6	115.6	115.7
2	Prince Edward Island.....	114.2	117.4	113.4	115.4	116.1	114.5	115.0	115.7	117.6	114.5	110.3	109.6	110.5
3	New Brunswick.....	118.8	121.3	120.1	120.9	120.8	119.1	118.0	117.8	121.2	118.0	116.8	116.3	116.7
4	Quebec.....	109.3	111.6	110.3	110.8	111.6	107.4	108.8	109.9	111.2	108.1	107.1	107.9	107.4
5	Ontario.....	116.0	118.0	116.4	117.4	117.4	114.6	115.4	116.1	119.3	115.6	115.0	114.2	112.9
6	Manitoba.....	113.0	114.8	112.7	116.0	115.9	114.6	114.4	112.0	117.6	110.5	110.5	107.9	109.3
7	Saskatchewan.....	114.8	116.9	116.5	118.3	118.8	115.3	117.6	115.4	117.9	112.4	110.4	107.9	109.0
8	Alberta.....	114.6	115.0	114.6	116.3	115.9	114.4	115.9	113.7	120.6	114.1	112.7	112.2	110.8
9	British Columbia.....	130.4	131.0	130.2	131.4	132.1	130.4	131.5	132.3	134.7	130.7	128.4	127.3	126.1

## FUEL AND LIGHT

1	Nova Scotia.....	128.8	130.9	128.8	128.8	128.3	127.2	127.2	129.3	129.3	129.8	129.3	129.3	128.8
2	Prince Edward Island.....	141.4	140.3	139.8	140.3	148.7	149.2	145.5	145.0	142.4	142.4	135.6	135.1	135.1
3	New Brunswick.....	136.1	137.7	138.2	137.7	138.2	138.2	138.2	133.0	133.0	133.0	133.0	137.7	137.7
4	Quebec.....	150.3	150.3	149.7	149.7	149.7	150.3	150.3	150.8	150.3	150.8	150.8	150.8	150.8
5	Ontario.....	151.3	151.8	151.8	151.3	151.8	151.3	150.3	150.3	150.3	150.3	151.3	152.9	153.4
6	Manitoba.....	159.7	156.5	156.5	156.5	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.7	160.2	160.2	159.2
7	Saskatchewan.....	103.1	102.6	103.1	103.1	102.6	103.1	102.6	102.6	102.6	102.6	103.7	104.7	104.7
8	Alberta.....	85.3	85.9	85.3	85.9	85.3	85.3	84.8	85.3	85.9	85.3	85.9	84.8	84.3
9	British Columbia.....	127.7	125.7	127.2	126.7	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	127.7	128.3	128.3

## RENT

1	Nova Scotia.....	112.8	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	112.6	113.7	113.7	113.7	112.2	112.2
2	Prince Edward Island.....	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8
3	New Brunswick.....	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4
4	Quebec.....	114.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5	114.1	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5
5	Ontario.....	135.6	134.5	134.5	134.5	134.7	135.8	136.0	136.0	136.4	136.4	136.4	135.8	135.8
6	Manitoba.....	135.2	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8
7	Saskatchewan.....	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3
8	Alberta.....	123.6	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	122.9	124.4	126.9
9	British Columbia.....	121.1	119.8	119.8	119.8	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5

## GRAND TOTAL

1	Nova Scotia.....	117.6	118.9	117.9	118.5	118.2	116.5	116.5	118.0	119.4	117.5	116.9	116.4	116.4
2	Prince Edward Island.....	118.5	120.0	117.9	119.0	120.5	119.7	119.6	119.8	120.4	118.8	115.7	115.2	115.7
3	New Brunswick.....	121.8	128.3	122.6	123.1	123.0	122.1	121.5	120.8	122.6	120.9	120.3	120.7	120.9
4	Quebec.....	116.7	116.2	115.4	115.7	116.1	115.6	117.4	118.0	118.7	117.2	116.7	117.1	116.8
5	Ontario.....	127.5	128.2	127.4	127.9	127.9	126.8	127.1	127.5	129.3	127.4	127.3	126.9	126.1
6	Manitoba.....	126.9	126.2	125.2	126.9	127.4	128.5	128.4	127.1	130.1	126.4	126.3	124.9	125.6
7	Saskatchewan.....	118.5	119.6	119.4	120.4	120.6	118.8	120.0	118.8	120.1	117.3	116.4	115.2	115.7
8	Alberta.....	113.7	113.9	113.6	114.5	114.2	113.4	114.2	113.0	116.8	113.3	112.7	112.7	112.7
9	British Columbia.....	126.9	126.4	126.3	126.9	127.9	127.1	127.6	128.1	129.3	127.2	126.0	125.5	124.9

TABLE 27—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1937 AND 1938

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

1937

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
STAPLE FOODS													
Halifax.....	113.5	114.4	112.7	114.0	112.4	113.5	115.1	117.9	115.9	116.1	117.5	118.0	115.1
Saint John.....	117.9	119.0	116.7	117.3	117.8	112.6	115.7	119.5	120.3	119.4	121.8	122.9	118.4
Montreal.....	113.0	115.3	113.9	114.9	114.2	112.8	114.5	115.9	120.6	116.1	116.6	116.7	114.9
Toronto.....	118.8	121.2	120.2	121.2	119.9	120.7	121.9	125.9	120.6	122.3	121.5	122.4	121.4
Winnipeg.....	117.6	119.5	116.9	119.8	120.3	120.3	120.3	118.9	116.0	114.3	116.6	116.8	118.1
Regina.....	113.7	117.4	114.6	116.6	115.5	115.9	115.2	117.6	115.0	114.7	118.4	118.7	116.1
Calgary.....	115.6	117.1	118.9	121.7	122.6	121.8	121.6	122.5	122.8	120.3	122.8	121.8	120.8
Vancouver.....	122.0	127.3	127.5	128.7	129.7	127.6	126.9	129.1	131.9	131.1	130.5	130.1	128.5

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

Halifax.....	147.0	147.0	146.1	145.2	147.0	140.4	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	142.9	144.2
Saint John.....	145.8	145.8	145.8	145.6	145.8	145.4	141.2	141.3	141.3	140.9	144.5	146.3	144.1
Montreal.....	157.7	157.6	157.6	157.7	156.4	156.4	161.8	161.4	164.2	164.2	164.0	164.3	160.8
Toronto.....	175.0	175.0	176.3	175.0	166.1	166.1	162.8	165.5	165.3	166.1	166.3	167.7	169.0
Winnipeg.....	157.6	157.1	157.1	159.5	157.4	158.0	158.7	158.2	158.0	159.0	158.2	159.8	158.2
Regina.....	134.7	134.5	134.7	134.9	135.2	135.3	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.3	135.2	135.7	135.1
Calgary.....	106.8	108.1	107.4	107.4	106.5	107.4	108.6	108.1	108.6	107.3	108.1	108.6	107.7
Vancouver.....	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.2	148.6	148.2	148.2	151.6	151.6	152.1	151.6	151.6	149.6

## RENT

Halifax.....	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4
Saint John.....	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2
Montreal.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	126.3
Toronto.....	155.3	155.3	155.3	155.3	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	160.5
Winnipeg.....	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	157.9	157.9	157.9	149.3
Regina.....	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	155.3
Calgary.....	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	126.3	126.3	126.3	122.4
Vancouver.....	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.4	123.7	123.7	123.7	123.7	123.7	128.9	128.9	128.9	123.2

## TOTAL

Halifax.....	129.6	130.1	129.1	129.6	129.1	128.7	129.9	131.3	130.3	130.4	131.1	131.4	130.1
Saint John.....	120.2	120.7	119.5	119.8	120.1	117.3	118.4	120.4	120.8	120.3	122.0	122.9	120.2
Montreal.....	121.9	123.0	122.3	123.6	125.0	124.2	125.9	126.5	126.3	127.0	127.3	128.2	125.1
Toronto.....	138.8	140.1	139.7	140.1	140.8	141.3	141.5	143.9	141.1	142.1	141.7	142.4	141.1
Winnipeg.....	131.4	132.4	131.0	132.9	135.5	135.5	135.6	134.9	133.3	135.3	136.3	136.7	134.2
Regina.....	128.9	130.9	129.4	130.5	132.6	132.9	132.5	133.7	132.4	132.2	134.2	134.4	132.0
Calgary.....	116.4	117.3	118.2	119.6	120.0	119.7	119.7	120.1	120.4	120.6	122.1	121.6	119.6
Vancouver.....	124.3	127.1	127.3	127.9	130.2	129.1	128.7	130.4	131.8	133.2	132.8	132.6	129.6



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TABLE 27—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1937 AND 1938—Concluded

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

1938

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
STAPLE FOODS													
Halifax.....	116.9	116.8	117.6	117.6	114.2	114.6	118.9	118.7	114.3	114.1	115.0	112.6	115.9
Saint John.....	121.1	119.7	121.3	120.6	117.7	117.3	118.1	122.0	118.2	117.1	116.2	117.1	118.9
Montreal.....	115.8	115.8	117.0	116.2	114.1	116.6	117.6	116.3	113.7	112.4	113.0	113.2	115.2
Toronto.....	120.7	119.7	121.1	120.2	117.4	118.3	118.6	121.9	116.3	117.8	117.2	116.4	118.8
Winnipeg.....	116.1	115.3	117.9	117.8	115.3	117.5	117.1	120.5	112.0	114.4	110.5	112.4	115.6
Regina.....	118.9	118.3	121.4	120.7	117.5	120.9	117.7	119.2	116.5	113.0	111.3	110.5	117.2
Calgary.....	119.3	119.0	120.5	121.3	121.4	121.3	118.3	123.0	116.9	115.8	115.3	113.1	118.8
Vancouver.....	126.8	127.4	127.2	129.1	126.8	128.0	130.8	132.0	126.0	125.4	123.1	122.7	127.1
FUEL AND LIGHTING													
Halifax.....	142.5	142.5	143.0	142.5	141.7	140.8	144.9	144.9	145.8	145.8	144.9	144.0	143.6
Saint John.....	146.1	146.4	146.1	146.2	146.4	146.5	141.1	141.5	141.5	141.2	146.1	146.2	144.6
Montreal.....	170.8	170.6	170.8	170.8	169.5	169.4	170.3	170.2	171.8	171.8	171.8	171.7	170.8
Toronto.....	167.7	167.7	169.3	169.3	166.1	165.8	166.1	165.4	166.1	166.1	166.2	166.1	166.8
Winnipeg.....	160.4	160.1	159.8	160.4	160.6	160.5	160.4	160.1	160.1	160.5	159.5	159.2	160.0
Regina.....	135.2	135.3	135.3	135.0	135.8	135.2	135.2	135.4	135.4	135.2	137.7	137.8	135.4
Calgary.....	106.8	106.8	109.4	107.5	107.5	106.0	106.5	108.1	109.9	109.9	109.9	107.4	108.0
Vancouver.....	152.3	152.0	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	152.2	152.1	151.6
RENT													
Halifax.....	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	139.5	139.5	146.6
Saint John.....	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.3
Montreal.....	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	131.6	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	136.6
Toronto.....	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	166.6
Winnipeg.....	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	161.1
Regina.....	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.7
Calgary.....	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	131.6	131.6	127.7
Vancouver.....	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.8
TOTAL													
Halifax.....	130.8	130.7	131.2	131.1	129.3	129.3	132.2	132.1	129.8	129.7	127.4	126.0	130.0
Saint John.....	121.9	121.2	122.0	121.6	120.1	119.9	119.6	121.7	119.7	119.1	119.3	119.8	120.0
Montreal.....	127.8	127.8	128.4	128.0	127.6	132.5	133.1	132.4	131.3	130.6	130.9	131.0	130.0
Toronto.....	141.5	141.0	141.9	141.4	141.3	141.8	142.0	143.6	140.8	141.5	141.2	140.8	141.1
Winnipeg.....	136.4	135.9	137.3	137.2	137.8	138.9	136.8	140.4	135.9	135.4	135.1	136.0	136.6
Regina.....	134.4	134.1	135.7	135.3	133.7	135.5	133.8	134.6	133.2	131.3	130.8	130.3	133.3
Calgary.....	120.1	119.9	121.0	121.2	121.3	121.0	119.5	122.1	119.2	118.6	120.1	118.7	120.0
Vancouver.....	131.0	131.3	131.1	132.1	130.9	131.5	133.0	133.6	130.5	130.2	129.1	128.8	131.1







## RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913-1938

Basing calculations upon returns from 225 hospitals in all parts of Canada, it has been calculated that rates charged in 1938 were 0.6 per cent higher than in 1937. Hospital rate indexes rose steadily between 1913 and 1930 from 55.2 to 106.9. A moderate decline occurred in the next five years, following which the index again turned upward from 103.6 in 1935 to 105.7 in 1938. Increases in semi-private room rates and operating-room charges along with advances of lesser importance in private-room and public-ward rates, were responsible for the upward movement.

The public-ward index increased from 111.8 to 112.1 as a result of minor advances in rate averages for Ontario, Nova Scotia, Alberta and British Columbia. An average of public-ward rates throughout the Dominion remained at \$2.04, while provincial averages ranged between \$1.50 for Prince Edward Island and \$2.65 for British Columbia.

Semi-private room rates rose from 99.9 to 101.2, as a result of increases for Nova Scotia and Ontario. The average rate for Canada was \$2.84 as compared with \$2.81 in 1937, and provincial rates ranged between \$2.23 for Ontario and \$3.38 for British Columbia.

An average of private-room rates for Canada moved up from 99.2 in 1937 to 99.6 in 1938. Increases in rates for Nova Scotia, Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia accounted for the increase. The Dominion average was \$5.05. New Brunswick's average rate was lowest at \$3.75, while that for Quebec was highest at \$6.04.

Operating-room charges, after showing a steady decline between 1929 and 1937, reversed direction and registered an advance from 98.2 in 1937 to 99.5 in 1938. Average rates ranged from \$6.29 in Alberta to \$9.69 in Quebec.

The average cost of maintenance per patient per day, calculated upon a Dominion basis, advanced from \$3.33 in 1937 to \$3.39 in 1938. In 1913 the figure was \$1.68. Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia registered increases, while Prince Edward Island, Ontario and Alberta showed moderate declines. Provincial figures ranged between \$2.41 for Nova Scotia and \$3.88 for Quebec. In giving this figure, hospitals were asked to include the basic costs of food, medical supplies, professional care, light, heat, etc., and also supplementary costs including insurance, interest, depreciation, etc. Owing to different methods of accounting, resultant averages cannot be considered strictly comparable as between hospitals or even between provinces, but it is believed they measure cost trends accurately.

TABLE 32—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1925-1938

Province	1913	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
INDEX NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL HOSPITAL RATES (1926=100)															
P.E.I.	60.8	98.2	100.0	100.0	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.7	101.1	101.1	101.1	99.2	99.2	99.2
Nova Scotia	57.4	96.0	100.0	100.0	103.2	103.3	107.5	107.4	107.3	107.2	107.1	105.9	105.7	105.2	105.2
New Brunswick	49.1	98.8	100.0	103.0	107.2	108.5	109.1	109.2	108.1	107.5	107.1	107.0	107.0	107.2	107.2
Quebec	59.9	99.1	100.0	100.4	107.0	108.9	109.0	109.0	107.9	106.7	105.9	105.8	106.3	110.2	111.8
Ontario	61.6	100.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.1	100.5	100.3	99.6	92.5	92.4	92.4	92.5	92.3	92.2
Manitoba	57.6	98.7	100.0	100.2	101.5	102.0	101.9	100.3	98.6	95.5	94.7	94.5	93.3	93.3	92.7
Saskatchewan	60.4	98.0	100.0	101.1	101.1	102.1	101.4	101.0	99.4	98.0	97.0	97.2	97.1	98.2	98.6
Alberta	55.4	100.7	100.0	100.0	100.1	104.7	104.6	104.3	103.9	103.3	103.0	103.2	103.7	104.5	105.2
British Columbia	55.4	100.7	100.0	100.0	100.1	104.7	104.6	104.3	103.9	103.3	103.0	103.2	103.7	104.5	105.2
Dominion Index	55.2	98.7	100.0	101.1	104.8	106.6	106.9	106.7	105.9	104.4	103.7	103.6	103.7	105.1	105.7

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL HOSPITAL RATES

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100.0	161.6	164.5	166.0	166.2	179.5	180.1	179.0	182.8	181.5	179.3	179.5	179.5	179.5	183.4
New Brunswick	100.0	167.2	174.2	174.2	179.8	180.0	187.3	187.1	186.9	186.8	186.6	184.5	184.1	183.3	183.3
Quebec	100.0	201.1	203.5	209.6	218.2	220.9	222.0	222.2	219.9	218.8	218.0	217.9	217.9	218.1	218.2
Ontario	100.0	165.6	167.1	167.7	178.7	182.0	182.0	182.1	180.2	178.2	176.9	176.8	177.6	184.2	186.8
Manitoba	100.0	163.7	162.3	162.3	162.3	162.5	163.1	162.9	161.7	150.1	150.0	150.0	150.1	149.8	149.6
Saskatchewan	100.0	171.5	173.7	174.1	176.2	177.1	177.1	174.3	171.4	165.9	164.5	164.1	162.1	162.0	161.0
Alberta	100.0	162.2	165.5	167.2	167.3	169.0	167.8	167.1	164.5	162.2	160.5	160.8	160.7	162.5	163.2
British Columbia	100.0	181.7	180.4	180.4	180.6	188.9	188.8	188.2	187.4	186.4	185.8	186.2	187.1	188.5	189.8
Dominion Index	100.0	178.9	181.1	183.1	189.8	193.1	193.6	193.2	191.8	189.1	187.8	187.6	187.8	190.3	191.4

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES

(1926=100)

P.E.I.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Nova Scotia	59.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	116.3	116.3	116.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.2	121.4	121.4	124.2
New Brunswick	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	103.2	103.2	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	103.1	102.7	102.7	102.7
Quebec	44.9	99.3	100.0	103.5	111.5	114.6	115.0	115.0	115.1	114.7	114.1	114.9	114.9	115.0	114.7
Ontario	66.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	112.7	116.6	116.6	116.7	116.6	115.6	114.7	114.7	115.7	123.0	123.9
Manitoba	57.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	101.2	101.2	101.0	86.6	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.4	83.5
Saskatchewan	52.7	92.3	100.0	100.0	99.3	100.3	100.3	98.1	96.1	91.9	90.2	89.8	89.1	89.6	100.6
Alberta	52.2	95.8	100.0	101.6	101.5	102.0	102.0	101.2	100.7	98.7	97.7	98.4	97.7	99.8	100.6
British Columbia	49.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.1	110.4	110.4	110.4	109.3	109.3	108.6	109.0	110.1	110.7	111.7
Dominion Index	54.6	98.9	100.0	101.1	107.5	111.3	111.6	111.4	111.4	109.5	108.7	108.9	109.2	111.8	112.1

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PUBLIC WARD HOSPITAL CHARGES

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100.0	169.2	169.2	169.2	169.2	196.8	196.8	196.6	205.1	205.1	205.1	205.1	205.4	205.4	210.1
Quebec	100.0	221.2	222.7	230.5	248.3	255.2	256.1	256.1	256.3	255.4	254.1	255.9	255.9	256.1	255.4
Ontario	100.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	169.1	174.9	174.9	175.1	174.9	173.4	172.1	172.1	173.6	184.5	185.9
Manitoba	100.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	175.0	177.1	177.3	176.7	151.6	151.4	151.4	151.4	151.6	151.2
Saskatchewan	100.0	175.1	189.8	189.8	188.5	190.4	190.4	186.2	182.4	174.4	171.2	170.4	169.1	169.7	168.0
Alberta	100.0	183.6	191.6	194.7	194.5	195.4	195.4	193.9	192.9	189.1	187.2	188.5	187.2	191.2	192.7
British Columbia	100.0	204.0	204.0	204.0	204.2	225.2	225.2	225.2	223.0	223.0	221.5	222.4	224.6	225.8	227.9
Dominion Index	100.0	181.2	183.2	185.2	196.9	203.9	204.5	204.1	204.1	200.6	199.1	199.5	200.1	204.8	205.4

TABLE 32—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1925-1938—

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Province	1913	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
P.E.I.	.....	.....	100-0	100-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	100-4	100-4	100-4	91-1	91-1	91-1
Nova Scotia	59-7	95-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-5	101-5	101-1	101-1	100-8	97-6	97-6	97-1	97-1	99-1
New Brunswick	66-7	100-0	100-0	99-9	115-3	125-1	125-1	124-1	124-1	124-1	119-6	119-6	117-4	117-4	117-4
Quebec	56-0	99-3	100-0	100-7	101-2	101-2	102-6	102-7	102-1	101-4	101-7	100-4	100-4	100-4	100-4
Ontario	48-5	96-6	100-0	101-2	101-0	102-4	102-6	102-7	100-6	98-5	97-7	97-8	98-4	100-5	104-0
Manitoba	63-0	102-5	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-5	98-3	98-2	98-2	98-2	98-2	96-8	96-8
Saskatchewan	50-1	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-9	99-8	99-1	98-4	95-6	95-3	95-3	95-1	95-1	95-1
Alberta	62-7	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	102-3	100-3	100-3	98-1	98-4	97-3	96-8	96-8	97-4	97-4
British Columbia	53-6	100-2	100-0	99-8	99-6	99-6	99-6	98-0	97-7	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	99-4	99-4
Dominion Index	54-0	98-4	100-0	100-6	101-4	102-1	102-8	102-7	101-5	100-3	99-8	99-2	99-3	99-9	101-2

## INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS

(1926=100)

P.E.I.	.....	.....	100-0	100-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	100-4	100-4	100-4	91-1	91-1	91-1
Nova Scotia	59-7	95-6	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-5	101-5	101-1	101-1	100-8	97-6	97-6	97-1	97-1	99-1
New Brunswick	66-7	100-0	100-0	99-9	115-3	125-1	125-1	124-1	124-1	124-1	119-6	119-6	117-4	117-4	117-4
Quebec	56-0	99-3	100-0	100-7	101-2	101-2	102-6	102-7	102-1	101-4	101-7	100-4	100-4	100-4	100-4
Ontario	48-5	96-6	100-0	101-2	101-0	102-4	102-6	102-7	100-6	98-5	97-7	97-8	98-4	100-5	104-0
Manitoba	63-0	102-5	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-5	98-3	98-2	98-2	98-2	98-2	96-8	96-8
Saskatchewan	50-1	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-9	99-8	99-1	98-4	95-6	95-3	95-3	95-1	95-1	95-1
Alberta	62-7	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	102-3	100-3	100-3	98-1	98-4	97-3	96-8	96-8	97-4	97-4
British Columbia	53-6	100-2	100-0	99-8	99-6	99-6	99-6	98-0	97-7	98-0	98-0	98-0	98-0	99-4	99-4
Dominion Index	54-0	98-4	100-0	100-6	101-4	102-1	102-8	102-7	101-5	100-3	99-8	99-2	99-3	99-9	101-2

## INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	160-0	167-4	167-4	167-4	169-9	169-9	169-2	169-2	168-7	163-4	163-4	162-5	162-5	165-9
New Brunswick	100-0	150-0	150-0	149-9	173-0	173-0	187-7	187-7	186-1	186-2	186-2	179-4	179-4	176-1	176-1
Quebec	100-0	177-2	178-5	179-7	180-6	180-6	183-1	183-3	182-2	181-0	181-5	179-2	179-2	179-2	179-2
Ontario	100-0	198-9	206-0	208-5	208-1	210-9	211-4	211-6	207-2	202-9	201-3	201-5	202-7	207-0	214-2
Manitoba	100-0	162-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-8	158-0	156-1	155-9	155-9	155-9	155-9	153-7	153-7
Saskatchewan	100-0	199-7	199-7	199-7	199-5	199-5	199-3	197-9	196-5	190-9	190-3	190-3	189-9	189-9	189-9
Alberta	100-0	159-5	159-5	159-7	159-7	163-2	160-0	160-0	156-5	156-9	155-2	154-4	154-4	155-4	155-4
British Columbia	100-0	186-7	186-4	186-0	185-7	185-7	185-7	182-7	182-1	182-7	182-7	182-7	182-7	185-3	185-3
Dominion Index	100-0	182-2	185-2	186-3	187-8	189-1	190-4	190-2	188-0	185-8	184-8	183-7	183-9	185-0	187-4

## INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS

(1926=100)

P.E.I.	.....	.....	100-0	100-0	103-3	103-3	103-3	103-3	103-3	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0
Nova Scotia	58-0	95-4	100-0	104-3	104-8	105-6	107-4	105-1	105-1	105-1	101-7	102-0	102-0	102-0	105-0
New Brunswick	46-3	89-2	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	103-9	103-9	105-0	104-6	104-2	102-4	102-4	102-4	102-4
Quebec	43-9	98-8	100-0	103-2	105-0	104-2	104-6	105-0	100-0	99-4	98-5	97-5	97-9	97-9	98-1
Ontario	54-9	99-5	100-0	105-3	103-4	102-6	102-5	102-5	100-6	99-2	98-8	98-5	98-6	99-0	99-4
Manitoba	66-4	101-7	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-4	99-4	99-1	98-1	96-3	96-3	96-3	96-5	96-5	96-5
Saskatchewan	66-1	101-4	100-0	100-0	107-5	107-5	107-5	106-0	103-0	101-9	102-0	103-3	100-7	100-9	100-4
Alberta	65-2	100-0	100-0	101-1	101-0	102-5	101-6	101-5	101-3	99-7	99-2	99-5	100-4	100-7	100-7
British Columbia	65-1	104-0	100-0	100-0	100-7	99-7	99-4	99-4	100-3	97-3	97-3	97-5	97-5	99-0	100-0
Dominion Index	53-1	98-6	100-0	101-4	103-6	103-2	103-4	103-2	100-9	99-8	99-3	98-9	98-9	99-2	99-6

## INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	164-5	172-5	179-9	180-8	182-2	185-3	181-3	181-3	181-3	175-4	176-0	176-0	176-0	182-7
New Brunswick	100-0	192-5	215-8	215-8	215-8	215-8	224-2	224-2	226-6	225-7	224-9	221-0	221-0	221-0	221-0
Quebec	100-0	225-1	227-8	235-1	239-2	237-4	238-3	239-2	227-8	226-4	224-4	222-1	223-0	223-0	223-5
Ontario	100-0	181-2	182-1	183-0	188-3	186-8	186-7	186-7	183-2	180-6	179-9	179-4	179-6	180-3	181-0
Manitoba	100-0	153-1	150-6	150-6	150-6	151-2	149-7	149-2	147-7	145-0	145-0	145-0	145-3	145-3	145-3
Saskatchewan	100-0	153-5	151-4	151-4	162-8	162-8	162-8	160-5	155-9	154-3	155-8	156-4	152-5	152-8	152-0
Alberta	100-0	153-3	153-3	155-0	154-8	157-1	155-8	155-6	155-3	152-8	152-1	152-5	153-9	154-4	154-4
British Columbia	100-0	153-7	153-7	153-7	154-8	153-2	152-8	152-8	154-2	149-6	149-6	149-9	149-9	152-2	153-7
Dominion Index	100-0	185-9	188-5	191-1	195-3	194-5	194-9	194-5	190-2	188-1	187-2	186-4	186-4	187-0	187-7



TABLE 32—INDEX NUMBERS OF HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1925-1938—  
Concluded

Province	1913	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
P.E.I.			100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0
Nova Scotia	72-4	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-2	100-6	100-6	99-8	99-8	94-2	94-2	94-4	94-4	94-4	94-4
New Brunswick	60-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	101-4	102-1	101-2	100-6	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2	100-2
Quebec	61-5	96-3	100-0	104-3	104-7	104-7	104-7	104-6	104-4	103-7	103-6	103-9	103-2	103-7	104-7
Ontario	60-4	99-2	100-0	100-4	101-4	101-4	101-4	101-1	99-0	98-9	97-9	97-7	97-0	97-0	100-1
Manitoba	68-1	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-1	100-1	100-1	99-1	98-7	98-7	98-7	98-7	98-7	98-9	98-9
Saskatchewan	73-0	106-4	100-0	101-7	102-3	102-5	102-5	101-9	101-4	98-2	97-2	96-3	94-4	92-5	92-3
Alberta	78-7	100-0	100-0	100-5	101-6	101-6	100-8	100-5	94-0	92-4	90-8	90-2	90-7	90-0	90-1
British Columbia	66-1	98-9	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	99-9	99-8	99-4	99-3	99-4	99-2	99-2	98-6	98-6
Dominion Index	63-8	99-0	100-0	101-5	102-2	102-3	102-2	101-9	100-6	99-6	99-0	98-9	98-3	98-2	99-5

## INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES

(1926=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	138-2	138-2	138-2	138-5	139-0	139-0	137-9	137-9	130-2	130-2	130-5	130-5	130-5	130-5
New Brunswick	100-0	166-7	166-7	166-7	169-0	170-2	168-7	167-7	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0
Quebec	100-0	156-7	152-7	159-3	159-9	159-9	159-9	159-7	159-4	158-3	158-2	158-6	157-6	158-3	159-9
Ontario	100-0	164-2	165-6	166-3	167-9	167-9	167-9	167-4	163-9	163-8	162-1	161-8	160-6	160-6	165-8
Manitoba	100-0	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-9	146-9	146-9	146-9	145-5	144-9	144-9	144-9	144-9	145-2	145-2
Saskatchewan	100-0	145-7	136-9	139-2	140-0	140-3	140-3	139-5	138-8	134-4	133-1	131-8	129-2	126-6	126-4
Alberta	100-0	127-0	127-0	127-6	129-0	129-0	128-0	127-6	119-4	117-3	115-3	114-6	115-2	114-3	114-4
British Columbia	100-0	149-5	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-0	150-9	150-3	150-1	150-3	150-0	150-0	149-1	149-1
Dominion Index	100-0	155-1	156-7	159-1	160-1	160-3	160-1	159-7	157-6	156-1	155-1	155-0	154-0	153-9	155-9

## INDEX NUMBERS OF OPERATING ROOM CHARGES

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	138-2	138-2	138-2	138-5	139-0	139-0	137-9	137-9	130-2	130-2	130-5	130-5	130-5	130-5
New Brunswick	100-0	166-7	166-7	166-7	169-0	170-2	168-7	167-7	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0	167-0
Quebec	100-0	156-7	152-7	159-3	159-9	159-9	159-9	159-7	159-4	158-3	158-2	158-6	157-6	158-3	159-9
Ontario	100-0	164-2	165-6	166-3	167-9	167-9	167-9	167-4	163-9	163-8	162-1	161-8	160-6	160-6	165-8
Manitoba	100-0	146-8	146-8	146-8	146-9	146-9	146-9	146-9	145-5	144-9	144-9	144-9	144-9	145-2	145-2
Saskatchewan	100-0	145-7	136-9	139-2	140-0	140-3	140-3	139-5	138-8	134-4	133-1	131-8	129-2	126-6	126-4
Alberta	100-0	127-0	127-0	127-6	129-0	129-0	128-0	127-6	119-4	117-3	115-3	114-6	115-2	114-3	114-4
British Columbia	100-0	149-5	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-2	151-0	150-9	150-3	150-1	150-3	150-0	150-0	149-1	149-1
Dominion Index	100-0	155-1	156-7	159-1	160-1	160-3	160-1	159-7	157-6	156-1	155-1	155-0	154-0	153-9	155-9

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY

(1926=100)

P.E.I.			100-0	94-6	110-3	124-8	127-9	124-4	113-7	119-5	120-8	116-9	115-0	128-5	116-5
Nova Scotia	54-0	90-4	100-0	102-5	101-7	113-0	118-9	120-9	97-7	94-6	90-0	87-4	82-4	83-3	84-3
New Brunswick	42-7	102-4	100-0	99-3	103-5	101-5	98-0	99-8	93-8	88-9	90-1	86-0	89-0	84-7	91-4
Quebec	48-7	93-7	100-0	104-2	107-3	103-9	102-9	99-0	99-5	95-2	94-1	95-1	95-5	97-0	101-9
Ontario	43-0	101-4	100-0	94-7	95-3	108-3	108-3	108-2	103-1	97-2	97-0	98-1	99-5	103-0	101-9
Manitoba	71-8	100-9	100-0	101-4	104-3	102-8	109-5	104-7	101-9	95-9	97-1	95-0	92-4	101-2	104-6
Saskatchewan	68-1	93-3	100-0	100-9	100-2	99-5	101-6	99-0	99-1	90-8	85-9	88-5	89-4	90-0	90-2
Alberta	57-8	101-5	100-0	95-1	94-1	91-0	86-8	86-0	83-4	78-1	75-7	74-4	70-4	76-8	74-9
British Columbia	63-7	102-8	100-0	93-5	89-8	94-3	97-6	95-7	89-8	81-4	84-7	86-1	88-3	90-9	98-3
Dominion Index	49-5	98-2	100-0	98-9	100-2	104-2	104-6	102-9	99-0	93-5	92-6	93-0	93-2	96-0	97-7

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY

(1913=100)

Nova Scotia	100-0	167-3	185-1	189-7	188-2	209-2	220-1	223-8	180-8	175-1	166-6	161-8	152-5	154-2	156-0
New Brunswick	100-0	239-6	234-0	232-4	242-2	237-5	229-3	233-5	219-5	208-0	210-8	201-2	208-3	198-2	213-9
Quebec	100-0	192-5	205-4	214-0	220-4	213-4	211-4	203-3	204-4	195-5	193-3	195-3	196-2	199-2	200-3
Ontario	100-0	235-9	232-6	220-3	221-9	251-9	251-9	251-7	239-8	226-1	225-6	228-2	231-4	239-6	237-0
Manitoba	100-0	140-5	139-2	141-1	145-2	143-1	152-4	145-7	141-8	133-5	135-2	132-2	128-6	140-9	145-6
Saskatchewan	100-0	137-1	146-9	148-2	147-2	146-2	149-3	145-4	145-6	133-4	126-2	130-0	131-3	132-2	132-5
Alberta	100-0	175-6	173-0	164-5	162-8	157-4	150-2	148-8	144-3	135-1	131-0	128-7	121-8	132-9	129-6
British Columbia	100-0	161-3	156-9	146-7	140-9	148-0	153-1	150-2	140-9	127-7	132-9	135-1	138-5	142-6	154-2
Dominion Index	100-0	198-3	201-9	199-7	202-3	210-4	211-2	207-8	199-9	188-8	187-0	187-8	188-2	193-8	197-3

TABLE 33—AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, 1913 AND 1925-1938

Province	1913	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES FOR PUBLIC WARDS															
P.E.I.			1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Nova Scotia	0.91	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.79	1.79	1.79	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.86	1.87	1.87	1.91
New Brunswick			2.46	2.46	2.46	2.46	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.53	2.53	2.53
Quebec	0.89	1.97	1.84	1.90	2.05	2.11	2.12	2.12	2.12	2.12	2.10	2.12	2.12	2.12	2.11
Ontario	1.00	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.69	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.73	1.72	1.72	1.74	1.84	1.86
Manitoba	1.00	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.51	1.51	1.52	1.52	1.52	1.52
Saskatchewan	1.13	1.97	2.45	2.43	2.43	2.45	2.45	2.40	2.35	2.24	2.20	2.19	2.18	2.18	2.16
Alberta	1.24	2.27	2.27	2.30	2.30	2.31	2.31	2.29	2.28	2.23	2.21	2.23	2.21	2.26	2.28
British Columbia	1.05	2.14	2.29	2.29	2.29	2.29	2.52	2.52	2.50	2.50	2.48	2.49	2.52	2.62	2.65
Dominion Average	0.99	1.78	1.83	1.86	1.96	2.03	2.04	2.03	2.03	1.99	1.98	1.98	1.99	2.04	2.04
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, SEMI-PRIVATE ROOMS															
P.E.I.			2.50	2.50	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.51	2.51	2.51	2.28	2.28	2.28
Nova Scotia	1.60	2.56	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.20	3.19	3.19	3.18	3.08	3.08	3.06	3.06	3.13
New Brunswick			2.11	2.11	2.43	2.43	2.64	2.64	2.62	2.62	2.62	2.52	2.52	2.48	2.48
Quebec	1.64	2.91	3.12	3.15	3.16	3.16	3.20	3.21	3.19	3.17	3.17	3.13	3.13	3.13	3.13
Ontario	1.30	2.60	2.14	2.17	2.17	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.16	2.11	2.10	2.10	2.11	2.16	2.23
Manitoba	2.18	3.55	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.32	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.28	3.23	3.23
Saskatchewan	1.72	3.44	3.39	3.39	3.38	3.38	3.38	3.36	3.33	3.24	3.23	3.23	3.22	3.22	3.22
Alberta	2.16	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.44	3.52	3.45	3.45	3.37	3.38	3.34	3.33	3.33	3.35	3.35
British Columbia	1.89	3.52	3.40	3.40	3.39	3.39	3.39	3.34	3.33	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.34	3.38	3.38
Dominion Average	1.57	2.84	2.82	2.83	2.85	2.87	2.89	2.89	2.85	2.82	2.80	2.79	2.79	2.81	2.84
AVERAGE HOSPITAL CHARGES, PRIVATE ROOMS															
P.E.I.			3.75	3.75	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.87	3.94	3.94	3.94	3.94	3.94	3.94
Nova Scotia	1.87	3.07	3.82	3.99	4.01	4.04	4.11	4.02	4.02	4.02	3.89	3.91	3.91	3.91	4.05
New Brunswick			3.66	3.66	3.66	3.66	3.81	3.81	3.85	3.83	3.82	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.75
Quebec	2.60	5.85	6.16	6.35	6.46	6.41	6.44	6.46	6.15	6.12	6.06	6.00	6.03	6.03	6.04
Ontario	2.54	4.59	4.64	4.66	4.80	4.76	4.75	4.75	4.66	4.60	4.58	4.57	4.57	4.59	4.61
Manitoba	3.98	6.10	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.05	5.99	5.97	5.91	5.80	5.80	5.80	5.82	5.82	5.82
Saskatchewan	3.13	4.80	4.62	4.62	4.96	4.96	4.96	4.89	4.75	4.70	4.75	4.77	4.65	4.66	4.63
Alberta	3.33	5.11	4.51	4.57	4.56	4.63	4.59	4.58	4.57	4.50	4.48	4.49	4.53	4.54	4.54
British Columbia	2.58	3.97	5.08	5.08	5.11	5.06	5.05	5.05	5.09	4.94	4.94	4.95	4.95	5.02	5.07
Dominion Average	2.68	4.92	5.07	5.14	5.25	5.23	5.24	5.23	5.11	5.06	5.03	5.01	5.01	5.03	5.05
AVERAGE OPERATING ROOM CHARGES															
P.E.I.			7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
Nova Scotia	4.55	6.28	7.39	7.39	7.40	7.43	7.43	7.37	7.37	6.96	6.96	6.97	6.97	6.97	6.97
New Brunswick	6.00	10.00	7.26	7.26	7.36	7.41	7.34	7.30	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27	7.27
Quebec	5.58	8.74	9.26	9.65	9.69	9.69	9.69	9.68	9.66	9.60	9.59	9.62	9.55	9.60	9.69
Ontario	4.43	7.27	7.48	7.51	7.58	7.68	7.58	7.56	7.40	7.39	7.32	7.30	7.25	7.25	7.48
Manitoba	6.81	10.00	9.68	9.68	9.59	9.59	9.50	9.59	9.49	9.45	9.45	9.45	9.45	9.47	9.47
Saskatchewan	5.74	8.36	7.99	7.83	7.87	7.88	7.88	7.84	7.80	7.55	7.47	7.41	7.26	7.11	7.10
Alberta	5.12	6.50	6.99	7.02	7.10	7.10	7.04	7.02	6.57	6.45	6.34	6.30	6.34	6.29	6.29
British Columbia	4.73	7.06	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.58	8.57	8.56	8.52	8.52	8.52	8.51	8.51	8.46	8.46
Dominion Average	5.16	7.97	8.17	8.31	8.36	8.37	8.36	8.33	8.23	8.14	8.10	8.09	8.04	8.03	8.13
AVERAGE COST OF MAINTENANCE PER PATIENT PER DAY															
P.E.I.			2.61	2.47	2.88	3.26	3.34	3.25	2.97	3.12	3.16	3.06	3.01	3.36	3.05
Nova Scotia	1.28	2.14	2.87	2.94	2.92	3.24	3.41	3.47	2.80	2.71	2.58	2.50	2.36	2.39	2.41
New Brunswick			3.24	3.21	3.35	3.28	3.17	3.22	3.03	2.87	2.91	2.78	2.88	2.74	2.95
Quebec	1.63	3.14	3.81	3.98	4.09	3.96	3.92	3.77	3.79	3.63	3.58	3.62	3.64	3.70	3.88
Ontario	1.49	3.52	3.51	3.33	3.35	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.63	3.42	3.42	3.45	3.50	3.62	3.58
Manitoba	2.20	3.09	3.04	3.08	3.17	3.13	3.33	3.18	3.10	2.91	2.95	2.89	2.81	3.07	3.18
Saskatchewan	2.29	3.14	3.19	3.22	3.20	3.18	3.24	3.16	3.16	2.90	2.74	2.82	2.85	2.87	2.88
Alberta	2.18	3.83	3.60	3.43	3.39	3.28	3.13	3.10	3.01	2.82	2.73	2.68	2.54	2.77	2.70
British Columbia	2.01	3.25	3.55	3.32	3.19	3.35	3.47	3.40	3.19	2.89	3.01	3.06	3.14	3.23	3.49
Dominion Average	1.68	3.26	3.48	3.45	3.49	3.62	3.63	3.57	3.44	3.25	3.22	3.23	3.23	3.33	3.39

# INDEX NUMBERS AND PRICES OF MANUFACTURED AND NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES, 1913-1938

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index of manufactured fuel gas on the base 1926=100, declined from 94.5 in 1937 to 94.4 in 1938. Apart from a moderate reaction in 1937 this index has moved gradually lower since 1921. The British Columbia index, which fell from 94.2 in 1937 to 92.2 in 1938, was the only one to record a change. Rates in Oshawa were higher but these were offset by a decline in Owen Sound, leaving the Ontario index unchanged. The Vancouver typical bill was slightly lower. Basic prices in Canada ranged from \$2.02 in Oshawa to \$0.65 per 1,000 cubic feet for Guelph.

A natural gas index on the base 1926=100 was 92.3 in 1938, the same as in 1936 and 1937. City rates per first thousand cubic feet of gas ranged from \$1.40 at London and Windsor, Ontario, to \$0.237 for Medicine Hat.

TABLE 34—PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1924-1938

Net price per 1,000 cu. ft. as at the end of each year (exclusive of meter rent or other service charge)

	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Nova Scotia—																
Halifax.....				1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	\$1.20- 1.90	1.20- 1.90	1.20- 1.90	1.20- 1.90	1.20- 1.90
New Brunswick—																
Saint John.....	1.00	2.25	2.25	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75
Quebec—																
Montreal.....	.90	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Quebec.....	1.20	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
Sherbrooke.....	1.25	1.48	1.48	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21	1.21
Ontario—																
Belleville.....	1.25	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.85	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60	1.60
Brockville.....	.90	1.80	1.80	1.80	1.70	1.53	1.44	1.38	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35
Guelph.....				1.05	1.05	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.90	.70	.65	.65	.65	.65	.65
Hamilton.....				1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
Kingston.....				1.44	1.44	1.40	1.40	1.35	1.30	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25
Kitchener.....	1.10	1.50	1.30	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	.95	.95	.95	.95	.85	.85
London.....	.90	1.15	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05	1.05
Oshawa.....	1.40	2.00	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.65	1.65	1.45	1.45	1.45	1.76	1.76	1.76	1.76	1.76	2.02
Ottawa.....	1.10	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20
		1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26
Owen Sound.....	1.25	1.62	1.22	1.35	1.22	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	1.12	.75
Peterborough.....	1.25	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.48	1.48	1.39	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30
St. Thomas.....				1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.40	1.40	1.00	1.00	1.15	1.15	1.40	1.40	1.40
Sault Ste. Marie.....				1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.60	1.60	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.55
Stratford.....	1.20	2.00	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.75	1.75	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.65	1.55
Toronto.....	.70	.90	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.85	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.90	.90
Waterloo.....				1.65	1.30	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.20	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.15
Manitoba—																
Winnipeg.....	1.20	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47	1.47
British Columbia—																
New Westminster.....	2.25	2.48	2.48	2.48	1.70	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.55	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.77	1.73	1.73
Vancouver.....	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.62	1.58	1.58
Victoria.....	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.75	1.71	1.71	1.71

1 First price for standard service; second price for dual service.

2 Price as at September 23rd. Following that date natural gas was introduced.

3 First price for general service; second price optional domestic rate.



TABLE 35—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1924-1938

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1926=100)

	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
DOMINION.....	76.3	102.7	100.4	100.0	98.4	98.1	97.7	97.4	95.5	94.3	94.1	94.0	93.7	93.6	94.5	94.4
Provinces—																
N.S. (1 city).....				100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9
N.B. (1 city).....	51.2	112.2	112.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Quebec.....	82.6	100.2	100.2	100.0	96.1	96.1	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0	96.0
Ontario.....	63.7	104.5	100.2	100.0	99.7	99.2	98.5	97.9	93.8	91.8	91.4	91.1	90.6	90.5	92.6	92.6
Prairie (1 city).....	81.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Brit. Columbia.....	96.8	97.1	97.1	100.0	99.1	98.9	98.9	98.9	98.9	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.2	96.2	94.2	92.2
Cities—																
Halifax.....				100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.9
Saint John.....	51.2	112.2	112.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Montreal.....	82.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7
Quebec.....	80.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sherbrooke.....	97.2	110.1	110.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5	90.5
Belleville.....	67.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5	86.5
Brockville.....	50.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.4	85.2	82.6	78.1	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8	74.8
Guelph.....				100.0	100.0	95.6	95.6	95.6	95.6	85.8	79.8	87.2	62.3	62.3	62.3	62.3
Hamilton.....				100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	82.3	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0
Kingston.....				100.0	97.7	95.1	95.1	91.8	90.1	85.9	85.5	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2
Kitchener.....	103.0	138.3	120.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.3
London.....	82.6	104.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7
Oshawa.....	77.6	105.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.7	98.7	86.8	86.8	86.8	84.7	84.7	84.7	84.7	84.7	84.7
Ottawa.....	77.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	93.6	92.0	92.0	92.0	92.0	92.0
Owen Sound.....	93.2	118.5	90.9	100.0	90.8	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6	84.6
Peterborough.....	65.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	92.6	87.4	82.5	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3	78.3
Sault Ste. Marie.....				100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.6	98.3	93.2	82.9	82.9	82.9	82.9
St. Thomas.....				100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	93.3	93.3	88.9	88.5	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.7	98.7
Stratford.....	62.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.3	90.6	88.2	88.2	84.9	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5	83.5	78.8	78.8
Toronto.....	66.7	104.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	96.8	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.2	99.2	99.2
Waterloo.....				100.0	79.6	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	71.3	71.3	71.3	71.3	71.3	71.3
Winnipeg.....	81.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
New Westminster.....	91.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	71.4	65.9	65.9	65.9	65.9	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	63.4	63.4
Vancouver.....	96.7	96.7	96.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	94.8	92.4
Victoria.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2

TABLE 36—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF MANUFACTURED FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1924-1938

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1913=100)

	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
DOMINION.....	100.0	131.0	131.0	131.1	129.0	128.6	128.1	127.7	125.2	123.6	123.4	123.2	122.8	122.6	123.9	123.8
Provinces—																
Maritime (1 city).....	100.0	219.0	219.0	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2
Quebec.....	100.0	121.2	121.2	121.0	116.3	115.3	115.2	113.2	110.2	106.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2	105.2
Ontario.....	100.0	149.9	138.8	133.1	133.0	132.3	131.2	130.1	131.5	131.0	131.1	130.0	129.6	129.6	129.6	129.6
Prairie (1 city).....	100.0	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5
Brit. Columbia.....	100.0	100.3	100.3	100.3	99.4	99.2	99.2	99.2	99.2	96.9	96.9	96.9	96.5	96.5	94.5	92.5
Cities—																
Saint John.....	100.0	219.0	219.0	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2	195.2
Montreal.....	100.0	121.1	121.1	121.1	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
Quebec.....	100.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0
Sherbrooke.....	100.0	113.3	113.3	102.9	102.9	102.9	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1	93.1
Belleville.....	100.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	148.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0	128.0
Brockville.....	100.0	200.0	200.0	188.8	170.4	165.2	156.2	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6	149.6
Kitchener.....	100.0	134.3	117.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
London.....	100.0	136.3	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	121.1	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9	115.9
Oshawa.....	100.0	135.6	128.8	128.8	128.8	127.1	127.1	111.1	111.1	111.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1	109.1
Ottawa.....	100.0	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	128.3
Owen Sound.....	100.0	127.1	97.5	107.3	97.4	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8	90.8
Peterborough.....	100.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0	152.0
Stratford.....	100.0	160.4	160.4	160.4	152.9	145.3	141.5	141.5	136.2	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9	126.4	126.4
Toronto.....	100.0	157.1	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
Winnipeg.....	100.0	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5	122.5
New Westminster.....	100.0	109.2	109.2	109.2	78.0	72.07	72.07	72.07	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	69.2	69.2
Vancouver.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	103.4	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	100.5	98.0	95.5
Victoria.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2

\* Manufactured gas replaced by natural gas after September 23rd. Index based on average bill for year.

TABLE 37—PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1924-1938

Net price per 1,000 cu. ft. as at the end of each year (exclusive of meter rent or other service charge)

(Where double quotations are shown, the first figure is the regular rate, and the second figure is the summer rate; single quotations apply to the end of the year)

	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
New Brunswick—																
Moncton.....	.38	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50
Ontario—																
Brantford.....	.30	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Chatham.....	.25		.45	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	.50	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.36
			.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75						
Galt.....				.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
London.....														1.40	1.40	1.40
Niagara Falls.....	.40	.65	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
		.70														
Port Colborne.....				.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
St. Catharines.....	.70	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75	.75
Sarnia.....	.30	.50	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55
		.70	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Welland.....	.28	.70	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
			1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30								
Windsor.....	.30	.50	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	.55	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40
			.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80								
Woodstock.....	.35	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80	.80
Alberta—																
Calgary.....	.30	.48	.48	.38	.38	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33	.33
Edmonton.....				.45	.45	.45	.45	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38	.38
Medicine Hat.....	.135	.225	.225	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237	.237

<sup>1</sup> Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.

TABLE 38—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1924-1938

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1926=100)

	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
DOMINION.....	58.0	94.1	104.0	100.0	96.8	93.3	93.2	92.5	93.9	94.3	93.9	93.4	93.2	92.3	92.3	92.3
Provinces—																
Maritime (1 city).....	76.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Ontario.....	47.7	81.7	99.4	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.8	99.8	105.7	106.7	105.8	104.6	104.6	102.8	102.8	102.8
Alberta.....	70.3	111.3	111.3	100.0	93.0	85.4	85.4	83.9	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	80.7	80.6	80.6	80.6
Cities—																
Moncton.....	76.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Brantford.....	59.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Chatham.....	43.7		95.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	109.5	111.6	111.6	111.6	111.6	111.6
Galt.....				100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
London.....														181.3	81.3	81.3
Niagara Falls.....	40.0	67.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Port Colborne.....				100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1
St. Catharines.....				100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Sarnia.....	40.1	89.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Welland.....	28.0	67.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9
Windsor.....	44.1	73.5	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	116.2	118.8	113.8	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1
Woodstock.....	58.8	94.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Calgary.....	70.4	112.7	112.7	100.0	89.2	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5	77.5
Edmonton.....				100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.8	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4
Medicine Hat.....	68.9	94.9	94.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.9	94.2	94.2	94.2

<sup>1</sup> Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.

**TABLE 39—INDEX NUMBERS OF THE PRICES OF NATURAL FUEL GAS USED FOR DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, 1913 AND 1924-1938**

Provincial indexes weighted according to consumption (inclusive of meter rent, etc.)

(1913=100)

	1913	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
DOMINION.....	100-0	162-2	179-3	172-4	166-9	160-8	160-7	159-5	161-9	162-6	161-9	161-0	160-7	159-1	159-1	159-1
Provinces—																
Maritime.....	100-0	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6
Ontario.....	100-0	171-2	208-3	209-5	209-5	209-5	209-1	209-1	221-4	223-5	221-7	219-1	219-1	215-4	215-4	215-4
Alberta.....	100-0	158-3	158-3	142-2	132-2	121-4	121-4	119-3	115-2	115-2	115-2	114-8	114-6	114-6	114-6	114-6
Cities—																
Moncton.....	100-0	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6	131-6
Brantford.....	100-0	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6	168-6
Chatham.....	100-0	.....	218-2	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	228-6	250-3	255-1	255-1	255-1	255-1	255-1
London.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	98-5	98-5	98-5
Niagara Falls.....	100-0	167-8	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0	250-0
St. Catharines.....	100-0	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4	106-4
Sarnia.....	100-0	223-7	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6
Welland.....	100-0	239-4	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	357-1	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5	317-5
Windsor.....	100-0	166-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	226-7	263-4	269-3	258-0	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6	249-6
Woodstock.....	100-0	160-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2	170-2
Calgary.....	100-0	160-0	160-0	142-0	126-7	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1	110-1
Medicine Hat.....	100-0	137-8	137-8	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	145-2	139-2	136-8	136-8	136-8

<sup>1</sup> Changed to natural gas September 23, 1935.**INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES**

Computed by the Bureau's Transportation Branch in Collaboration with the Prices' Division.

The accompanying table shows that charges for electricity for domestic lighting declined 0.5 per cent from 1937 to 1938, the index for the latter year on the 1926 base being 80.9. Rates were 44.4 per cent below those in 1913. In recent years, although the average domestic bill has been somewhat larger than formerly, rate reductions in the form of greater discounts, etc., have reduced the unit cost of electricity used in the home.

**TABLE 40—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1926 AND 1931-1938**

(1926=100)

	1926	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
CANADA.....	100-0	87-6	87-5	87-6	87-9	86-3	85-5	81-3	80-9
Prince Edward Island.....	100-0	84-6	84-6	74-9	74-9	67-2	67-2	63-9	58-3
Nova Scotia.....	100-0	73-4	72-9	72-0	72-0	72-0	71-5	62-4	60-7
New Brunswick.....	100-0	90-6	88-0	87-8	87-8	85-5	84-4	83-0	82-6
Quebec.....	100-0	83-5	83-2	82-2	81-3	75-2	75-2	73-0	72-9
Ontario.....	100-0	92-1	92-1	93-3	94-3	94-4	93-6	85-9	85-3
Manitoba.....	100-0	98-4	98-1	98-1	98-1	96-7	96-7	96-7	96-6
Saskatchewan.....	100-0	73-8	73-4	72-2	72-2	72-2	71-9	71-0	71-0
Alberta.....	100-0	75-4	75-4	75-4	75-4	74-5	74-5	74-3	74-3
British Columbia.....	100-0	81-9	83-2	83-2	83-2	83-2	79-3	79-0	78-5



TABLE 41—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC ELECTRIC LIGHT RATES, 1926 AND 1931-1938

(1913=100)

	1926	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
CANADA.....	68.7	60.2	60.1	60.2	60.4	59.3	58.7	55.9	55.6
Prince Edward Island.....	119.8	101.4	101.4	89.7	89.7	80.5	80.5	76.6	69.8
Nova Scotia.....	83.5	61.3	60.9	60.1	60.1	60.1	59.7	52.1	50.7
New Brunswick.....	68.9	62.4	60.6	60.5	60.5	58.9	58.2	57.2	56.9
Quebec.....	63.4	52.9	52.7	52.1	51.5	47.7	47.7	46.3	46.2
Ontario.....	60.6	55.8	55.8	56.5	57.1	57.2	56.7	52.1	51.7
Manitoba.....	99.9	98.3	98.0	98.0	98.0	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.5
Saskatchewan.....	97.2	71.7	71.3	70.2	70.2	70.2	69.9	69.0	69.0
Alberta.....	79.0	59.6	59.6	59.6	59.6	58.9	58.9	58.7	58.7
British Columbia.....	68.3	55.9	56.8	56.8	56.8	56.8	54.2	54.0	53.6

## TELEPHONE RATES AND INDEX NUMBERS

## DOMESTIC TELEPHONES

The index number for domestic telephone rates in Canada on the base 1926=100 remained unchanged for 1938 at 107.4. The average 1938 rate for domestic use in Canada was \$2.58 per month, while provincial rates ranged from \$2.17 for British Columbia to \$2.94 for Manitoba.

## BUSINESS TELEPHONES

Taking average quotations in 1926 as equal to 100, the index of business telephone rates in Canada rose from 118.7 in 1937 to 119.4 in 1938. The upward movement was due to an increase in rates for British Columbia, the index for which recorded an advance from 101.2 to 106.1. Average rates for business telephones were highest in British Columbia at \$7.16 and lowest in Prince Edward Island at \$3.67. The average Dominion rate changed from \$6.17 in 1937 to \$6.21 in 1938. It should be noted that the amounts of service given in the case of business telephones varies in different cities.

TABLE 42—DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1935-1938

	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1935	1936	1937	1938	1913	1935	1936	1937	1938
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.25-2.50	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	2.01	2.58	2.58	2.58	2.58
Prince Edward Island.....	1	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	1.66	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
Nova Scotia.....	6	1.67-2.17	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.25-2.50	2.00	2.43	2.43	2.43	2.43
New Brunswick.....	3	1.67-2.50	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.25-3.00	2.16	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75
Quebec.....	14	1.50-2.40	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	1.85-2.75	2.31	2.67	2.67	2.67	2.67
Ontario.....	32	1.25-2.08	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.44-3.10	1.84	2.56	2.56	2.56	2.56
Manitoba.....	3	1.66-2.50	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.08-3.00	2.46	2.94	2.94	2.94	2.94
Saskatchewan.....	4	2.25-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.33-2.75	2.25	2.68	2.68	2.68	2.68
Alberta.....	5	1.25-1.67	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	2.50-3.00	1.67	2.81	2.81	2.81	2.81
British Columbia.....	6	1.50-2.00	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.65-2.20	1.98	2.17	2.17	2.17	2.17

\* Approximate.

TABLE 43—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMESTIC TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1935-1938

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1935	1936	1937	1938	1913	1935	1936	1937	1938
DOMINION.....	83.2	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.4	100.0	129.1	129.1	129.1	129.1
Prince Edward Island.....	73.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	135.5	135.5	135.5	135.5
Nova Scotia.....	82.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5
New Brunswick.....	78.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	127.3	127.3	127.3	127.3
Quebec.....	95.3	110.1	110.1	110.1	110.1	100.0	116.0	116.0	116.0	116.0
Ontario.....	79.7	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	100.0	139.1	139.1	139.1	139.1
Manitoba.....	78.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	126.8	126.8	126.8	126.8
Saskatchewan.....	87.9	104.8	104.8	104.8	104.8	100.0	119.3	119.3	119.3	119.3
Alberta.....	59.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.4	169.4	169.4	169.4
British Columbia.....	91.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	109.5	109.5	109.5	109.5

TABLE 44—BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1935-1938

	Number of localities included	Range of monthly rates					Average rates weighted by number of telephones				
		1913	1935	1936	1937	1938	1913	1935	1936	1937	1938
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
DOMINION.....	74	1.83-6.00	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.75	4.21	6.16	6.16	6.17	6.21
Prince Edward Island.....	1	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.00	3.67	3.67	3.67	3.67
Nova Scotia.....	6	2.67-3.92	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.35-7.00*	3.54	5.81	5.81	5.81	5.81
New Brunswick.....	3	2.67-3.91	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.85-5.91*	3.54	5.39	5.39	5.39	5.39
Quebec.....	14	1.83-4.75	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	2.95-7.20	4.34	6.47	6.47	6.47	6.47
Ontario.....	32	1.83-4.33	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.33-7.20	3.77	6.01	6.01	6.01	6.01
Manitoba.....	3	3.16-5.25	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	3.58-6.75	5.10	6.53	6.53	6.53	6.53
Saskatchewan.....	4	3.09-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.42-4.25	3.09	4.14	4.14	4.14	4.14
Alberta.....	5	2.17-4.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	4.75-6.25	3.33	5.63	5.63	5.63	5.63
British Columbia.....	6	4.50-6.00	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.10	4.25-7.75	5.70	6.75	6.75	6.83	7.16

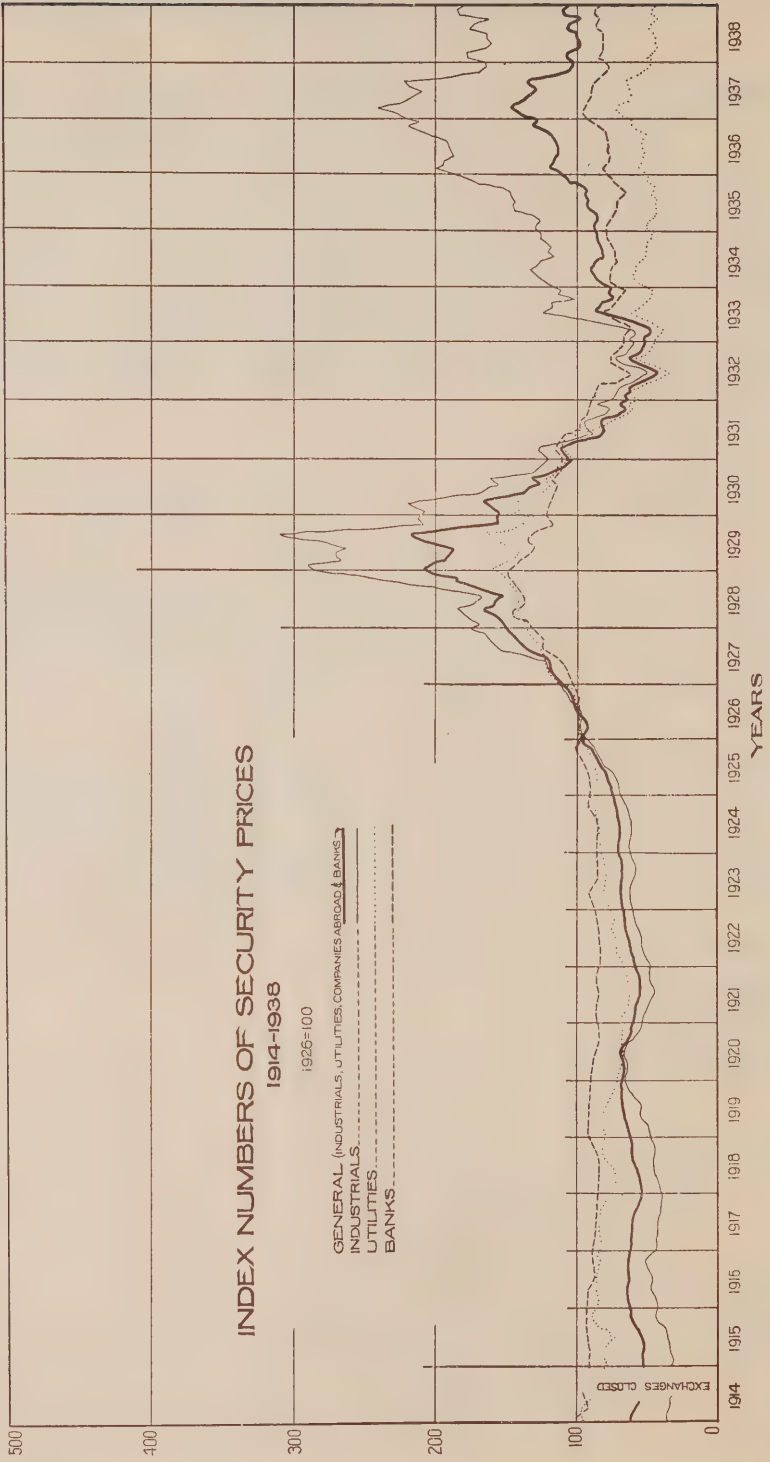
\* Measured service basis.

TABLE 45—INDEX NUMBERS OF BUSINESS TELEPHONE RATES, 1913 AND 1935-1938

(1926=100 and 1913=100)

	Index Numbers—(1926=100)					Index Numbers—(1913=100)				
	1913	1935	1936	1937	1938	1913	1935	1936	1937	1938
DOMINION.....	80.6	118.5	118.5	118.7	119.4	100.0	146.9	146.9	147.1	148.0
Prince Edward Island.....	82.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	122.0	122.0	122.0	122.0
Nova Scotia.....	60.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	164.1	164.1	164.1	164.1
New Brunswick.....	65.7	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	152.3	152.3	152.3	152.3
Quebec.....	87.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	130.5	100.0	149.3	149.3	149.3	149.3
Ontario.....	80.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	100.0	159.3	159.3	159.3	159.3
Manitoba.....	76.2	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	131.2	131.2	131.2	131.2
Saskatchewan.....	78.0	104.5	104.5	104.5	104.5	100.0	134.0	134.0	134.0	134.0
Alberta.....	59.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	169.1	169.1	169.1	169.1
British Columbia.....	84.6	100.0	100.0	101.2	106.1	100.0	118.2	118.2	119.6	125.4

Chart 6





## INVESTORS' SECURITY PRICES INDEX NUMBERS

International events appeared to be the dominating force behind major security price movements in 1938 and, as successive crises were weathered, swift declines were followed by equally sharp rallies. There were two outstanding political crises in 1938 and these were both clearly reflected in security price indexes, the first occurring prior to the union of Germany and Austria on April 1, and the second during the Sudeten dispute in September. Except for these two periods Canadian stock exchange prices pursued a much steadier course than in 1937. The Bureau's general index of 95 common stocks entered 1938 on a rising tide, continuing the advance inaugurated in the third week of October, 1937. It was not until October of 1938, however, that the general index moved above corresponding 1937 levels. At the end of the year it was 6.5 per cent higher than the 1937 close.

Opening at 102.2 the daily index for 95 common stocks rose rapidly to a plateau between 106 and 110, where it remained for almost two and a half months. The first major decline then commenced, and by the end of March the index had been swept down to a 1938 low of 87.9. Following this period an irregular rally set in which reached its greatest momentum during the latter part of June and early July, carrying the index back close to 108 on July 19. This advance was terminated by increasing European tension which was not eased until the Munich Accord was signed on September 29. Indexes immediately rebounded from the low levels then ruling and the daily general index reached a 1938 high of 112.8 on November 12. This gain was not all held and at the year's close the index had receded to 108.7. Practically all gains during the year were confined to the industrial section, and special mention might be made of the rapidly advancing prices of shares included in machinery and equipment, building materials and industrial mines sub-group indexes. This was particularly noticeable during the latter half of the year and reflected to a considerable extent the impetus given by rearmament programs. Food and beverage sub-groups registered a considerable net gain for the year, while the textile index showed the only recession in the industrial section.

Among the utilities the telephone and telegraph sub-group, influenced largely by Bell Telephone, was the only one to register an advance during 1938. Transportation and power groups showed weakness, the former recording a new low for the past 25 years.

Bank shares were not subjected to the same sharp price reactions as other issues, though the undertone for the first six months was noticeable easier as indicated by the daily index for this series, which moved down 2.2 points to 80.5 in the third week of June. The mid-year rally, previously mentioned, advanced the index about 5 points in July and it remained close to that level for the balance of the year, closing at 83.8, slightly higher than the corresponding figure at the end of 1937.

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PREFERRED STOCKS

Preferred share price fluctuations generally paralleled common stock price movements during 1938. In December, 1938, the preferred index stood at 86.9, which was 7.3 per cent higher than the corresponding level on December, 1937. A general index for 95 common stocks moved up 6.5 per cent during the same interval, indicating that the relative position between these two series had shown practically no net change during the past year. The preferred stock index touched a 1938 low of 77.5 in March while the highest level of 88.0 was attained in October. The range between the 1938 high and low points was much narrower than in the previous year, the actual amounts being 13.8 per cent and 27.3 per cent respectively.

TABLE 46—INDEX NUMBERS OF 25 PREFERRED STOCKS, 1928-1939

(1926=100)

—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1928.....	111.5	110.9	109.9	111.4	111.7	111.2	110.3	107.5	107.6	106.2	104.0	107.9
1929.....	107.4	108.1	106.8	104.3	104.3	104.8	104.8	105.6	105.1	102.9	99.8	100.4
1930.....	97.9	98.8	100.0	103.4	102.6	99.5	97.4	97.1	96.2	85.4	81.9	82.5
1931.....	83.2	83.4	84.2	78.8	73.8	72.6	71.8	69.1	64.2	63.9	66.5	63.0
1932.....	57.2	58.8	58.0	55.4	48.4	45.2	49.5	52.9	53.4	52.9	52.2	50.2
1933.....	49.6	49.6	47.3	47.3	54.6	58.5	61.9	61.7	61.0	59.7	59.1	60.2
1934.....	64.1	66.5	67.3	68.5	68.7	68.4	68.1	67.3	67.4	69.5	70.6	71.4
1935.....	73.5	73.8	71.2	69.2	68.4	68.4	69.6	70.9	69.2	69.5	72.5	73.8
1936.....	74.9	77.2	76.3	76.0	74.6	76.2	79.5	80.6	83.8	86.8	91.1	93.9
1937.....	99.2	100.4	102.6	103.1	100.2	99.3	99.4	101.5	91.0	82.2	82.0	81.0
1938.....	83.4	82.1	77.5	78.2	80.1	81.8	87.2	86.8	81.3	88.0	87.5	86.9
1939.....	85.0	84.4	83.9	78.9	79.0	81.9	83.0	81.0	83.3	89.0	90.1	91.3

## INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS

The course of mining stock price indexes was broadly similar to the pattern shown by industrials and utilities except that fluctuations in the former were much sharper. The general index for 24 mining issues closed the year at 161.5 or 17.7 per cent above the December, 1937 close. Most of the increase came in the final quarter and was due almost entirely to the advance in base metal shares.

Gold shares during 1938 were unusually quiescent in comparison to previous years. An index for this sub-group reached a yearly high of 126.6 on February 1 while the low of 101.6 was recorded on March 18. There was a stronger rally through the spring and early summer, but with the reappearance of European tension, the gold index broke to a secondary low of 104.7 on September 26. A swift recovery moved it to 120.0 on September 30 and during the next three months the range of fluctuations did not exceed 3 per cent. Actual net appreciation between the close of 1937 and 1938 amounted to 4.5 per cent.

Base metal shares while subjected to the same relapses as the golds nevertheless recovered from each decline to reach successively higher levels until at the close of 1938, the base metal index was 48.3 per cent higher than at the close of 1937. The improving industrial situation combined with heavy rearmament orders had an especially stimulating effect on base metals.

TABLE 47—INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCK PRICES, 1935-1939

(1926=100)

Month	Gold	Base Metals	Total Index
1935			
No. of Stocks	19	4	23
January.....	123.2	132.4	124.3
February.....	123.4	131.2	124.2
March.....	127.5	135.3	128.2
April.....	124.5	140.1	128.7
May.....	121.4	150.2	128.3
June.....	116.3	153.2	123.0
July.....	110.1	151.9	117.9
August.....	106.2	155.4	115.6
September.....	109.5	159.6	119.1
October.....	106.3	169.7	118.6
November.....	111.8	181.9	125.5
December.....	116.9	201.7	133.6
1936			
No. of Stocks	20	3	23
January.....	124.8	214.8	142.4
February.....	130.2	230.4	149.8
March.....	122.7	232.2	144.2
April.....	122.8	241.1	145.8
May.....	128.9	239.2	150.3
June.....	134.4	246.0	156.1
July.....	134.4	254.1	157.6
August.....	132.6	264.0	158.1
September.....	131.2	267.1	157.6
October.....	126.4	289.4	158.2
November.....	131.8	312.5	167.0
December.....	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
No. of Stocks	21	3	24
January.....	137.5	329.6	174.6
February.....	139.4	344.8	177.2
March.....	133.0	340.5	172.6
April.....	120.0	288.0	154.1
May.....	111.3	269.3	142.1
June.....	105.9	255.0	134.7
July.....	109.2	278.9	141.8
August.....	112.5	287.4	146.2
September.....	103.5	224.5	127.6
October.....	104.3	192.4	121.6
November.....	113.8	192.4	129.4
December.....	115.5	213.1	134.3
1938			
No. of Stocks	21	3	24
January.....	121.0	241.7	144.1
February.....	124.3	246.9	147.7
March.....	111.4	225.3	134.9
April.....	110.5	229.5	133.9
May.....	114.1	243.0	139.5
June.....	119.2	259.5	145.8
July.....	119.8	282.1	151.1
August.....	123.8	289.2	156.0
September.....	113.6	269.8	144.0
October.....	121.3	308.2	157.4
November.....	121.1	319.3	159.6
December.....	121.6	313.0	159.0
1939			
No. of Stocks	22	3	25
January.....	121.4	307.0	158.0
February.....	121.1	315.1	158.8
March.....	118.2	305.6	155.0
April.....	110.1	282.6	143.7
May.....	114.6	303.3	151.4
June.....	116.5	308.6	153.9
July.....	117.7	314.7	155.8
August.....	112.8	310.3	151.4
September.....	99.6	298.3	137.7
October.....	106.6	299.6	144.7
November.....	106.3	304.1	144.7
December.....	105.0	298.0	142.4



\*TABLE 48—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1935-1939

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)

(1926=100)

Month	GENERAL	BANKS	UTILITIES				INDUSTRIALS		
	Total	Total	Total	Trans- portation	Tele- phone and Tele- graph	Power and Traction	Total	Machin- ery and Equip- ment	Pulp and Paper
1935									
No. of Stocks	121	9	20	2	2	16	87	8	6
January.....	88.6	80.1	50.4	32.1	100.3	61.3	129.7	130.4	14.0
February.....	87.8	79.9	49.4	30.8	102.4	59.8	128.8	128.8	13.4
March.....	84.4	76.8	45.1	25.3	100.1	56.4	125.6	119.4	11.6
April.....	86.4	75.0	43.8	25.8	94.8	53.9	130.8	122.7	11.1
May.....	93.6	73.1	44.4	27.0	95.5	53.8	144.4	120.2	10.8
June.....	93.8	72.0	45.0	26.5	97.6	55.3	145.2	115.5	10.5
July.....	92.4	71.7	44.7	25.0	98.6	56.0	143.8	119.6	10.6
August.....	94.7	70.6	47.7	26.7	99.9	60.8	146.1	119.7	12.0
September.....	93.6	65.9	46.3	25.7	100.3	58.6	147.1	115.3	12.4
October.....	96.1	68.4	45.6	23.4	100.0	59.6	152.9	120.3	12.6
November.....	105.8	73.0	50.9	27.9	105.1	66.1	170.3	122.6	14.6
December.....	107.4	75.1	50.1	28.6	108.0	62.7	178.2	116.4	15.9
1936									
No. of Stocks	121	9	23	2	2	19	89	8	6
January.....	112.9	78.6	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	187.7	118.2	18.6
February.....	120.7	82.6	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	200.0	125.0	20.2
March.....	117.4	79.6	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	194.8	122.2	18.5
April.....	115.9	77.5	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	194.2	114.3	17.5
May.....	112.8	77.7	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	187.9	108.0	16.7
June.....	113.8	77.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	189.3	106.3	17.5
July.....	114.7	77.2	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	190.1	102.4	18.6
August.....	114.7	79.0	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	191.4	103.0	18.0
September.....	119.5	79.7	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	200.6	113.6	20.3
October.....	126.9	80.6	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	212.3	127.3	24.4
November.....	131.8	84.5	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	219.9	140.4	27.5
December.....	129.2	87.7	62.8	34.6	120.4	82.1	212.8	139.4	29.7
1937									
No. of Stocks	96	9	19	2	2	15	68	8	6
January.....	137.4	94.4	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	222.0	156.3	37.2
February.....	142.4	96.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	228.8	163.4	36.7
March.....	147.2	95.9	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	241.7	168.3	40.2
April.....	136.2	94.0	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	224.1	157.5	47.1
May.....	132.2	92.7	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	216.4	151.3	38.5
June.....	129.4	92.3	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	210.1	148.1	38.2
July.....	133.0	90.2	63.9	29.7	128.0	88.0	217.8	148.0	40.5
August.....	135.2	89.9	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	221.6	151.2	40.4
September.....	118.9	84.9	57.4	24.8	126.6	78.6	193.3	122.8	29.3
October.....	105.8	81.4	51.7	20.9	122.9	70.7	170.3	104.3	22.5
November.....	103.1	79.0	49.6	19.9	122.2	66.9	166.3	104.7	20.4
December.....	103.7	81.6	49.5	19.8	125.4	66.0	167.7	103.2	18.3
1938									
No. of Stocks	95	8(a)	19	2	2	15	68	8	7
January.....	107.7	84.3	48.4	19.2	125.6	64.4	177.0	109.6	18.9
February.....	107.1	81.8	46.8	17.6	123.1	63.1	177.7	109.3	17.5
March.....	99.2	80.5	43.1	14.5	120.1	58.2	164.0	100.7	14.6
April.....	97.9	80.4	43.7	15.4	117.0	59.7	160.5	103.2	15.4
May.....	99.7	80.9	44.5	14.8	122.8	61.0	163.5	107.2	15.7
June.....	100.0	81.0	45.1	15.7	123.8	61.2	163.5	111.8	18.6
July.....	106.9	84.9	48.6	18.3	123.7	66.4	175.1	129.2	23.1
August.....	105.2	85.0	47.1	16.7	125.3	64.3	172.8	130.1	21.0
September.....	98.6	83.4	42.7	14.1	121.1	57.8	162.2	120.6	17.5
October.....	109.7	86.0	46.9	16.5	125.8	64.0	182.7	139.8	22.8
November.....	110.4	85.6	46.2	16.4	126.8	62.3	184.9	141.5	21.6
December.....	106.8	83.9	44.0	14.3	127.3	59.4	179.4	135.5	19.3
1939									
No. of Stocks	95	8	19	2	2	15	68	8	7
January.....	102.9	85.2	42.7	13.4	127.3	57.5	171.4	129.4	16.9
February.....	104.1	85.3	42.9	12.4	129.7	58.2	174.0	129.4	16.4
March.....	103.7	85.1	44.4	11.5	131.7	62.0	171.4	126.6	15.1
April.....	96.2	83.7	41.9	9.6	129.7	58.9	157.7	111.1	11.5
May.....	99.2	84.7	43.2	10.0	132.6	60.8	163.0	112.5	12.0
June.....	97.0	85.0	43.7	11.0	133.8	60.8	157.6	114.2	12.4
July.....	97.3	85.0	42.7	10.4	132.8	59.2	159.2	118.0	12.7
August.....	94.2	84.3	40.9	9.3	130.0	56.8	154.2	108.6	11.1
September.....	100.1	78.4	42.2	17.8	116.7	53.8	168.2	132.8	19.1
October.....	106.0	81.0	45.7	19.6	123.4	59.5	177.0	149.1	23.4
November.....	103.6	84.2	44.7	16.0	125.2	59.6	171.9	141.1	22.7
December.....	101.2	84.4	45.7	16.6	126.5	61.3	165.3	142.1	23.7

\* For 1914-34 Data see Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1934.

(a) Bank of Canada stock was removed from the trading list on July 14, 1938.

TABLE 48—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1935-1939—*Concluded*(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)—*Concluded*

(1926=100)

Month	Industrials						Industrial Mines
	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Bever- ages	Building materials	
1935 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	19	8	14	2
January.....	71.5	181.5	75.8	134.2	106.8	106.5	198.4
February.....	67.4	179.7	75.6	131.3	109.1	102.5	198.9
March.....	56.0	176.0	74.1	125.5	101.6	95.5	200.4
April.....	56.9	178.6	73.1	125.1	99.6	97.7	222.6
May.....	59.9	211.7	70.3	127.8	102.4	102.0	243.0
June.....	58.4	217.9	67.2	127.0	104.7	103.4	240.4
July.....	57.4	210.6	66.7	128.5	116.7	103.6	236.4
August.....	59.3	210.0	65.5	130.1	122.9	105.7	246.0
September.....	61.2	206.6	61.8	128.7	126.5	103.3	257.0
October.....	60.9	215.1	63.5	134.4	133.2	103.8	267.3
November.....	66.9	228.7	69.0	145.7	157.3	112.7	315.7
December.....	76.7	214.8	70.4	148.5	161.0	117.8	370.1
1936 No. of Stocks	5	5	11	18	9	14	2
January.....	80.4	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2
February.....	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2
March.....	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3
April.....	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8
May.....	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8
June.....	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8
July.....	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	428.5
August.....	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2
September.....	93.9	220.5	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1
October.....	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3
November.....	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2
December.....	112.5	215.4	73.5	182.3	145.3	181.9	540.0
1937 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	13	7	14	2
January.....	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3
February.....	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7
March.....	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2
April.....	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9
May.....	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8
June.....	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8
July.....	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4
August.....	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2
September.....	89.1	205.3	73.3	167.9	118.3	159.8	470.5
October.....	69.9	192.0	68.0	154.1	105.6	132.5	395.0
November.....	80.1	193.2	67.7	154.1	115.7	129.5	359.2
December.....	82.9	188.0	67.1	154.7	114.2	131.9	382.7
1938 No. of Stocks	3	4	10	12	7	15	2
January.....	87.2	194.9	64.3	158.7	116.1	138.4	422.6
February.....	88.9	195.2	64.8	159.9	115.0	131.4	425.0
March.....	76.5	181.2	60.3	152.0	101.3	116.0	387.3
April.....	75.6	172.0	55.0	151.5	106.0	119.4	386.6
May.....	85.8	177.2	54.5	153.6	107.5	122.5	389.2
June.....	84.8	170.0	54.1	156.2	109.2	129.8	395.2
July.....	88.6	177.6	59.4	167.9	120.5	142.6	433.0
August.....	88.3	176.7	59.0	168.5	122.1	139.3	421.1
September.....	78.4	165.0	54.3	162.2	108.8	121.2	401.0
October.....	85.8	182.1	58.5	170.1	133.3	139.5	467.9
November.....	84.9	184.5	59.0	170.2	143.3	141.5	466.1
December.....	78.8	176.9	56.9	170.1	135.9	149.2	459.3
1939 No. of Stocks	3	4	10	12	7	15	2
January.....	79.1	173.5	52.9	172.9	126.9	133.3	422.1
February.....	77.6	175.9	54.3	175.3	130.4	133.6	433.1
March.....	79.8	173.9	57.2	172.5	127.6	132.9	419.2
April.....	71.4	162.9	53.1	169.2	116.9	119.3	381.9
May.....	78.9	170.2	55.0	176.3	120.4	124.6	387.9
June.....	77.4	153.2	56.2	179.2	124.7	128.8	389.0
July.....	75.0	154.0	59.8	182.1	124.8	129.5	393.1
August.....	76.0	147.9	60.1	180.5	117.7	121.6	386.7
September.....	99.8	164.6	71.9	170.8	108.5	145.3	426.3
October.....	106.3	185.9	81.4	178.8	121.4	160.9	399.6
November.....	100.9	173.9	82.9	174.3	127.5	156.6	394.8
December.....	101.8	163.5	84.7	180.1	130.8	155.3	376.8

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRICES AND YIELDS OF CANADIAN BONDS, 1900-1938

The following tables present index numbers of prices and yields of Dominion of Canada long-term bonds. Exactly the same issues are included in both series and methods of computation are identical. The average maturity of issues included ranges generally between twelve and thirteen years, with an arbitrary minimum of seven years. Since only domestic issues have been utilized, the Dominion indexes do not extend beyond the post-war period when the domestic market first became active. A supplementary series of domestic Ontario bond yield index numbers is included which runs back to 1900. Provincial and municipal issues in the home market antedate Dominion issues by more than twenty years.

Dominion of Canada bonds were materially firmer in 1938, reflecting to a considerable extent the abundance of idle funds seeking safe investment. Oversubscription of practically all Dominion offerings of refunding and loan issues was indicative of the large quantities of available funds. During the opening months of the year Dominion bond prices rose steadily, the index for this series touching a peak of 118.2 in May. European international events overshadowed the domestic situation during the summer months and the index reacted to 116.0 in September. A strong rally, following the September crisis advanced the index to 117.7 in December where it showed a gain of 1.8 per cent over the 1937 close. Provincial bonds were featured by the erratic fluctuations of Western maturities. Sharp advances in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta issues during the early summer coincided with prospects of an exceptionally large grain crop. These gains were considerably reduced during the latter half of the year and at the close the relative position between Eastern and Western bonds was practically unchanged though both were somewhat firmer than in December, 1937.

**TABLE 49—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA, LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1928-1939**

(1926=100)

—	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
January.....	106.0	101.4	99.0	103.1	94.1	103.3	104.6	115.9	113.6	117.7	116.1	117.5
February.....	105.6	101.0	99.3	103.1	94.9	103.4	105.4	114.2	115.0	115.3	116.6	117.6
March.....	105.4	99.2	99.9	103.7	96.4	102.1	107.9	115.0	115.5	112.9	116.8	117.9
April.....	105.3	100.0	100.5	104.5	96.2	102.9	109.4	114.5	115.7	112.7	117.3	116.8
May.....	105.3	100.0	100.9	105.0	96.3	103.8	110.3	115.2	115.9	113.8	118.2	117.0
June.....	103.5	98.3	101.0	105.4	94.6	104.9	110.4	114.2	117.0	114.9	118.1	118.0
July.....	102.9	98.3	101.2	105.3	97.0	104.8	111.1	114.5	118.0	115.1	117.6	117.9
August.....	102.1	99.3	102.1	105.3	101.0	105.6	112.3	114.8	119.1	115.5	117.6	116.3
September.....	102.3	99.0	103.0	102.1	101.8	105.7	112.6	110.9	119.1	115.3	116.0	109.3
October.....	102.0	98.2	103.2	98.1	103.8	105.0	111.1	110.2	117.1	114.5	116.9	112.0
November.....	102.2	98.7	103.2	97.4	102.6	104.2	112.2	112.5	117.6	114.8	117.8	113.1
December.....	101.7	99.4	103.1	95.5	101.2	103.6	115.2	112.5	118.2	115.6	117.7	113.1

**TABLE 50—INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1939**

(1926=100)

—	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
January.....	89.2	97.3	102.1	93.9	112.7	96.3	93.2	70.9	72.4	64.6	66.3	62.1
February.....	89.5	98.3	101.4	93.6	112.2	96.0	91.0	73.2	70.8	68.4	65.4	61.9
March.....	90.1	102.3	101.1	91.9	109.1	97.7	86.1	71.4	69.9	72.7	64.7	61.1
April.....	90.3	100.9	99.3	90.0	109.8	96.6	83.8	72.2	69.5	73.2	63.7	63.0
May.....	89.5	100.2	98.4	89.3	109.3	95.0	81.8	71.4	68.8	71.0	61.7	62.4
June.....	93.3	104.0	98.2	88.3	111.7	93.3	82.1	73.4	66.9	69.3	61.8	60.1
July.....	94.4	104.0	98.0	88.3	107.5	93.5	80.1	72.1	65.1	69.0	62.7	60.1
August.....	95.9	102.0	95.9	88.3	100.5	92.2	77.8	71.6	63.2	68.1	62.7	62.9
September.....	95.2	102.8	93.9	95.5	98.7	92.4	77.2	79.8	63.1	68.3	65.3	76.5
October.....	96.2	103.7	93.6	105.2	96.2	93.5	79.3	78.9	66.2	69.7	63.2	71.0
November.....	95.9	103.3	93.6	107.7	98.5	94.3	77.2	74.5	65.1	68.8	61.5	69.0
December.....	97.1	101.4	93.9	111.7	99.4	95.1	71.3	75.5	64.1	67.4	61.8	68.8



TABLE 51—INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1928-1939

(1926=100)

	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
January.....	89.8	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.2	76.2	85.5	70.4	69.7	68.1
February.....	87.7	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3	69.3	69.7
March.....	88.7	101.3	101.3	92.9	110.6	100.0	90.1	79.5	77.3	78.5	68.5	68.3
April.....	88.7	103.3	101.3	92.9	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9	67.2	70.6
May.....	90.8	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5	65.3	68.7
June.....	91.9	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9	65.3	65.8
July.....	93.9	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	73.1	66.8	65.8
August.....	96.0	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	72.2	66.8	72.6
September.....	96.0	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	71.8	68.9	84.1
October.....	95.0	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	73.1	66.8	75.8
November.....	95.0	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	72.7	65.1	72.9
December.....	96.0	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	98.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	71.2	65.8	73.5

\*TABLE 52—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1934-1939

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York

(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 420 Stocks	Industrials 350 Stocks	Railroads 30 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1934				
January.....	74.6	82.9	44.5	72.7
February.....	80.9	88.9	50.5	80.7
March.....	77.2	85.1	47.5	76.2
April.....	79.6	88.3	49.3	76.3
May.....	71.8	79.6	43.3	69.7
June.....	73.1	81.0	43.9	71.6
July.....	71.4	79.7	41.2	69.2
August.....	67.5	76.3	35.3	64.5
September.....	67.4	76.2	35.4	64.0
October.....	67.6	76.7	35.9	63.2
November.....	68.3	78.4	34.8	60.8
December.....	69.6	80.6	35.9	58.8
1935				
January.....	70.1	81.9	35.0	57.6
February.....	68.0	80.1	32.3	55.1
March.....	64.6	76.2	28.4	53.4
April.....	67.5	78.9	29.4	59.1
May.....	73.1	85.7	30.9	63.7
June.....	75.5	87.4	32.4	69.8
July.....	78.8	91.2	33.8	73.3
August.....	83.0	95.0	35.8	80.6
September.....	85.0	97.5	37.0	81.9
October.....	85.2	98.5	34.3	81.0
November.....	93.3	107.4	37.6	90.1
December.....	95.3	109.2	41.6	91.6
1936				
January.....	100.1	114.5	43.8	97.0
February.....	106.1	120.9	49.1	102.8
March.....	108.7	124.6	49.2	102.8
April.....	108.9	125.3	48.9	101.5
May.....	101.0	116.2	45.0	94.7
June.....	105.6	120.6	47.7	102.0
July.....	109.2	124.3	50.7	105.8
August.....	113.0	128.4	53.9	108.8
September.....	114.1	130.2	55.4	107.7
October.....	118.7	136.0	58.5	109.1
November.....	124.2	144.3	57.9	108.9
December.....	122.8	142.6	54.4	110.6
1937				
January.....	126.0	146.3	55.6	113.2
February.....	129.5	151.7	57.9	110.7
March.....	129.9	152.6	62.8	105.7
April.....	124.5	146.5	60.1	100.7
May.....	116.3	136.7	57.1	94.1
June.....	113.6	134.0	53.9	91.3
July.....	117.8	139.4	52.1	95.9
August.....	120.5	143.5	50.9	97.0
September.....	108.4	128.2	42.6	89.2
October.....	91.4	107.4	35.4	81.3
November.....	82.9	96.1	31.4	79.5
December.....	82.2	95.2	31.2	78.8

**\*TABLE 52—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1934-1939—Concluded**

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York

(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 420 Stocks	Industrials 350 Stocks	Railroads 30 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1938				
January.....	81.6	95.7	29.0	75.7
February.....	80.7	95.7	28.3	71.2
March.....	77.9	92.7	25.5	68.5
April.....	70.7	84.2	20.9	64.0
May.....	73.9	87.4	21.8	69.5
June.....	73.1	86.4	20.5	69.2
July.....	88.0	105.3	27.3	76.5
August.....	89.5	108.0	27.8	75.0
September.....	86.0	103.9	25.5	72.2
October.....	91.1	109.6	28.1	77.4
November.....	94.7	113.6	30.0	80.9
December.....	92.0	110.6	28.8	77.9
1939				
January.....	91.8	109.3	29.8	81.2
February.....	90.1	106.3	28.0	83.8
March.....	91.7	108.0	29.7	85.8
April.....	81.9	95.9	24.8	80.0
May.....	83.1	97.0	25.0	82.4
June.....	86.0	100.5	25.9	84.7
July.....	86.1	100.6	25.7	84.9
August.....	86.3	100.5	25.4	87.0
September.....	92.4	109.4	29.7	84.3

\* For 1918-1933 data, see 1913-1933 Prices and Price Indexes.—Revised indexes from 1931.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Fluctuations in foreign exchanges were of unusual magnitude in 1938. Due to domestic unsettlement and other adverse factors, French francs were repeatedly under pressure. Following several political crises the franc was formally devalued on May 5 and a minimum rate of 179 francs to the £ sterling was established. This move resulted in considerable repatriation of French capital which placed a strain on other European currencies, notably the pound sterling. Pressure on sterling, however, did not assume serious proportions until July when the Sudeten situation became more critical. The pound was also affected by the increasingly unfavourable British trade balance at this time. It had been steady around \$5.00 during the first six months of the year, but subsequently dropped rapidly to a low of \$4.7995 on September 27. The signing of the Munich Accord was followed by some recovery and sterling rates ruled firmer for the next six weeks. Another relapse in November brought them to a 1938 low of \$4.6564 on the 26th, which resulted in official intervention by the British Equalization fund and a secondary rise in sterling rates to \$4.710. The flow of capital from London to New York during the autumn crisis was very heavy, averaging about 375 million dollars a month. Bar gold at London touched an all-time high of 150s. on November 26 coinciding with the low point in sterling quotations. At the height of the September crisis the United States dollar at Montreal was quoted at a premium of 2 per cent in contrast to a small discount which ruled during the opening months of the year. This premium had been reduced to 1 per cent by the end of December. Mexican currency was one of the few units to show sharp depreciation during the early part of the year. The peso dropped approximately 5 cents to 22 cents in the final week of March following the announcement that the United States would cancel Mexican silver purchases on April 1. The unfavourable position of Chinese currency was reflected in the value of the Shanghai dollar, rates for which were cut practically in half between January and December. They dropped from 29.50 cents in January to 15.95 cents at the year end. Further devaluation of the Argentine peso was officially announced during the early part of November. The rate was lowered from 16 to 17 pesos to the £ sterling. The Belgian belga and Netherlands florin were comparatively the firmest European currencies in 1938. These units formerly moved in close alignment with sterling but took independent courses prior to the September crisis and maintained them thereafter.



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TABLE 53—MONTHLY AVERAGE EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1938

NOTE.—The noon rates in Canadian funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

1938	Australia Pound	Belgium Belga	Czecho- Slovakia Krone	Denmark Krone	Finland Markka	France Franc	Germany Reichs- mark	Nether- lands Florin	Italy Lira	Norway Krone	Spain Pesta
January.....	4.0002	1.003	0.351	2.232	0.221	0.334	0.029	55.72	0.526	25.12	0.0614
February.....	4.0128	1.007	0.351	2.230	0.222	0.329	0.041	55.94	0.526	25.20	0.0609
March.....	3.9984	1.003	0.351	2.231	0.221	0.313	0.035	55.70	0.528	25.11	0.0583
April.....	4.0049	1.004	0.350	2.235	0.221	0.312	0.041	55.55	0.529	25.16	0.0579
May.....	4.0058	1.008	0.351	2.233	0.221	0.281	0.049	55.81	0.530	25.16	0.0590
June.....	4.0033	1.011	0.351	2.237	0.221	0.281	0.070	55.94	0.532	25.18	0.0582
July.....	3.9338	1.001	0.345	2.219	0.219	0.275	0.040	55.33	0.529	24.90	0.0569
August.....	3.9176	1.002	0.345	2.183	0.213	0.271	0.023	54.78	0.528	24.60	0.0577
September.....	3.8670	1.008	0.347	2.157	0.213	0.271	0.021	54.88	0.529	24.29	0.0525
October.....	3.8539	1.006	0.347	2.148	0.212	0.269	0.042	54.89	0.531	24.18	0.0514
November.....	3.7831	1.003	0.345	2.117	0.209	0.265	0.033	54.73	0.530	23.83	0.0509
December.....	3.7707	1.000	0.345	2.104	0.208	0.266	0.045	54.86	0.531	23.68	0.0504
1938	Sweden Krona	Switzer- land Franc	Argentina Peso (paper)	† Brazil Milreis	Mexico Peso	Hong Kong Dollar	India Rupee	Japan Yen	Shanghai Dollar	Great Britain Pound	United States Dollar
January.....	25.77	23.13	20.13	.....	37.75	3.124	3.775	29.06	2.950	5.0003	1.0001
February.....	25.55	22.92	20.02	0.583	37.74	3.134	3.788	29.03	2.961	5.0165	0.9997
March.....	25.76	23.11	20.00	0.580	37.50	3.108	3.774	28.96	2.934	4.9984	1.0028
April.....	25.80	23.10	20.07	0.580	37.50	3.100	3.752	29.15	2.712	5.0061	1.0054
May.....	25.82	23.08	20.00	0.580	37.55	3.111	3.736	29.18	2.410	5.0082	1.0082
June.....	25.84	23.03	20.02	0.582	37.13	3.120	3.713	29.20	1.910	5.0116	1.0107
July.....	25.84	23.01	20.00	0.588	36.92	3.092	3.695	28.87	1.834	4.9562	1.0054
August.....	25.94	22.90	20.00	0.586	36.81	3.092	3.685	28.84	1.670	4.8970	1.0034
September.....	25.91	22.90	20.00	0.580	36.81	3.019	3.605	28.18	1.730	4.8335	1.0062
October.....	24.91	22.73	20.00	0.580	36.81	3.019	3.605	28.18	1.622	4.8120	1.0093
November.....	24.83	22.63	20.00	0.580	36.81	2.955	3.541	27.62	1.595	4.7413	1.0072
December.....	24.28	22.83	20.07	0.592	36.81	2.945	3.519	27.47	1.029	4.7133	1.0092

† Free market rates.

## WORLD PRICE MOVEMENTS, 1938

The sharp decline in international price levels dating from the spring months of 1937 continued unabated through the first six months of 1938. Increases in world stocks of such commodities as wheat, cotton, rubber and tin played a considerable part in this movement. In July, however, an industrial rally of considerable proportions commenced in the United States, and this gave support to prices of several classes of basic commodities. More intensive rearmament, following the September European crisis, also contributed to higher prices which prevailed latterly in such commodities as copper, tin and rubber. Generally, however, wholesale prices did not parallel the advances in non-ferrous and iron and steel products, and closing 1938 wholesale indexes were practically at bottom levels for the year. The following table shows losses in national indexes outnumbering gains two to one, and appeared in sharp contrast to records for 1937 when only two countries indicated decreases. Increases in at least three of the five countries to show gains were due to special circumstances, i.e., currency depreciation in France and Japan, and a system of price control in Germany. Living costs, as usual, showed narrower fluctuations than wholesale prices but finished generally lower than December 1937 levels. Notable exceptions were the retail indexes for France and Japan which paralleled the rise of wholesale indexes in those countries.

PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN WHOLESALE PRICE AND LIVING COST INDEX  
NUMBERS, DECEMBER 1937 TO DECEMBER 1938

Country	Wholesale	Cost of Living	Country	Wholesale	Cost of Living
France.....	+ 8.4	+ 9.7*	South Africa.....	- 0.6*	- 0.2
China (Shanghai).....	+17.8	-13.5	Belgium.....	- 7.9	- 1.0
Norway.....	- 5.7	- 0.6	Canada.....	-11.4	- 0.8
Japan.....	+ 5.8	+16.5	Poland.....	- 5.3	- 2.1
New Zealand.....	- 1.2	+ 1.9	Switzerland.....	- 3.2	- 0.7
Sweden.....	- 6.6	+ 1.2*	Germany.....	+ 0.8	+ 0.4
United Kingdom.....	- 8.6	- 2.5	Australia.....	+ 1.1	+ 2.4*
Netherlands.....	- 4.2	- 0.8	United States.....	- 5.8	- 3.2

\* Last quarter figures instead of December.

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TABLE 54—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	Albania	Argentina	Commonwealth of Australia	Belgium	Bulgaria	Canada	Chile	China
	Authority	Official	Banco de la Nacion	Commonwealth Statistician	Ministry of Industry and Labour	Official	Dominion Bureau of Statistics	Official	National Tariff Commission, Shanghai
	Number Commodities	23	108	—	124	72	567 (h)	—	154
	Base Period	1927	1926	July 1923-June 1929	April, 1914	1914	1926 1913	1913	1926
1	1913		76		(d) 100	100	64.0	100.0	100.0
2	1914						65.5	102.3	
3	1915						70.4	109.9	
4	1916						84.3	131.6	
5	1917						114.3	178.5	
6	1918						127.4	199.0	
7	1919						134.0	209.2	
8	1920						155.9	243.5	
9	1921		108		(e) 366		110.0	171.8	
10	1922		99				97.3	152.0	104.6
11	1923		102		497		98.0	153.0	98.6
12	1924		110		573		99.4	155.2	102.0
13	1925		111		558		102.6	160.3	97.9
14	1926		100		744	2,947	100.0	156.2	99.3
15	1927	100	98		847	3,017	97.7	152.6	100.0
16	1928	104	99		843	3,237	96.4	150.6	104.4
17	1929	100	96	100.4	851	3,447	95.6	149.3	101.7
18	1930		88	89.8	744	2,788	86.6	135.3	104.5
19	1931		90	85.7	626	2,332	72.1	112.6	167
20	1932		74	81.5	532	2,071	66.7	104.2	112.4
21	1933		57	81.1	501	1,821	67.1	104.8	103.8
22	1934		51	81.4	473	1,873	71.6	111.8	97.1
23	1935		56	84.0	537	1,919	72.1	112.6	96.4
24	1936		63	89.2	605	1,991	74.6	116.5	108.5
25	1937		65	91.1	684	2,121	84.6	132.1	129.1
26	1938		64	91.6	630	(i) 2,151	78.6	122.8	153.6
27	1935 January	(a) 62	98		(f) 472	(g) 1,902	71.4	111.5	347
28	February	52	97		468	1,895	71.8	112.2	340
29	March	53	97		464	1,891	71.9	112.3	337
30	April	53	97		531	1,946	72.5	113.2	335
31	May	54	96		552	1,907	72.2	112.8	339
32	June	55	96		555	1,896	71.4	111.5	340
33	July	55	96		553	1,892	71.4	111.5	342
34	August	56	96		552	1,887	71.7	112.0	343
35	September	57	97		580	1,898	72.4	113.1	346
36	October	61	99		574	1,963	73.1	114.2	349
37	November	62	99		582	1,972	72.7	113.6	352
38	December	63	99		579	1,967	72.7	113.6	350
39	1936 January	63	99		581	1,940	72.9	113.9	354
40	February	63	98		582	1,923	72.5	113.2	355
41	March	64	98		578	1,908	72.4	113.1	360
42	April	65	98		574	1,957	72.2	112.8	360
43	May	62	98		569	1,954	71.9	112.3	368
44	June	62	98		570	1,945	72.3	112.9	374
45	July	62	99	88.1	576	1,963	74.3	116.1	382
46	August	62	101	90.4	582	1,996	76.4	119.3	382
47	September	62	100	89.1	594	2,029	77.1	120.4	405
48	October	63	100	87.9	602	2,075	77.2	120.6	399
49	November	62	100	88.1	615	2,095	77.2	120.6	406
50	December	63	103	87.4	637	2,106	79.6	124.5	421
51	1937 January	64	105	88.8	658	2,118	81.9	127.9	435
52	February	65	107	87.7	675	2,119	82.9	129.5	435
53	March	66	111	90.3	693	2,124	85.4	133.4	458
54	April	66	113	90.4	696	2,151	86.2	134.6	464
55	May	65	115	90.6	693	2,157	85.3	133.2	465
56	June	63	115	91.1	697	2,163	84.6	132.1	462
57	July	64	116	94.1	702	2,255	87.6	136.8	465
58	August	64	115	94.9	700	2,281	85.6	133.7	472
59	September	65	115	95.7	690	2,301	85.0	132.8	471
60	October	66	116	93.3	683	2,331	84.7	132.3	460
61	November	66	113	89.2	663	2,323	83.1	129.8	448
62	December	67	112	87.6	659	2,326	82.7	129.2	453
63	1938 January	66	112	88.2	660	2,141	83.8	130.9	432
64	February	66	111	88.3	657	2,104	83.6	130.6	431
65	March	64	109	89.0	644	2,081	83.1	129.8	431
66	April	65	108	90.0	640	2,091	82.3	128.6	432
67	May	65	106	90.8	631	2,101	80.3	125.4	433
68	June	62	104	92.5	629	2,095	80.1	125.1	430
69	July	62	104	93.8	623	2,167	78.6	122.8	437
70	August	62	102	95.2	620	2,214	76.0	118.7	438
71	September	63	101	92.9	622	2,219	74.5	116.4	438
72	October	63	102	91.8	617	2,252	74.1	115.7	436
73	November	63	102	89.3	610	2,230	73.5	114.8	431
74	December	63	103	88.6	607	2,223	73.3	114.5	416

(a) End of month. (b) Average for ten months only. (c) Fifteenth of month. (d) April. (e) Average of five months. (f) Second half of month. (g) Last week or end of month. (h) No. of commodities changed in 1926 from 236 to 502 and to 567 in 1934. (i) New Index beginning January, 1938.



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Czecho-Slovakia	Danzig	Denmark	Netherlands East Indies	Egypt	Estonia	Finland	France		No.
General Bureau of Statistics	Official	Official	Official	Depart- ment of Statistics, Cairo	Official	Official	Statistique Générale	Statistique Générale	
126	—	—	92	23	44	139	45	126	
July, 1914	1913-1914	1935	1913	Jan. 1, 1913- July 31, 1914	1913	1935	July, 1914	1913	
(a) 100			(a) 100		100		102	100	1
			98				104		2
				103			143		3
				128			192		4
				176			267		5
			215	211			346		6
			248	231			364		7
			279	316			520		8
			191	173			352		9
			170	146	(113)		334		10
			173	132	(114)		428		11
			173	143	(116)		499		12
	143		186	152	124		561		13
	151		159	132	114		718	695	14
	146		154	121	114		630	642	15
	146		149	120	121		634	645	16
	142		148	116	117		623	627	17
(e)	121		134	104	102		543	554	18
738	106		105	97	91		462	502	19
682	91		86	84	83		407	427	20
658	90		71	71	85		388	398	21
675	88	(d)	67	87	85		366	376	22
705	116	100	65	95	84	100	347	338	23
706	138	105	67	85	91	103	405	411	24
750	145	119	89	88	101	122	563	581	25
742	133	112	83	91	100	114	640	653	26
(c)	(b)							(f)	
694	88		67	100	83		349	350	27
698	88		66	100	83		349	343	28
700	87		65	96	82		344	335	29
697	87		65	92	80		346	336	30
703	116		66	92	81		353	340	31
707	121		65	94	82		344	330	32
722	127		64	95	81		334	322	33
705	132		64	96	83		343	330	34
705	135		65	92	84		345	332	35
703	138		66	96	88		350	342	36
708	139		66	94	89		353	348	37
707	139		65	94	89		357	354	38
711	137		65	92	90	101	364	359	39
704	135		65	89	90	101	377	372	40
706	135		64	88	90	101	379	376	41
703	135	102	64	84	88	101	374	371	42
704	135	108	64	84	88	101	377	374	43
698	136	103	64	83	89	102	372	378	44
699	136	104	64	83	89	103	388	391	45
691	139	106	64	82	90	104	395	403	46
693	140	107	65	85	92	104	407	420	47
704	143	109	73	84	93	106	452	471	48
715	44	110	76	83	94	107	473	462	49
722	145	111	80	84	95	109	499	519	50
737	146	113	85	88	98	112	513	538	51
745	148	115	88	90	99	116	517	533	52
754	152	117	90	89	101	120	537	550	53
764	148	120	92	88	101	122	533	552	54
755	145	121	91	87	99	122	529	550	55
752	145	120	90	87	101	122	538	557	56
763	146	122	91	88	102	124	580	582	57
759	146	121	90	88	103	125	591	603	58
755	146	121	90	88	102	128	616	630	59
749	144	122	88	89	103	125	611	628	60
744	141	121	86	88	102	123	590	621	61
732	138	120	86	88	101	122	601	631	62
733	137	119	86	88	102	119	612	636	63
733	135	117	85	90	102	118	614	631	64
730	135	115	84	89	101	116	619	634	65
727	133	113	84	90	100	115	619	643	66
731	133	112	84	91	100	113	643	654	67
731	132	111	84	92	100	112	653	660	68
734	132	111	83	92	100	112	652	652	69
733	130	110	89	91	99	111	644	649	70
737	132	110	81	92	97	111	646	652	71
753	132	111	81	95	98	111	654	664	72
757	134	110	81	94	99	112	657	674	73
764	135	110	80	92	100	113	666	684	74

(a) July. (b) 10th and 20th of month. (c) First of month. (d) New series—1935=100. (e) Index based on paper currency. (f) End of month.

## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

TABLE 54—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	Germany	Greece	Hungary	India		Indo-China	Italy		Japan	Latvia	Lithuania
	Authority	Federal Statistical Office	Official	Official	Dept. of Statistics, Calcutta	Labour Office, Bombay	Statistique Générale, Saigon	Bachi	Official	Bank of Japan	Official	Official
	Number of Commodities	400 (b)	60	548	72	43	37	138	293	56	61	88
	Base Period	1913	Jan. 1913- July 1914	1929	July, 1914	July, 1914	1913	1913	June, 1928	1913	1913	1913
1	1913	100					100	100		100	100	100
2	1914	99			(d) 100	(d) 100				96		109
3	1915				112					97		
4	1916				128					117		
5	1917				145					149		
6	1918	208			178	239				196		
7	1919	339			196	223				236		
8	1920	1,367			201	216				236		
9	1921	1,423			178	198		531		200		
10	1922	10,059			176	187		508		196		
11	1923	7,478,700			172	181		512		199		
12	1924	(b) 137.3			173	182		512		206		
13	1925	141.8			159	163	132	596		202		145
14	1926	134.4			148	149	131	603		179		134
15	1927	137.6			148	147	142	495	(e)	170		134
16	1928	140.0			145	146	144	462	100	171	129	134
17	1929	137.2	1,811	100.0	141	145	150	445	95	166	120	129
18	1930	124.6	1,646	86.7	116	126	150	383	85	137	102	108
19	1931	110.9	1,471	82.4	96	109	128	328	75	116	85	94
20	1932	96.5	1,766	81.6	91	109	117	304	70	122	85	76
21	1933	93.3	1,997	71.1	87	98	106	280	63	136	83	68
22	1934	98.4	1,969	71.3	89	95	96	273	62	134	83	61
23	1935	101.8	2,003	77.5	91	99	94	318	68	140	86	53
24	1936	104.1	2,038	79.9	91	96	99	363	76	149	91	55
25	1937	105.9	2,281	86.3	102	106	132	437	89	180	113	64
26	1938	105.7	2,227	86.8	95	101	153	469	96	190	113	64
					(a)			(a)				
27	1935 January	101.1	1,996	75.6	94	100	95	277		137	88	
28	February	100.9	1,986	75.9	90	99	95	278		139	87	55
29	March	100.7	1,998	75.0	87	98	94	288		139	86	55
30	April	100.8	1,987	75.0	88	98	95	296		138	85	55
31	May	100.8	1,974	76.0	91	99	96	302		138	85	54
32	June	101.2	1,966	75.1	91	99	95	308		136	85	53
33	July	101.9	1,986	76.6	91	100	94	310		136	85	51
34	August	102.4	1,998	77.4	89	99	94	323		138	85	50
35	September	102.3		78.8	89	100	94	330		143	86	50
36	October	102.8	2,040	81.5	93	100	95			147	87	51
37	November	103.1	2,040	81.7	92	98	95			146	88	52
38	December	103.4	2,059	82.5	93	97	94			145	88	53
39	1936 January	103.6	2,045	82.5	92	96	94		74	145	88	53
40	February	103.6	2,053	82.1	91	95	94		75	144	88	53
41	March	103.6	2,051	81.4	91	95	95			145	87	53
42	April	103.7	2,034	79.9	92	94	95	387		145	86	54
43	May	103.8	2,016	77.6	94	95	95	366		146	86	54
44	June	104.0	2,002	77.7	90	95	95	365		149	87	54
45	July	104.2	2,001	77.4	91	97	96	365	75	149	87	54
46	August	104.6	2,015	77.4	90	98	99	365	76	152	88	54
47	September	104.4	2,019	78.8	91	87	100	368	77	152	89	56
48	October	104.3	2,039	80.3	93	87	104	376	77	151	98	58
49	November	104.4	2,064	80.8	93	98	110	375	78	154	102	58
50	December	105.0	2,113	83.0	94	101	116	381	79	162	104	59
51	1937 January	105.3	2,169	85.5	98	104	123	393	82	176	105	61
52	February	105.5	2,218	84.3	98	103	124	406	83	174	106	63
53	March	106.1	2,273	87.2	100	110	124	411	85	181	109	64
54	April	105.8	2,300	86.2	103	108	125	419	86	187	111	64
55	May	105.9	2,323	86.5	103	109	124	427	88	182	112	64
56	June	106.1	2,291	85.8	102	106	125	428	90	180	112	64
57	July	106.4	2,309	86.6	104	108	131	445	90	181	113	65
58	August	106.7	2,308	86.0	105	106	136	449	91	177	116	64
59	September	106.2	2,302	86.8	104	106	141	453	92	180	118	64
60	October	105.9	2,307	86.8	104	105	147	462	93	179	116	65
61	November	105.5	2,292	86.9	103	105	143	468	95	180	115	65
62	December	105.5	2,286	87.5	101	104	143	471	96	182	115	66
63	1938 January	105.6	2,284	86.6	99	104	143	470	95	185	114	66
64	February	105.7	2,288	86.1	97	103	145	467	94	188	114	66
65	March	105.8	2,291	86.2	96	100	148	466	94	190	114	65
66	April	105.6	2,285	88.9	94	101	149	465	95	187	113	66
67	May	105.4	2,256	89.3	94	100	152	469	96	188	114	65
68	June	105.6	2,256	87.7	94	100	152	470	96	192	113	64
69	July	105.6	2,203	85.8	95	100	154	468	95	192	112	63
70	August	105.9	2,183	86.1	94	100	158	468	96	190	112	63
71	September	105.6	2,179	87.4	95	101	160	471	97	190	112	63
72	October	105.9	2,183	87.0	95	100	158	474	97	191	112	63
73	November	106.1	2,175	85.2	95	99	157	473	97	192	112	64
74	December	106.3	2,178	85.0	95	101	154	471	96	193	112	65

(a) End of month. (b) Since 1924, new series. (d) July. (e) New index, June, 1928=100.

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Nether-lands	New Zealand	Norway		Peru	Poland	Portugal	South Africa	Sweden	Switzer-land	No.
Central Bureau of Statistics	Government Statisticians	Official	Okonomisk Revue	Official	Commerce Reports	Banco de Portugal	Census and Statistics Office	Commerce Dept.	Federal Labour Department	
48	180	95	100	58	238	—	188	160	78	
1913	1909-1913	1913	Dec. 31, '13- June 30, '14	1913	1928	June 1927	1913	1913	July, 1914	
100		100		100			100.0	100		1
109	105.3			115			96.9		(g) 100.0	2
146				159			107.0			3
224				233			122.6			4
276				341			140.7			5
376	170.5			345			153.1			6
304	178.2			322			164.8			7
292	209.2			382			223.3	359		8
182	194.2			298			160.4	222	200.1	9
160	166.5			233			128.4	173	157.9	10
151	159.8	232		233			126.6	163	169.9	11
156	163.4	268		269			128.7	162	171.2	12
155	162.7	253		251			127.6	161	160.5	13
145	155.3	198		196			123.3	149	144.5	14
148	147.8	167		160		(e) 100.0	124.0	146	142.2	15
149	149.2	(c) 157		155	100	(e) 114.2	120.7	148	144.6	16
142	148.8	149		148	96	(e) 103.9	115.1	140	141.2	17
117	144.9	137		178	86	(e) 98.4	102.6	122	126.5	18
97	(a) 134.6	122		175	75	(e) 88.5	99.5	111	109.7	19
79	129.7	122		170	66	89.6	91.5	109	96.0	20
74	130.8	122		180	59	86.8	83.1	91.0	91.0	21
78	133.0	124		188	56	93.8	101.7	114	89.8	22
76	138.5	127		189	53	86.1	94.8	116	89.3	23
79	139.9	134		192	54	89.6	98.6	120	95.6	24
97	150.0	156		205	59	103.5	101.0	137	111.2	25
92	151.4	153		205	56	102.6	104.4	130	107.1	26
	(b)	(b)		(b)	(d)		(f)		(h)	
78	134.5	125		186	53	91.3	95.5	115	89.3	27
77	136.1	125	129	188	52	91.2		115	87.6	28
75	136.5	126	130	191	52	90.8		115	86.4	29
76	136.7	125	130	191	52	89.7	92.8	115	87.1	30
75	136.5	125	131	190	53	88.2		115	87.6	31
75	137.4	126	132	192	53	85.7		116	88.6	32
74	138.6	127	133	191	53	83.8	95.0	116	89.9	33
73	139.3	128	133	189	54	80.5		115	91.4	34
75	141.9	128	133	187	54	80.8		115	92.2	35
78	143.4	130	134	188	55	83.0	96.0	117	93.3	36
78	141.9	130	134	188	55	84.0		118	92.8	37
78	141.4	131	134	189	53	83.9		118	92.1	38
77	140.5	131	134	191	52	82.7	99.6	118	91.1	39
77	138.4	132	135	192	52	82.6		118	91.0	40
76	138.6	132	135	191	52	86.0		118	90.9	41
75	139.3	132	135	193	53	89.3	99.7	118	91.9	42
75	139.1	132	135	192	54	89.0		118	92.0	43
76	139.9	132	135	191	54	89.4		118	91.9	44
77	139.5	132	136	193	54	89.0	96.4	119	93.1	45
77	140.9	134	138	193	54	90.2		120	93.4	46
77	142.1	136	139	192	55	90.9		122	96.8	47
87	142.6	136	140	192	56	92.7	98.8	123	103.1	48
88	142.7	137	142	192	56	96.0		124	105.2	49
92	145.0	140	147	192	57	97.7		126	106.8	50
95	144.9	144	150	194	58	101.3	100.5	129	108.4	51
96	146.7	147	155	199	60	103.8		132	111.4	52
99	147.2	150	160	204	61	103.8		136	113.3	53
99	148.1	154	161	208	60	104.8	98.6	138	113.0	54
98	150.2	157	162	209	60	107.2		139	112.6	55
97	151.4	157	163	206	60	106.4		139	112.0	56
98	151.2	160	165	206	60	106.9	101.4	140	112.4	57
98	152.5	160	165	206	60	105.8		140	110.8	58
97	152.4	161	164	207	60	105.3		140	110.5	59
97	152.9	161	163	205	58	106.7	103.4	139	110.9	60
97	156.4	160	163	206	58	106.7		137	109.6	61
96	156.5	159	163	203	58	107.2		136	109.6	62
97	153.3	158	162	204	58	106.7	107.3	135	110.0	63
95	152.8	157	160	205	58	105.6		134	109.4	64
93	152.2	155	159	204	57	104.3		132	108.2	65
92	151.9	154	159	204	57	104.9	104.2	131	108.1	66
92	151.4	154	159	203	57	104.3		130	106.9	67
92	151.7	153	159	203	57	101.8		130	107.1	68
90	150.8	154	158	204	56	100.4	103.1	130	106.4	69
90	151.3	162	152	206	55	100.4		128	105.4	70
91	150.6	151	151	205	55	100.1		127	105.5	71
91	151.2	150	151	207	55	101.0	102.8	128	105.8	72
91	151.8	150	150	208	55	101.0		127	106.1	73
92	154.7	150	151	207	55	100.8		127	106.1	74

(a) Revised since January, 1931. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) New series beginning 1928. (d) End of month. (e) June. (f) Monthly average. (g) July. (h) End of month.



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TABLE 54—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1938—Continued

Country	Turkey	United Kingdom				United States			Yugoslavia
Authority	Official	Board of Trade	Economist	Statist	Times	Bureau of Labour Statistics	Irving Fisher	Annalist	National Bank
Number of Commodities	52	200	58	45	60	(a) 784	200	94	55
Base Period	1913-1914	1930	1927	1913	1913	1926	1926	1926	1926
1913.....				100.0	100.0	69.8	69.8		
1914.....				100.0		68.1	68.1		
1915.....				127.1		69.5	69.5		
1916.....				159.5		85.5	85.5		
1917.....				206.1		117.5	117.5		
1918.....				226.5		131.3	131.3		
1919.....				241.9		138.6	138.6		
1920.....		(f) 307.3		295.3	(d) 251.2	154.4	154.4		
1921.....		197.2		182.4	(d) 162.1	97.6	97.6		
1922.....		158.8		154.1	(d) 158.6	96.7	96.7		
1923.....		158.9		151.8	(d) 169.1	100.6	101.1		
1924.....		166.2	115.7	164.0	(d) 179.3	98.1	98.9		
1925.....		159.1	112.0	159.5	161	103.5	105.2	(b)	
1926.....		148.1	104.0	148.0	148	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	1,262	141.6	100.0	144.0	142	95.4	94.2	96.3	103.4
1928.....	1,296	140.3	98.1	141.2	141	96.7	97.9	99.2	106.2
1929.....	1,316	136.5	92.4	135.3	134	95.3	96.3	96.9	100.6
1930.....	1,000	(e) 100.0	77.6	114.1	115	86.4	86.3	84.9	86.6
1931.....	859	87.8	64.9	96.5	98	78.0	71.4	69.3	72.9
1932.....	738	85.6	62.6	94.0	96	64.8	61.6	60.6	65.2
1933.....	648	85.7	63.1	93.7	96	66.0	64.6	63.1	64.4
1934.....	672	88.1	65.6	96.4	100	75.0	76.6	75.5	63.2
1935.....	735	89.0	68.6	98.9	104	80.0	83.0	83.8	65.9
1936.....	817	94.4	72.8	103.5	110	80.8	83.7	84.1	68.4
1937.....	849	108.8	82.5	120.6	128	86.3	90.7	92.4	74.7
1938.....	805	101.5	72.0	107.5	117	78.6	81.2	81.0	78.3
			(c)	(c)					
1935 January.....	734	88.3	66.6	98.4		78.8	81.0	81.6	64.5
February.....	725	88.0	66.4	98.1		79.5	82.0	82.7	63.9
March.....	709	86.9	66.1	97.5		79.4	81.3	82.2	63.0
April.....	682	87.5	66.7	98.9		80.1	81.6	83.7	62.9
May.....	674	88.2	68.1	100.2		80.2	82.3	83.8	64.0
June.....	680	88.4	67.5	98.5		79.8	82.0	82.0	63.3
July.....	704	88.0	68.1	99.2		79.4	82.1	82.2	63.3
August.....	717	88.4	67.9	98.9		80.5	83.8	84.4	64.8
September.....	725	89.6	69.9	100.1		80.7	85.1	84.9	67.8
October.....	745	91.1	71.5	100.9		80.5	85.4	86.0	70.0
November.....	798	91.2	71.3	101.5		80.6	84.7	85.4	71.2
December.....	844	91.4	71.5	102.0		80.9	84.2	86.1	71.6
				(c)					
1936 January.....	806	91.8	71.3	102.0	107	80.6	84.0	85.4	71.1
February.....	810	91.7	70.9	102.0	106	80.6	83.5	84.1	70.0
March.....	816	91.7	70.9	101.6	106	79.6	82.6	83.1	70.0
April.....	807	91.9	70.9	100.9	106	79.7	82.5	82.4	69.7
May.....	802	91.9	69.8	100.2	105	78.6	81.1	80.1	67.0
June.....	810	92.6	70.2	99.3	106	79.2	82.3	80.8	65.4
July.....	788	93.6	72.4	102.1	108	80.5	83.5	83.6	65.5
August.....	790	95.2	72.8	104.4	110	81.6	84.0	85.0	66.6
September.....	814	96.1	73.6	106.0	112	81.6	84.1	85.0	67.0
October.....	822	97.6	74.6	107.5	114	81.5	84.1	84.7	68.1
November.....	830	98.3	76.3	110.8	116	82.4	85.6	86.0	69.0
December.....	846	100.8	79.3	116.0	121	84.2	87.4	89.2	71.1

(a) Number of commodities changed from 550 to 784 since January, 1926. (b) New series on 1926 base. (c) End of month. (d) December. (e) Since January, 1935, new series, 1930=100. (f) 1920-1929, base 1913=100.

TABLE 54—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1938—Concluded

Country	Turkey	United Kingdom				United States			Yugoslavia
Authority	Official	Board of Trade	Economist	Statist	Times	Bureau of Labour Statistics	Irving Fisher	Annalist	National Bank
Number of Commodities	52	200	58	45	60	(a) 784	200	94	55
Base Period	1913-1914	1930	1927	1913	1913	1926	1926	1926	1926
1937 January.....	877	102.9	81.0	117.2	123	85.9	90.4	91.9	70.4
February.....	886	103.9	82.3	120.1	125	86.3	90.8	92.2	70.9
March.....	872	107.3	87.2	126.2	132	87.8	93.2	94.5	72.1
April.....	860	108.9	85.7	123.2	129	88.0	94.1	94.3	72.3
May.....	847	110.7	86.2	124.9	132	87.4	93.2	93.5	72.6
June.....	834	110.6	84.3	123.2	130	87.2	92.1	93.2	72.1
July.....	823	111.5	84.7	124.6	132	87.9	92.5	95.2	73.7
August.....	832	111.4	83.2	122.8	132	87.5	91.7	94.3	75.3
September.....	839	111.2	81.6	121.5	130	87.4	91.6	94.4	78.1
October.....	844	110.6	79.7	118.6	126	85.4	89.2	91.6	80.0
November.....	837	108.5	77.0	113.8	123	83.3	86.3	88.0	79.5
December.....	815	107.6	77.2	114.5	124	81.7	83.8	85.5	79.9
1938 January.....	811	107.7	76.2	113.5	122	80.9	83.4	84.2	80.2
February.....	814	105.8	75.5	113.4	120	79.8	82.6	82.8	79.9
March.....	823	104.1	74.1	110.8	118	79.7	82.2	82.5	78.6
April.....	817	103.1	73.3	110.0	118	78.7	80.9	80.7	79.3
May.....	816	102.0	72.9	107.5	116	78.1	80.9	80.5	80.1
June.....	800	100.7	72.0	107.5	117	78.3	80.9	80.4	79.4
July.....	788	100.6	72.2	107.2	117	78.8	81.5	81.2	76.5
August.....	790	99.5	70.4	104.2	116	78.1	80.4	79.9	76.8
September.....	770	98.4	70.2	104.2	115	78.3	80.6	80.5	78.0
October.....	792	99.1	70.0	104.5	116	77.6	80.3	79.7	76.8
November.....	810	98.4	69.0	102.8	113	77.5	80.4	79.9	76.7
December.....	824	98.3	68.6	104.8	114	77.0	79.9	79.6	77.5

(a) Number of commodities changed from 550 to 784 since January, 1936.

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TABLE 55—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND

No.	Country		Australia		Belgium		Bulgaria		Canada		Chile		China	
	Localities		6 Capital Cities		59 Localities		12 (67 Towns (c))		69 Localities		Santiago		Shanghai	
	Base Period		July 1928-June 1929		1921		1914		1926		March, 1928		1926	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
1	1913								(d)	(d)				
2	1914						100	100	65.4	66.2				
3	1915								66.0	68.9				
4	1916								67.3	69.5				
5	1917								72.5	77.5				
6	1918								85.6	100.0				
7	1919								97.4	114.6				
8	1920								107.2	122.5				
9	1921								124.2	141.1				
10	1922				100	100	1,409	1,766	109.2	107.9				
11	1923				93	90	1,899	2,337	100.0	91.4				
12	1924				109	106	1,868	2,399	100.0	92.1				
13	1925				128	127	2,057	2,705	98.0	90.7				
14	1926				136	137	2,339	3,024	99.3	94.7				
15	1927				165	171	2,871	2,813	100.0	100.0			100.0	100.0
16	1928				203	208	2,814	2,751	98.4	98.1			106.7	106.7
17	1929	(h)	(h)		208	207	2,875	2,883	98.9	98.6	108	116	102.5	92.1
18	1930	99.7	100.1		220	218	2,941	2,992	99.9	101.0	109	119	107.9	95.4
19	1931	90.3	86.9		228	209	2,690	2,439	99.2	98.6	108	115	121.8	118.8
20	1932	83.0	80.2		205	176	2,349	1,913	89.6	77.3	107	103	125.9	107.5
21	1933	79.4	75.3		184	150	2,160	1,765	81.4	64.3	114	115	119.1	101.3
22	1934	79.4	76.1		182	150	2,006	1,680	77.7	63.7	141	147	107.2	86.9
23	1935	80.7	78.6		175	143	1,873	1,676	78.7	69.4	142	149	106.2	86.4
24	1936	82.3	80.7		176	146	1,750	1,643	79.1	70.4	144	155	106.6	89.1
25	1937	84.6	83.4		186	159	1,677	1,660	80.8	73.4	157	171	113.3	100.7
26	1938	86.8	85.6		202	176	1,708	1,761	83.1	77.3	176	205	131.8	121.5
27	1939				206	180	1,767	1,898	84.1	78.0	184	214	150.5	137.4
28	1935 January				(b)	(b)	(g)	(g)	(e)	(e)	(f)			
29	February				173	142	1,827	1,657	78.8	68.8	147	157	110.9	90.8
30	March				170	138	1,837	1,683	78.9	69.2	141	144	109.0	91.0
31	April				165	131	1,820	1,640	78.8	69.5	142	148	104.8	85.7
32	May				167	133	1,770	1,628	78.6	68.6	144	152	106.1	88.8
33	June				169	136	1,763	1,610	78.6	68.7	144	154	105.6	88.6
34	July				173	141	1,767	1,621	78.8	69.3	144	154	105.9	89.4
35	August				175	144	1,778	1,649	78.8	69.3	145	157	105.2	90.0
36	September				177	147	1,757	1,596	79.4	71.3	144	156	104.6	88.8
37	October				182	154	1,751	1,594	79.6	70.9	145	158	105.4	89.8
38	November				186	160	1,699	1,609	80.4	72.4	145	159	103.9	86.3
39	December				188	163	1,711	1,636	80.6	73.2	146	158	109.2	90.3
40	1936 January				187	160	1,714	1,649	80.6	73.7	147	162	109.3	88.9
41	February				187	161	1,709	1,636	80.4	73.9	146	157	111.0	93.3
42	March				188	162	1,717	1,656	80.1	72.9	147	155	112.0	98.8
43	April				185	159	1,708	1,634	80.4	73.4	149	159	114.1	102.2
44	May				183	155	1,656	1,615	79.6	71.0	152	161	111.7	97.9
45	June				181	151	1,654	1,616	80.0	71.3	156	168	111.1	97.6
46	July				182	155	1,655	1,622	80.0	71.3	157	172	111.8	99.3
47	August	81.5			180	149	1,665	1,651	80.4	72.6	159	174	112.2	99.8
48	September	83.0			184	156	1,648	1,614	81.0	74.7	160	176	115.5	105.5
49	October	83.9			187	160	1,650	1,631	81.1	75.1	163	182	113.5	102.2
50	November	83.3			191	165	1,665	1,671	81.1	74.4	164	184	114.0	102.7
51	December	83.5			193	169	1,678	1,703	81.4	75.0	164	183	114.0	103.3
52	1937 January	84.5			194	169	1,684	1,714	81.7	75.3	164	185	117.5	106.8
53	February	84.5			196	171	1,692	1,735	81.8	75.2	163	181	120.1	111.0
54	March	83.6			198	173	1,700	1,750	81.9	75.6	161	176	120.1	111.0
55	April	84.7			197	171	1,697	1,740	82.2	75.7	165	185	116.8	104.6
56	May	83.6			195	167	1,698	1,742	82.4	76.3	172	196	117.4	103.7
57	June	83.4			195	166	1,701	1,749	82.9	76.6	176	203	118.7	104.0
58	July	85.1			198	170	1,715	1,782	82.9	76.4	179	209	119.0	104.0
59	August	84.1			203	176	1,724	1,797	83.1	77.2	181	214	120.0	106.0
60	September	84.0			204	177	1,722	1,787	83.7	79.1	183	217	134.6	128.5
61	October	85.9			208	182	1,726	1,794	83.6	78.3	187	224	147.7	141.4
62	November	85.8			209	183	1,740	1,824	84.2	78.9	185	221	139.5	126.9
63	December	85.1			210	185	1,758	1,860	84.2	78.8	185	220	160.6	157.9
64	1938 January	86.6			210	185	1,765	1,881	84.3	79.1	180	211	167.2	157.3
65	February	85.0			210	186	1,761	1,881	84.1	78.4	178	206	154.6	140.9
66	March	85.4			209	184	1,763	1,886	83.9	77.9	177	203	158.5	144.1
67	April	86.8			206	179	1,757	1,877	84.3	78.6	180	210	150.4	133.3
68	May	86.1			202	174	1,751	1,870	84.3	78.8	183	215	148.2	129.9
69	June	87.0			203	175	1,758	1,884	84.2	77.7	188	226	140.9	125.4
70	July	87.6			207	180	1,761	1,894	84.1	78.1	187	218	142.6	129.1
71	August	89.1			204	176	1,788	1,953	84.2	78.4	186	215	150.8	142.6
72	September	90.2			203	175	1,782	1,931	84.9	80.7	185	213	157.7	153.3
73	October	88.7			206	178	1,782	1,926	84.1	77.6	187	217	154.4	146.3
74	November	89.0			208	181	1,783	1,928	83.9	77.1	188	220	152.9	139.7
75	December	88.2			209	184	1,779	1,922	83.8	76.6	188	220	149.4	133.3
76	1939 January	88.7			208	182	1,795	1,968	83.6	76.2	183	210	144.6	126.0

(a) Quarterly index. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) Yearly figures 1921-1930=65 towns, 1931-32=67 towns; monthly figures 12 towns. (d) Recalculated on 1928 base. (e) First of month. (f) Revised index, includes rent from 1933. (g) Monthly average. (h) Annual averages are from July of preceding year to June of current year.



## RETAIL FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1938

Czechoslovakia				Danzig		Denmark		Egypt		Eire		Estonia		Finland		No.
Prague				Danzig		100 Localities		Cairo		105 Towns and Localities		Tallinn		21 Towns		
July, 1914				1913-1914		1935 (e)		Jan. 1913- July, 1914		July, 1914		1913		1935 (k)		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
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(a) July. (b) Middle of month. (c) Average for last seven months. (d) First of month. (e) Previous to Jan. 1, 1938, base 1931=100. (f) Fifteenth of month. (h) Revised from May, 1931. (i) End of month. (j) Since date of stabilization gold index. (k) Previous to Jan. 1, 1937, base 1914=100.

TABLE 55—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country	France				Germany		Greece		Hungary		India				
	Localities	Paris		300 Towns		72 Towns		44 Towns		Budapest		Bombay				
	Base Period	July, 1914				1913-1914		1914		1913		July, 1933— June, 1934 (d)				
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Foods	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods			
1	1913.....		(e)	(e)	(f)			(m)	100	100	100	100	(a)	100		
2	1914.....	(a)	100	(a)	100	(a)	100					(a)	104	(a)	105	
3	1915.....					(a)	1,065	(a)	1,252				(a)	108	(a)	108
4	1916.....					(a)	1,250	(a)	1,491				(a)	118	(a)	114
5	1917.....					(a)	5,392	(a)	6,836				(a)	149	(a)	142
6	1918.....					(k)	3,765, 100	(k)	4,651, 100				(a)	186	(a)	187
7	1919.....		260		238								(a)	190	(a)	188
8	1920.....	342	371	386	(a)	1,065	(a)	1,252	351	351			(a)	173	(a)	169
9	1921.....	309	337	374	(a)	1,250	(a)	1,491	398	393			(a)	164	(a)	159
10	1922.....	296	301	317	(a)	5,392	(a)	6,836	636	632			(a)	174	(a)	169
11	1923.....	334	332	349	(a)	3,765, 100	(a)	4,651, 100	1,181	1,213	(n)	116	(n)	145	(a)	154
12	1924.....	369	380	406	(k)	127.6	(k)	136.3	1,235	1,271	(n)	118	(n)	145	(a)	157
13	1925.....	400	425	450		139.8		147.8	1,414	1,455	108	128	(a)	155	(a)	150
14	1926.....	505	554	571		141.2		144.4	1,633	1,673	102	113	(a)	155	(a)	150
15	1927.....	514	556	559		147.6		151.9	1,790	1,843	111	125	(a)	154	(a)	151
16	1928.....	519	549	537		151.7		152.3	1,868	1,929	117	128	(a)	147	(a)	144
17	1929.....	556	(h)	102	609	154.0		154.5	1,923	1,987	117	124	(a)	149	(a)	146
18	1930.....	581	100	609	147.3	142.9		1,682	1,719	106	105	(a)	137	(a)	134	
19	1931.....	569	99	605	135.9	127.6	(l)	1,671	(l)	1,576	101	96	(a)	110	(a)	102
20	1932.....	526	88	535	120.6	112.3		1,773	1,697	98	91	(a)	109	(a)	102	
21	1933.....	520	83	501	118.5	109.9		1,904	1,857	91	81	(a)	102	(a)	95	
22	1934.....	516	78	474	121.7	116.2		1,937	1,887	89	77	(a)	97	(a)	87	
23	1935.....	483	69	417	123.0	120.4		1,957	1,921	91	81	(a)	101	(a)	93	
24	1936.....	507	76	452	124.5	122.4		2,028	2,034	96	87	(a)	101	(a)	93	
25	1937.....	619	95	571	125.1	122.3		2,185	2,228	103	94	(d)	106	(d)	114	
26	1938.....	698	108	657	125.6	122.1		2,173	2,176	103	95		106		113	
27	1935 January.....	(i)	73	(g)		122.4		1,965	1,928	(c)	(c)		(b)		(b)	
28	February.....	494	73		436	122.5		1,949	1,908	88	76		98		98	
29	March.....		71			122.2		1,939	1,894	89	77		99		90	
30	April.....		69			122.3		1,937	1,892	89	78		98		98	
31	May.....	490	69	413		122.8		1,948	1,908	89	78		100		90	
32	June.....		68			123.0		1,934	1,877	90	80		101		92	
33	July.....		67			124.3		1,937	1,888	93	85		101		93	
34	August.....	469	65	405		124.5		1,945	1,903	94	86		103		94	
35	September.....		66			123.4		1,955	1,924	93	85		103		94	
36	October.....		68			122.8		1,983	1,976	93	84		103		94	
37	November.....	478	70	415		122.9		1,989	1,975	93	84		104		96	
38	December.....		72			123.4		1,996	1,982	93	85		105		96	
39	1936 January.....		72			124.3		2,026	2,037	95	86		103		96	
40	February.....	486	74			124.3		2,017	2,018	96	87		102		93	
41	March.....		74			124.2		2,013	2,011	96	87		102		94	
42	April.....		73			124.3		2,011	2,009	96	89		100		92	
43	May.....	497	72	427		124.3		2,002	1,999	96	88		100		92	
44	June.....		75			124.5		1,994	1,985	95	86		100		92	
45	July.....		74			125.3		1,999	1,992	95	86		101		93	
46	August.....	504	74	452		125.4		2,026	2,038	97	88		101		93	
47	September.....		77			124.4		2,039	2,054	97	88		102		94	
48	October.....		80			124.4		2,057	2,076	97	88		103		95	
49	November.....	540	84	509		124.3		2,065	2,086	97	87		104		96	
50	December.....		85			124.3		2,079	2,100	98	89		103		95	
51	1937 January.....		88			124.5		2,150	2,195	101	93		104		110	
52	February.....	581	91	540		124.8		2,167	2,220	102	94		104		111	
53	March.....		91			125.0		2,168	2,216	102	93		104		112	
54	April.....		91			125.1		2,184	2,247	102	93		105		112	
55	May.....	606	91	548		125.1		2,203	2,273	102	92		105		111	
56	June.....		92			125.3		2,192	2,242	102	92		105		112	
57	July.....		93			126.2		2,172	2,205	102	93		107		115	
58	August.....	630	94	577		126.0		2,194	2,242	102	93		108		117	
59	September.....		100			125.1		2,187	2,215	104	96		108		117	
60	October.....		101			124.8		2,192	2,214	104	96		108		118	
61	November.....	658	102	619		124.9		2,210	2,236	103	95		107		116	
62	December.....		104			124.8		2,203	2,225	104	96		107		116	
63	1938 January.....		106			124.9		2,212	2,239	105	98		107		116	
64	February.....	688	108	640		125.2		2,215	2,244	104	96		107		115	
65	March.....		107			125.5		2,196	2,211	104	96		107		115	
66	April.....		107			125.6		2,181	2,188	105	98		105		112	
67	May.....	692	107	643		125.9		2,168	2,169	105	98		104		111	
68	June.....		109			126.0		2,146	2,136	103	95		105		112	
69	July.....		107			126.8		2,139	2,126	102	93		106		115	
70	August.....	689	106	654		126.5		2,139	2,126	102	93		105		113	
71	September.....		107			125.2		2,164	2,162	103	95		105		112	
72	October.....		111			124.9		2,177	2,181	103	95		105		114	
73	November.....	722	111	690		125.0		2,170	2,168	102	94		106		114	
74	December.....		114			125.3		2,168	2,161	102	94		104		113	

(a) July. (b) Average from sixteenth of current month to fifteenth of following month. (c) End of month. (d) Previous to Jan. 1, 1937, base July 1914=100. (e) Prior to 1929 13 commodities, including alcohol and petroleum; corresponding figures for 1929: Paris, 611; other towns, 553. (f) 300 towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, excluding Paris. Since 1929: 29 foodstuffs. (g) Monthly average. (h) Since 1929: 55 foodstuffs, base 1930. (i) Fifteenth of month. (j) Average of quarter. (k) Since 1924, new series in Reichsmark prices. (l) Prior to 1931; old series: 106 towns. (m) Prior to 1931, excluding clothing and rent. (n) December.

## FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1938—Continued

Italy		Japan		Latvia		Lithuania		Luxemburg		Netherlands		New Zealand		No.
50 Towns		Tokyo		Riga		84 Towns		9 Towns		Amsterdam		25 Towns		
June, 1928		July, 1914		1930		1913 (h)		Jan.-June, 1914		1911-1913		1926-1930		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
		(d) 100	(d) 100			100	100					(d) 62.8	(d) 70.3	
												67.6	80.3	
												72.4	85.7	
												78.6	92.0	
												85.0	98.5	
												91.2	102.7	
												101.9	116.5	
												103.4	113.4	
		236	257					374	348	217	217	95.2	95.8	
		221	228			110	109	442	415	174	171	95.9	96.5	
		221	233			136	135	497	470	177	177	98.4	100.5	
		218	236			151	150	520	492	179	176	100.4	103.0	
		199	217			141	131	616	597	(b) 168	(b) 161	101.0	102.6	
		189	211			137	137	776	746	168	163	100.1	98.3	
		184	202			134	134	811	758	169	166	100.6	100.4	
		181	203			134	132	871	807	168	162	100.4	101.3	
(f)	(f)	155	173	100	100	115	105	886	809	161	150	98.7	97.4	
100.0	100.0	83.2	136	151	91	89	105	95	783	685	151	136	90.6	84.4
101.1	101.0	78.3	137	158	79	75	88	77	686	553	141	119	83.8	77.5
97.7	95.3	70.4	146	161	76	74	75	65	686	564	139	119	79.5	73.2
84.1	78.3	72.8	149	164	72	69	70	61	661	532	140	124	80.8	77.4
80.5	73.8	72.8	170	170	73	70	61	50	648	521	136	118	83.7	83.5
76.4	70.4	78.0	159	184	73	69	62	54	651	532	132	120	86.4	87.0
77.5	72.8	86.1	174	193	79	75	70	63	688	574	137	127	92.2	95.6
83.5	78.0	93.0	200	210	87	79	70	63	708	598	139	130	95.1	99.1
91.7	86.1	(g)	(g)					(a)	(a)	(c)	(c)	(e)	(e)	
99.1	93.0	151	168	67	63	53	53	650	521			81.8	79.8	
75.1	69.9	151	169	69	63	53	53	655	527			82.6	82.1	
75.3	70.2	150	166	68	62	52	52	646	514	137	114	82.7	81.9	
75.4	70.4	149	165	71	62	52	52	635	498			82.9	82.4	
76.3	72.0	150	166		61	51	51	630	494			83.3	82.9	
76.7	72.3	148	163		60	50	50	636	501	136	116	83.6	83.6	
77.3	73.1	150	165		59	49	49	646	517			83.2	82.6	
77.5	73.3	152	172		59	48	48	651	526			83.6	82.8	
77.2	72.8	154	177		59	49	49	652	529	136	113	83.9	83.7	
77.5	73.1	154	175		59	49	49	657	536			85.3	87.4	
79.4	74.6	155	175		60	50	50	662	545			85.1	87.3	
80.5	75.6	156	177		60	51	51	659	542	137	115	84.5	85.5	
81.5	76.4	157	180	66	56	61	51	653	534			84.0	84.1	
82.1	77.1	159	185	68	60	61	51	655	535			83.9	83.0	
81.8	76.5	160	186	69	62	61	52	651	529	131	119	83.8	82.7	
81.9	76.6	160	188	71	65	61	52	642	517			84.5	84.5	
82.2	77.0	160	188	72	73	61	52	638	513			85.5	86.1	
83.5	78.1	158	183	75	78	61	53	644	521	131	117	85.5	86.9	
83.8	78.4	158	183	75	78	62	54	649	528			85.7	87.5	
83.6	77.9	159	186	73	74	63	54	649	529			86.9	87.8	
83.1	77.1	160	186	72	73	64	56	657	541	132	121	87.7	89.9	
83.5	77.8	159	182	82	80	65	57	656	540			87.6	89.4	
85.2	79.6	159	181	76	70	65	58	656	541			88.1	90.1	
85.5	79.9	163	183	72	64	65	57	663	550	133	122	88.7	91.4	
86.0	80.5	170	194	69	58	67	61	659	543	134	124	88.5	91.0	
86.4	81.1	171	192	71	62	70	65	672	558	134	122	89.8	91.6	
86.9	81.9	171	190	72	65	70	65	677	561	134	123	90.3	92.3	
87.2	82.3	172	190	74	68	70	64	675	557	136	125	91.1	94.3	
87.8	82.7	172	189	78	78	70	64	678	560	136	126	91.9	95.1	
90.2	83.5	171	188	84	87	70	64	675	555	138	129	91.7	94.5	
91.0	84.2	172	187	83	86	71	65	693	578	139	130	92.1	95.4	
92.9	86.8	174	190	82	84	70	64	700	589	139	130	92.7	95.6	
94.2	89.0	178	197	81	83	70	63	706	597	139	129	93.4	97.6	
96.0	90.2	179	200	93	98	69	62	705	595	140	130	93.8	98.5	
96.9	91.2	180	198	86	77	69	62	709	599	140	131	94.7	100.2	
98.3	92.6	182	201	81	70	70	63	704	592	139	130	94.9	101.2	
99.1	93.9	185	204	78	63	70	63	704	593	139	130	94.2	99.1	
99.2	93.9	190	205	80	67	70	63	705	593	139	130	94.3	98.5	
99.3	93.8	193	205	81	69	70	63	708	596	138	128	94.2	98.2	
98.7	92.8	198	209	84	73	70	64	701	586	138	129	94.6	99.4	
99.7	93.6	198	207	86	83	71	64	704	592	139	132	95.1	99.7	
98.8	92.2	197	205	93	95	70	63	708	597	140	134	94.7	99.2	
99.0	92.3	199	202	93	94	70	64	714	606	139	130	94.6	99.0	
98.6	91.5	203	209	90	89	70	63	706	597	138	129	95.1	98.5	
98.6	91.6	204	211	87	85	70	63	711	604	139	130	95.0	98.1	
99.0	92.7	208	217	96	88	70	63	709	601	138	130	95.3	98.8	
99.5	93.1	210	221	90	79	70	63	711	605	137	128	95.3	98.5	
100.0	94.0	212	224	86	73	71	64	711	605	138	130	96.7	102.7	

(a) First of following month. (b) Since March 1926, new series. (c) Last week or end of month. (d) July. (e) Middle of month. (f) New series: June, 1928=100. (g) Fifteenth of month. (h) Cost of living is for family of 5 persons, while food is for 1 adult.



TABLE 55—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country	Norway		Pales- tine	Peru		Poland		Portugal
	Localities	31 Towns		3 Towns	Lima		Warsaw		Entire Country
	Base Period	July, 1914		January, 1922	1913		1928		June, 1914
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living
1	1913				100	100			
2	1914	(d) 100	(d) 100		104	107			(e) 1,000
3	1915				112	115			
4	1916				123	123			
5	1917				142	145			
6	1918				164	162			
7	1919				188	188			
8	1920	300	319		210	208			
9	1921	277	295		199	183			
10	1922	231	231	88.3	190	174			
11	1923	218	217	76.5	180	166			
12	1924	239	250	79.4	187	168			
13	1925	243	256	83.9	200	179			
14	1926	206	197	82.1	201	182	(c)		
15	1927	186	173	77.0	194	177			
16	1928	(f) 173	168	71.9	181	161	100.0		
17	1929	166	158	67.5	177	159	100.5	(c)	2,361
18	1930	161	152	59.8	169	157	92.1	83.7	2,243
19	1931	153	139	53.9	158	148	82.8	73.9	1,990
20	1932	149	134	55.2	151	143	74.8	64.9	1,949
21	1933	147	131	53.5	148	139	67.5	58.0	1,948
22	1934	148	132	53.8	(b) 150	148	62.6	52.3	1,968
23	1935	151	138	53.4	162	147	60.0	49.9	1,982
24	1936	155	144	56.4	160	157	58.0	48.5	2,022
25	1937	166	158	59.1	170	173	62.0	53.9	2,102
26	1938	(g) 171	(g) 164	57.6	172	169	60.9	52.1	2,037
27	1935 January	148	133	55.7	150	143	59.6	48.7	1,986
28	February	149	134	56.0	151	145	58.9	48.0	1,985
29	March	149	135	54.1	152	148	58.5	47.4	1,962
30	April	149	135	54.2	151	145	58.4	47.2	1,996
31	May	150	136	53.9	152	148	59.0	48.5	1,975
32	June	150	138	54.0	153	148	59.8	49.6	1,973
33	July	151	140	54.6	152	147	61.7	52.6	1,989
34	August	152	141	54.2	153	149	61.1	51.7	1,971
35	September	152	140	53.1	152	146	61.6	52.2	2,005
36	October	153	142	53.6	153	147	61.7	52.4	2,014
37	November	153	142	53.5	155	151	61.4	52.0	1,951
38	December	153	142	53.8	155	150	58.3	48.7	1,992
39	1936 January	153	142	54.1	157	154	57.5	47.7	1,972
40	February	153	143	53.3	158	155	56.9	46.9	1,965
41	March	154	144	53.5	158	155	56.9	46.9	1,952
42	April	155	145	52.9	158	155	57.8	48.4	1,936
43	May	155	144	54.2	160	157	58.5	49.3	2,012
44	June	155	145	56.4	160	157	57.9	48.4	2,037
45	July	155	145	59.1	160	157	58.0	48.6	2,063
46	August	154	142	59.2	161	158	57.6	48.0	2,087
47	September	155	143	60.5	161	159	57.8	48.3	2,074
48	October	155	143	57.7	162	160	58.8	49.4	2,095
49	November	155	144	57.8	162	160	59.0	49.6	2,045
50	December	157	145	57.5	162	159	59.5	50.3	2,030
51	1937 January	158	148	62.4	163	163	60.9	52.5	2,137
52	February	159	150	61.0	167	169	62.3	54.5	2,120
53	March	161	152	59.7	167	170	62.4	54.7	2,099
54	April	163	155	61.4	170	174	61.3	52.9	2,122
55	May	163	156	58.5	171	174	61.9	53.9	2,140
56	June	166	157	57.1	171	173	62.4	54.7	2,078
57	July	168	161	57.7	171	173	61.7	55.8	2,098
58	August	168	161	58.5	172	174	61.3	53.1	2,110
59	September	170	163	58.4	172	174	62.7	54.8	2,066
60	October	171	164	58.2	173	176	62.0	53.8	2,060
61	November	171	164	58.5	173	176	62.4	54.3	2,070
62	December	171	164	57.7	174	177	62.1	53.9	2,127
63	1938 January	171	163	58.2	176	180	61.4	52.8	2,140
64	February	172	165	58.2	175	179	61.2	52.6	2,066
65	March	171	164	58.4	174	176	60.8	52.0	2,041
66	April	171	164	56.4	174	174	60.9	52.1	2,071
67	May	171	165	55.9	175	175	61.0	52.2	2,083
68	June	172	166	56.3	174	173	60.8	51.9	2,029
69	July	173	168	56.7	173	172	60.8	52.0	2,042
70	August	172	166	56.4	172	170	60.8	52.0	2,042
71	September	170	163	57.1	170	163	60.6	51.8	1,993
72	October	170	163	58.1	170	162	60.6	51.7	2,007
73	November	170	162	61.4	169	168	60.6	51.7	1,979
74	December	170	162	58.3	167	155	60.8	52.0	1,965

(a) Middle of month. (b) Since Oct., 1933, including heating. (c) New series. (d) July. (e) June. (f) New method of calculation since 1928. (g) Fifteenth of month. (h) Last week of month.

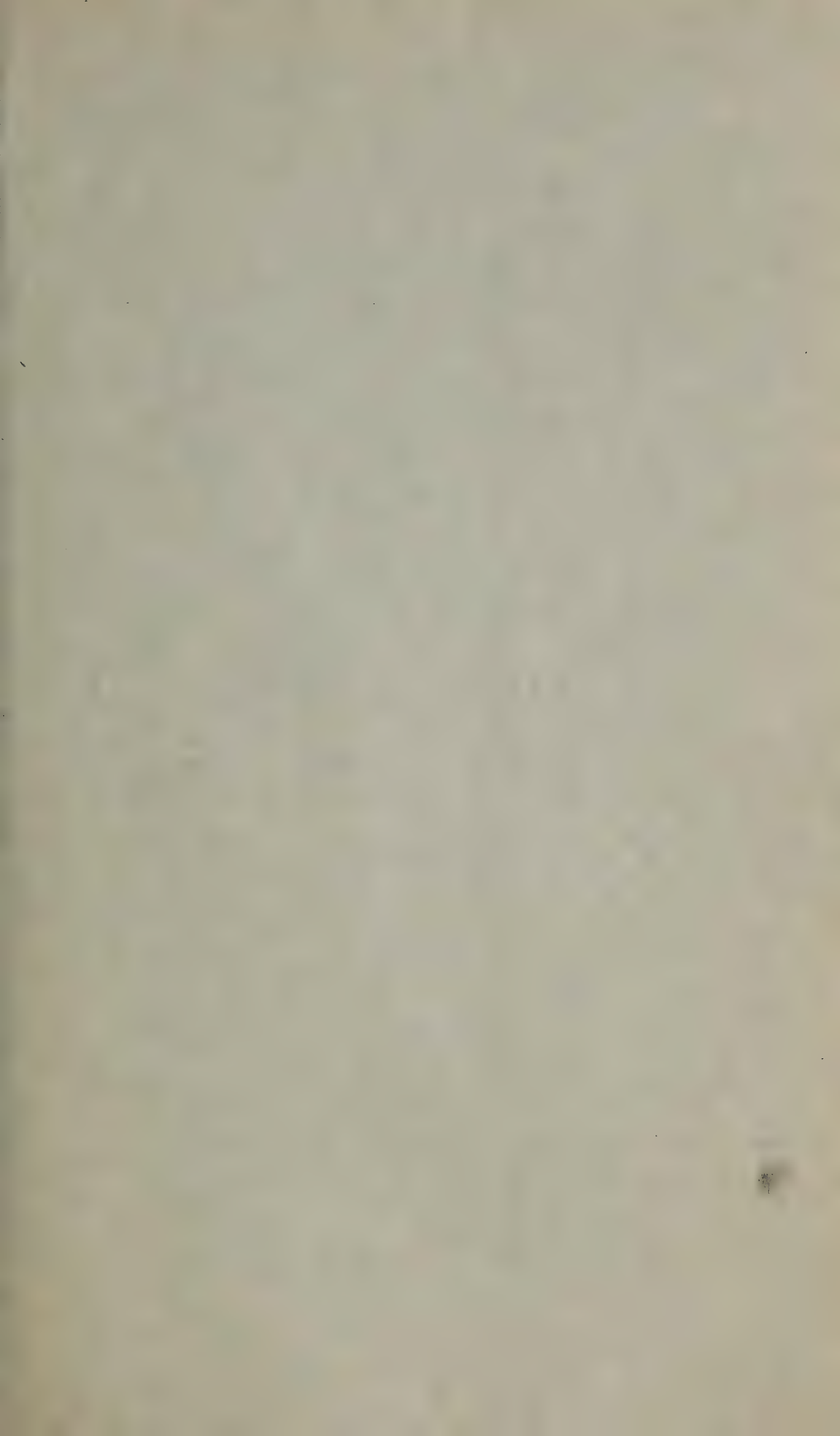
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South Africa		Sweden		Switzerland		Turkey		United Kingdom		United States		Yugoslavia		No.
9 Towns		49 Towns		34 Towns		Istanbul		630 Towns		51-173 Localities		Belgrade		
1938		July, 1914		June, 1914		1914		July, 1914		1923		1926		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
814	930	(b) 100	(b) 100	(e) 100	(e) 100	1,000	1,000	100	100	(h) 61.3	(h) 66.1			1
855	995									(b) 61.0	(b) 64.8			2
908	1,033									(b) 65.4	(b) 71.5			3
996	1,149									(b) 77.6	(b) 94.3			4
1,064	1,165	(b) 219	(b) 258	204	223				218	(e) 90.5	(c) 104.5			5
1,177	1,263	(b) 257	(b) 318	222	244				217	(b) 102.4	(b) 123.6			6
1,458	1,660	(b) 270	(b) 287	224	242			249	256	118.2	136.2			7
1,320	1,350	(b) 236	(b) 231	200	213			226	230	102.3	103.5			8
1,101	1,105	(b) 190	(b) 178	164	163			183	176	97.4	96.8			9
1,068	1,089	(b) 174	(b) 158	164	165			174	169	100.0	100.0			10
1,083	1,118	(b) 171	(b) 155	169	172			175	170	101.3	99.1			11
1,079	1,117	(b) 176	(b) 168	168	169			176	171	103.7	107.2			12
1,063	1,096	(b) 172	(b) 156	162	160			172	164	104.3	110.6	100.0	100.0	13
1,069	1,102	(b) 169	(b) 148	160	158			168	160	102.0	107.0	96.9	98.8	14
1,069	1,088	(b) 173	(b) 156	161	157			166	157	100.6	105.6	93.3	97.1	15
1,066	1,072	(b) 169	(b) 148	161	156	1,381	1,555	164	154	100.1	106.9	93.9	98.7	16
1,041	1,024	(b) 164	(b) 138	158	152	1,272	1,292	158	145	96.7	101.7	86.1	88.7	17
1,002	976	(b) 158	(b) 127	150	141	1,203	1,114	147	131	87.2	83.7	81.7	83.6	18
958	891	(b) 156	(b) 124	138	126	1,172	1,030	144	126	77.9	69.7	75.9	76.2	19
932	917	(b) 153	(b) 120	131	117	1,047	924	140	120	74.9	67.8	74.6	72.4	20
945	964	(b) 155	(b) 123	129	115	1,031	912	141	122	79.4	75.3	70.8	68.1	21
940	947	(b) 156	(b) 129	128	114	957	892	143	125	82.6	82.1	69.8	68.5	22
943	942	(b) 158	(b) 134	130	120	960	926	147	130	84.8	83.9	69.7	69.2	23
965	954	(b) 162	(b) 138	137	130	975	943	154	139	88.5	86.9	73.2	72.9	24
1,000	1,000	(b) 166	(b) 143	137	130	972	922	156	141	86.4	80.7	81.3	82.2	25
		(d)	(d)	(f)	(f)			(g)	(g)	(a)	(a)			26
		155	124	128	113	975	903	143	125	81.2	79.2	70.1	68.2	27
				127	112	965	895	142	124	82.0	81.4	69.8	67.8	28
				127	112	953	876	141	122	82.0	81.3	70.7	69.5	29
		155	126	127	111	946	874	139	119	82.8	83.4	70.0	68.4	30
				126	111	955	898	139	118	82.6	83.2	69.6	68.2	31
				127	113	951	900	140	120	82.6	83.2	68.6	67.3	32
		156	129	128	115	935	863	143	126	82.4	81.9	68.0	66.3	33
				129	116	933	850	143	126	82.4	81.3	67.6	66.0	34
		157	131	129	116	934	852	143	125	82.7	81.7	68.4	66.8	35
				129	117	955	892	145	128	83.0	81.9	69.9	68.1	36
				130	118	980	931	147	131	83.4	82.7	71.6	71.4	37
				130	118	997	971	147	131	83.9	83.8	73.1	73.2	38
		158	132	130	118	979	947	147	131	83.9	83.5	71.1	70.8	39
				130	118	983	962	147	130	83.5	82.3	71.1	70.8	40
				130	118	980	973	146	129	83.2	81.0	70.2	69.5	41
		158	134	130	119	971	963	144	126	83.4	81.0	70.4	69.9	42
				130	119	949	914	144	125	83.8	81.7	70.1	69.7	43
				130	120	950	923	144	126	85.1	85.6	68.1	66.8	44
		158	134	130	120	953	933	146	129	85.2	85.8	67.8	66.7	45
				130	120	946	914	146	129	85.6	85.8	68.3	67.6	46
				130	121	947	900	147	131	85.9	86.1	68.8	68.3	47
		157	132	132	123	945	885	148	132	85.7	84.6	69.8	69.6	48
				132	123			151	136	85.8	84.3	70.0	70.1	49
				132	123			151	136	86.1	84.7	70.1	70.3	50
		158	133	133	126	987	969	151	136	86.9	86.4	69.9	69.6	51
				136	129	992	981	151	135	87.2	86.3	70.0	69.7	52
				136	129	974	954	151	135	87.9	87.2	69.7	69.0	53
		161	137	137	129	972	960	151	135	88.3	87.4	71.4	70.9	54
				136	129	968	940	152	136	88.8	88.4	72.7	72.2	55
				137	131	957	907	152	136	88.9	88.2	73.2	73.0	56
		162	138	137	131	967	931	155	140	88.9	87.7	73.3	72.8	57
				137	130	963	932	155	140	89.0	87.3	73.8	72.9	58
				137	130	969	931	155	140	89.4	87.6	74.5	73.8	59
		165	140	138	130	987	944	158	143	89.5	86.7	76.0	75.8	60
				138	130	985	945	160	146	89.0	85.4	76.6	76.7	61
				138	130	981	928	160	146	88.6	84.4	77.7	78.0	62
1,003	1,013	165	142	138	130	990	940	159	145	87.5	82.0	77.9	78.2	63
1,002	1,009			137	130	988	942	157	142	86.7	80.1	79.1	79.5	64
1,004	1,016			137	129	988	948	156	140	86.7	80.3	79.2	79.8	65
1,004	1,017	165	141	137	129	975	942	154	137	86.8	81.1	80.8	81.6	66
1,006	1,023			136	128	967	925	156	139	86.5	80.8	82.6	83.3	67
1,004	1,018			137	130	960	915	155	138	86.7	81.9	82.3	83.8	68
997	993	166	143	137	129	963	914	159	146	86.5	81.7	81.4	82.5	69
996	981			136	129	961	898	156	141	85.9	80.1	81.5	82.7	70
995	980			137	130	964	904	156	140	85.9	80.4	82.1	82.7	71
996	984	167	145	137	130	964	894	155	139	85.8	79.8	82.1	82.7	72
996	983			137	130	969	919	156	140	85.6	79.5	83.0	83.8	73
996	984			137	130	972	922	156	139	85.8	80.3	83.5	84.6	74

(a) Middle of month. (b) July. (d) New method of calculation since 1932. (e) June. (f) End of month. (g) First of month. (h) Revised series.









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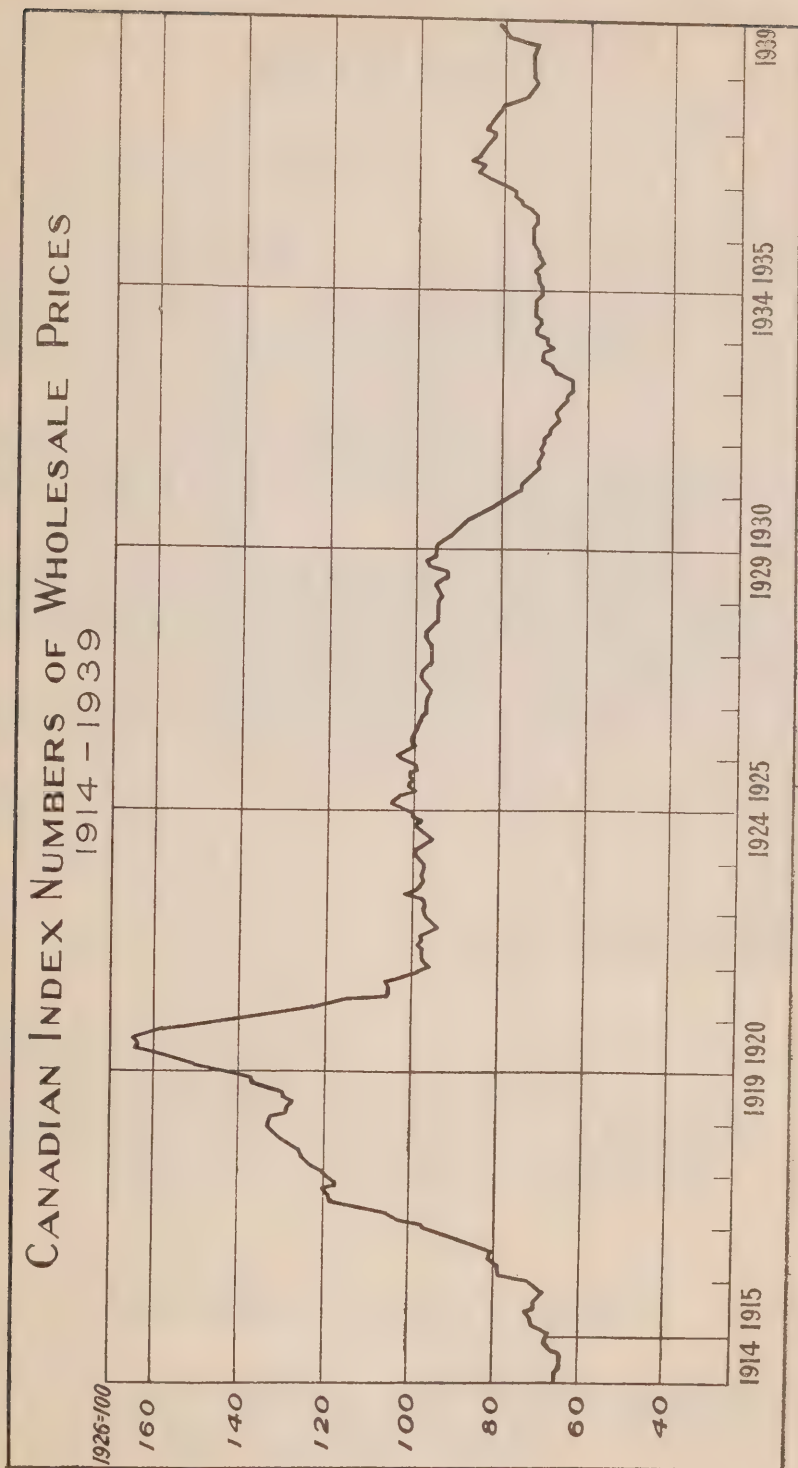


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Chart 1.



## PREFACE

This report, the eighteenth on the subject of Prices and Price Indexes issued annually by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, deals chiefly with the year 1939, but data are included for earlier years, in some instances back to 1890.

The report includes statistics of domestic and foreign wholesale and retail prices, security prices, bond prices and yields, and rates of exchange. The usual detailed statement of monthly prices used in computing 1939 wholesale price indexes has been omitted but was published along with corresponding 1938 data in a supplement to Prices and Price Indexes.

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## THE COURSE OF WHOLESALE PRICES, 1939

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number of wholesale prices on the base 1926=100 declined from 78.6 in 1938 to 75.4 in 1939. During the first eight months of 1939 the index fluctuated narrowly between 73.7 in May and 72.3 in August, which was the lowest level since June 1936. With the outbreak of war, prices rose sharply; for September the index was 78.4, and it continued gradually upward to 81.7 in December, for a net annual gain of 11.5 p.c. Marked gains featured all groups during the last four months of the year. The vegetable products index rose from 60.4 in January to 63.1 in May, reacted to 58.7 by August, and then rose almost 23 p.c. to close at 72.0. Major gains were registered by grains which moved up 51.4 p.c., flour 33.5 p.c., tea, coffee, cocoa and spices 24.7 p.c., raw rubber 29.1 p.c., and sugar and its products 11.5 p.c. in the closing four months of the year. The Animal Products group closed higher at 80.3 against a January index of 72.9, but the year's average was 74.6 compared with 76.7 in 1938. In the last quarter, prices of hides and skins rose 81.5 p.c., leather 33.3 p.c. fishery products 22.5 p.c., milk and its products 18.8 p.c., while other commodities in the group moved more moderately higher. Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products, Wood, Wood Products and Paper, and Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products were the only groups averaging higher in 1939 than in the previous year. Between 1938 and 1939, Fibres rose from 67.5 to 69.9, Wood Products from 77.5 to 79.2 and Non-Ferrous Metals from 70.9 to 71.3. In the Fibres group, prices of wool and its products showed the greatest gains but other sub-groups were also higher. An index for raw wool fell from 52.3 in January to 48.2 in May, but moved upward during the balance of the year with the advance gaining momentum during the closing months. By December, the index was 88.2, and more than 82 p.c. above the year's low. Wool yarn, cloth, blankets and hosiery and knit goods followed the lead of raw wool with net gains of 44.3 p.c., 32.9 p.c., 25.1 p.c. and 8.6 p.c. respectively. Among Wood Products, wood-pulp showed the sharpest rise of 24.4 p.c., followed by lumber and timber which advanced 14.2 p.c. and news-print and wrapping paper 7.9 p.c. An index for Iron and Its Products fell from 100.4 in 1938 to 98.4 in 1939. After declining 0.7 points to 96.9 in May, this index rose steadily to 102.1 in December. Among sub-groups showing rises were pig iron and steel billets, up from 90.2 in January to 92.7 in December, rolling mill products up from 104.1 to 109.9, hardware from 88.1 to 90.1 and scrap from 70.0 to 91.3. Influenced by higher prices for copper, lead, tin and zinc the annual index for Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products rose from 70.9 to 71.3 between 1938 and 1939. Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products eased from 86.7 to 85.2, higher prices for salt, coal, coke and pottery being more than offset by easier quotations for glass, petroleum products, plaster, cement, sand, gravel and stone and asbestos products. Chemicals and Allied Products changed fractionally from 79.9 in 1938 to 79.8 in 1939. Although tanning and dyeing materials, drugs and pharmaceuticals, and fertilizers advanced, declines in inorganic and organic chemicals, coal tar products, explosives, prepared paints, industrial gases and soaps were sufficient to outweigh these gains.

Movements in the Canadian Farm Products index of wholesale prices were somewhat narrower during 1939 than for commodity wholesale prices in general. This was due in part to the use of minimum prices established by the Canadian Wheat Board when market prices of wheat were below the Board's minimum levels. The composite index for Canadian Farm Products advanced from 64.8 in January to 65.5 in April and then receded to 58.4 in August. The subsequent rise in prices did not cancel summer declines until December, when the index reached 69.1. The Animal section held at substantially higher levels throughout 1939 than the Field Product section. Annual averages for these two groups were 81.4 and 54.3 respectively.

TABLE 1—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1939

CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1926=100)

Groups		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	All Commodities
		Vegetable Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	
Number of commodities	1890-1899	59	47	23	26	30	14	21	27	247
	1900-1912	51	39	20	18	22	11	19	23	203
	1913-1925	67	50	28	21	26	15	16	13	236
	1926-1933	124	74	60	44	39	15	73	73	502
	1934-1939	135	76	85	49	44	18	83	77	567
1890	55.5	45.5	53.8	38.5	77.9	109.4	50.0	49.6	51.5	
1891	58.8	45.2	49.2	38.2	72.1	101.9	48.7	49.8	51.5	
1892	47.9	45.2	46.8	38.8	69.5	92.8	49.4	48.9	47.8	
1893	48.3	47.6	46.7	38.6	67.9	86.0	49.0	48.6	48.5	
1894	44.2	43.6	43.9	39.6	63.2	73.1	47.9	48.2	45.3	
1895	44.3	42.3	43.7	37.3	61.0	72.0	47.0	47.6	44.4	
1896	42.2	39.9	44.5	35.9	61.6	75.4	46.9	47.9	42.9	
1897	43.5	42.2	43.7	35.8	56.4	70.4	46.0	46.8	43.6	
1898	48.5	43.6	43.0	36.1	56.2	72.9	45.6	46.6	45.6	
1899	46.4	45.9	43.4	37.1	64.4	95.3	45.8	46.3	46.5	
1900	42.9	48.5	48.4	40.6	75.1	102.4	48.5	49.0	47.9	
1901	47.1	48.3	46.4	40.3	67.9	100.2	51.7	51.1	48.9	
1902	50.1	51.2	46.6	42.6	67.7	84.3	53.6	49.9	51.1	
1903	51.6	49.5	47.0	47.9	67.3	82.7	55.5	50.2	51.8	
1904	54.6	48.2	51.0	48.0	62.9	85.1	54.7	51.7	52.4	
1905	55.3	52.4	50.6	49.3	62.0	93.8	53.2	52.0	54.0	
1906	52.2	53.2	54.4	52.6	65.8	108.3	52.1	50.8	54.2	
1907	59.1	57.1	56.1	55.3	68.9	115.3	54.2	58.3	58.6	
1908	61.7	56.5	50.8	54.4	66.6	86.9	55.6	57.5	58.5	
1909	62.0	60.3	52.4	53.3	63.3	84.6	54.7	53.4	59.5	
1910	59.0	63.1	55.8	58.5	62.3	87.8	54.1	54.8	60.2	
1911	62.5	60.9	54.3	62.1	63.2	87.0	53.3	59.1	62.2	
1912	68.0	67.6	52.5	62.2	64.0	100.0	56.8	61.9	65.4	
1913	58.1	70.9	58.2	63.9	68.9	98.4	56.8	63.4	64.0	
1914	64.8	72.6	56.9	60.3	67.3	94.7	53.7	65.3	65.5	
1915	75.6	74.0	58.3	56.5	73.9	106.9	52.7	68.1	70.4	
1916	87.0	85.0	77.6	64.0	104.6	135.1	58.0	78.0	84.3	
1917	124.5	110.4	114.6	79.8	151.8	143.9	71.6	98.1	114.3	
1918	127.9	127.1	157.1	89.1	156.9	141.9	82.3	118.7	127.4	
1919	136.1	140.8	163.8	109.6	139.1	133.5	93.6	117.5	134.0	
1920	167.0	145.1	176.5	154.4	168.4	135.5	112.2	141.5	155.9	
1921	103.5	109.6	96.0	129.4	128.0	97.0	116.6	117.0	110.0	
1922	86.2	96.0	101.7	106.3	104.6	97.3	107.0	105.4	97.3	
1923	83.7	95.0	116.9	113.0	115.8	95.3	104.4	104.4	98.0	
1924	89.2	91.8	117.9	105.9	111.0	94.8	104.1	102.5	99.4	
1925	100.3	100.3	112.5	101.6	104.5	103.9	100.3	99.6	102.6	
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1927	98.3	101.9	93.7	98.5	96.2	91.5	96.5	98.3	97.7	
1928	93.0	108.1	94.5	98.7	93.2	92.0	92.5	95.3	96.4	
1929	91.6	109.0	91.3	93.9	93.7	99.2	92.9	95.4	95.6	
1930	77.7	99.1	81.8	88.7	91.1	80.7	91.3	92.8	86.6	
1931	56.9	73.9	73.4	79.1	87.4	64.6	86.5	86.7	72.1	
1932	54.8	59.7	69.7	69.1	86.3	59.0	85.5	83.9	66.7	
1933	59.3	59.4	69.7	62.8	85.4	64.3	84.4	81.3	67.1	
1934	66.6	67.2	72.9	65.4	87.0	64.3	86.0	81.2	71.6	
1935	67.3	70.4	70.2	64.6	87.2	69.1	85.5	79.1	72.1	
1936	72.6	71.8	69.7	68.5	88.0	70.0	85.5	78.0	74.6	
1937	88.4	78.4	72.8	76.7	101.8	83.8	86.6	81.4	84.6	
1938	73.8	76.7	67.5	77.5	100.4	70.9	86.7	79.9	78.6	
1939	63.7	74.6	70.0	79.2	98.4	71.3	85.2	79.8	75.4	
1938										
January	87.4	77.2	68.9	79.6	103.8	72.7	87.1	80.7	83.8	
February	87.0	77.8	68.7	79.4	103.7	71.1	87.1	80.6	83.6	
March	85.1	79.1	68.4	79.0	103.2	71.3	87.0	80.5	83.1	
April	84.0	78.9	68.1	77.6	102.5	70.6	86.6	80.5	82.3	
May	79.1	77.1	67.9	77.2	101.5	69.0	87.1	80.5	80.3	
June	78.6	78.0	67.4	76.8	101.4	67.8	87.1	80.1	80.1	
July	74.4	78.3	67.5	76.7	97.8	70.6	86.5	79.4	78.6	
August	66.8	76.2	67.1	77.3	98.0	70.0	86.5	79.4	76.0	
September	61.7	76.4	66.9	76.9	98.2	70.8	86.7	79.4	74.5	
October	60.8	74.8	66.7	76.9	98.1	73.0	86.5	79.4	74.1	
November	60.2	73.3	66.5	76.2	98.2	72.7	86.3	79.3	73.5	
December	60.3	72.9	66.2	76.2	98.1	71.5	86.3	79.0	73.3	
1939										
January	60.4	72.9	66.3	76.2	97.6	70.3	85.6	78.9	73.2	
February	60.5	73.4	66.3	76.1	97.4	69.8	85.7	78.3	73.2	
March	60.7	73.3	65.9	76.3	97.4	70.1	85.0	78.1	73.2	
April	62.1	72.1	65.8	76.4	97.5	69.5	84.9	78.1	73.4	
May	63.1	71.9	66.4	76.8	96.9	69.2	84.7	78.0	73.7	
June	61.9	71.2	66.6	77.1	97.0	69.2	84.6	77.7	73.2	
July	59.8	71.2	66.4	77.0	97.1	68.6	84.4	77.8	72.6	
August	58.7	69.7	66.5	78.4	97.1	69.9	84.1	77.6	72.3	
September	68.7	77.6	72.9	82.4	99.3	74.6	84.6	81.5	78.4	
October	68.5	80.8	75.8	83.6	100.5	74.9	86.1	82.3	79.6	
November	68.5	80.8	79.2	85.0	101.9	74.5	86.5	83.9	80.3	
December	72.0	80.3	81.9	85.3	102.1	75.3	86.5	85.1	81.7	



TABLE 2—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1939

CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION  
(1913=100)

Groups		I	II	III	IV	V	VII	VII	VIII	All Commodities
		Vegetable Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	
Number of commodities	1890-1899	59	47	23	26	30	14	21	27	247
	1900-1912	51	39	20	18	22	11	19	23	203
	1913-1925	67	50	28	21	26	15	16	13	230
	1926-1933	124	74	60	44	39	15	73	73	502
	1934-1939	135	76	85	49	44	18	83	77	567
1890.	95.6	64.2	92.4	60.2	113.1	111.2	88.1	78.3	80.5	
1891.	101.2	63.8	84.5	59.8	104.6	103.6	85.8	78.6	80.5	
1892.	82.5	63.7	80.4	60.7	100.9	94.3	86.9	77.1	74.7	
1893.	83.2	67.2	80.2	60.4	98.6	87.4	86.3	76.6	75.8	
1894.	76.1	61.5	75.5	61.9	91.7	74.3	84.3	78.1	70.8	
1895.	76.3	59.7	75.1	58.4	88.5	73.2	82.8	75.0	69.4	
1896.	72.6	56.3	76.4	56.2	89.4	76.6	82.5	75.5	67.0	
1897.	74.9	59.5	75.0	56.1	81.9	71.5	81.0	73.8	68.1	
1898.	83.5	61.5	73.9	56.5	81.6	74.1	80.2	73.5	71.3	
1899.	79.9	64.7	74.6	58.0	93.4	96.8	80.6	73.1	72.6	
1900.	73.9	68.4	83.2	63.5	109.0	104.0	85.4	77.4	74.8	
1901.	81.1	68.1	79.7	63.1	98.5	101.8	91.1	80.6	76.4	
1902.	86.2	72.3	80.1	66.6	98.3	85.6	94.4	78.8	79.8	
1903.	88.9	69.8	89.7	75.0	97.6	84.0	97.7	79.2	80.9	
1904.	94.0	68.0	87.5	75.1	91.3	86.5	96.3	81.6	81.8	
1905.	95.2	74.0	87.0	77.2	89.9	95.3	93.6	82.0	84.4	
1906.	89.9	75.0	93.5	82.3	95.5	110.0	91.8	80.1	84.6	
1907.	101.7	80.6	96.3	86.5	100.0	117.1	95.4	92.0	91.6	
1908.	106.2	79.7	87.3	85.1	96.7	88.3	97.9	90.8	91.4	
1909.	106.7	85.1	90.0	83.4	91.8	86.0	96.3	84.2	92.9	
1910.	101.6	89.1	95.8	91.6	90.4	89.2	95.2	86.5	94.0	
1911.	107.6	86.0	93.3	97.2	91.7	88.4	93.8	93.3	97.2	
1912.	117.1	95.4	90.2	97.4	92.8	101.6	100.0	97.6	102.2	
1913.	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
1914.	111.6	102.5	97.8	94.3	97.7	96.2	94.5	103.0	102.3	
1915.	130.2	104.4	100.2	88.5	107.2	108.6	92.8	107.4	109.9	
1916.	149.8	119.9	132.3	100.1	151.8	137.3	102.2	123.1	131.6	
1917.	214.4	155.8	196.8	124.9	220.2	146.2	126.0	154.8	178.5	
1918.	220.2	179.4	269.9	139.4	227.3	144.2	144.9	187.3	199.0	
1919.	234.4	198.7	281.4	171.6	201.8	135.6	163.8	185.4	209.2	
1920.	287.6	204.8	303.3	241.6	244.4	137.7	197.5	223.3	243.5	
1921.	178.2	154.6	165.0	202.5	185.7	98.6	205.4	184.7	171.8	
1922.	148.4	135.4	174.7	166.4	151.8	98.9	188.4	166.4	152.0	
1923.	144.2	134.1	200.9	176.8	168.0	96.8	183.8	164.8	153.0	
1924.	153.6	129.5	202.5	165.8	161.0	96.3	183.4	161.8	155.2	
1925.	173.3	141.5	193.3	159.0	151.6	105.6	176.6	157.1	160.3	
1926.	172.2	141.1	171.8	156.5	145.1	101.6	176.1	157.8	156.2	
1927.	169.3	143.8	161.0	154.2	139.6	93.0	169.9	155.1	152.6	
1928.	160.1	152.5	162.4	154.5	135.2	93.5	162.9	150.4	150.6	
1929.	157.7	153.8	156.9	147.0	136.0	100.8	163.6	150.5	149.3	
1930.	123.8	139.8	140.5	138.8	132.2	82.0	160.8	146.4	135.3	
1931.	98.0	104.3	126.1	123.8	126.8	65.6	152.3	136.8	112.6	
1932.	94.4	84.2	119.7	108.1	125.2	59.9	150.6	132.4	104.2	
1933.	102.1	83.8	119.7	98.3	123.9	65.3	148.6	128.3	104.8	
1934.	114.7	94.8	125.2	102.4	126.2	65.3	151.4	128.1	111.8	
1935.	115.9	99.3	120.6	101.1	126.5	70.2	150.6	124.8	112.6	
1936.	125.0	101.3	119.7	107.2	127.7	71.1	150.6	123.1	116.5	
1937.	152.2	110.6	125.1	120.0	147.7	85.1	152.5	128.4	132.1	
1938.	127.1	108.2	116.0	121.3	145.7	72.0	152.7	126.1	122.8	
1939.	109.7	105.3	120.3	123.9	142.8	72.4	150.2	125.9	117.8	
1938										
January.	150.5	108.9	118.4	124.6	150.8	73.9	153.4	127.3	130.9	
February.	149.8	109.8	118.0	124.3	150.5	72.2	153.4	127.2	130.6	
March.	146.5	111.6	117.5	123.6	149.7	72.4	153.2	127.0	129.8	
April.	144.6	111.3	117.0	121.4	148.7	71.7	152.5	127.0	128.6	
May.	136.2	108.8	116.7	120.8	147.3	70.1	153.4	127.0	125.4	
June.	135.3	110.1	115.8	120.2	147.1	68.9	153.4	126.4	125.1	
July.	128.1	110.5	116.0	120.0	141.9	71.7	152.3	125.3	122.8	
August.	115.0	107.5	115.3	121.0	142.2	71.1	152.3	125.3	118.7	
September.	106.2	107.8	114.9	120.3	142.5	71.9	152.7	125.3	116.4	
October.	104.7	105.5	114.6	120.3	142.3	74.2	152.3	125.3	115.7	
November.	103.7	103.4	114.2	119.3	142.5	73.9	152.0	125.1	114.8	
December.	103.8	102.9	113.7	119.3	142.3	72.6	152.0	124.7	114.5	
1939										
January.	104.0	102.9	113.9	119.3	141.6	71.4	150.7	124.5	114.3	
February.	104.2	103.6	113.9	119.1	141.3	70.9	150.9	123.6	114.3	
March.	104.5	103.4	113.2	119.4	141.3	71.2	149.7	123.2	114.3	
April.	106.9	101.7	113.0	119.6	141.5	70.6	149.5	123.2	114.7	
May.	108.7	101.5	114.1	120.2	140.6	70.3	149.2	123.1	115.1	
June.	106.6	100.5	114.4	120.7	140.7	70.3	149.0	122.6	114.3	
July.	103.0	100.5	114.1	120.5	140.9	69.7	148.6	122.8	113.4	
August.	101.1	98.3	114.2	122.7	140.9	71.0	148.1	122.5	112.9	
September.	118.3	109.5	125.2	129.0	144.1	75.8	149.3	128.6	122.5	
October.	118.0	114.0	130.2	130.8	145.8	76.1	152.0	129.9	124.3	
November.	118.0	114.0	136.1	133.0	147.9	75.7	152.9	132.4	125.6	
December.	124.0	113.3	140.7	133.5	148.1	76.5	152.7	134.3	127.6	

TABLE 3—INDEX NUMBERS OF INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS DECEMBER  
1937-1938-1939

(1926=100)

Commodities	December 1937	December 1938	December 1939
<b>SENSITIVE PRICE SERIES (18)—</b>			
<i>(a) Manufacturing Materials (13)—</i>			
Raw rubber, plantation, first latex crepe.....	31.1	33.6	48.0
Linseed oil, raw.....	84.4	62.4	80.2
Cottonseed oil, refined.....	69.8	62.4	74.8
Rosin, water white.....	54.4	48.1	59.9
Beef hides, country cured.....	45.1	52.6	82.7
Raw cotton, middling 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub> .....	52.5	53.0	72.1
Raw wool, eastern bright blood.....	76.8	53.3	88.2
Raw silk (composite of 9 items).....	25.6	29.5	71.2
Manila hemp, 12½ p.c. fair current.....	57.4	37.8	67.4
Lead, domestic.....	54.0	50.6	58.4
Zinc, spelter.....	48.7	42.8	53.9
Copper, electrolytic domestic.....	67.3	68.8	70.7
Tin ingots, Straits.....	68.0	73.7	96.4
<i>(b) Food Products (5)—</i>			
Wheat, No. 3 Manitoba Northern.....	83.5	37.8	54.5
Oats, No. 3 Canada Western.....	93.3	53.9	75.6
Raw sugar, B.W.I. preferential.....	45.1	42.1	60.8
Steers, good quality.....	96.2	88.3	96.7
Hogs, good bacon.....	62.5	67.3	68.2
<b>STABLE PRICE SERIES (12)—</b>			
Spruce lumber, Quebec.....	107.4	96.1	105.3
Fir lumber, No. 1 common.....	92.8	95.7	107.2
Pulp, unbleached sulphite.....	88.0	71.9	77.6
Pulp, bleached sulphite.....	87.9	70.6	65.0
Iron ore, mesabi bessemer.....	116.0	117.1	128.7
Scrap iron, heavy melting, charging box size.....	82.6	82.6	103.3
Structural shapes, open hearth.....	102.0	95.9	102.0
Merchant bars mild steel.....	110.2	104.1	104.1
Steel sheets, No. 24 U.S.G., galvanized.....	112.0	102.8	121.4
Crude oil, mid-continent.....	76.1	70.5	77.6
Coal, American bituminous, run-of-mine.....	99.3	100.9	100.9
White lead, basic carbonate in oil.....	86.7	74.5	79.0

TABLE 4—MONTHLY PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF 30 INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS,  
1926-1939

(1926=100)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1926.....	104.7	102.6	100.7	99.4	98.3	98.4	99.5	98.9	99.2	99.1	97.4	98.0
1927.....	97.2	97.5	96.4	96.7	96.8	96.9	96.0	95.6	96.7	96.0	94.8	96.1
1928.....	95.4	93.7	94.5	94.1	95.2	93.8	93.4	92.1	90.9	89.9	90.2	91.1
1929.....	92.2	92.7	93.2	91.8	90.3	90.4	92.9	93.0	93.7	92.4	89.4	89.5
1930.....	88.3	86.8	84.0	83.4	79.8	77.4	74.0	71.9	69.3	67.7	66.6	64.9
1931.....	63.9	62.1	61.5	61.2	59.5	59.3	59.6	57.9	56.1	57.7	58.1	57.7
1932.....	56.8	55.2	53.4	51.5	49.7	49.2	50.3	51.6	51.5	49.9	49.1	47.4
1933.....	46.0	45.8	48.4	49.3	54.0	56.7	60.8	59.4	58.6	55.7	57.0	57.6
1934.....	59.4	61.7	61.5	60.9	60.7	60.9	59.8	60.1	59.1	58.4	58.3	58.9
1935.....	59.8	60.0	59.7	61.1	62.0	61.7	62.0	62.1	64.1	65.9	65.5	65.3
1936.....	66.1	66.5	66.3	66.0	64.6	64.6	66.4	67.7	68.2	68.0	69.9	73.1
1937.....	78.1	79.3	85.2	84.7	83.4	82.3	84.5	82.9	81.2	78.8	73.4	71.5
1938.....	70.6	69.2	68.8	67.4	65.9	65.5	66.3	65.1	64.1	64.2	64.2	64.0
1939.....	64.3	64.3	64.7	64.6	65.2	65.3	64.9	65.3	75.0	77.4	77.9	78.7

TABLE 5—WEEKLY PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF 30 INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, 1939

(1926=100)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	64.4	64.7	64.6	64.1	65.0	65.2	65.3	64.9	65.1	77.0	77.4	77.6
2nd Week.....	64.0	64.2	64.7	64.3	65.5	65.2	65.1	64.7	70.5	76.5	77.3	77.8
3rd Week.....	64.4	64.3	64.5	64.8	65.1	65.1	65.0	64.8	74.5	77.4	77.7	78.1
4th Week.....	64.5	64.5	64.9	64.8	65.6	65.2	64.8	65.1	74.2	77.6	77.4	79.3
5th Week.....			64.7			65.3			75.7			79.5

TABLE 6—CONSTITUENT GROUP WEEKLY PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF INDUSTRIAL MATERIALS, 1939

(1926=100)

## 1. EIGHTEEN SENSITIVE COMMODITIES

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	52.2	52.7	52.6	52.0	53.2	53.6	53.5	52.8	53.0	69.1	68.9	68.0
2nd Week.....	51.7	52.0	52.8	52.3	53.8	53.5	53.2	52.6	60.6	68.3	68.8	68.4
3rd Week.....	52.2	52.2	52.6	52.9	53.4	53.4	53.0	52.7	66.1	68.9	68.7	68.8
4th Week.....	52.4	52.6	53.0	52.9	54.1	53.3	52.7	53.0	65.3	69.2	68.3	70.6
5th Week.....			52.7			53.4			67.1			70.9

## 1a. Thirteen Sensitive Manufacturing Materials

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	50.5	50.9	51.1	50.5	51.2	51.8	52.4	53.1	52.9	70.2	70.4	68.2
2nd Week.....	50.5	50.9	51.3	50.6	51.6	52.0	52.6	52.9	58.6	69.5	70.2	68.0
3rd Week.....	51.0	50.6	51.2	51.1	51.5	51.9	52.8	53.0	64.0	69.7	69.7	68.3
4th Week.....	50.8	50.8	51.4	51.0	52.0	51.7	53.0	52.6	64.1	70.4	69.1	69.8
5th Week.....			51.3			52.1			66.9			70.0

## 1b. Five Sensitive Food Products

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	57.0	57.5	56.8	56.2	58.6	58.6	56.6	52.1	53.3	66.2	65.2	67.5
2nd Week.....	55.1	55.0	56.8	56.9	59.9	57.6	54.6	51.9	66.4	65.3	65.2	69.4
3rd Week.....	55.5	56.6	56.2	57.9	58.6	57.6	53.5	52.0	71.7	66.7	66.3	70.3
4th Week.....	56.8	57.4	57.3	58.2	60.1	57.5	51.9	53.9	68.5	66.2	66.3	72.6
5th Week.....			56.7			57.0			67.4			73.1

## 2. TWELVE STABLE COMMODITIES

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1st Week.....	88.1	88.1	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.6	88.3	88.3	88.5	90.7	92.2	94.6
2nd Week.....	88.1	88.1	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.6	88.3	88.3	88.4	90.7	92.2	94.5
3rd Week.....	88.1	88.0	87.8	87.8	87.6	87.6	88.3	88.3	89.2	92.2	93.4	94.5
4th Week.....	88.1	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.6	88.3	88.3	88.7	90.0	92.2	93.4	94.5
5th Week.....			87.8			88.3			90.8			94.5



TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1936-1939  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1936		1937		1938		1939	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS									
Fruit, Fresh, Dried and Canned									
Fruits, Fresh									
Bananas (1)	per pound		72.6		88.4		73.8		63.3
Bananas, 7 hands	100 pounds		89.0		89.2		70.3		75.2
Lemons (California)	per box	0.50	73.3	0.52	93.6	0.48	69.8	0.53	76.0
Oranges (California)	per case	2.896	83.5	3.067	88.5	3.133	90.3	3.330	70.0
		6.163	144.4	6.427	161.2	4.194	105.2	4.750	96.0
		4.630	74.0	5.508	93.9	3.621	61.7	3.942	119.1
Fruits, Dried									
Currents, Australian, 2-Crown	per pound	1.01	81.4	1.05	84.1	0.97	78.9	0.99	80.3
Raisins, Thompson's seedless	"	1.25	95.7	1.30	99.5	1.21	92.6	1.19	78.9
Raisins, Australian 3-Crown	"	1.01	68.6	1.03	70.9	1.01	62.4	0.99	91.1
Prunes, California, 50's-60's	"	0.89	67.9	0.92	67.8	0.81	62.4	0.72	72.6
Fruits, Canned									
Peaches, 2's, heavy syrup, standard (2)	per dozen	1.423	71.2	1.442	66.8	1.274	65.0	1.280	65.3
Cherries, 2's, heavy syrup, red, pitted (2)	"	1.090	54.8	1.359	62.9	1.397	64.7	1.195	55.3
Raspberries, 2's, heavy syrup, red (2)	"	1.346	48.5	1.586	49.7	1.564	49.0	1.568	52.6
Corn Syrup	case	4.017		4.050		3.950		3.900	
Orange Marmalade	4-lb. tin	0.93		0.95		0.95		0.93	
Strawberry Jam	"	0.69		0.65		0.620		0.627	
Grains									
Barley, No. 3 C.W.	per bushel	4.63	66.3	4.69	92.6	4.78	68.1	3.84	46.5
Barley, No. 4 C.W.	"	4.67	79.8	4.66	110.9	4.78	76.9	3.84	61.8
Barley, Ontario, good malting	"	6.85	96.9	6.82	112.1	4.61	78.8	3.66	62.6
Barley, No. 6 C.W.	"	4.82	78.3	6.24	116.4	6.11	86.4	5.52	78.1
Corn, Ontario yellow, kiln dried (2)	"	1.185	141.8	0.950	113.2	4.41	80.0	3.49	63.8
Flax, No. 1 C.W.	"	1.600	80.3	1.743	159.6	1.491	139.4	1.526	112.9
Flax, No. 2 C.W.	"	1.559	79.9	1.703	87.5	1.451	74.9	1.486	76.6
Flax, No. 3 C.W.	"	1.455	81.2	1.535	87.3	1.451	74.4	1.486	76.2
Oats, No. 1 C.W.	"	4.01	73.1	4.56	85.6	1.310	73.1	1.331	74.3
Oats, No. 2 C.W.	"	3.61	76.0	4.17	99.6	4.13	75.3	3.08	56.2
Oats, No. 3 C.W.	"	3.57	79.0	4.24	110.4	3.77	79.4	2.83	59.6
Oats, Ontario	"	3.40	74.7	4.19	114.8	3.74	82.8	3.25	71.9
Oats, No. 1 feed Western	"	3.22	73.7	4.79	111.8	3.59	78.9	2.74	60.2
Oats, No. 2 feed Western	"	1.243	101.7	1.500	112.6	3.32	78.0	2.56	60.2
Peas, No. 2 white, Ontario	"	5.74	61.9	1.015	109.4	1.475	120.4	1.525	124.5
Rye, No. 2 C.W.	"	5.40	61.9	1.015	109.4	5.47	59.0	4.76	51.3
Rye, No. 3 C.W.	"	5.04	59.3	9.16	112.1	5.13	58.8	4.36	50.0
Rye, rejected	"	5.66	59.8	9.60	107.8	4.69	55.2	3.98	46.8
Rye, No. 2 Ontario	"	1.193	91.3	1.133	91.3	0.608	64.2	0.583	56.3
Wheat, Ontario, good milling	"	1.193	91.3	1.133	91.3	0.608	64.2	0.583	56.3
Wheat, No. 1 Manitoba Northern	"	9.37	62.7	1.340	89.6	1.015	67.9	0.645	43.1
Wheat, No. 2 Manitoba Northern	"	9.17	63.6	1.304	89.6	0.967	67.0	0.615	42.6
Wheat, No. 3 Manitoba Northern	"	8.83	63.4	1.231	88.4	0.886	63.6	0.577	41.4

(1) New source, 1937.

(2) Sales tax included in 1937.

(3) Previous to 1937, America Yellow No. 2.

Flour and other Milled Products.....						
Flour, spring, No. 1 patent, Montreal.....	6.083	68.9	7.725	97.1	80.4	64.3
Flour, No. 1 patent, Winnipeg.....	5.742	68.3	7.683	87.6	6.491	73.6
Flour, spring, No. 2 patent, Montreal.....	5.683	68.3	7.335	88.0	6.705	56.5
Flour, No. 2 patent, Winnipeg.....	5.342	69.2	7.283	88.0	6.705	53.1
Flour, Ontario.....	4.046	91.6	5.272	110.3	6.222	72.2
Oatmeal.....	3.288	90.2	3.962	113.1	3.619	61.0
Roller oats.....	2.967	90.2	3.712	113.1	3.397	58.3
Corn meal.....	2.929	99.8	3.200	123.7	2.870	79.8
Malt.....	1.088	62.0	1.348	76.7	28.083	71.9
Gluten feed.....	24.250	80.2	29.958	100.8	23.140	78.2
Bran, Manitoba.....	23.717	80.3	29.820	101.2	25.360	77.5
Shorts, Manitoba.....	25.288	80.3	31.900	101.2	26.830	77.5
Bakery Products.....						
Bread, plain white, Halifax.....	.060	84.0	.060	91.1	91.4	84.5
Bread, plain white, Saint John.....	.060	81.9	.060	81.9	.059	94.1
Bread, plain white, Montreal.....	.060	75.0	.065	82.5	.065	75.0
Bread, plain white, Toronto.....	.060	81.9	.065	88.7	.065	81.9
Bread, plain white, Winnipeg.....	.060	70.1	.064	96.1	.064	90.1
Bread, plain white, Regina.....	.050	83.3	.043	81.7	.050	75.0
Bread, plain white, Calgary.....	.059	81.5	.068	94.4	.069	88.9
Bread, plain white, Vancouver.....	.051	72.3	.062	87.9	.061	80.8
Bread, plain white, Vancouver.....	.055	82.6	.069	103.8	.072	96.1
Biscuits, soda.....	.136	103.0	.143	108.3	.143	108.3
Vegetable Oils.....						
Cottonseed oil, refined.....	.089	74.5	.101	80.1	61.2	63.6
Linseed oil, raw.....	.800	81.4	.819	71.9	.087	62.7
Cocoonut oil, Manila.....	6.095	60.9	7.104	83.3	.700	70.9
Olive oil.....	1.737	94.9	2.392	126.4	4.275	41.2
Peanut oil, oriental crude.....	6.883	70.3	6.971	71.4	1.775	101.1
China wood oil.....	5.139	122.6	6.158	121.8	93.8	
Soya bean oil, crude.....	5.942		6.317		48.7	53.1
Palm oil, crude.....	4.742		5.442		5.202	155.7
Rubber and Its Products.....						
Rubber, raw, plantation, Ceylon, ribbed, smoked sheets.....	.165	58.4	.195	63.3	59.9	60.3
Rubber, raw, plantation, standard latex thick crepe.....	.170	33.8	.218	40.0	37.9	37.9
Rubber, raw, upriver, fine, Para.....	.185	42.6	.205	44.1	33.0	41.7
Rubbers, men's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	.693	67.3	.710	69.8	33.6	33.6
Rubbers, women's regular No. 1, standard grade.....	.605		.625		60.9	59.1
Rubber tires, balloon, 6-10-16 (?).....	9.220	51.2	10.026	55.7	61.5	
Rubber tires, balloon, 5-50-17.....	11.822	47.0	13.112	52.2	518	
Tubes, CD16 (?).....	1.832		2.007		15.289	57.9
Tubes, CI7.....	2.237		2.457		13.732	54.6
Sugar and Its Products and Glucose.....						
Sugar, granulated, Montreal.....	4.626	79.6	5.006	80.3	84.1	88.4
Sugar, granulated, Vancouver.....	4.829	77.6	5.006	84.0	82.2	85.8
Sugar, yellow, No. 1, Montreal.....	4.341	70.5	4.846	81.9	80.7	83.9
Sugar, yellow, No. 3, Vancouver.....	4.203	77.8	4.721	84.7	82.7	80.5
Glucose, 44°, Barbados.....	4.378	110.8	4.516	113.8	4.448	
Molasses, Barbados, extra fancy.....	1.414	88.2	.424	90.3	3.958	104.3
Sugar, raw, preferential, B. W. I.....	1.840	38.3	2.235	45.3	3.441	94.6
Sugar, raw, Vancouver.....	2.259	57.2	2.568	65.8	3.850	104.3

(1) Previous to 1938—4.75-19.

(2) Previous to 1938—B19.

(3) Previous to 1938—4.75-19.

TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1936-1939—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1936		1937		1938		1939	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS—Con.									
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices									
Cocoa beans, green, Estates Trinidad	per pound	.113	73.2	.138	79.0	.068	73.9	.092	78.6
Cocoa beans, green, Grenada	"	.098	78.9	.112	89.3	.054	47.5	.078	64.2
Cocoa beans, green, Jamaica	"	.070		.090		.056		.056	
Cocoa beans, green, Accra, good, fermented	"	.089	77.6	.106	92.4	.072	62.8	.067	58.4
Chocolate liquor, cheapest grade	"	.129	71.2	.178	98.2	.142	78.3	.132	72.8
Chocolate liquor, best grade	"	.170	61.6	.208	75.4	.167	60.6	.153	55.5
Cocoa butter, imported	"	.182	65.7	.208	75.1	.131	47.3	.129	46.9
Coffee, green, Santos, good quality	"	.147	53.2	.164	60.2	.130	47.7	.139	58.3
Coffee, green, Bogota, good quality	"	.180	51.8	.183	52.7	.167	48.1	.216	62.2
Coffee, green, Jamaica, good quality	"	.228	51.2	.129	58.5	.113	51.1	.157	71.0
Coffee, green, Kenya, best	"	.250		.250		.236		.281	
Coffee, green, African, medium	"	.448		.457		.485		.485	
Tea, Pekoe, Ceylon and India	"	.440	82.6	.454	85.3	.480	91.1	.502	94.3
Tea, Japan, choice to medium	"	.450	82.2	.456	83.3	.480	87.7	.497	90.8
Pepper, black	"	.155	42.2	.101	32.3	.100	32.0	.093	29.8
Vegetables									
Potatoes			69.7		64.8		51.5		62.8
Potatoes, Canada "A", Charlottetown	per 90-lb. bag	.980	67.5	.705	54.6	.636	38.2	.692	58.3
Potatoes, Halifax	"	1.450	58.9	1.171	49.3	.963	40.5	1.341	56.4
Potatoes, Canada, Grade 1, Saint John	per 80-lb. bag (1)	1.308	55.1	.944	39.7	.761	32.0	1.266	53.3
Potatoes, Quebec, whites	"	1.229	65.5	.890	47.5	.688	36.7	1.146	61.1
Potatoes, Ontario	per 90-lb. bag	1.552	58.5	1.145	42.1	.787	28.9	1.254	46.5
Potatoes, Manitoba	" (1)	1.157	97.4	1.197	100.8	.509	42.8	.894	75.3
Potatoes, Vancouver	per cwt.	1.504	74.8	1.515	75.3	1.216	60.5	1.368	68.0
Onions			71.3		101.5		110.3		74.9
Onions, Ontario	per cwt.	1.405	57.8	2.081	85.6	2.568	105.7	1.607	66.1
Onions, British Columbia	"	2.100	103.4	2.834	139.6	2.466	121.5	1.945	95.8
Canned Vegetables									
Canned corn, 2's, standard, Ontario (2)	per dozen	.919	79.9	.974	81.9	.864	73.7	.845	72.4
Canned peas, 2's, standard, No. 4 (2)	"	.852	66.4	.963	54.7	.751	69.3	.872	67.5
Canned tomatoes, 2½'s, standard (2)	"	.916	74.0	1.103	89.1	.914	73.9	.882	71.3
Baked beans, 18-ounce tins	"	1.188		1.292		1.238		1.233	
Tobacco									
Tobacco, Ontario, burley	per pound	.126	48.9	.119	54.9	.133	51.3	.138	45.2
Tobacco, dark type, air cured	"	.080	70.0	.100	66.1	.100	73.9	.100	76.7
Tobacco, dark type, fire cured	"	.130	30.4	.125	38.0	.133	38.0	.135	38.0
Tobacco, flue cured (3)	"	.252	33.4	.201	32.1	.263	34.2	.223	34.7

(1) 1935—per cwt.

(2) Sales tax included in 1937, 1938 and 1939.

(3) New source in 1936.



	per pound	-080	37-1	-081	37-5	-090	41-7	-090	41-7
<b>Tobacco, large pipe (¹)</b>		-150	45-0	-150	45-0	-150	45-0	-150	45-0
<b>Tobacco, small pipe, including aromatic (¹)</b>		-105	60-4	-106	61-0	-120	69-1	-120	69-1
<b>Tobacco, cigar leaf (¹)</b>									
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	per ton	7-583	60-1	8-146	66-4	8-875	66-3	8-208	61-1
Hay, timothy, No. 2, Quebec		5-917	32-4	8-146	36-3	7-167	51-4	8-208	56-8
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Quebec		9-886	47-5	10-235	49-3	10-342	53-2	10-988	59-7
Hay, timothy, No. 2—good No. 2, Ontario		8-396	38-5	8-553	38-8	8-067	48-0	8-977	50-7
Hay, timothy, No. 3, Ontario		10-732	46-8	13-067	55-1	13-067	48-0	12-250	40-4
Hay, alfalfa, Ontario		11-333	51-7	12-958	55-3	13-458	61-6	11-333	51-8
Hay, Saskatchewan		13-853	57-7	16-500	62-4	10-000	80-9	11-593	65-1
Hay, Edmonton		5-215	30-6	4-806	32-4	4-052	35-8	5-358	35-1
Straw, oat, baled, Montreal		5-065	33-9	4-806	32-4	4-052	35-8	5-358	35-1
Straw, wheat, baled, Toronto		5-065	33-9	4-806	32-4	4-052	35-8	5-358	35-1
Straw, oat, baled, Toronto		5-065	33-9	4-806	32-4	4-052	35-8	5-358	35-1
Straw, wheat, Edmonton		7-240	70-8	8-750	72-0	5-262	52-2	5-208	51-2
Straw, oat, Edmonton		9-101	69-0	12-000	75-2	10-583	81-3	5-583	63-2
Rosin G. Gum (³)	per barrel	9-101	51-5	12-254	69-4	7-895	51-3	8-478	55-5
Turpentine	per gallon	7-017	32-5	8-516	47-6	5-080	37-8	7-489	38-1
Starch, laundry	per pound	0-084	105-0	0-085	106-3	0-080	100-0	0-078	97-5
Vinegar, pure spirit, XXX grade	per pound	2-200	68-6	2-248	72-9	2-250	73-5	2-250	73-5
Rice, Rangoon (³)	per cwt.	2-966	68-2	2-434	79-3	3-510	81-1	3-546	81-9
Rice, Monarch (³)		4-615	85-0	4-725	66-5	4-752	66-9	4-235	50-6
Rice, Chinese Peking		4-068	77-3	4-365	82-9	4-400	53-3	4-241	80-6
Rice, Blue Rose		4-781		5-195		4-478		4-748	
Rice, Blue Rose	per pound	-070	105-2	-070	106-2	-070	105-2	-073	110-8
Tapioca, Singapore, medium pearl		-068	111-7	-068	111-7	-068	111-7	-071	116-6
Tapioca, Penang									
<b>ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS</b>									
<b>Fishery Products</b>									
Dry shore cod fish	per quintal	3-771	71-8	4-458	74-2	4-448	71-9	4-260	74-6
Od, fresh steak, headless	per pound	0-048	68-6	0-048	81-1	0-047	80-9	0-050	77-5
Mackerel, salt, spring	per barrel	6-417	24-3	8-031	30-4	5-225	19-8	5-663	21-4
Kipperd herring	per 20-lb. box	1-533	76-7	1-621	81-1	1-750	87-5	1-854	92-7
Smoked haddock	per pound	-080	100-4	-091	101-6	-090	100-4	-093	103-8
Smoked salmon		-063		-060		-066		-069	
Smoked fillets, cod		-065	72-6	-097	74-2	-093	71-1	-098	74-9
Haddock, fresh		-048	81-1	-051	82-6	-049	82-8	-055	93-0
Fillets of haddock, fresh		-113		-123		-119		-123	
Whitefish (fresh and frozen)		-132		-137		-122		-120	
Halibut, No. 1	per cwt.	8-133	98-9	9-067	100-5	8-417	89-5	8-604	88-1
Salmon, canned, sockeye	per case	14-670	54-0	14-480	60-2	14-503	55-9	15-251	57-1
Salmon, canned, coho		9-738	78-3	10-040	77-3	11-010	77-9	11-230	81-4
Salmon, canned, pinks		4-947	71-3	4-720	73-4	5-169	80-6	5-709	82-2
Salmon, canned, chums		3-717	65-9	3-610	62-9	4-157	68-9	4-456	76-1
Loibsters, canned		24-210	60-0	23-458	58-3	19-542	67-1	2-345	72-0
<b>Furs</b>									
Beaver	per skin	12-079	59-8	17-351	70-4	12-454	53-2	15-946	51-4
Weasel		7-205	42-4	8-913	60-9	7-595	43-7	5-602	56-0
Red fox		33-555	39-7	32-441	50-6	22-315	27-7	18-498	27-2
White fox		17-750	46-9	24-250	61-7	18-400	52-6	14-118	38-8
Marten		18-246	44-2	26-200	42-4	19-875	29-3	21-938	24-3
Mink		15-882	48-6	18-170	66-4	12-120	50-7	11-287	38-9
Lynx		42-330	104-4	42-300	149-9	38-875	112-7	42-875	125-5
			183-1		18-170		70-3		11-287
					182-9		168-1		185-4

¹) New item in 1938.

(²) Previous to 1938—Japan.

(³) New description in 1938.

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(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)  
(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1936		1937		1938		1939	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.									
FURS—Con.									
Muskrat, spring.....	per skin	1.663	78.0	1.678	78.7	.976	45.8	1.084	50.8
Muskrat, fall and winter.....	"	1.206	76.9	1.264	80.7	.825	52.6	.751	47.9
Hides and Skins.....									
Beef hides, country cured.....	per pound	.075	80.4	.100	101.9	.057	64.8	.083	80.0
Packer hides, native steers.....	"	.129	96.0	.160	118.8	.111	82.4	.118	87.6
Packer hides, native cows.....	"	.105	96.0	.136	136	.094	82.4	.110	87.6
Calf skins, city cured.....	"	.125	42.1	.148	50.0	.091	30.7	.138	46.6
Sheep skins, city cured.....	per skin	1.092	93.8	1.342	115.4	.817	70.2	1.013	87.1
Sheep skins, country cured.....	"	.954	181.6	1.171	223.9	.679	129.8	.875	167.3
Leather.....									
Packer crops, No. I and II.....	per pound	.363	87.1	.433	97.7	.374	85.0	.390	89.9
Packer crops, No. III.....	"	.343	94.0	.413	112.2	.354	96.9	.370	101.1
Packer bends, No. I and II.....	"	.413	43.4	.453	44.4	.414	43.4	.434	43.4
Packer bends, No. III.....	"	.391	45.3	.453	44.4	.394	43.4	.413	43.4
Shoulders.....	"	.248	298	.298	298	.250	297	.267	297
Bellies.....	"	.187	187	.200	200	.157	176	.176	176
Box sides, "B".....	per foot	.240	91.4	.253	96.4	.211	80.4	.235	89.5
Harness leather, No. 1.....	per pound	.371	83.7	.400	90.2	.378	85.3	.379	85.5
Gunmetal calf, M No. 1.....	per foot	.347	85.7	.393	97.2	.355	87.8	.368	91.0
Boots and Shoes.....									
Women's shoes, composite price.....	per pair	1.817	88.4	1.895	93.7	1.776	91.2	1.796	92.8
Men's shoes, composite price.....	"	3.948	82.2	4.225	85.7	4.104	90.1	4.162	95.6
Livestock.....									
Steers, Toronto, good over 1,050 lbs.....	per cwt.	5.539	72.5	7.696	91.3	6.364	82.0	6.905	86.6
Steers, Winnipeg, good over 1,050 lbs.....	"	4.663	77.8	6.412	104.0	5.430	85.5	6.168	94.2
Calves, good yearling, Toronto.....	"	8.538	72.6	9.237	107.0	8.229	90.7	9.508	103.0
Calves, good yearling, Winnipeg.....	"	8.937	79.6	9.251	87.4	7.172	78.4	7.669	80.8
Hogs, bacon, Montreal.....	"	8.969	66.2	9.251	68.3	9.936	73.4	9.280	102.8
Hogs, bacon, Toronto.....	"	8.461	63.5	9.068	68.1	9.529	71.5	8.834	66.3
Hogs, bacon, Winnipeg.....	"	8.130	66.8	8.422	69.2	9.331	76.7	8.522	70.0
Lambs, good handyweight, Montreal.....	"	8.318	70.2	8.841	74.6	8.633	72.9	9.418	79.5
Lambs, good handyweight, Toronto.....	"	9.000	69.0	9.009	73.6	9.078	69.6	9.573	73.4
Lambs, good handyweight, Winnipeg.....	"	7.489	69.0	7.873	72.6	7.940	73.2	8.378	77.2
Meats and Poultry.....									
Meats, fresh.....	per pound	.102	70.0	.132	77.9	.117	79.2	.133	79.1
Beef, carcass, good steer, Montreal.....	"	.086	74.1	.127	85.3	.117	83.5	.133	87.4
Beef, carcass, good steer (butcher), Toronto.....	"	.086	83.5	.127	110.4	.115	100.0	.126	96.4

	per pound	70.9	127	102.3	105	84.5	112
Beef, carcass, good steer, Vancouver, Winnipeg.		-088	84.7	107.1	-120	93.8	-132
Beef, carcass, good cow, Montreal.		-076	66.9	79.4	-083	82.1	-104
Beef, carcass, good cow, Toronto.		-072	82.8	99.2	-087	100.0	-098
Beef, carcass, good cow, Winnipeg.		-066	57.8	84.5	-072	74.2	-081
Beef, carcass, good cow, Vancouver.		-069	68.2	89.3	-087	86.3	-094
Veal, good carcass, Montreal.		-114	66.9	74.7	-130	76.5	-131
Veal, good carcass, Toronto.		-134	68.7	72.8	-151	77.4	-147
Veal, good carcass, Winnipeg.		-107	88.2	72.4	-140	88.9	-134
Lamb, good, Montreal.		-175	81.6	79.1	-174	80.0	-183
Lamb, good, Toronto.		-175	69.1	180	-187	73.8	-186
Lamb, good, Vancouver.		-154	61.6	64.8	-174	69.0	-175
Lamb, good, Winnipeg.		-176	80.3	61.0	-187	64.1	-178
Pork, dressed carcass, hogs, Montreal.		-127	58.2	58.6	-143	65.5	-135
Pork, dressed carcass, shop hogs, Toronto.		-139	62.3	65.0	-149	72.2	-141
Pork, dressed carcass, hogs, Winnipeg.		-123	60.0	62.9	-150	73.2	-136
Pork, dressed carcass, hogs, Vancouver.		-143	67.5	70.7	-161	75.9	-145
Pork, carcass, abattoir, Toronto.		-134	62.7	68.1	-153	71.8	-141
Pork, carcass, abattoir, Winnipeg.		-126	61.5	66.3	-151	73.7	-135
Fowl, dressed.		-147	64.1	65.6	-180	68.7	-170
<b>Meats, Prepared</b>							
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.	per pound	213	69.8	71.8	220	76.4	204
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.	"	239	62.6	59.0	230	67.8	246
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.	"	240	72.3	73.3	263	70.7	250
Bacon, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.	"	249	67.1	67.4	270	75.5	239
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Montreal.	"	242	61.0	63.9	286	70.0	245
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Toronto.	"	215	66.6	68.1	243	75.2	239
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Winnipeg.	"	244	76.5	79.9	274	85.8	258
Ham, No. 1, smoked, light, Vancouver.	"	242	74.9	78.8	278	86.2	285
Mess pork, barrelled, Montreal.	per barrel	23 833	60.0	23 792	59.9	60.0	24 070
Mess pork, barrelled, Toronto.	"	23 625	68.3	73.7	68.0	68.0	24 853
Mess pork, barrelled, Winnipeg.	"	27 750	70.3	71.9	77.8	30 017	30 280
Mess pork, barrelled, Vancouver.	"	27 000	56.8	60.2	65.3	65.3	60 280
<b>Milk and Its Products</b>							
Milk, Charlottetown.	per gallon	160	71.0	87.0	200	78.4	200
Milk, Halifax.	"	215	80.0	85.0	200	100.0	200
Milk, Saint John.	"	205	88.3	97.0	229	94.1	222
Milk, Montreal.	per cwt.	1 743	73.5	80.0	208	78.5	207
Milk, Quebec.	per gallon	1 771	74.0	86.8	2 076	88.2	2 023
Milk, Ottawa.	per cwt.	2 650	69.9	81.6	214	87.3	202
Milk, Toronto.	per 8 gallon can	1 730	83.7	83.7	2 050	83.7	2 050
Milk, Hamilton.	per gallon	210	86.0	89.7	1 791	89.0	1 730
Milk, Winnipeg.	per cwt.	1 685	79.2	86.0	224	84.5	220
Milk, Saskatoon.	per gallon	1 862	78.4	86.1	1 978	91.5	2 055
Milk, Regina.	per pound	488	78.1	98.2	641	102.6	577
Milk, Calgary.	per gallon	185	80.4	96.1	236	102.6	201
Milk, Edmonton.	per cwt.	2 083	87.0	98.2	2 350	98.2	2 317
Milk, Vancouver.	per pound	1 913	82.0	95.6	2 237	95.9	2 167
Milk, Victoria.	per pound	1 830	71.5	88.7	474	61.2	479
Milk, Victoria.	per gallon	200	86.0	96.6	239	102.6	244



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(1936=100)

(1920 = 100)

Commodities

Unit

1936

Average Price

Relative Price

1937

Average Price

Relative Price

1938

Average Price

Relative Price

1939

Average Price

Relative Price

ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.

Milk and Its Products—Con.

Condensed milk.....

Evaporated milk.....

Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Montreal.....

Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Toronto.....

Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Winnipeg.....

Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Regina.....

Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Calgary.....

Butter, 1st grade, creamery, Vancouver.....

Cheese, new, large, Montreal.....

Cheese, old, large, Montreal.....

Cheese, new, large, coloured, Toronto.....

Oils and Fats.....

Lard, Montreal.....

Lard, Toronto.....

Lard, Winnipeg.....

Lard, Vancouver.....

Tallow.....

Eggs.....

Fresh, Grade A, large, Halifax.....

Fresh, Grade A, large, Saint John.....

Fresh, Grade A, large, Montreal.....

Fresh, Grade A, large, Toronto.....

Fresh, Grade A, large, Winnipeg.....

Fresh, Grade A, large, Saskatoon.....

Fresh, Grade A, large, Vancouver.....

Fresh, Grade B, Halifax.....

Fresh, Grade B, Saint John.....

Fresh, Grade B, Montreal.....

Fresh, Grade B, Toronto.....

Fresh, Grade B, Winnipeg.....

Fresh, Grade B, Saskatoon.....

Fresh, Grade B, Calgary.....

Fresh, Grade B, Vancouver.....

Fresh, Grade C, Halifax.....

Fresh, Grade C, Saint John.....

Fresh, Grade C, Montreal.....

Fresh, Grade C, Toronto.....

(4) Discontinued in 1939.

\*Sales tax included;

(2) Previous to 1938—per pound.

(2) Previous to 1938—500 feet;

Previous to 1938, 200 yards.

TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1936-1939—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1925=100)

Commodities	Unit	1936		1937		1938		1939	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS—Con.									
Raw Silk									
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 85 p.c. 13-15 denier	per pound	1-897	28-8	2-106	30-3	1-818	27-6	2-930	45-6
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c. 13-15 denier	"	1-851		2-018		1-775		2-903	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c. 13-15 denier	"	1-821		1-930		1-754		2-883	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c. 13-15 denier	"	1-789		1-886		1-735		2-865	
Silk, raw, XX, 75 p.c. 13-15 denier	"	1-759		1-837		1-721		2-845	
Silk, raw, special grand, XX, 80 p.c. 20-22 denier	"	1-825		1-892		1-727		2-862	
Silk, raw, grand, XX, 83 p.c. 20-22 denier	"	1-786		1-825		1-686		2-831	
Silk, raw, special crack, XX, 81 p.c. 20-22 denier	"	1-758		1-801		1-666		2-813	
Silk, raw, crack, XX, 78 p.c. 20-22 denier	"	1-743		1-788		1-649		2-792	
Silk Thread and Yarn									
Silk, spool, 50 yds. letter "A"	per dozen	.605	62-3	.610	64-0	.610	64-6	.605	64-8
Silk machine twist, 16 oz.	per pound	9-250	62-0	9-513	63-8	9-600	64-4	9-640	67-2
Silk Hosiery									
Hosiery, men's, pure silk	per doz. pairs	5-883	65-8	5-900	65-3	5-871	65-1	6-030	68-4
Hosiery, women's, pure silk	"	5-913	61-2	5-800	60-0	5-800	60-0	6-219	64-4
Silk Fabrics									
Crepe de chine	per yard	.458	45-5	.467	47-0	.458	44-6	.590	55-0
Flat crepe	"	.621	30-6	.538	31-6	.508	29-9	.720	42-3
Georgette, 3 thread	"	.635	48-2	.660	50-1	.646	49-0	.740	36-1
Faille	"	.900	43-9	.929	45-3	.850	41-5	.900	43-5
Artificial Silk and Its Products									
Rayon yarn, 150 denier	per pound	.580	46-2	.570	43-5	.570	42-8	.574	43-5
Rayon yarn, 100 denier	"	.708	38-0	.700	37-4	.700	37-4	.704	37-6
Hosiery, women's, artificial silk	per doz. pairs	2-350	58-8	2-214	51-3	2-106	48-8	2-187	50-7
Raw Wool									
Raw wool, eastern bright, $\frac{1}{4}$ blood	per pound	.208	68-1	.292	89-3	.168	53-7	.193	62-0
Raw wool, western domestic, semi-bright $\frac{1}{4}$ blood	"	.204	68-0	.258	95-4	.161	54-9	.191	63-1
Raw wool, western range, semi-bright $\frac{1}{4}$ blood	"	.214	67-8	.251	79-5	.161	51-0	.182	57-6
Yarns, Wool									
Worsted cloth yarn, medium 2/36, 56's	per pound	1-011	85-1	1-076	91-0	.913	77-3	.962	81-7
Worsted cloth yarn, fine, 2/24, 58's	"	.960	81-5	1-025	97-4	.863	82-6	.914	87-1
Worsted cloth yarn, fine, 2/24, 60's	"	.993		1-045		.883		.983	
Worsted cloth yarn, fine, 2/45, 64's	"	1-161	75-6	1-206	78-5	1-038	67-5	1-078	70-2
Worsted cloth yarn, medium, 2/36, 58's	per pound	1-113	92-4	1-177	97-7	1-014	84-1	1-059	87-9
Worsted cloth yarn, 4 ply, 8's, 44/46's	"	.746	90-9	.867	105-6	.725	88-3	.796	97-0
Hosiery and Knit Goods									
Hosiery, men's, woollen	per doz. pairs	2-988	86-8	3-229	89-0	3-479	88-5	3-519	90-1
			90-4		97-6		105-2		106-4



Men's cashmere half hose.....	4-150	14-954	31-000	20-000	787	85-7	11-033	11-889	16-574	15-550	16-574	95-0	95-7	4-541
Knitted woolen underwear, men's.....														18-104
Men's woolen combinations (1).....														18-104
Men's woolen shirts and drawers (1).....														18-602
Wool Blankets.....														1-008
Cloth.....														95-3
Woolen cloth, 64's quality, 15½ oz.....														78-6
Woolen cloth, 40's quality, 13½ oz.....														73-6
Serge, botany, 64's quality, 16-17 oz.....														102-4
Serge, botany, 64's quality, 13-14 oz.....														73-2
Flannel, white, 32".....														80-7
Suiting, fancy, worsted, 13 oz.....														1-650
Carpets.....														1-680
Carpets, Wilton, 9' x 12'.....														93-4
Carpets, Axminster, 9' x 12'.....														92-1
Wood, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER.....														95-9
Newspaper and wrapping paper.....														
Newsprint paper rolls.....														
Paper, manila, No. 1.....														
Lumber and Timber.....														
Canadian white pine.....														
"C" selects and better, 1" thick.....														
No. 1 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 8'/16' (3).....														
No. 2 cuts, 6/4 x 6 and up 8'/16' (3).....														
No. 3 and 2 common, 1 x 6, 18-5/16'.....														
No. 4 common, 1 x 6, 18-5/16'.....														
No. 5 common, 1 x 6, 18-5/16'.....														
No. 6 common, 1 x 6, 18-5/16'.....														
No. 7 common, 1 x 6, 18-5/16'.....														
No. 8 common, 1 x 6, 18-5/16'.....														
No. 9 common, 1 x 6, 18-5/16'.....														
No. 10 common, 1 x 6, 18-5/16'.....														
Lath, No. 1.....														
Spruce.....														
Quebec spruce deals, 2" x 4', 8'/16'.....														
Quebec spruce lumber, 3" x 8', 8'/16'.....														
Lath, spruce, Quebec, 1½" x 4'.....														
Lath, Maritime, No. 1, 1½" x 4'.....														
Merchantable sawn spruce deals, 3" x 6' and under.....														
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 3" to 2" x 6'.....														
Merchantable spruce scantling, 2" x 7'.....														
Hardwoods.....														
Maple, hard, 4/4 f.a.s.....														
Maple soft, C and B.....														
Oak, red, plain f.a.s.....														
Birch, C and B.....														
Hemlock.....														
Hemlock, 2" mill run.....														
Hemlock, 2" culls.....														

(1) New grade in 1937. (2) Previous to 1938-10/16'.

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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1936			1937			1938			1939		
		Average Price	Relative Price		Average Price	Relative Price		Average Price	Relative Price		Average Price	Relative Price	
WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER—Con.													
Lumber and Timber—Con.													
No. 1 common fir timber, 3" x 4" to 4" x 12', 12'/40'	per M. board feet	17-167	92-4		19-250	101-4		16-042	88-4		17-500	95-1	
No. 1 common fir timber, 6" x 6" to 12" x 12', 12'/40'	"	17-167	99-5		19-250	111-6		16-042	93-0		17-500	101-4	
Clear fir, No. 1 and 2, D4S, 1 x 6 (4)	"	49-354	95-6		19-250	107-2		16-042	89-3		16-920	94-2	
Drop siding, 1" x 6", No. 2 and better	"	28-167	97-1		28-167	97-1		24-208	85-1		25-420	87-7	
Flooring, fir, 1" x 4", No. 1 and 2, f.g.	"	22-208	85-4		27-021	103-9		23-604	90-8		24-190	93-0	
Clear fir casing, No. 1 and 2, 1 x 5 (4)	"	59-646	100-6		63-750	103-9		59-542	91-9		40-500	104-7	
No. 1 common fir dimension, 2" x 4', 12'/14'	"	14-958	100-6		17-250	116-0		13-667	91-9		15-580	110-7	
B.C. Cedar													
No. 1 common cedar boards, 1" x 8"-10"	per M. board feet	16-883	91-6		19-250	101-3		15-667	88-9		18-080	102-6	
No. 1 common cedar shiplap, 1 x 8 (4)	"	29-146	95-6		31-854	109-2		31-187	89-8		37-080	113-2	
Bevel siding, 3" x 6"	"	57-625	93-2		66-417	102-4		65-478	94-0		58-750	114-0	
Clear cedar bungalow siding, 3 x 10, 8'/18'	per M.	2-960	98-3		3-250	102-4		2-983	95-0		3-620	114-0	
Shingles, XXX, 3 x 6/2, clear	"												
Pulp													
Sulphite pulp, unbleached, news grade (1)	per ton	36-361	68-3		44-789	84-6		41-115	75-6		37-363	74-2	
Sulphite pulp, bleached	"	53-000	70-3		65-625	86-6		59-500	79-5		52-000	72-0	
Groundwood pulp, No. 1	"	20-098	66-3		24-980	82-0		21-762	74-4		23-790	65-0	
Furniture (composite)	per case	8-810	69-5		8-875	82-0		8-875	85-5		8-875	81-5	
Matches, silent 3's, non-poisonous	"		77-4			77-9			77-9			77-9	
IRON AND IRON PRODUCTS													
Pig Iron and Steel Billets			88-0			101-8			100-4			98-4	
Pig iron, No. 1 foundry	per gross ton	20-583	83-3		24-917	99-5		24-000	96-0		22-500	91-0	
Pig iron, malleable (2)	"	19-083	83-6		23-250	90-5		22-000	83-7		21-500	88-4	
Steel billets, mild, 6 x 6 to 9 x 9 (3)	"	34-167	89-9		41-167	108-3		40-000	105-3		38-670	101-8	
Rolling Mill Products													
Steel bars, structural grade	per cwt.	2-163	93-0		2-558	108-5		2-525	107-5		2-450	105-2	
Merchant bars, mild steel	"	2-263	92-4		2-658	108-5		2-625	107-1		2-550	104-1	
Steel rails, open hearth	per gross ton	43-167	90-3		46-667	97-6		47-000	98-3		47-000	98-3	
Steel tank plates	"	1-858	97-8		2-216	116-6		2-193	115-4		2-229	117-3	
Light cold rolled sheets	per cwt.	3-019	70-3		3-500	81-5		3-337	77-7		3-221	75-0	
Structural shapes, open hearth	"	2-013	93-6		2-488	101-6		2-425	99-0		2-400	98-0	
Steel sheets, galvanized, No. 24, U.S.G.	"	4-158	84-6		5-292	107-7		5-183	105-5		5-067	103-2	
Steel sheets, hot rolled, No. 24, U.S.G.	"	3-542	91-5		4-604	118-9		4-583	118-4		4-442	114-7	

(1) New basis of quotation in 1936

(2) Standard 2-25 silicon in 1937, 1938 and 1939.

(3) Previous to 1937—4 x 4 and larger.

(4) Basis of quoting changed to f.o.b. mill B.C. in 1939.

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Steel sheets, hot rolled, No. 10, U.S.G.	per cwt.	3-275	88-3	4-175	112-5	3-971	107-0	3-638	98-1
Steel boiler plate, $\frac{3}{8}$ "	per lb.	5-063		-039				-040	
Galvanized corrugated iron sheets, No. 28 gauge	per 100 square feet			6-138		6-225		5-892	
Steel sheets, black, No. 10-12 gauge (1)	per cwt.	3-463		4-396		4-258		4-042	
Open hearth steel, tank plates, quality, $\frac{3}{4}$ to 1" thick	per box	3-158		3-875		3-758		3-717	
Tin plate, standard coke	per box	6-100	110-6	7-188	130-4	7-354	133-4	7-167	130-0
Pipe									
Steel, cast iron, 4"	per ton	49-750	85-1	55-667	97-9	58-000	99-4	59-000	94-7
Steel pipe, butt weld, black, 1"	per foot	-068	83-8	-079	96-8	-080	98-0	-074	107-3
Hardware									
Tools and hand implements									
Hammers, plain face	per dozen	10-720	86-6		90-0		90-1		88-6
Axes, chopping	"	12-010	79-4	10-260	90-4	10-260	91-3	10-305	91-3
Shovels and spades, plain back	"	11-500	80-1	12-254	81-7	12-428	76-0	12-428	76-3
Other hardware	"	88-1	88-1	12-125	92-9	13-230	82-9	13-230	82-9
Wash tubs, No. 1	"	86-7	86-7		90-4		93-9		93-9
Pails, No. 12	"	10-980	86-1	13-187	103-3	12-608	90-2	12-250	88-5
Boilers, range, 30 gallon	each	3-574	78-6	4-293	94-6	4-103	90-4	3-984	87-8
Chain, $\frac{3}{4}$ " bright coil	per cwt.	7-638	80-6	9-117	96-1	8-548	90-1	8-133	85-7
Machine bolts, $\frac{3}{8}$ " diameter, 6" long	per cwt.	8-550	96-6	10-283	116-2	11-150	126-0	11-467	129-6
Square nuts, hot pressed and forged	"	4-200		3-290		3-081		3-003	
Wire cloth, black screen (2)	per 100 square feet	10-400	90-8	11-025	93-7	11-150	94-5	11-150	88-4
Wire nails, base (2)	per keg	1-850		2-061		2-079		1-944	
Screws, wood, No. 6	per gross	2-713	83-4	3-353	95-4	3-375	96-0	3-294	86-4
Steel thumb latches, No. 2	per dozen	1-192	55-6	1-207	110-7	-205	109-6	-189	108-1
Bright steel safety hasps	per gross	-644	73-4	1-328	84-1	1-328	84-1	1-236	78-2
Flat barn door track	per 100 feet	8-157	97-7	-657	79-2	-702	84-6	-711	85-7
Screen door hinges, No. 20	per gross	11-804	80-3	8-937	107-0	8-478	101-5	8-584	102-8
Wire									
Wire, barbed, galvanized	per cwt.	3-754	87-2	4-062	99-1	4-182	100-4	3-990	97-2
Wire, galvanized No. 9	"	3-473	83-8	4-117	93-2	4-220	96-8	4-140	92-8
Wire, annealed, No. 9	"	3-513	90-1	3-942	99-5	3-950	101-7	3-800	99-8
Scrap Iron and Steel									
Steel scrap, heavy melting, charging box size	per gross ton	10-938	62-2	14-033	82-8	11-123	65-9	12-792	75-6
Steel scrap, heavy melting, over charging box size	"	9-354	64-4	11-563	87-0	8-058	76-6	10-487	88-1
Scrap, turnings and borings	"	6-500	52-7	6-333	50-1	4-803	69-0	10-487	82-2
Scrap, No. 1, machinery cast iron	per net ton	10-375	54-1	14-375	51-4	12-167	36-3	13-208	41-0
Scrap, No. 2, machinery cast iron	"	7-375	43-4	11-250	46-2	9-458	55-6	10-583	62-3
Miscellaneous									
Charaxes	per ton	76-000	95-0	84-333	105-4	90-000	112-5	90-000	112-5
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products									
Aluminum and Its Products									
Aluminum sheet	per pound	-280	70-0		92-0		70-9		71-3
Aluminum ingot, 99% plus	"	-210	81-6	-308	83-8	-310	91-5	-300	80-6
Antimony, 99%	per cwt.	13-563	79-5	-239	90-5	-237	89-8	-200	75-8
Copper, Brass and Their Products									
Copper, electrolytic, domestic	per cwt.	10-070	80-1	15-625	92-3	15-013	88-7	13-896	82-1
Copper sheet	per pound	-196	68-3	13-886	92-8	-216	73-7	10-766	77-2
			96-6	-251	88-1	-210	66-9	10-766	68-3
					123-6		98-5	-222	101-3

(1) Previous to 1938—No. 10 gauge. (2) Sales tax included in 1937, 1938 and 1939.



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(1926=100)

Commodities	Unit	1936		1937		1938		1939	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.									
Copper, Brass and Their Products—Con.									
Electrolytic copper wire bars	per cwt.	9.714	69.4	13.363	95.5	10.357	74.0	11.693	83.6
Copper wire, solid bare	per pound	.153	79.1	.196	101.3	.161	83.2	.166	85.8
Brass sheets, yellow	each	.184	88.4	.222	106.7	.195	93.7	.178	95.1
Brass valves	each	1.461	92.2	2.021	127.6	2.312	145.9	2.331	147.2
Lead and Its Products									
Lead, domestic	per cwt.	4.642	57.5	5.798	72.2	4.176	52.3	4.235	52.9
Lead pipe	per pound	.116	56.9	.163	71.1	.133	51.2	.126	51.9
Silver	per ounce	.450	72.6	.449	72.4	.435	70.1	.405	65.3
Tin	per pound	.498	73.4	.583	85.2	.465	67.6	.558	81.5
Tin ingots, 99.25 p.c.	per pound	.525	78.5	.583	87.1	.458	68.5	.504	84.3
Tin ingots, Straits									
Zinc and Its Products									
Zinc, domestic	per cwt.	4.183	47.1	5.593	63.5	3.900	44.3	4.098	46.3
Zinc sheets	per pound	.052	62.1	.071	84.5	.062	72.7	.074	86.8
Solder, 50-50	"	.306	78.8	.348	89.6	.290	74.6	.316	81.3
NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS									
Clay and Allied Material Products									
Brick, soft mud process, common	per M	19.000	85.5	19.000	86.6	18.500	86.7	18.917	85.2
Brick, stiff mud process, wire cut	"	25.000	106.4	25.000	106.4	24.500	103.6	23.083	106.0
Brick, stiff mud process, No. 1	"	22.500	103.5	22.500	103.5	21.750	101.4	20.750	90.2
Brick, common plastic	"	17.813	107.1	17.813	107.1	17.219	103.6	16.925	100.0
Brick, dry press, No. 1, Quebec	"	27.550	107.1	27.550	107.1	26.648	87.7	23.745	84.7
Brick, dry press face, Toronto	"	25.000	108.2	25.000	108.2	24.500	106.1	23.083	99.9
Brick, sand-lime	"	12.000	86.7	12.000	86.7	11.750	84.9	11.500	83.1
Hollow blocks, building tile	"	82.500	74.3	81.667	73.6	80.000	72.1	75.000	67.6
Stucco, mixing plant	per ton	12.833		13.000		12.500		12.000	
Sewer pipe, vitrified, 6"	per foot	.150		.150		.150		.178	
Pottery									
Cups and saucers, No. 1	per dozen	1.150	90.9	1.200	94.6	1.200	96.6	1.230	98.2
Dinner sets, printed	per set	14.500	105.3	15.000	109.0	16.000	116.2	16.000	116.2
Coal									
Coal, U.S. anthracite, egg (1)	per net ton	10.542	91.5	9.965	92.0	10.211	94.4	9.656	94.7
Coal, U.S. bituminous, run of mine	"	5.917	87.1	6.167	82.3	6.317	79.7	6.350	79.7
Coal, U.S. bituminous, slack	"	5.217	88.7	5.400	91.8	5.567	100.3	5.600	100.9

(1) Previous to 1936—per gross ton.

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Coal, bituminous, run of mine, N.S.	5-250	86.3	5-250	86.3	5-417	89.1	5-500	90.4
Coal, Welsh anthracite, No. 1 buckwheat.	8-367		8-450		9-475			
Coal, Welsh cobbles.	10-722		11-021		11-838			
Coal, western domestic, standard screened lump, Drumheller (1)	3-729	76.8	3-554	73.2	3-479	63.7	3-671	67.2
Coal, western domestic, screened lump, Lethbridge	4-117	75.7	4-250	78.2	4-279	78.7	4-442	81.7
Coal, western domestic, standard screened lump, Drumheller (1)	3-729	76.8	3-554	73.2	3-479	63.7	3-671	67.2
Coal, domestic, run of Mine, B.C.	3-708	86.8	3-625	84.9	3-615	88.6	3-188	89.0
Coal, domestic, slack, B.C.	2-727	73.9	2-625	71.1	2-625	84.7	3-500	82.0
Coal, house lump B.C.	7-250	86.3	7-250	86.3	7-250	86.3	7-250	86.3
Coal, washed slack, B.C.	4-500	109.6	4-500	109.6	4-500	109.6	4-500	109.6
Coal tar, crude.	10-615	111.7	8-883	93.0	9-000	94.7	9-000	94.7
Coke								
Coke, by-product, N.S.	6-000	94.5	6-292	111.0	6-667	111.0	6-750	114.0
Coke, metallurgical, Ont.	7-125	98.3	8-500	117.2	8-500	98.8	8-792	100.1
Coke, by-product, Ont.	7-125	98.3	8-500	117.2	8-500	98.8	8-792	100.1
Coke, metallurgical, B.C.	5-300	74.3	5-500	113.3	5-500	113.3	5-792	117.2
Coke, for domestic use, B.C.	7-250	87.3	7-250	87.3	7-250	87.3	7-250	87.3
Manufactured Gas	12-154	98.0	12-362	99.7	12-654	102.0	12-654	102.0
Glass and Its Products.								
Window glass								
Window glass, 16 oz. 40 U.I.	3-810	77.1	4-836	84.3	4-050	79.1	4-919	77.8
Window glass, 21 oz. 60 U.I.	3-357	82.2	10-608	104.3	8-884	87.4	8-597	84.3
Plate Glass.								
Plate glass, 3'-4', super.	5-46	62.2	6-46	64.5	6-625	62.3	6-628	62.6
Plate glass, 10'-12', super.	7-747	57.7	7-666	59.2	7-741	57.3	7-744	57.5
Plate glass, 25'-50', super.	9-920	65.5	9-934	65.6	9-903	63.7	9-907	64.0
Tumblers.	4-383	96.3	4-310	94.7	4-483	98.6	4-350	95.6
Petroleum Products.								
Crude oil.								
Grade oil, mid-continent.	2-804	73.4	2-928	74.1	2-877	79.2	2-732	72.6
Grade oil, Salt Creek.	2-963	72.7	2-961	74.0	2-963	74.2	2-964	70.8
Gasoline.								
Halifax.	1-168	65.2	1-160	65.4	1-145	62.7	1-137	60.2
Montreal.	1-131	59.5	1-140	56.6	1-145	51.3	1-143	48.3
Toronto.	1-149	51.9	1-159	53.4	1-158	58.6	1-149	48.4
Winnipeg.	2-17	59.0	2-210	53.0	2-205	82.6	2-197	50.0
Regina.	2-230	71.6	2-224	73.9	2-195	72.1	2-197	69.3
Calgary.	2-222	76.4	2-205	70.0	2-168	60.9	2-164	59.1
Vancouver (2).	1-178	75.8	1-156	70.0	1-168	57.4	1-164	56.0
Cool oil.								
Halifax.	1-193	78.6	1-185	78.2	1-183	81.3	1-180	81.3
Montreal.	1-175	74.8	1-175	71.7	1-183	76.4	1-177	72.0
Winnipeg.	2-207	76.8	2-207	76.8	2-207	70.9	2-205	68.6
Regina.	2-207	76.8	2-207	76.8	2-207	74.6	2-205	64.7
Calgary.	2-207	76.8	2-207	76.8	2-207	73.7	2-205	67.5
Vancouver.	2-235	81.4	2-235	81.4	2-235	82.0	2-230	81.2
Fuel oil, Toronto	-081	102.2	-084	81.4	-084	76.4	-076	74.6
		86.0		89.2		100.0		100.0
								89.7

(1) Previous to 1938—double screened lump.

(2) New basis in 1936.

TABLE 7.—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1936-1939—Continued  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1925=100)

Commodities	Unit	1936		1937		1938		1939	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS—Con.									
Petroleum Products—Con.									
Lubricating oil, Toronto.....	per gallon	.303	96.2	.303	96.2	.303	96.2	.303	96.2
Asphalt.....									
Asphalt, Montreal.....	per ton	14.800	94.1	14.667	90.8	14.600	92.2	14.000	92.2
Asphalt, Toronto.....	"	18.100	86.2	18.033	85.9	18.600	88.6	18.600	88.6
Salt.....									
Salt, vacuum, fine.....	per barrel	1.357	80.6	1.310	77.7	1.445	82.7	1.955	108.7
Salt, coarse.....	"	1.597	79.5	1.540	76.7	1.685	80.9	2.371	139.6
Salt, dairy.....	"	2.437	81.2	2.350	78.3	2.425	83.8	2.913	118.1
Salt, table.....	"	2.840	76.1	2.740	73.5	2.917	78.2	3.946	105.8
Sulphur.....	per gross ton	22.086	94.0	22.631	96.3	22.673	96.5	22.349	95.1
Plaster.....									
Hard wall plaster, N.B.....	per ton	10.538	111.3	10.600	114.1	11.487	113.3	10.350	106.1
Hard wall plaster, neat, Ontario.....	"	12.833	114.1	13.000	115.6	12.500	111.1	12.000	106.7
Plaster of Paris (Fine Guaging Plaster, 1939).....	per barrel	5.000	105.3	5.500	115.8	5.729	120.6	5.500	115.8
Lime.....									
Quick lime, high calcium, Quebec.....	per ton	6.000	104.5	6.000	108.2	6.000	104.2	6.229	100.9
Quick lime, grey, Ontario.....	"	8.833	106.3	10.000	125.0	9.625	120.3	9.250	115.6
Hydrated lime, Quebec.....	"	13.583	108.7	13.750	110.0	13.125	105.0	12.500	100.0
Hydrated lime, Ontario.....	"								
Cement.....									
Portland cement, Montreal.....	per barrel	1.700	105.8	1.700	106.2	1.623	102.4	1.480	96.7
Portland cement, Toronto.....	"	2.120	108.6	2.130	114.0	2.060	108.9	1.990	99.3
Portland cement, Winnipeg.....	"	2.707	88.8	2.720	89.2	2.625	86.1	2.530	83.0
Portland cement, Regina.....	"	3.377	91.3	3.390	91.6	3.295	89.1	3.200	86.5
Portland cement, Vancouver.....	"	2.522	85.8	2.538	86.3	2.539	86.4	2.450	83.3
Sand and Gravel.....									
Sand, concrete, Montreal.....	per ton	1.150	91.4	1.150	91.5	1.150	90.2	1.150	84.9
Sand, water washed, Toronto.....	"	1.000	102.2	1.000	102.2	1.150	102.2	1.150	102.2
Sand, concrete, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1.150	100.0	1.063	74.1	1.000	70.4	.850	63.0
Sand, concrete, Vancouver.....	"	1.000	90.9	1.000	92.4	1.000	87.0	1.000	80.9
Gravel, pit run, Montreal.....	per ton	1.000	80.6	1.083	90.9	1.000	90.9	1.000	88.0
Gravel, pit run, Toronto.....	"	1.850	105.7	1.850	105.7	1.850	105.7	1.600	91.4
Gravel, pit run, Winnipeg.....	per cubic yard	1.150	100.0	1.063	92.4	1.000	87.0	1.000	87.0
Gravel, pit run, Vancouver.....	"	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9	1.000	90.9
Crushed Stone.....	per ton	.646	83.6	.750	85.8	.750	85.8	.750	74.3
Crushed stone, Montreal.....	"		46.1		53.6		53.6		53.6



Crushed stone, Toronto.....	per ton	1-850	100-0	1-850	100-0	1-533	32-9
Crushed stone, Vancouver.....	per cubic yard	1-130	90-4	1-130	90-4	1-130	90-4
Building Stone.....							
Stanstead granite, base stock blocks.....	per cubic foot	.750	64-3	.750	64-3	.750	64-3
Stanstead granite, die stock blocks.....	"	1-000	66-7	1-000	66-7	1-000	66-7
Dolomite, silver grey, rough blocks.....	"	-800	64-0	-800	64-0	-800	64-0
Asbestos and Its Products.....							
Asbestos, crude, No. 1.....	per ton	545-833	75-8	550-000	76-8	700-000	75-8
Asbestos, crude, No. 2.....	"	200-000	108-3	200-000	109-1	275-000	138-8
Spinning stocks.....	"	120-000	69-1	120-000	69-1	140-000	95-0
Spring stocks.....	"	60-000	64-9	60-000	64-9	66-000	75-7
Mill board and paper stocks.....	"	32-500	92-3	32-500	92-3	37-500	101-5
Walters, floats and other short fibre.....	"	12-000	72-2	12-000	72-2	14-000	83-3
Asbestos pipe covering, 3-ply.....	per foot	.343	80-0	.343	80-0	.343	93-3
Asbestos, mill board.....	per cwt.	8-500	109-7	8-500	109-7	8-500	113-4
Chemicals and Allied Products.....							
Inorganic Chemicals.....							
Ammonia, anhydrous.....	per pound	.093	88-6	.093	81-4	.093	79-8
Nitric acid, 38%.....	"	7-750	101-9	7-750	97-6	7-750	95-4
Hydrochloric acid (muriatic), 18%.....	per cwt.	23-167	96-5	23-000	96-9	23-000	92-6
Sodium sulphate (Chamber's salt).....	per ton	8-000	93-8	8-000	93-8	8-000	80-1
Sodium bicarbonate, 99-8 p.c., pure.....	per cwt.	3-000	80-0	3-000	80-0	3-000	95-8
Bleaching powder, 65-37 p.c., pure.....	"	1-750	102-2	1-750	110-6	1-750	113-2
Soda ash, 58 p.c., light.....	"	1-605	85-7	1-605	85-7	1-605	118-7
Caustic soda, 76-77 p.c.....	"	3-150	87-9	3-000	88-8	3-000	83-0
Calcium carbide.....	per ton	83-500	96-2	78-158	90-1	77-153	88-1
Grey acetate of lime.....	per cwt.	3-375	103-8	3-000	92-3	3-000	92-3
Alum, lump.....	"	2-032	94-6	2-064	94-7	2-092	96-0
Borax, commercial.....	"	3-790	73-1	3-758	74-2	3-850	75-0
Copper sulphate (blue vitriol), crystals.....	"	3-972	80-5	5-035	102-1	4-355	88-3
Magnesium sulphate (Epsom salts) (1).....	per ton	34-583	138-3	48-333	135-3	50-000	140-0
Sulphuric acid, 66° Beaume.....	"	16-000	114-3	16-000	114-3	17-000	120-3
Chlorine, liquid (1).....	per cwt.	9-300	100-0	7-500	100-0	7-500	100-0
Sodium cyanide, 98-99 p.c.....	per pound	.155	78-7	.159	78-7	.164	81-4
Sodium bicarbonate.....	"	.088	105-5	.088	105-5	.090	107-9
Sal ammoniac (ammonium chloride), grey.....	"	.043	97-6	.035	54-9	.035	54-9
Calcium chloride, flake (1) (2).....	per ton	25-850	71-8	28-000	71-8	21-000	71-8
Aluminium sulphate.....	"	31-000	88-6	31-840	91-0	33-133	91-4
Organic Chemicals.....							
Acetic acid, 99 p.c., glacial crystals.....	per pound	.100	83-3	.100	83-3	.100	83-3
Alcohol, methyl, 97 p.c.....	per gallon	.739	84-9	.725	83-3	.720	82-8
Alcohol, denatured.....	"	.450	81-8	.450	81-8	.438	79-6
Cream of tartar.....	per pound	.202	123-2	.212	129-3	.213	153-7
Formaldehyde.....	"	.061	53-6	.065	57-1	.060	52-7
Glycerine, refined.....	"	.173	62-3	.249	80-7	.172	62-0
Coal Tar Products.....							
Cresote oil, crude.....	per gallon	.153	98-7	.164	92-4	.171	93-1
Benzol, pure.....	"	.258	73-5	.255	72-7	.222	63-3
Tanning and Dyeing Materials.....							
Dyeing Materials.....	per pound	.277	104-5	.275	106-2	.283	107-2
Direct black (oxidine black).....	"	.277	101-0	.275	100-8	.283	104-2

(1) New source in 1937. (2) New source in 1938.

TABLE 7—AVERAGE AND RELATIVE WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1936-1939—Concluded  
(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1925=100)

Commodities	Unit	1936		1937		1938		1939	
		Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price	Average Price	Relative Price
		\$		\$		\$		\$	
<b>CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS—Con.</b>									
<b>Tanning and Dyeing Materials—Con.</b>									
<b>Dyeing Materials—Con.</b>									
Sulphur black (katigen, deep black)	per pound	.219	99.5	.220	100.0	.220	100.0	.227	103.2
Nitrosoline, water soluble	"	.363	93.1	.360	92.3	.360	92.3	.373	95.6
Methylene blue	"	.950	90.5	.950	90.5	.950	90.5	.983	98.6
Indigo, synthetic, 20 p.c. paste	"	.135	128.6	.135	128.6	.135	128.6	.140	133.3
Auramine O, yellow	"	.733	77.8	.730	77.5	.730	77.5	.80.0	80.0
Alkali blue	"	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3	2.015	103.3	2.083	106.8
<b>Tanning Materials</b>									
Quebracho extract, liquid	per cwt.	4.379	108.8	4.692	112.9	4.604	109.5	4.625	110.9
Hemlock extract, liquid	"	4.708	96.9	4.750	97.7	4.542	93.5	4.633	95.3
Logwood extract, liquid	"	10.854	111.7	10.896	112.1	11.000	113.2	11.167	114.9
<b>Explosives</b>									
Gunpowder	per 25 pound keg	8.565	77.5	7.917	75.8	7.790	74.7	7.790	74.2
Dynamite, 40 p.c. gelatine	per cwt.	11.667	76.6	11.417	75.0	11.250	73.9	11.167	73.3
<b>Paint Materials</b>									
Shellac	per pound	.146	68.8	.131	76.9	.115	70.2	.133	70.3
White lead, basic carbonate	per cwt.	8.788	78.3	10.395	92.8	9.035	80.6	8.517	76.0
Zinc oxide	"	5.150	74.5	5.999	86.7	6.289	90.9	6.497	93.9
Red lead, 85 p.c.	"	7.188	70.2	9.188	89.8	8.000	78.1	8.188	80.0
Lithopone	per cwt.	4.462	85.0	4.312	82.1	4.276	81.4	4.087	77.8
Litharge (1)	per cwt.	.067	53.6	8.688	69.5	7.500	60.0	7.688	61.5
Lamp black, pure dry	per pound	.105	75.0	.105	75.0	.105	75.0	.106	75.7
Carbon black	per cwt.	.083	70.6	.081	68.9	.058	53.2	.060	55.0
Putty, pure linseed oil	per cwt.	3.050	63.6	3.566	68.8	3.620	69.9	3.682	71.1
<b>Paint Prepared</b>									
Paint, pure white	per gallon	2.875	65.5	3.175	72.4	3.125	71.2	3.025	68.9
Paint, coloured	"	2.875	68.2	3.175	75.4	3.125	74.2	3.025	71.8
<b>Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals</b>									
Acid, citric	per pound	.243	74.7	.252	76.1	.280	74.8	.255	81.4
Acid, tartaric, crystals	"	.230	92.0	.247	98.8	.250	98.0	.255	96.1
Chloroform (2)	"	.385	90.6	.310	90.6	.310	90.6	.323	94.3
Ether, commercial	"	.182	94.1	.172	88.9	.161	83.2	.147	76.0
Potassium iodide	"	1.508	34.9	1.217	30.8	1.300	32.9	1.479	37.4
Hydrogen peroxide, 10 vol.	"	.040	65.3	.040	65.3	.040	65.3	.040	65.3
Camphor, gum, slabs (2)	"	.075	108.2	.075	108.2	.075	108.2	.075	108.2
Quinine sulphate (2)	per ounce	.568	108.2	.530	114.2	.530	113.7	.570	122.9

(1) Previous to 1937, unit was "per pound".

(2) New source in 1937.

	per pound	.100 1-500	64.5 36.5	.086 1-208	55.2 29.4	.079 1-050	59.8 25.5	.074 1-144	60.9 27.8
Castor oil (1).....									
Iodine, crude.....									
Fertilizers.....									
Muriate of potash (2).....	per ton	38-833	74.5	38-875	74.5	40-833	78.9	38-708	83.0
Dried blood.....	"	54-000	67.5	54-000	103.2	63-667	108.4	58-708	102.7
Superphosphate.....	"	19-000	88.5	19-083	88.8	20-000	79.6	75-083	93.9
Basic slag.....	"	18-750	103.0	18-917	103.9	18-708	93.1	20-000	93.1
Sulphate of potash.....	"	50-333	97.7	52-167	101.2	54-000	102.8	20-375	112.0
Slankage.....	"	42-000	105.0	42-000	105.0	47-333	104.8	54-000	104.8
Bone meal.....	"	35-000	92.1	35-000	92.1	37-250	118.3	43-083	107.7
Cyanamid.....	"	35-000	70.0	35-000	92.1	38-000	98.0	33-583	88.4
Sulphate of ammonia.....	"	40-000	53.3	40-000	70.0	41-300	76.0	43-750	87.5
Nitrate of soda.....	"	45-533	67.7	45-000	53.3	45-000	55.3	45-583	60.7
Industrial Gases.....									
Acetylene.....	per 100 cubic feet	2-558	92.4	2-565	92.4	2-536	91.5	2-488	89.5
Oxygen (2).....	"	.999	95.7	.983	96.0	.984	94.9	.989	93.1
Soap.....									
Soap, common laundry.....	per case	5-000	85.4	5-250	91.1	5-300	91.9	5-300	88.4
Soap, toilet.....	"	4-850	92.6	5-373	97.2	5-420	98.1	4-733	98.1

(1) New source in 1937.

(2) New basis of quoting in 1936.



TABLE 8—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF GROUP COMMODITIES  
IN CANADA, 1939

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926 = 100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
I. VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.....	60-4	60-5	60-7	62-1	63-1	61-9	59-8	58-7	68-7	68-5	68-5	72-0
Fruits—												
Fresh, Dried and Canned.....	66-4	65-0	68-7	67-9	69-0	77-5	78-1	75-7	83-1	89-8	85-3	75-4
Fruits, Fresh.....	04-7	62-9	67-8	67-1	68-0	80-0	80-8	77-6	85-6	94-3	87-5	74-6
Fruits, Dried.....	78-0	78-0	78-0	76-4	76-1	75-7	75-7	75-6	86-0	87-0	89-3	87-2
Fruits, Canned.....	04-7	64-5	64-4	64-4	64-3	64-3	64-5	64-7	65-3	65-4	68-4	68-4
Grains.....	43-0	43-4	42-8	43-7	46-9	43-9	39-1	39-1	53-8	51-4	51-8	59-2
Flour and other Milled Products	62-3	62-3	63-3	63-7	63-3	59-5	56-5	56-8	73-0	68-4	68-8	75-8
Bakery Products.....	85-3	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	84-4	83-4
Vegetable Oils.....	57-5	56-2	57-8	58-2	58-2	59-4	57-9	56-6	69-7	75-4	80-3	77-7
Rubber and Its Products.....	57-1	57-1	57-2	61-0	58-2	58-3	60-2	60-3	62-5	64-1	64-1	64-1
Sugar and Its products and Glucose.....	82-9	82-9	82-9	83-2	87-5	87-5	87-3	87-2	89-2	96-8	97-0	97-2
Tea, Coffee, Cocoa and Spices.....	73-0	74-1	73-1	73-1	72-9	73-1	72-8	72-5	86-3	91-2	90-1	90-4
Vegetables.....	59-1	58-8	62-1	72-7	67-5	69-7	71-1	56-6	60-4	59-4	57-2	58-7
Potatoes.....	54-1	54-0	57-3	60-9	62-0	65-1	69-8	51-1	55-7	54-3	51-8	54-0
Onions.....	74-8	71-5	82-7	101-9	101-3	102-3	80-9	64-2	63-5	59-2	50-1	46-0
Vegetables, Canned.....	68-8	68-8	68-6	68-6	70-3	70-3	70-9	71-6	74-7	76-7	79-0	80-3
Tobacco.....	45-5	45-5	45-5	45-5	45-5	45-5	45-5	45-5	45-5	45-5	45-5	40-7
Miscellaneous.....	59-9	59-2	60-1	60-0	60-4	60-1	60-3	58-4	61-3	62-7	64-7	66-3
II. ANIMALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS....	72-9	73-4	73-3	72-1	71-9	71-2	71-2	69-7	77-6	80-8	80-8	80-3
Fishery Products.....	69-2	69-3	69-7	66-9	71-1	69-1	67-8	67-9	78-5	82-9	83-7	83-2
Furs.....	48-7	53-2	51-9	51-9	50-9	50-9	51-1	51-1	51-9	51-9	51-9	52-1
Hides and Skins.....	74-0	64-9	67-1	61-9	63-2	53-0	55-6	64-4	98-3	123-7	116-6	116-9
Leather, unmanufactured.....	83-0	83-0	83-0	83-0	83-0	83-0	83-3	81-9	94-1	103-1	109-2	109-2
Boots and Shoes.....	90-3	90-3	89-8	90-2	90-2	90-2	90-2	90-2	93-7	99-3	99-3	99-3
Live stock.....	86-0	87-5	89-1	87-7	86-4	85-5	84-6	79-3	88-7	86-9	87-9	90-0
Meats and Poultry.....	78-1	80-1	80-2	78-8	79-0	79-0	77-9	73-6	81-1	81-9	79-4	79-3
Meats, Fresh.....	86-0	88-3	89-4	86-9	86-9	87-3	86-0	77-7	91-3	89-0	86-3	89-0
Meats, Canned, Cured, etc.....	72-4	73-0	71-2	70-1	71-4	71-5	71-9	71-3	73-3	77-8	75-7	72-4
Milk and Its Products.....	71-7	71-7	71-6	70-9	69-3	68-9	69-4	68-5	75-5	79-1	81-0	81-4
Oils and Fats.....	49-9	49-5	46-9	46-4	48-2	46-8	45-0	43-2	55-6	58-8	53-9	52-7
Eggs.....	59-5	56-3	56-0	53-6	52-0	50-2	53-0	57-8	66-8	72-8	76-7	68-0
III. FIBRES, TEXTILES AND TEXTILE PRODUCTS.....	66-2	66-3	65-8	65-7	66-3	66-5	66-4	66-5	72-9	75-8	79-2	81-9
Cotton, Raw.....	53-4	53-1	52-8	51-7	55-8	58-8	56-9	55-3	61-2	59-6	63-1	71-0
Cotton Yarn and Thread.....	80-8	80-8	80-8	80-8	80-0	80-0	80-0	81-2	82-0	82-3	82-7	85-5
Cotton Fabrics.....	69-7	69-7	68-9	68-9	68-3	68-3	68-7	68-8	72-5	73-3	75-9	77-3
Cotton Knit Goods.....	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	82-8	84-3	84-3	85-7
Sash Cord.....	83-7	83-7	83-7	83-7	83-7	83-7	83-7	83-7	89-5	89-5	89-5	93-0
Flax, Hemp and Jute Products...	47-3	48-4	46-5	46-8	47-2	47-1	47-0	46-6	57-3	62-6	76-8	75-5
Silk, Raw.....	31-0	34-2	36-4	38-8	43-3	41-7	42-9	42-8	52-6	57-4	60-0	71-2
Silk Thread and Yarn.....	61-7	61-7	61-6	61-6	61-6	61-6	63-2	63-2	68-7	68-7	72-0	72-0
Silk Hosiery.....	65-4	65-4	65-4	65-4	65-4	66-9	66-9	66-9	68-4	72-3	76-0	76-0
Silk Fabrics.....	44-7	47-2	46-8	46-8	50-2	50-2	50-2	52-9	63-7	69-0	69-0	69-0
Artificial Silk Products.....	42-8	42-8	42-8	42-8	42-8	42-8	42-8	42-8	42-8	45-0	45-0	47-2
Wool, Raw.....	52-3	50-6	50-6	49-8	48-2	50-6	53-9	53-9	68-0	88-2	89-0	88-2
Wool Yarns.....	73-5	73-5	73-4	73-4	73-3	73-3	73-9	73-8	91-9	91-9	101-1	106-8
Wool Hosiery and Knit Goods...	83-2	83-2	83-2	83-2	83-2	87-9	87-9	87-9	91-9	94-5	94-5	95-9
Wool Blankets.....	89-8	89-8	87-8	87-8	87-8	87-8	87-8	87-8	100-0	112-3	112-3	112-3
Wool Cloth.....	73-2	71-3	71-3	71-3	71-3	71-3	69-7	68-9	79-2	84-4	89-3	97-3
Carpets.....	93-1	93-1	93-1	93-1	93-1	93-1	93-1	93-1	93-1	93-1	93-1	96-6
IV. WOOD, WOOD PRODUCTS AND PAPER	76-2	76-1	76-3	76-4	76-8	77-1	77-0	78-4	82-4	83-6	85-0	85-3
Newsprint and Wrapping Paper...	68-1	68-0	67-9	68-0	67-9	67-8	67-8	68-0	73-3	73-6	73-6	73-6
Lumber and Timber.....	88-8	88-8	89-6	89-9	91-2	91-2	92-4	96-4	97-1	99-8	101-7	101-4
Canadian White Pine.....	102-7	102-7	102-7	102-7	102-7	102-7	102-7	102-7	102-7	102-7	106-7	106-7
Spruce.....	80-4	80-4	80-4	81-2	84-9	86-5	88-2	88-2	88-7	93-3	96-3	95-7
Hardwoods.....	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6	79-6
Hemlock.....	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	68-1	72-2	76-3	76-7	80-4
Fir.....	88-9	88-9	91-2	91-6	92-5	93-0	93-0	97-2	98-3	102-7	102-3	101-9
B.C. Cedar.....	98-4	98-4	100-4	100-4	100-6	100-6	101-8	124-7	125-5	125-7	125-9	125-9
Pulp.....	69-9	69-8	70-1	70-2	70-0	70-2	69-9	69-8	78-6	79-9	83-3	87-2
Furniture (composite).....	81-9	81-9	81-9	81-9	82-4	82-4	79-8	79-8	79-9	80-9	82-4	82-4
Matches.....	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9	77-9
V. IRON AND ITS PRODUCTS.....	97-6	97-4	97-4	97-5	96-9	97-0	97-1	97-1	99-3	100-5	101-9	102-1
Pig Iron and Steel Billets.....	90-2	90-2	90-2	90-2	90-2	90-2	90-2	90-2	92-7	92-7	92-7	92-7
Rolling Mill Products.....	104-1	103-7	103-7	103-7	103-2	103-2	103-2	103-2	106-6	108-5	109-7	109-9
Pipe.....	97-1	97-1	97-1	97-1	93-4	93-4	94-3	94-3	94-3	94-3	94-3	94-3
Total Hardware.....	88-1	88-1	88-1	88-5	88-5	88-5	88-5	88-5	88-5	89-0	89-1	90-1
Tools and Hand Implements...	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3	91-3
Other Hardware.....	87-9	87-9	87-9	88-3	88-3	88-3	88-3	88-3	88-3	88-9	89-1	90-6
Wire.....	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2	97-2
Scrap Iron and Steel.....	70-0	70-0	70-0	70-9	70-9	72-3	72-3	72-3	76-6	79-6	91-3	91-3
Miscellaneous.....	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5	112-5

(CHIEF COMPONENT MATERIAL CLASSIFICATION)

(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
VI. NON-FERROUS METALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.												
Aluminum	70.3	69.8	70.1	69.5	69.2	69.2	68.6	69.9	74.6	74.9	74.5	75.3
Antimony	81.3	80.4	80.4	80.4	80.4	80.4	80.4	80.4	80.4	80.4	80.4	81.8
Copper, Brass and Products	81.2	81.2	82.7	81.2	79.8	78.3	76.8	76.8	82.7	85.7	87.1	91.1
Lead and Its Products	76.1	75.0	75.5	74.0	72.8	72.8	74.0	75.5	82.2	82.6	82.6	82.6
Silver	49.9	49.5	50.2	49.5	49.8	50.1	50.8	54.0	57.2	57.2	59.1	59.1
Tin Ingots	69.5	69.4	69.2	69.4	69.2	67.9	57.1	58.4	65.2	63.7	62.0	62.6
Zinc and Its Products	72.3	71.8	72.2	72.4	75.2	75.5	76.1	76.6	98.3	101.8	94.9	92.3
Solder	42.8	43.2	43.5	42.7	43.0	43.8	44.5	45.9	48.9	51.3	51.3	54.2
	74.6	74.6	74.6	74.6	77.2	77.2	77.2	77.2	77.2	100.4	95.2	95.2
VII. NON-METALLIC MINERALS AND THEIR PRODUCTS.												
Clay and Allied Material Products	85.6	85.7	85.0	84.9	84.7	84.6	84.4	84.1	84.6	86.1	86.5	86.5
Pottery	83.8	86.3	86.3	86.3	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2	86.2
Coal	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	103.0	103.0	103.0
Coke	95.9	95.9	95.6	94.5	94.1	93.6	93.1	92.8	93.4	95.4	95.7	95.8
Manufactured Gas	111.0	111.0	111.0	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	110.8	116.2	121.9	121.9	121.5
Coal Tar	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0
Glass and Its Products	94.7	94.7	94.1	94.1	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7	94.7
Window Glass	74.9	74.9	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	74.1	81.2	91.1	92.9
Plate Glass	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	84.5	112.6	128.0	135.2
Glassware	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.7	80.0	71.9	71.9
Petroleum Products	98.9	98.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9
Crude Oil	68.5	68.5	68.2	68.2	68.2	67.7	67.7	67.7	67.7	69.2	69.2	69.2
Gasoline	72.1	72.3	72.3	72.2	71.5	71.5	71.5	71.5	68.0	68.0	71.5	79.5
Kerosene	60.6	60.6	60.2	60.2	60.2	59.4	59.4	59.4	59.4	60.6	61.7	61.7
Asphalt	72.1	72.1	72.0	72.0	72.0	71.5	71.5	71.5	71.5	72.5	72.6	72.6
Salt	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2
Sulphur	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	97.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6	116.6
Plaster	92.3	91.9	91.9	92.0	91.8	91.7	91.6	91.5	101.8	101.6	101.6	101.6
Lime	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	105.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1	106.1
Cement	100.3	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	100.6	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2	101.2
Sand and Gravel	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7	96.7
Crushed Stone	87.8	87.8	84.9	84.9	84.9	84.9	84.9	84.9	83.1	83.1	83.1	84.3
Building Stone	85.8	85.8	76.7	76.7	76.7	76.7	76.7	65.8	65.8	65.8	65.8	73.1
Asbestos and Its Products	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3	64.3
	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	76.8	77.0	77.9	77.9	77.9	73.4	73.3	66.8
VIII. CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS.												
Inorganic Chemicals	78.9	78.3	78.1	78.1	78.0	77.7	77.8	77.6	81.5	82.3	83.9	85.1
Organic Chemicals	86.4	86.4	86.1	86.0	85.8	84.8	84.8	84.8	86.4	85.4	85.5	85.9
Coal Tar Products	73.0	72.7	72.7	72.7	72.7	71.7	71.7	71.7	72.3	73.5	75.0	74.9
Dyeing and Tanning Materials	89.9	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	92.2	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.9
Dyeing Materials	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	104.0	112.3	112.3	115.2	115.2
Tanning Materials	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.8	111.1	111.1	111.1	111.1
Explosives	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	113.8	113.8	120.2	120.2
Paints, Prepared	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1
Drugs and Pharmaceutical Chemicals	68.4	68.3	68.2	68.2	68.2	68.1	67.3	67.3	73.9	74.8	74.8	75.6
Fertilizers	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	68.4	71.8	71.8
Industrial Gases	73.5	73.3	72.6	72.6	72.1	71.8	72.4	71.3	90.1	96.8	101.5	108.7
Soap	82.8	83.0	83.4	83.4	82.9	82.9	82.9	82.9	82.9	82.9	82.9	82.9
	89.3	88.1	89.3	89.9	89.8	90.2	92.1	92.9	90.0	88.3	88.0	85.5
	91.9	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0

## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH USED

Both Producers' and Consumers' Goods contain a representation of primary as well as manufactured products and their price movements are broadly similar. The larger representation of primary products among producers' materials, however, causes the fluctuations of the Producers' Goods index to be slightly wider than those for the Consumers' Goods group.

From 1890 to 1913 there was little in the behaviour of price group relationships to attract special attention. The gradual decline in the first six years of this period, and the subsequent rise still in progress when the Great War began, failed to produce any serious problems related to price disequilibrium. Interest in prices during these years concentrated for the most part upon considerations such as the effect of gold discoveries upon general price levels, and the interaction of cyclical movements in prices and business conditions.

During the war years, however, the relationships of prices were complicated by the unequal reactions of price groups to inflationary stimuli and to the deflationary forces which followed later. The index for Producers' Goods which had trailed along below the Consumers' Goods index from 1890 to 1913, reversed its position in 1914, and reached a post-war peak in 1920, appreciably higher than the one for Consumers' Goods. When readjustment followed, the decline for Producers' Goods was of greater magnitude than that for Consumers' Goods, and from 1921 to 1937 the Producers' Goods index reverted to its former position. In 1931 and 1932, it declined so rapidly that the gap between these two series assumed abnormal proportions judged upon the basis of their historical relationships. It was in these years that the relatively low level of Producers' prices created so serious a shortage of purchasing power in the hands of farmers and other primary producers. The correctional movement commencing in 1933 was at first very gradual, but by the end of 1935, the producers' and consumers' indexes appeared to be approaching a position of equilibrium. In the rapid rise of commodity prices during the latter half of 1936, Producers' Goods moved above Consumers' Goods for the first time since early post-war years. Both indexes continued upward until July, 1937, when Producers' Goods reached 90.3, and Consumers' Goods 81.2. In the subsequent general decline of commodity prices Producers' Goods again suffered more sharply than Consumers' Goods, as witnessed by December 1938 indexes of 68.2 and 74.6 for these respective groups. Still further price recessions in the earlier part of 1939 carried the index for Producers' Goods down to 66.6 in July but Consumers' Goods did not reach the year's low of 72.7 till a month later. Indexes for these respective groups, then mounted steadily to close at 78.1 and 81.2 in December.



Chart 2

## CANADIAN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS

CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE, 1890-1939

1913=100

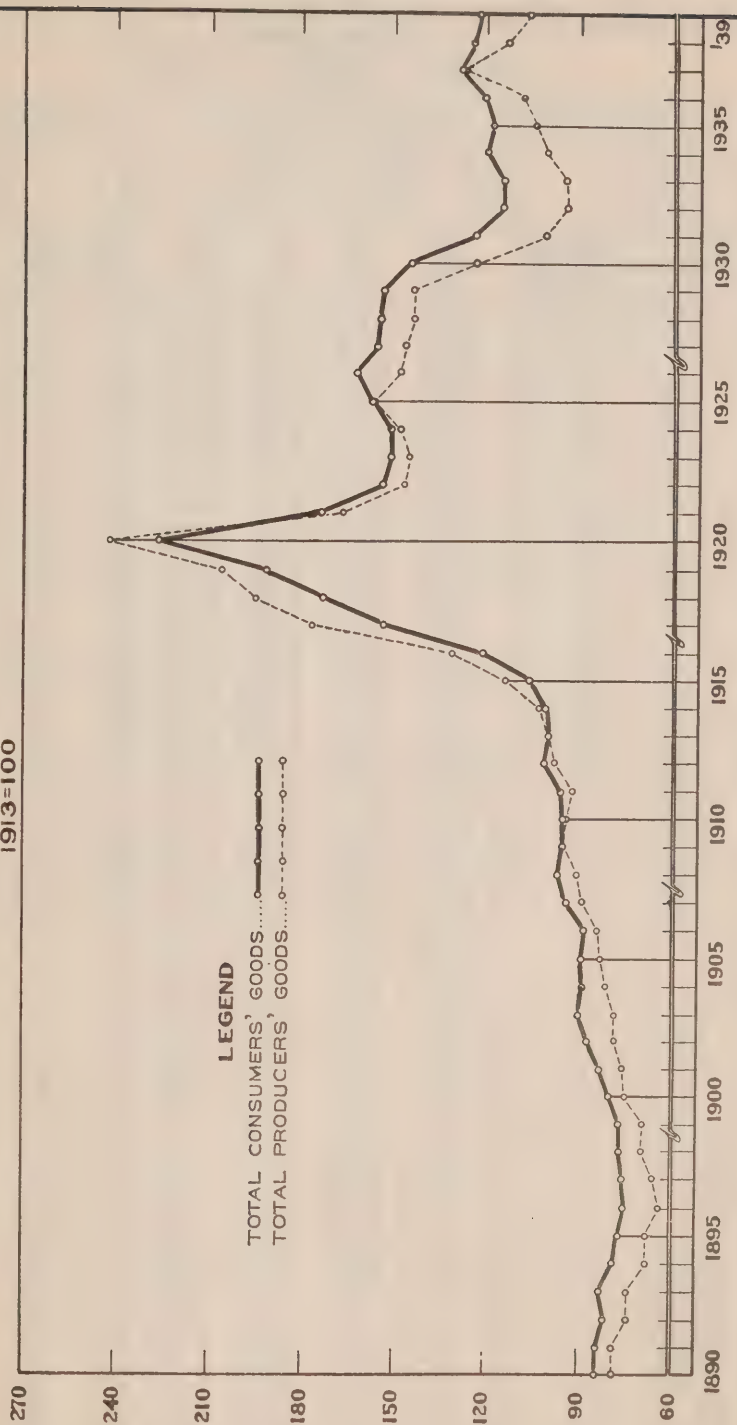


TABLE 9—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1939

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

		I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
Groups		All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
							All	Building and Con- struction	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	(1890-1912)	76	45	31	112	8	104	34	70
	1913-1925	98	74	24	146	15	131	32	99
	1926-1933	204	116	88	351	22	329	97	232
	1934-1939	236	126	110	402	24	378	111	267
1890.....		52.0	51.4	52.4	54.3	47.2	55.1	49.1	56.1
1891.....		52.4	52.2	52.5	54.6	47.1	55.4	46.9	56.8
1892.....		50.9	48.3	52.6	50.9	47.8	51.2	47.5	51.8
1893.....		51.4	49.4	52.8	50.3	48.0	50.5	46.9	51.1
1894.....		49.5	47.0	51.1	45.5	46.1	45.4	46.8	45.2
1895.....		48.2	45.3	50.2	46.2	45.6	46.3	44.8	46.6
1896.....		46.9	41.6	50.4	43.0	45.5	42.7	44.6	42.4
1897.....		47.5	43.7	50.0	45.5	45.1	45.5	41.5	46.2
1898.....		47.9	46.3	49.0	48.3	44.2	48.7	42.3	49.8
1899.....		47.9	46.5	48.9	47.2	44.1	47.5	44.8	48.0
1900.....		50.0	46.8	52.1	50.9	46.8	51.3	50.2	51.5
1901.....		52.2	47.2	55.5	51.6	51.1	51.7	48.6	52.2
1902.....		54.2	49.9	67.1	53.8	53.0	53.9	50.2	54.5
1903.....		56.1	52.3	58.6	53.3	54.9	53.1	54.1	52.9
1904.....		55.8	52.4	58.0	55.3	53.6	55.5	55.7	55.5
1905.....		55.5	54.0	56.5	56.4	50.9	57.0	55.2	57.3
1906.....		55.0	53.5	56.0	56.1	50.1	56.8	58.0	56.6
1907.....		58.1	57.6	58.5	59.8	52.1	60.6	60.1	60.7
1908.....		59.9	59.4	60.2	61.1	54.1	61.9	65.0	61.4
1909.....		58.7	58.9	58.6	63.9	53.2	65.1	63.5	65.4
1910.....		58.8	59.0	58.7	63.9	52.2	65.2	62.0	65.7
1911.....		59.5	60.8	58.7	61.9	52.1	63.0	65.1	62.7
1912.....		62.4	65.8	60.1	66.7	53.9	68.1	64.9	68.7
1913.....		62.0	61.8	62.2	67.7	55.1	69.1	67.0	69.5
1914.....		62.1	65.0	60.1	70.1	52.4	72.1	62.8	74.2
1915.....		62.8	68.7	58.8	77.1	51.2	80.0	60.5	84.6
1916.....		72.2	81.2	66.2	89.7	55.7	93.5	69.5	99.0
1917.....		90.5	109.1	78.1	120.6	65.3	127.7	87.4	136.0
1918.....		102.7	119.0	91.9	133.3	81.9	139.0	100.7	148.1
1919.....		115.2	127.9	106.7	139.8	90.7	145.2	117.8	151.6
1920.....		136.1	150.8	126.3	164.3	108.6	171.0	144.0	177.3
1921.....		108.9	105.1	111.5	113.3	113.8	113.3	122.7	110.8
1922.....		96.9	90.2	101.4	98.8	104.1	98.2	108.7	95.8
1923.....		94.7	91.2	97.0	97.6	102.5	97.1	111.9	93.7
1924.....		94.2	90.4	96.8	99.4	102.7	99.0	106.6	97.5
1925.....		97.0	97.7	96.5	104.9	99.2	105.5	102.9	106.2
1926.....		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....		95.7	99.4	93.3	98.5	101.1	98.2	96.1	98.6
1928.....		95.6	99.6	92.9	96.7	93.7	97.0	97.4	96.9
1929.....		94.7	100.0	91.1	96.1	94.6	96.3	99.0	95.9
1930.....		89.3	93.1	86.8	82.5	92.9	81.3	90.8	79.7
1931.....		76.2	70.4	80.0	67.1	90.0	64.6	81.9	61.7
1932.....		71.3	61.5	77.8	62.4	88.7	59.5	77.2	56.5
1933.....		71.1	63.8	76.0	63.1	86.0	60.5	78.3	57.5
1934.....		74.1	69.7	77.0	67.8	88.9	65.5	82.5	62.6
1935.....		73.6	70.4	75.7	69.5	89.8	67.2	81.2	64.8
1936.....		74.7	73.4	75.5	72.4	90.0	70.4	85.3	67.9
1937.....		79.5	81.2	78.4	86.1	93.8	85.2	94.4	83.6
1938.....		77.2	77.1	77.2	75.8	95.1	73.7	89.1	71.1
1939.....		75.8	73.9	77.0	70.4	95.4	67.6	89.7	63.9
1938-January.....		78.8	79.9	78.1	84.5	94.5	83.4	91.7	82.0
February.....		79.0	80.7	77.9	83.7	94.5	82.5	91.4	81.0
March.....		79.1	81.2	77.7	82.5	94.5	81.2	91.0	79.5
April.....		78.5	80.5	77.1	81.8	94.5	80.4	89.9	78.8
May.....		77.7	78.4	77.2	78.9	95.5	77.0	89.4	74.9
June.....		77.4	78.1	76.9	78.6	95.5	76.7	89.0	74.6
July.....		77.7	78.9	76.9	75.8	95.5	73.6	87.4	71.3
August.....		76.3	75.5	76.8	71.7	95.5	69.1	88.5	65.8
September.....		76.0	74.3	77.2	68.7	95.5	65.7	87.8	62.0
October.....		75.2	73.0	76.7	68.3	95.3	65.3	88.0	61.5
November.....		74.8	72.0	76.7	67.9	95.3	64.8	87.5	60.9
December.....		74.6	71.5	76.6	68.2	95.2	65.2	87.3	61.4
1939-January.....		74.4	71.7	76.2	68.1	95.0	65.1	87.2	61.3
February.....		74.4	71.9	76.1	68.2	95.0	65.2	87.3	61.4
March.....		74.1	72.1	75.4	68.1	94.9	65.1	87.4	61.3
April.....		74.1	72.2	75.4	68.3	94.9	65.3	87.6	61.5
May.....		74.0	72.1	75.2	69.0	94.9	66.1	87.9	62.4
June.....		73.7	71.8	74.9	68.0	94.9	65.0	88.1	61.1
July.....		73.4	71.4	74.8	66.6	94.9	63.4	88.5	59.2
August.....		72.7	69.6	74.7	66.7	94.9	63.6	90.2	59.1
September.....		77.5	77.1	77.7	74.5	95.7	72.1	91.3	68.8
October.....		79.9	79.1	80.4	74.4	96.4	72.0	92.8	68.5
November.....		80.6	79.0	81.6	75.4	96.5	73.0	93.9	69.4
December.....		81.2	79.1	82.6	78.1	96.6	76.0	94.2	72.9

TABLE 10—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITIES IN CANADA, 1890-1939

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1913=100)

Groups		I. Consumers' Goods			II. Producers' Goods				
		All	Foods, Beverages and Tobacco	Other	All	Pro- ducers' Equip- ment	Producers' Materials		
							All	Building and Con- struction	Manu- facturers'
Number of commodities	1890-1912	76	45	31	112	8	104	34	70
	1913-1925	98	74	24	146	15	131	32	99
	1926-1933	204	116	88	351	22	329	97	232
	1934-1939	236	126	110	402	24	378	111	267
1890.		83.7	83.1	84.3	79.1	85.6	78.6	73.3	80.7
1891.		84.4	84.5	84.4	78.8	85.5	78.3	70.0	81.7
1892.		81.6	78.1	84.6	74.4	86.7	73.5	70.9	74.5
1893.		82.6	80.0	84.9	73.5	87.1	72.5	70.0	73.5
1894.		77.3	76.0	82.2	67.7	83.6	66.4	69.9	65.0
1895.		77.3	73.3	80.7	68.1	82.8	67.0	66.9	67.0
1896.		74.7	67.3	81.1	64.0	82.6	62.6	66.5	61.0
1897.		75.9	70.7	80.4	66.4	81.8	65.2	62.0	66.5
1898.		77.0	74.9	78.8	69.9	80.2	69.1	63.2	71.6
1899.		77.1	75.3	78.6	69.2	80.1	68.4	66.8	69.1
1900.		80.0	75.8	83.7	75.1	85.0	74.3	74.9	74.1
1901.		83.3	76.4	89.2	75.7	92.8	74.3	72.5	75.1
1902.		86.6	80.7	91.8	78.7	96.1	77.4	74.9	78.4
1903.		89.8	84.7	94.2	79.1	99.6	77.5	80.7	76.1
1904.		89.3	84.8	93.2	82.0	97.2	80.8	83.2	79.9
1905.		89.2	87.4	90.8	83.2	92.3	82.5	82.4	82.5
1906.		88.4	86.6	90.0	83.5	91.0	82.9	86.5	81.4
1907.		93.7	93.2	94.0	88.6	94.6	88.1	89.7	87.4
1908.		96.5	96.1	96.8	91.4	98.1	90.9	97.0	88.3
1909.		94.7	95.3	94.2	94.5	96.5	94.3	94.8	94.1
1910.		94.9	95.5	94.4	94.8	94.8	94.0	92.5	94.6
1911.		96.2	98.4	94.3	92.4	94.5	92.2	97.1	90.2
1912.		101.2	106.5	96.7	98.3	97.8	98.3	96.8	98.9
1913.		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.		101.4	105.1	96.7	103.4	95.1	104.3	93.8	106.8
1915.		103.9	111.2	94.5	113.5	92.9	115.8	90.3	121.7
1916.		120.4	131.4	106.5	131.9	101.0	135.5	103.7	142.6
1917.		154.1	176.5	125.6	177.0	118.6	183.4	130.5	195.7
1918.		172.9	192.5	147.8	196.1	148.7	201.2	150.3	213.1
1919.		191.7	207.0	171.6	205.8	164.6	210.1	175.8	218.1
1920.		226.3	244.0	203.1	242.7	197.1	247.5	214.9	255.1
1921.		174.0	170.0	179.2	187.9	206.5	163.9	183.2	159.4
1922.		153.6	146.0	163.1	146.8	189.0	143.2	162.2	137.7
1923.		151.3	147.6	155.9	145.0	186.1	140.6	167.0	134.7
1924.		150.5	146.3	155.7	147.6	189.4	143.4	159.1	140.2
1925.		156.9	158.2	155.2	155.5	180.1	152.8	153.5	150.7
1926.		161.2	161.9	160.8	148.5	181.5	144.8	149.2	145.8
1927.		154.4	160.9	150.0	146.3	183.5	142.2	143.4	141.8
1928.		154.2	161.3	149.4	143.5	170.1	140.5	145.3	139.3
1929.		152.7	161.9	165.5	142.6	171.7	139.4	147.7	137.9
1930.		144.0	150.7	139.6	122.8	168.6	117.7	135.5	114.6
1931.		122.8	114.0	128.6	100.5	163.4	93.5	122.2	88.7
1932.		114.9	99.6	125.1	93.7	161.0	86.2	115.2	81.2
1933.		114.6	103.3	122.2	94.5	156.1	87.6	116.8	82.7
1934.		119.4	112.8	123.8	101.5	161.4	94.8	123.1	90.0
1935.		118.6	114.0	121.7	103.9	163.0	97.3	121.2	93.2
1936.		120.4	118.8	121.4	108.1	163.4	101.9	127.3	97.6
1937.		128.3	131.5	126.1	127.9	170.2	123.2	140.8	120.2
1938.		124.4	124.8	124.1	113.3	172.6	106.7	132.9	102.2
1939.		122.1	119.6	123.8	105.5	173.2	98.0	133.8	91.9
1938—January		127.1	129.4	125.6	125.7	171.5	120.6	136.8	117.9
February		127.5	130.7	125.3	124.6	171.5	119.4	136.4	116.5
March		127.5	131.5	124.9	122.8	171.5	117.4	135.8	114.3
April		126.5	130.3	124.0	121.8	171.5	116.3	134.1	113.3
May		125.2	126.9	124.1	117.6	173.3	111.4	133.4	107.7
June		124.8	126.4	123.7	117.2	173.3	111.0	132.8	107.3
July		125.3	127.7	123.7	113.2	173.3	106.5	130.4	102.5
August		123.0	122.2	123.5	107.3	173.3	100.0	132.0	94.6
September		122.6	120.3	124.1	103.1	173.3	95.3	131.0	89.2
October		121.3	118.2	123.3	102.4	173.0	94.6	131.3	88.4
November		120.6	116.6	123.3	101.7	173.0	93.8	130.6	87.6
December		120.2	115.8	123.2	102.2	172.8	94.4	130.3	88.3
1939—January		119.9	116.1	122.5	102.0	172.4	94.2	130.1	88.1
February		120.0	116.4	122.4	102.2	172.4	94.4	130.3	88.3
March		119.4	116.7	121.2	102.0	172.2	94.2	130.4	88.1
April		119.5	116.9	121.2	102.3	172.2	94.5	130.7	88.4
May		119.2	116.7	120.9	103.4	172.2	95.7	131.1	89.7
June		118.7	116.2	120.4	102.0	172.2	94.2	131.4	87.9
July		118.4	115.6	120.3	99.9	172.2	91.9	132.0	85.1
August		117.1	112.7	120.1	100.2	172.2	92.2	134.6	85.0
September		124.9	124.8	124.9	111.2	173.7	104.3	136.2	98.9
October		128.8	128.1	129.3	111.4	175.0	104.3	138.5	98.5
November		129.9	127.9	131.2	112.6	175.1	105.6	140.1	99.8
December		130.9	128.1	132.8	116.6	175.3	110.0	140.5	104.8



TABLE 11—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1936-1939

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Groups	No. of Com- modities	1936	1937	1938	1939
	1936-39				
TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES.....	567	74.6	84.6	78.6	75.4
CONSUMERS' GOODS— (GROUPS A AND B).....	236	74.7	79.5	77.2	75.8
A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco.....	126	73.4	81.2	77.1	73.9
Beverages.....	9	73.8	78.8	78.2	83.4
Flour and other milled products.....	12	75.5	97.1	80.4	64.5
Bakery products.....	2	84.0	91.1	91.4	84.8
Fish.....	16	72.1	74.2	71.9	73.3
Fruits, fresh.....	4	80.4	93.6	69.8	76.0
Fruits, dried.....	5	81.4	84.1	78.9	80.3
Fruits, canned.....	6	67.9	67.8	64.9	65.3
Meats, fresh.....	6	71.1	85.3	83.5	87.4
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	3	69.8	71.8	76.4	72.7
Poultry.....	1	64.1	65.6	68.7	64.9
Milk and its Products.....	12	71.0	77.8	78.4	73.2
Sugar and its Products.....	8	79.6	86.3	84.1	88.4
Vegetables.....	(13)				
Potatoes.....	7	67.5	54.6	36.8	58.3
Onions.....	2	71.3	101.5	110.3	74.9
Vegetables, canned.....	4	76.3	81.9	73.7	72.4
Eggs.....	3	67.3	63.2	67.5	60.1
Tobacco.....	8	48.9	54.9	51.3	45.2
Miscellaneous.....	18	71.8	78.3	65.2	61.5
B. Other Consumers' Goods.....	110	75.5	78.4	77.2	77.0
Clothing (boots, shoes, rubbers, hosiery and under- wear).....	52	74.6	78.2	74.2	75.5
Household equipment and supplies.....	58	76.2	78.6	79.4	78.2
Coal.....		89.1	88.0	90.5	90.6
Coke.....		94.2	110.6	110.6	113.7
Coal oil, gasoline, fuel oil and lubricating oil.....		73.4	74.1	72.2	68.4
Drugs and pharmaceuticals.....		74.7	76.1	74.8	81.4
Rubber tires and tubes.....		50.3	54.9	56.7	56.6
PRODUCERS' GOODS— (GROUPS C AND D).....	402	72.4	86.1	75.8	70.4
C. Producers' Equipment.....	24	90.0	93.8	95.1	95.4
Tools.....	3	86.6	90.4	91.3	91.3
Light, heat and power equipment and supplies.....	17	90.6	94.5	95.7	96.0
Explosives.....	2	77.5	75.8	74.7	74.2
Miscellaneous.....	2	84.5	87.8	95.3	95.7
D. Producers' Materials.....	378	70.4	85.2	73.7	67.6
Building and construction materials.....	111	85.3	94.4	89.1	89.7
Lumber.....	33	86.3	98.1	89.8	94.0
Paint materials.....	13	68.2	74.6	69.6	68.0
Miscellaneous.....	63	88.6	95.9	93.3	90.9
Manufacturers' Materials.....	267	67.9	83.6	71.1	63.9
For textile and clothing industries.....	64	67.5	71.1	65.3	67.6
For the fur and leather industries.....	24	76.7	88.9	71.2	75.3
For the metal working industries.....	41	73.5	87.8	76.9	77.0
For chemical using industries.....	93	89.2	90.6	88.6	87.4
For meat packing industries.....	4	72.5	91.3	82.0	86.6
For milling and other industries.....	23	66.3	92.6	68.1	46.5
Miscellaneous Producers' Materials.....	68	62.0	72.0	69.2	65.7
For farm supplies.....	28	69.4	78.8	75.6	70.6
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.....	5	58.5	64.4	70.0	70.8
For rubber working industries.....	3	34.9	42.5	31.7	39.3
Other producers' materials.....	32	65.8	82.2	67.8	57.7

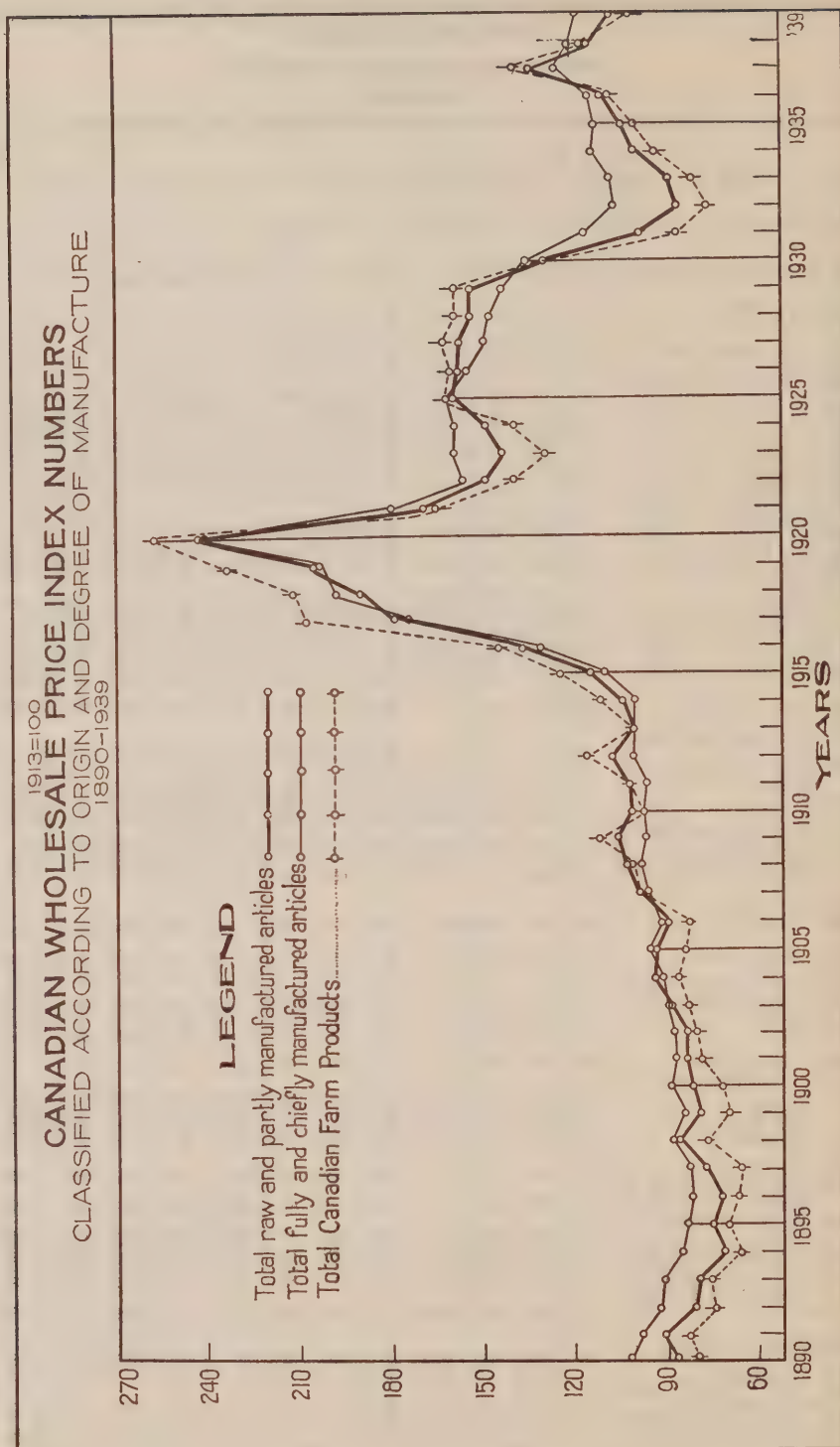
TABLE 12—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1939

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO PURPOSE)

(1926=100)

Groups	No. of Com- modi- ties	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>TOTAL INDEX OF ALL COMMODITIES</b>	567	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.4	73.7	73.2	72.6	72.3	78.4	79.6	80.3	81.7
<b>CONSUMERS' GOODS (GROUPS A AND B)</b>	236	74.4	74.4	74.1	74.1	74.0	73.7	73.4	72.7	77.5	79.9	80.6	81.2
<b>A. Food, Beverages and Tobacco</b>	126	71.7	71.9	72.1	72.2	72.1	71.8	71.4	69.6	77.1	79.1	79.0	79.1
Beverages	9	77.8	79.0	77.7	77.8	77.8	77.8	77.5	77.3	90.9	96.2	95.6	95.4
Flour and other milled pro- ducts	12	62.3	63.2	63.3	63.7	63.3	59.5	56.5	56.8	73.0	68.4	68.8	75.8
Bakery products	2	85.3	84.4	83.3	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	84.0	84.0	82.9
Fish	16	69.2	69.3	69.7	66.9	71.1	69.1	67.8	67.9	73.5	82.9	83.7	83.2
Fruits, fresh	4	64.7	62.9	67.8	67.1	68.6	80.9	80.8	77.6	85.6	94.3	87.5	74.6
Fruits, dried	5	78.0	78.0	78.0	76.4	76.1	75.7	75.7	75.6	88.0	72.8	89.3	87.2
Fruits, canned	6	64.7	64.5	64.4	64.4	64.3	64.3	64.5	64.7	65.3	65.4	68.4	68.4
Meats, fresh	6	86.0	88.3	89.4	86.9	86.9	87.3	86.0	77.7	91.3	89.0	86.3	89.0
Meats, canned, cured or other- wise prepared	3	72.4	73.0	71.2	70.1	71.4	71.5	71.9	71.3	73.3	77.8	75.7	72.4
Poultry	1	61.1	68.7	72.5	76.3	72.5	68.7	61.1	61.1	61.1	61.1	61.3	57.3
Milk and its products	12	71.7	71.7	71.6	70.9	69.3	68.9	69.4	68.5	75.5	79.1	87.0	81.4
Sugar and its products	8	82.9	82.9	82.9	83.2	87.5	87.5	87.3	87.2	89.2	96.8	97.0	97.2
<b>Vegetables</b>	(13)												
Potatoes	7	54.1	54.0	57.3	69.9	62.0	65.1	69.8	51.1	55.7	54.3	51.8	54.0
Onions	2	74.8	71.5	82.7	101.9	101.3	102.3	80.9	64.2	63.5	59.2	50.1	46.0
Vegetables, canned	4	68.8	68.8	68.6	68.6	70.3	70.3	70.9	71.6	74.7	76.7	79.0	80.3
Eggs	3	59.3	56.3	56.0	53.6	52.0	50.2	53.0	57.8	66.8	72.8	76.7	68.0
Tobacco	8	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	40.7
Miscellaneous	18	59.7	58.8	57.8	57.4	57.7	58.5	57.8	56.0	64.0	69.6	71.3	69.2
<b>B. Other Consumers' Goods</b>	110	76.2	76.1	75.4	75.4	75.2	74.9	74.8	74.7	77.7	80.4	81.6	82.6
Clothing (boots, shoes, rub- bers, hosiery and under- wear)	52	72.5	72.5	72.0	72.5	72.4	72.4	72.5	72.8	77.8	81.1	82.9	84.7
Household equipment and supplies	58	78.9	78.7	77.9	77.5	77.2	76.8	76.6	76.1	77.6	79.9	80.6	81.1
Coal		93.2	93.2	91.7	90.4	89.4	88.5	87.5	86.9	88.0	92.1	92.7	92.8
Coke		110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	110.6	115.9	121.4	121.4	120.8
Coal oil, gasoline, fuel oil and lubricating oil		68.5	68.5	68.2	68.2	68.2	67.7	67.7	67.7	67.7	69.2	69.7	69.9
Drugs and pharmaceuticals		73.5	73.3	72.6	72.6	72.1	71.8	72.4	71.3	90.1	96.8	101.5	108.7
Rubber tires and tubes		56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6
<b>PRODUCERS' GOODS (GROUPS C AND D)</b>	402	68.1	67.9	68.0	68.3	69.0	68.0	66.6	66.7	74.5	74.4	74.6	78.1
<b>C. Producers' Equipment</b>	24	95.0	95.0	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	94.9	95.7	96.4	96.5	96.6
Tools	3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.3	91.6
Light, heat and power equip- ment and supplies	17	95.6	95.6	95.5	95.4	95.4	95.4	95.4	95.4	96.3	97.1	97.2	97.3
Explosives	2	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	74.7	73.1	73.1	73.1	73.1
Miscellaneous	2	95.3	95.3	95.3	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	97.2
<b>D. Producers' Materials</b>	378	65.1	65.2	65.1	65.3	66.1	65.0	63.4	63.6	72.1	72.0	73.0	76.0
<b>Building and construction ma- terials</b>	111	87.2	87.3	87.4	87.6	87.9	88.1	88.5	90.2	91.3	92.8	93.9	94.2
Lumber	33	88.8	88.8	89.6	89.9	91.2	91.8	92.4	96.4	97.1	99.8	101.5	101.4
Paint Materials	13	66.1	66.1	66.0	66.4	66.4	66.3	66.0	66.1	70.6	71.1	72.5	72.6
Miscellaneous	65	91.0	91.1	90.6	90.6	90.2	90.1	90.3	90.3	91.0	91.5	91.9	92.6
<b>Manufacturers' Materials</b>	267	61.3	61.4	61.3	61.5	62.4	61.1	59.2	59.1	68.8	68.5	69.4	72.9
For textile and clothing in- dustries	64	63.8	63.8	63.4	63.4	63.8	63.9	63.8	64.0	71.5	74.4	78.2	80.6
For the fur and leather in- dustries	24	69.9	70.2	70.1	69.4	69.2	67.8	68.4	68.9	80.1	88.3	90.5	90.9
For metal working industries	41	75.9	75.4	75.7	75.2	74.9	75.0	74.5	75.5	79.9	80.5	80.7	81.3
For chemical using industries	43	87.2	87.2	87.1	87.0	86.9	86.2	86.3	86.3	88.8	88.2	88.9	89.0
For meat packing industries	4	86.0	87.5	89.1	87.7	86.4	85.5	84.6	79.3	88.7	86.9	87.9	90.0
For milling and other indus- tries	23	43.0	43.4	42.8	43.7	46.9	43.9	39.1	39.1	53.8	51.4	51.8	59.2
<b>Miscellaneous Producers' Ma- terials</b>	68	63.4	63.5	63.2	63.7	63.7	62.7	61.7	61.7	70.5	70.0	70.8	72.9
For farm supplies		69.2	69.8	70.0	72.2	71.7	69.3	68.3	66.2	73.7	70.6	72.6	74.1
For paper making, paper goods, printing, etc.		68.5	68.4	68.4	68.5	68.4	68.4	68.3	68.4	74.6	75.1	76.4	76.8
For rubber making industries		35.1	35.0	35.3	35.0	35.4	35.9	36.0	36.4	49.0	47.1	47.0	47.0
Other producers' materials		55.3	55.6	54.6	54.9	55.2	53.3	51.0	51.6	64.6	63.7	63.4	68.2

Chart 3





## INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMODITY PRICES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE

The broad movements of raw and partly manufactured, fully and chiefly manufactured, and Canadian farm products since 1890 may be observed from Chart 3. The violent shifts in price levels dating from the Great War stand out in clear contrast to the minor fluctuations of the preceding twenty-four years. Throughout the whole period, the sensitive behaviour of farm product prices is plainly evident. The index for this group fluctuated more widely than that of raw and partly manufactured materials chiefly because of the presence of ferrous metals and non-metallic minerals among the latter. Price movements for such commodities are characteristically more rigid than those for most other commodity groups.

The advance in prices which commenced in 1936 continued into 1937. The 1937 annual average index for raw and partly manufactured goods reached 84.3, the highest point since 1929, while that for fully and chiefly manufactured goods was 80.5, the highest since 1930. Especially marked was the sharp rise in the prices of farm products, with field crops showing the greatest gain. Only in the case of products of mineral origin was the rise in prices of fully and chiefly manufactured goods proportionate to that in raw and partly manufactured goods. The difference was most apparent in commodities of forest origin, raw and partly manufactured goods gaining 13.2 points, while fully and chiefly manufactured goods gained only 3.6 points.

The situation changed entirely in 1938, with sharp declines in raw and partly manufactured items depressing that index again below the level of fully and chiefly manufactured goods. This has been the usual relationship between these two groups for the past decade. It was reversed only in 1937. The 1938 annual index for raw and partly manufactured goods was 72.7, and that for fully and chiefly manufactured goods, 78.2. Raw materials moved still lower to an average of 67.4 in 1939 although the index stood at 74.4 in December, 14.8 p.c. above the January figure. Fully and chiefly manufactured goods likewise declined to 75.3, despite a late advance to 81.2 in December, which compared with an opening figure of 73.4.

TABLE 13—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1890-1939

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)					Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin					
	Total Fully and Partly Manufactured	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)		Animal		Field	Animal	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total			
		Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured													Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Raw and Partly Manufactured
*Number of Commodities...	245	322	95	91	186	46	59	105	52	18	70	5	11	16	37	20	57	62	141	203
1890.....	56.1	66.0	54.0	67.0	61.0	45.3	44.3	44.7	47.9	48.7	48.2	47.7	39.7	41.9	40.6	35.6	37.9	62.0	82.0	73.1
1895.....	47.8	53.8	44.9	49.1	47.2	43.0	42.5	42.7	41.2	45.6	42.8	49.3	38.6	41.5	39.5	36.8	38.1	52.4	70.5	62.4
1900.....	52.3	57.5	47.2	51.7	49.6	49.5	49.4	49.5	41.3	52.2	45.4	54.9	40.6	44.5	43.3	42.4	42.8	60.9	73.6	67.9
1905.....	58.9	60.9	57.1	60.6	59.0	53.9	51.9	52.8	49.7	55.7	51.9	56.5	43.9	47.3	51.5	48.4	49.8	59.2	69.1	64.7
1910.....	64.2	63.1	63.0	61.8	62.4	64.9	64.3	64.6	55.8	63.7	60.6	73.4	51.3	57.3	60.5	49.7	54.7	59.0	65.3	62.5
1913.....	63.8	64.8	58.4	59.9	59.2	73.0	67.8	70.1	56.4	77.0	64.1	78.7	61.2	65.9	67.0	54.0	60.1	64.1	70.9	67.9
1914.....	66.2	65.6	65.9	64.6	65.2	75.6	67.0	70.7	65.4	78.3	70.2	72.5	60.7	63.9	61.8	55.5	58.4	61.5	67.7	64.9
1915.....	72.5	71.1	77.8	73.7	75.6	73.0	72.7	73.7	76.9	79.5	77.9	73.7	61.8	65.0	57.4	54.9	56.1	68.4	69.3	68.9
1916.....	86.4	84.6	90.1	85.4	87.6	88.4	85.8	86.1	88.8	91.4	89.8	81.0	65.7	69.8	68.0	56.4	61.8	83.1	87.4	85.5
1917.....	113.6	113.5	131.2	118.8	124.5	113.3	111.8	112.5	134.5	118.4	128.5	100.4	82.3	87.2	82.1	72.4	76.9	98.7	115.0	107.7
1918.....	120.8	120.3	132.7	136.5	134.7	133.2	125.7	129.0	132.0	133.6	132.6	120.0	108.6	111.7	90.8	88.7	89.9	104.9	123.6	115.2
1919.....	130.3	132.1	144.8	140.5	142.5	146.4	139.7	142.6	142.6	153.5	146.7	127.8	111.3	115.8	112.1	103.3	107.9	124.5	142.5	134.6
1920.....	134.1	134.1	156.5	176.9	175.9	176.4	145.4	146.0	166.5	150.8	160.9	133.7	106.9	114.1	156.9	146.4	136.9	151.3	164.9	147.8
1921.....	107.2	116.1	101.8	110.7	106.6	104.7	111.0	108.2	100.3	109.5	103.7	90.2	91.6	91.2	123.4	148.7	136.9	111.1	123.2	117.8
1922.....	94.7	100.4	86.3	95.3	91.2	95.3	96.3	95.9	81.4	99.0	88.0	90.3	82.0	85.4	106.0	107.5	106.8	105.8	107.8	106.6
1923.....	91.1	103.1	83.6	101.2	93.1	90.8	99.4	95.7	73.3	95.1	81.5	99.6	90.1	85.4	113.1	112.8	112.8	105.6	107.4	106.6
1924.....	94.8	101.9	89.4	102.7	96.6	91.5	90.4	90.9	82.7	97.2	88.1	95.9	91.8	92.9	104.7	110.2	107.6	101.8	106.9	101.7
1925.....	100.8	103.8	106.9	104.0	100.4	100.5	100.5	100.5	98.2	105.6	101.0	94.4	99.1	97.8	100.3	105.9	103.3	101.9	105.1	104.7
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	99.9	99.3	98.0	96.9	97.9	106.6	95.8	100.5	99.9	105.7	102.1	96.7	101.5	100.2	97.0	99.5	98.3	96.6	94.6	94.6
1928.....	97.4	95.0	90.2	83.9	82.2	114.7	98.5	100.5	99.9	105.7	102.1	96.7	101.5	100.9	99.4	97.9	93.6	91.2	91.8	91.8
1929.....	97.5	93.0	89.5	90.7	90.1	114.7	98.5	105.5	93.8	112.5	100.8	96.8	108.5	105.3	100.9	98.4	88.5	86.1	85.1	88.4
1930.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1931.....	99.9	95.0	90.2	83.9	82.2	114.7	98.5	105.5	93.8	112.5	100.8	96.8	108.5	105.3	100.9	98.4	88.5	86.1	85.1	88.4
1932.....	97.4	97.8	67.4	69.3	70.7	70.8	71.6	73.9	43.6	77.6	56.3	70.3	77.6	75.6	79.4	78.7	78.0	77.9	80.1	81.4
1933.....	55.0	63.8	41.0	49.3	55.1	39.9	61.1	60.6	41.8	60.7	48.4	56.2	66.6	63.8	69.6	68.9	69.2	92.8	92.8	92.8
1934.....	56.6	70.2	54.3	73.9	64.8	61.0	62.5	61.0	45.8	59.7	51.0	56.2	65.4	62.9	69.7	57.2	63.0	77.0	84.6	80.6
1935.....	63.5	73.4	54.2	73.8	64.8	66.0	69.9	68.2	53.8	67.7	59.0	60.5	75.1	71.1	76.3	66.1	65.5	75.6	84.6	80.6
1936.....	68.0	72.8	63.8	72.8	69.2	71.4	72.4	65.8	75.3	69.4	67.1	70.1	69.3	69.2	74.5	56.1	64.7	76.6	85.3	82.8
1937.....	70.8	73.6	63.8	73.8	69.2	71.4	72.4	65.8	79.0	88.3	87.1	72.1	71.7	71.8	80.8	67.5	68.4	79.9	85.2	82.8
1938.....	84.3	80.5	82.8	83.4	83.1	82.7	76.2	79.0	88.3	87.1	72.1	71.7	71.8	85.0	69.9	76.4	81.5	90.5	91.6	88.5
1939.....	72.7	78.2	63.0	76.3	70.8	74.3	74.3	75.5	59.0	81.3	67.6	63.4	72.0	70.2	85.5	69.9	77.2	82.5	85.2	86.5
1939.....	67.4	73.3	50.7	71.4	61.8	80.1	72.0	75.5	54.2	81.2	64.3	67.2	72.7	71.2	88.0	70.9	78.9	82.2	88.6	85.7

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.

TABLE 14—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1890-1939  
(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)  
(1913=100)

Groups	Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)										Canadian Farm Products			Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin			
	Total Raw and Partly Manufactured	Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					Animal					Total	Animal	Field	Articles of Marine Origin			Articles of Forest Origin			Articles of Mineral Origin		
		Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured				Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	Raw and Partly Manufactured	Fully and Chiefly Manufactured	Total	
Number of Commodities...	245	322	95	91	186	46	59	105	52	18	70	16	5	11	15	37	20	57	62	141	203		
1890.....	88.0	101.8	92.5	111.8	98.1	62.0	65.3	63.7	84.9	63.3	79.5	63.9	60.6	64.8	63.9	60.6	66.0	61.1	96.8	115.6	104.8		
1895.....	74.9	83.1	76.9	81.9	78.4	58.9	62.7	60.8	73.0	59.2	69.6	62.7	63.1	63.0	63.0	58.9	68.1	59.7	81.8	99.5	89.3		
1900.....	81.9	88.7	80.9	86.3	82.5	67.8	72.9	70.3	73.2	67.8	71.9	67.1	69.7	66.4	67.1	64.6	78.6	65.8	95.0	103.8	98.8		
1905.....	92.3	94.0	97.7	101.2	98.7	73.9	76.5	75.2	88.1	72.4	84.2	71.8	71.8	71.8	71.8	76.9	89.6	78.0	92.4	97.5	94.6		
1910.....	100.7	97.3	107.9	103.2	106.5	88.9	94.8	91.9	98.9	89.2	96.5	93.3	83.8	85.7	85.7	90.3	92.0	90.4	92.0	92.1	92.0		
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0		
1914.....	103.8	101.3	112.8	109.6	103.6	98.7	101.9	116.0	101.7	110.8	101.7	97.6	92.1	99.2	97.6	92.3	102.8	94.4	96.0	95.5	96.0		
1915.....	113.6	106.7	133.3	125.4	107.3	107.3	105.0	136.4	103.2	124.3	103.2	99.3	93.7	100.9	99.3	85.7	101.6	88.9	106.7	97.7	99.8		
1916.....	139.5	130.5	154.3	146.0	118.4	126.5	121.3	153.6	118.7	143.3	127.6	106.3	102.9	107.3	106.3	101.5	104.5	129.6	129.6	123.3	121.6		
1917.....	178.0	175.3	224.6	195.4	209.4	165.2	164.9	238.4	153.8	207.5	172.0	133.0	122.6	134.5	133.0	122.6	134.1	124.9	154.0	162.1	153.7		
1918.....	189.3	197.0	227.2	227.9	225.0	182.4	186.4	234.0	173.5	211.9	152.5	127.6	127.6	134.5	133.0	122.6	134.1	124.9	154.0	162.1	153.7		
1919.....	204.2	203.9	247.9	234.6	239.2	200.5	206.1	252.8	199.3	233.1	162.4	131.8	127.7	134.5	133.0	122.6	134.1	124.9	154.0	162.1	153.7		
1920.....	241.5	241.5	302.9	293.6	291.2	201.1	214.4	298.5	205.8	253.8	169.9	141.9	149.7	141.9	141.9	184.2	271.2	241.6	194.9	201.0	195.6		
1921.....	168.1	179.2	174.3	163.7	163.4	163.7	156.2	177.8	142.2	164.8	114.6	114.6	149.7	141.9	141.9	184.2	271.2	241.6	194.9	201.0	195.6		
1922.....	148.5	157.3	147.7	152.9	132.9	142.1	135.9	144.3	128.6	138.5	114.7	114.7	150.7	142.7	158.3	199.1	166.4	161.4	153.4	153.4	153.0		
1923.....	142.8	150.0	143.2	138.0	125.3	135.9	133.7	130.0	123.6	127.0	139.1	121.8	150.0	143.7	156.3	204.0	165.8	158.8	150.8	150.8	156.2		
1924.....	158.0	160.2	172.2	178.5	125.3	133.6	130.7	176.6	129.2	139.6	127.5	120.0	162.0	152.7	149.3	196.2	159.0	158.9	143.2	143.2	151.7		
1925.....	156.7	154.3	171.2	171.7	137.6	143.2	142.0	177.3	127.5	139.6	127.5	120.0	162.0	152.7	149.3	196.2	159.0	158.9	143.2	143.2	151.7		
1926.....	156.5	148.9	169.4	165.3	145.9	141.3	143.2	177.3	127.5	139.6	127.5	120.0	162.0	152.7	149.3	196.2	159.0	158.9	143.2	143.2	151.7		
1927.....	152.6	146.6	154.4	156.8	155.7	145.0	149.6	164.4	138.4	162.2	127.5	120.0	162.0	152.7	149.3	196.2	159.0	158.9	143.2	143.2	151.7		
1928.....	138.8	134.7	115.4	140.3	128.8	142.0	131.8	136.2	129.4	133.6	127.7	110.4	160.8	146.3	146.3	135.7	160.1	148.7	130.8	130.8	137.0		
1929.....	97.0	115.4	75.3	97.3	105.1	105.5	105.3	77.3	100.7	86.1	77.3	89.4	126.8	116.7	116.7	118.5	133.1	121.6	120.0	120.0	120.0		
1930.....	86.2	107.7	70.2	112.1	92.8	90.1	86.6	72.9	78.8	75.1	77.3	71.4	108.8	98.7	98.7	103.9	127.7	116.6	120.0	119.7	119.9		
1931.....	88.7	108.3	77.6	118.9	99.8	80.8	87.2	81.5	77.5	79.8	75.1	71.4	108.8	98.7	98.7	103.9	127.7	116.6	120.0	119.7	119.9		
1932.....	89.5	108.3	77.6	118.9	99.8	80.8	87.2	81.5	77.5	79.8	75.1	71.4	108.8	98.7	98.7	103.9	127.7	116.6	120.0	119.7	119.9		
1933.....	99.5	113.3	92.8	123.4	109.3	90.4	102.9	97.5	95.4	87.9	92.6	76.6	122.7	110.2	113.9	104.0	103.6	121.0	121.3	121.3	121.3		
1934.....	103.4	112.3	96.2	121.6	109.9	98.0	103.0	101.7	96.1	99.6	99.6	78.5	117.6	107.0	111.2	104.0	107.4	124.3	120.3	122.1	122.1		
1935.....	110.9	113.6	109.2	123.2	116.8	108.0	105.2	103.3	116.7	109.6	109.6	85.3	114.5	106.6	110.6	106.6	106.5	115.8	123.4	120.3	122.1		
1936.....	132.1	124.2	141.8	139.3	140.4	113.2	112.3	156.6	110.3	139.3	91.6	91.6	117.2	110.3	110.3	140.3	113.2	125.5	133.0	129.2	130.9		
1937.....	105.6	116.2	86.8	104.2	109.7	106.1	107.7	96.2	105.4	99.6	116.1	83.1	117.6	108.3	108.3	127.4	129.5	127.2	127.6	127.4	126.4		

\* For number of commodities prior to 1934, see Prices and Price Indexes 1913-1934.



TABLE 15—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1937-1939

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	82.5	83.8	86.8	87.6	85.8	83.2	88.3	83.6	83.7	83.5	81.1	80.8
1938.....	81.9	81.1	79.6	79.0	75.8	75.4	72.5	67.5	65.5	65.1	64.6	64.9
1939.....	64.8	64.6	65.1	65.5	66.5	64.9	63.1	62.8	70.9	71.7	72.1	74.4
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	78.5	78.7	79.6	80.6	80.1	80.3	82.3	81.9	81.3	81.4	80.7	80.3
1938.....	81.5	81.9	82.0	81.3	79.3	79.2	78.4	76.8	75.6	74.7	73.9	73.6
1939.....	73.4	73.5	73.1	73.3	73.2	73.0	72.8	72.6	77.8	79.4	80.3	81.2
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
<b>A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	82.7	83.9	87.4	88.1	83.8	81.1	91.0	80.4	79.8	80.8	76.4	77.6
1938.....	80.9	80.0	77.0	76.0	69.5	69.5	63.4	53.3	47.5	46.9	46.1	46.6
1939.....	46.7	46.1	47.0	48.4	50.5	49.2	45.9	44.5	57.1	55.8	55.7	60.4
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	81.7	82.0	83.2	84.4	83.9	83.3	87.3	84.6	83.0	83.3	82.3	82.5
1938.....	83.2	83.3	82.6	81.5	79.0	78.0	76.8	73.9	71.1	70.1	69.5	69.3
1939.....	69.1	69.4	69.1	69.8	69.8	68.9	68.3	68.3	74.4	75.1	76.3	78.2
<b>Total—</b>												
1937.....	82.2	82.9	85.1	86.1	83.8	82.3	89.0	82.7	81.5	82.1	79.6	80.2
1938.....	82.1	81.8	80.0	79.0	74.6	74.1	70.6	64.4	60.2	59.4	58.7	58.8
1939.....	58.8	58.6	58.9	59.9	60.9	59.8	58.0	57.3	66.4	66.2	66.8	70.0
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	79.5	80.5	81.4	83.8	84.4	80.8	81.8	82.7	85.2	84.5	84.5	81.6
1938.....	80.9	79.4	79.8	80.6	81.1	79.8	79.3	77.9	80.1	79.4	79.3	80.1
1939.....	80.0	80.2	80.7	79.7	79.3	75.5	74.8	74.9	81.2	85.2	84.6	84.6
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	75.2	74.8	73.8	75.0	73.7	74.8	76.3	78.6	78.6	79.1	77.7	76.1
1938.....	75.3	77.1	78.7	77.9	74.1	75.0	75.7	74.0	73.3	71.8	69.9	68.8
1939.....	69.0	69.2	68.4	67.9	67.8	68.6	68.9	68.2	75.3	79.2	80.3	80.6
<b>Total—</b>												
1937.....	77.1	77.3	77.1	78.8	78.3	77.4	78.7	80.4	81.5	81.4	80.6	78.5
1938.....	77.7	78.1	79.2	79.2	77.1	77.1	77.3	75.7	76.2	75.1	74.0	73.7
1939.....	73.8	74.0	73.7	73.0	72.8	71.6	71.5	71.1	77.9	81.8	82.2	82.3
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
<b>Field (grains, etc.)—</b>												
1937.....	88.3	89.6	93.4	94.4	89.0	85.1	97.7	84.6	84.8	86.3	81.8	83.9
1938.....	88.8	87.5	83.9	83.2	74.6	74.3	65.9	54.9	53.4	53.6	54.6	53.8
1939.....	54.7	54.7	54.9	56.1	55.9	55.6	55.0	48.2	53.9	51.7	51.8	58.6
<b>Animal—</b>												
1937.....	82.1	82.6	84.2	86.3	85.7	81.4	83.9	85.5	88.8	86.9	87.4	84.6
1938.....	82.2	81.1	81.6	81.2	81.7	80.4	80.7	79.6	81.1	81.0	82.1	82.6
1939.....	81.6	81.3	81.9	81.1	80.5	75.9	75.4	75.4	81.8	86.6	86.8	86.4
<b>Total—</b>												
1937.....	86.0	87.0	90.0	91.4	87.8	83.7	92.5	84.9	86.3	86.5	83.9	84.2
1938.....	86.3	85.1	83.0	82.5	77.3	76.6	71.4	64.1	63.8	63.8	64.9	64.6
1939.....	64.8	64.6	65.0	65.5	65.1	63.2	62.6	58.4	64.8	64.8	64.9	69.0
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
<b>Raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	68.7	69.1	57.2	60.9	62.1	70.5	68.5	83.0	84.7	85.6	82.1	72.8
1938.....	70.9	73.1	69.5	56.0	56.0	55.4	56.7	62.6	72.7	76.3	73.6	60.8
1939.....	63.3	63.1	64.0	58.8	71.0	61.6	57.5	58.8	68.0	80.5	82.2	78.8
<b>Fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	69.3	69.5	69.7	72.1	71.3	72.2	72.4	70.9	73.4	72.6	73.7	73.8
1938.....	74.1	74.6	74.7	74.0	72.5	72.4	71.1	70.8	69.9	70.6	69.3	69.8
1939.....	68.9	69.0	69.1	67.8	67.8	69.3	69.7	69.1	79.4	80.0	80.3	80.9
<b>Total—</b>												
1937.....	69.1	69.4	66.3	69.1	68.8	71.7	71.3	74.2	76.4	76.1	76.0	73.5
1938.....	73.2	74.2	73.3	69.1	68.0	67.8	67.2	68.6	70.6	72.1	70.5	67.4
1939.....	67.4	67.4	67.7	65.4	68.7	67.2	66.4	66.3	76.3	80.1	80.8	80.3

TABLE 15—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1937-1939—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1937.....	86.8	89.3	95.8	98.0	98.5	96.1	96.6	96.3	94.9	92.8	91.7	91.3
1938.....	89.6	89.3	88.2	86.0	84.8	83.6	83.9	84.3	84.4	84.4	83.2	83.1
1939.....	83.1	83.0	83.7	83.9	84.8	85.2	85.6	88.3	91.5	93.8	96.6	97.1
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1937.....	60.7	60.7	60.7	60.9	61.1	61.2	61.2	61.2	61.3	61.2	61.2	61.3
1938.....	70.2	70.2	70.3	69.8	69.9	70.2	69.9	69.7	69.9	69.8	69.6	69.7
1939.....	69.6	69.5	69.2	69.3	69.3	69.2	68.9	69.1	73.6	74.0	74.3	74.4
Total—												
1937.....	72.9	74.0	77.1	78.2	78.5	77.5	77.7	77.6	77.0	75.9	75.4	75.3
1938.....	79.2	79.1	78.6	77.4	76.8	76.4	76.4	76.5	76.7	76.6	75.9	75.9
1939.....	76.0	76.0	76.0	76.1	76.5	76.7	76.7	78.0	81.9	83.2	84.7	85.0
<b>IV. Articles of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1937.....	84.0	85.6	88.8	86.3	86.4	85.4	86.0	86.1	85.6	84.0	82.7	82.3
1938.....	82.1	81.8	81.8	81.2	80.8	80.7	81.2	81.0	81.8	82.0	82.0	81.6
1939.....	81.1	81.0	80.8	80.5	80.2	80.2	79.7	80.0	81.3	82.0	83.8	83.9
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1937.....	87.4	88.2	91.0	92.0	91.9	92.2	92.7	93.2	93.3	92.8	92.6	92.2
1938.....	92.2	92.0	91.8	91.6	91.4	91.3	89.7	89.6	89.6	89.2	89.0	88.9
1939.....	88.2	88.2	88.0	87.9	87.6	87.5	87.5	87.4	88.9	90.3	90.7	91.0
Total—												
1937.....	85.9	87.1	90.0	89.5	89.5	89.2	89.7	90.1	89.9	88.9	88.2	87.8
1938.....	87.7	87.4	87.3	87.0	86.7	86.6	85.9	85.8	86.1	86.0	85.9	85.6
1939.....	85.0	85.0	84.8	84.6	84.3	84.2	84.0	84.1	85.5	86.6	87.6	87.8

TABLE 16—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS IN CANADA, 1937-1939

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>Total raw and partly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	129.3	131.3	136.0	137.3	134.4	130.4	138.4	131.0	131.2	130.8	127.1	126.6
1938.....	123.3	127.1	124.7	123.8	118.8	118.2	113.6	105.8	102.6	102.0	101.2	101.7
1939.....	101.5	101.2	102.0	102.6	104.2	101.7	98.9	98.4	111.1	112.4	113.0	116.6
<b>Total fully and chiefly manufactured—</b>												
1937.....	121.1	121.4	122.8	124.4	123.6	123.9	127.0	126.4	125.4	125.6	124.5	123.9
1938.....	125.8	126.4	126.5	125.4	122.4	122.2	121.0	118.5	116.7	115.3	114.0	113.6
1939.....	113.3	113.4	112.8	113.1	112.9	112.6	112.3	112.0	120.0	122.5	123.9	125.3
<b>I. Articles of Farm Origin (domestic and foreign)—</b>												
A. Field (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)—												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1937.....	141.6	143.6	149.6	150.8	143.5	138.8	155.8	137.6	136.6	138.3	130.8	132.9
1938.....	138.5	137.0	131.8	130.1	119.0	119.0	108.5	91.2	81.3	80.3	78.9	79.8
1939.....	80.0	78.9	80.5	82.9	86.5	84.2	78.6	76.2	97.8	95.5	96.4	103.4
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1937.....	136.4	136.9	138.9	140.9	140.0	139.1	145.8	141.3	138.6	139.1	137.4	137.8
1938.....	138.9	139.1	137.9	136.1	131.9	130.3	128.3	123.4	118.7	117.1	116.1	115.7
1939.....	115.4	115.9	115.4	116.6	116.6	115.1	114.1	114.1	124.2	125.4	127.4	130.6
Total—												
1937.....	138.8	140.0	143.8	145.5	141.6	139.0	150.4	139.6	137.7	138.7	134.3	135.5
1938.....	138.7	138.1	135.1	133.3	125.9	125.1	119.2	108.5	101.4	100.1	98.9	99.1
1939.....	99.1	98.8	99.3	101.1	102.7	100.8	97.7	96.6	112.0	111.6	112.6	118.0

TABLE 16—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1937-1939—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1913=100)

Origin and Years	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>B. Animal—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1937.....	108.8	110.2	111.4	114.7	115.5	110.6	112.0	113.2	116.6	115.6	115.6	111.7
1938.....	110.8	108.7	109.2	110.3	111.0	109.2	108.6	106.6	109.7	108.7	108.6	109.7
1939.....	109.5	109.8	110.5	109.1	108.6	103.4	102.4	102.5	111.2	116.6	115.8	115.8
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1937.....	110.8	110.3	108.8	110.6	108.6	110.3	112.5	115.9	115.9	116.6	114.5	112.2
1938.....	111.0	113.6	116.0	114.8	109.2	110.6	111.6	109.1	108.0	105.8	103.0	101.4
1939.....	101.7	102.0	100.8	100.1	99.9	101.1	101.6	100.5	111.0	116.7	118.4	118.8
Total—												
1937.....	109.9	110.3	109.9	112.4	111.6	110.4	112.3	114.7	116.2	116.2	115.0	112.0
1938.....	110.9	111.5	113.1	112.8	110.0	110.0	110.3	108.0	108.7	107.1	105.4	105.0
1939.....	105.1	105.4	105.0	104.0	103.7	102.1	101.9	101.4	111.1	116.7	117.3	117.5
<b>C. Canadian Farm Products—</b>												
Field (grain, etc.)—												
1937.....	156.6	159.0	165.7	167.5	157.9	151.0	173.3	150.1	150.4	153.1	145.1	148.8
1938.....	157.5	155.2	148.8	147.6	132.3	131.8	116.9	97.4	94.7	95.1	96.9	95.4
1939.....	97.0	97.0	97.4	99.5	99.2	98.6	97.6	85.5	95.6	91.7	91.9	104.0
Animal—												
1937.....	106.6	107.2	109.3	112.0	111.2	105.7	108.9	111.0	115.3	112.8	112.4	109.8
1938.....	106.7	105.3	105.9	105.4	106.0	104.4	104.7	103.3	105.3	105.1	106.6	107.2
1939.....	105.9	105.5	106.3	105.3	104.5	98.5	98.0	98.0	106.2	112.4	112.7	112.1
Total—												
1937.....	137.9	139.6	144.6	146.7	140.4	134.1	149.2	135.5	137.3	138.0	133.2	134.2
1938.....	138.5	136.5	132.8	131.8	122.5	121.6	112.3	99.6	98.7	98.8	100.5	99.8
1939.....	100.3	100.2	100.7	101.7	101.2	98.6	97.7	90.2	99.6	99.4	99.7	107.0
<b>II. Articles of Marine Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1937.....	87.3	87.8	72.7	77.4	78.9	89.6	87.0	105.5	107.7	108.8	104.3	92.5
1938.....	90.1	92.9	88.3	71.2	71.2	70.4	72.1	79.6	92.4	97.0	93.5	77.3
1939.....	80.5	80.2	81.3	74.7	90.2	78.3	73.1	74.7	86.4	102.3	104.5	100.2
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1937.....	113.2	113.6	113.9	117.8	116.5	118.0	118.3	115.9	119.9	118.6	120.4	120.6
1938.....	121.1	121.9	122.1	120.9	118.5	118.3	116.2	115.7	114.2	115.4	113.2	114.1
1939.....	112.6	112.7	112.9	110.8	110.8	113.2	113.9	112.9	129.7	130.7	131.2	132.2
Total—												
1937.....	106.2	106.6	102.8	106.9	106.3	110.3	109.8	113.1	116.6	115.9	116.0	113.0
1938.....	112.7	114.1	113.0	107.5	105.7	105.3	104.3	105.9	108.3	110.4	107.9	104.1
1939.....	103.9	103.9	104.4	101.0	105.2	103.8	102.9	102.6	118.0	123.0	124.0	123.5
<b>III. Articles of Forest Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1937.....	129.6	133.3	143.0	146.3	147.0	143.5	144.2	143.8	141.7	138.6	136.9	136.3
1938.....	133.8	133.3	131.7	128.4	126.6	124.8	125.3	125.9	126.0	126.0	124.2	124.1
1939.....	124.1	123.9	125.0	125.3	126.6	127.2	127.8	131.8	136.6	140.0	144.2	145.0
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1937.....	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.8	113.2	113.4	113.4	113.4	113.6	113.4	113.4	113.6
1938.....	130.1	130.1	130.3	129.3	129.5	130.1	129.5	129.2	129.5	129.3	129.0	129.2
1939.....	129.0	128.8	128.2	128.4	128.4	128.2	127.7	128.0	136.4	137.1	137.7	137.9
Total—												
1937.....	120.5	122.2	126.7	128.4	129.0	127.4	127.8	127.6	126.7	125.1	124.4	124.2
1938.....	131.8	131.6	131.0	128.9	128.1	127.6	127.5	127.7	127.9	127.8	126.8	126.8
1939.....	126.7	126.5	126.7	127.0	127.6	127.7	127.7	129.8	136.5	138.5	140.7	141.2
<b>IV. Article of Mineral Origin—</b>												
Raw and partly manufactured—												
1937.....	131.1	133.6	138.6	134.7	134.9	133.3	134.2	134.4	133.6	131.1	129.1	128.5
1938.....	128.2	127.7	127.7	126.8	126.1	126.0	126.8	126.4	127.7	128.0	128.0	127.4
1939.....	126.6	126.4	126.1	125.7	125.2	125.2	124.4	124.9	126.9	128.0	130.8	131.0
Fully and chiefly manufactured—												
1937.....	123.2	124.4	128.3	129.7	129.6	130.0	130.7	131.4	131.6	130.8	130.6	130.0
1938.....	130.0	129.7	129.4	129.2	128.9	128.7	126.5	126.3	126.3	125.8	125.5	125.3
1939.....	124.4	124.4	124.1	123.9	123.5	123.4	123.4	123.2	125.3	127.3	127.9	128.3
Total—												
1937.....	126.7	128.5	132.9	131.9	132.0	131.5	132.3	132.7	132.5	130.9	129.9	129.3
1938.....	129.2	128.8	128.6	128.1	127.6	127.5	126.6	126.3	126.9	126.8	126.6	126.2
1939.....	125.4	125.3	125.0	124.7	124.3	124.2	123.8	124.0	126.0	127.6	129.2	129.5



TABLE 17—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1935-1939

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Groups	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)					
(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	56.2	63.8	82.8	63.0	50.7
Fruits, fresh, domestic.....	77.3	80.4	93.6	69.8	76.0
Fruits, fresh.....	82.6	81.4	84.1	78.9	80.3
Fruits, dried.....	58.8	66.3	92.6	68.1	46.4
Grains.....	25.3	34.9	42.5	31.7	39.5
Rubber, raw.....	39.3	39.1	45.8	41.9	51.4
Sugar, raw.....	70.7	73.2	79.0	73.9	78.5
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	42.7	48.9	54.9	51.3	45.1
Tobacco.....	33.4	67.5	54.6	36.8	58.3
Vegetables—	81.0	71.3	101.5	110.3	74.9
Potatoes.....	71.7	64.2	72.0	72.0	65.7
Onions.....	69.6	71.1	67.7	52.0	56.5
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	42.0	61.3	68.4	45.3	45.3
Cotton, raw.....	69.9	75.8	70.0	74.7	74.0
Miscellaneous fibres.....					
Pharmaceuticals.....					
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	72.8	73.8	83.4	76.5	71.4
Canned fruits.....	70.0	67.9	67.8	64.9	65.3
Flour and other milled products.....	69.8	75.5	97.1	80.4	64.5
Bakery products.....	83.0	84.0	91.1	91.4	83.8
Vegetable oils.....	70.8	74.5	80.1	61.2	63.7
Rubbers.....	67.1	67.8	70.2	61.4	58.9
Tires and tubes.....	50.8	50.3	54.9	56.7	59.6
Sugar products and glucose.....	82.1	78.8	84.8	83.1	86.4
Chocolate and cocoa butter.....	57.6	65.5	81.8	61.6	57.8
Canned vegetables.....	72.2	76.2	81.9	73.7	72.4
Miscellaneous vegetable products.....	78.0	68.6	69.0	64.1	63.7
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	50.3	50.2	52.5	48.9	44.5
Cotton yarn and thread.....	82.2	82.7	86.4	81.2	81.4
Sash cord.....	102.1	93.5	92.6	85.3	85.1
Cotton fabrics.....	76.4	72.6	76.9	72.2	70.9
Cotton knit goods.....	82.6	82.3	84.0	82.5	82.3
Chemicals.....	80.8	87.0	87.9	87.3	88.8
Soap.....	85.1	85.4	91.1	91.9	88.4
(c) Total.....	65.1	69.2	83.1	70.3	61.8
(B) ANIMAL					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	71.6	73.6	82.7	79.8	80.1
Live stock.....	79.4	72.5	91.3	82.0	86.6
Furs.....	51.7	59.8	70.4	53.2	51.3
Hides and skins.....	69.2	80.4	101.9	64.8	80.2
Meats.....	73.8	71.1	85.3	83.5	87.4
Poultry.....	52.8	64.1	65.6	68.7	64.9
Milk.....	77.3	79.1	87.0	87.7	85.0
Eggs.....	60.5	67.3	63.2	67.5	60.2
Silk, raw.....	27.0	28.8	30.3	27.6	46.0
Wool, raw.....	50.4	68.1	89.3	53.7	62.0
Shellac.....	43.6	39.6	35.5	31.2	36.0
Fertilizers.....	99.3	99.3	99.3	110.2	100.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	69.9	71.4	76.4	74.3	72.0
Meats, canned, cured or otherwise prepared.....	70.4	69.8	71.8	76.4	72.5
Oils, fats, etc.....	77.1	69.9	75.7	58.8	50.7
Leather.....	79.0	87.1	97.7	85.0	90.4
Boots and shoes.....	85.3	88.4	93.7	91.2	92.9
Milk, condensed and evaporated.....	87.2	87.2	87.2	87.2	85.6
Butter.....	60.6	62.2	69.0	69.5	61.0
Cheese.....	62.7	70.5	77.1	78.0	73.0
Silk products.....	51.7	51.0	52.1	50.4	58.5
Spool and machine twist.....	63.9	62.3	64.0	64.6	64.8
Silk fabrics.....	46.3	45.5	47.0	44.6	55.0
Silk hosiery.....	65.8	65.8	65.3	65.1	68.4
Wool products.....	77.5	81.1	86.0	79.9	81.0
Wool yarns.....	82.2	85.1	91.0	77.3	81.5
Wool cloth.....	72.9	78.3	83.3	75.1	76.4
Wool blankets.....	76.5	81.3	101.4	91.5	95.3
Wool carpets.....	92.5	90.6	95.0	96.7	93.4
Wool hosiery and knit goods.....	87.1	86.8	89.0	88.5	90.1
Glycerine.....	53.3	62.3	89.7	62.0	55.5
(c) Total.....	70.6	72.4	79.0	76.7	75.5

TABLE 17—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1935-1939—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Groups	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
I. ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)— <i>Concluded</i>					
(C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS					
(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	57.3	65.8	88.3	69.0	54.2
(b) Animal.....	74.0	75.3	85.0	81.3	81.2
(c) Total.....	63.5	69.4	87.1	73.6	64.3
II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	61.8	67.1	72.1	65.4	67.2
Fish, salt.....	31.8	26.6	33.3	21.7	23.5
Fish, fresh.....	67.1	74.2	78.9	73.1	74.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	72.0	70.1	71.7	72.0	72.7
Dried or prepared fish.....	67.7	64.8	72.6	71.8	70.9
Canned fish.....	74.2	72.8	71.3	72.1	73.6
(c) Total.....	69.2	69.3	71.8	70.2	71.2
III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	74.5	80.8	94.0	85.5	88.0
Lumber and Timber.....	77.8	86.3	98.1	89.8	94.0
Camphor.....	65.9	65.9	71.0	73.0	74.7
Woodpulp.....	66.9	68.3	84.6	75.6	74.1
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	56.1	57.5	61.1	69.9	70.9
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	54.0	55.4	58.1	68.2	69.8
Furniture.....	66.8	69.5	82.0	85.5	81.7
Matches.....	76.2	77.4	77.9	77.9	77.9
Artificial Silk Products.....	50.5	46.2	43.5	42.8	43.5
Alcohol, methyl.....	86.2	84.9	83.3	82.8	82.8
Formaldehyde.....	59.8	53.6	57.1	52.7	44.6
Tanning extracts.....	108.9	108.8	112.9	109.5	110.9
(c) Total.....	64.7	68.4	76.4	77.2	78.9
IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN					
(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	79.6	79.9	85.2	81.5	82.2
Pig Iron.....	83.0	83.3	99.5	99.0	91.0
Scrap.....	56.5	62.2	82.8	65.9	75.6
Non-ferrous metals.....	70.0	69.9	80.8	69.2	71.4
Non-metallic minerals.....	86.2	86.6	87.3	88.8	88.6
Chemicals.....	77.9	76.1	75.2	72.3	70.7
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	85.3	85.2	91.6	90.5	88.6
Pipe.....	85.2	85.1	97.9	99.4	95.1
Rolling mill products.....	92.0	93.0	103.5	107.5	105.2
Wire and wire goods.....	86.8	87.2	99.1	100.4	97.2
Hardware.....	87.5	86.3	90.0	90.1	88.6
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	95.0	95.0	105.4	112.5	112.5
Non-ferrous metal products.....	70.5	76.7	100.4	82.4	88.8
Non-metallic mineral products.....	83.6	83.5	85.2	84.0	81.4
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	82.4	79.7	81.8	82.1	82.1
(c) Total.....	82.8	82.8	88.8	86.5	85.7

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
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(A) FIELD (grains, fruits, cotton, etc.)

(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.	46.7	46.1	47.0	48.4	50.5	49.2	45.9	44.5	57.1	55.8	55.7	60.4
Fruits, fresh.	64.7	62.9	67.0	67.1	68.6	80.0	80.8	77.6	86.6	94.3	87.5	74.6
Fruits, dried.	78.0	78.0	78.0	76.4	76.1	75.7	75.7	75.6	86.0	87.0	89.3	87.2
Grains.	43.0	42.0	42.8	43.7	46.9	43.9	39.1	39.1	53.8	51.4	51.6	59.2
Rubber, raw.	35.1	35.0	35.3	35.0	35.4	35.9	36.0	36.4	49.0	47.1	47.0	47.0
Sugar, raw.	43.4	43.0	43.1	44.9	48.1	46.8	45.2	44.5	56.3	56.5	60.8	60.8
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.	73.0	74.1	73.1	73.1	72.9	73.1	72.8	72.5	86.3	91.2	90.1	90.4
Tobacco.	45.3	45.3	45.3	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.5	45.7
Vegetables												
Potatoes.	54.1	54.0	57.3	69.9	62.0	65.1	69.8	51.1	55.7	54.3	51.8	54.0
Onions.	74.8	71.5	82.7	101.9	101.3	102.3	80.9	64.2	63.5	59.2	50.1	46.0
Miscellaneous vegetable products	64.2	63.4	64.5	64.4	64.3	64.6	64.8	62.4	65.9	67.3	69.9	71.7
Cotton, raw.	52.0	52.0	52.0	50.7	54.7	57.7	56.1	54.5	59.9	58.2	61.5	69.1
Miscellaneous fibres.	41.0	36.4	36.6	35.7	36.4	35.8	35.7	38.8	50.8	68.2	67.8	59.8
Pharmaceuticals.	69.3	68.8	67.7	67.7	67.7	67.1	68.8	66.6	71.6	82.9	90.1	99.6
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.	69.1	69.4	69.1	69.8	69.8	68.9	68.3	68.3	74.4	75.1	76.3	78.2
Canned fruits.	64.7	64.5	64.4	64.4	64.3	64.3	64.5	64.7	65.3	65.4	68.4	68.4
Flour and other milled products.	62.3	63.2	63.3	63.7	63.3	59.5	56.5	56.8	73.0	68.4	68.8	75.8
Bakery products.	85.3	84.4	83.3	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	83.6	84.0	84.0	82.9
Vegetable oils.	57.5	56.2	57.8	58.2	58.2	59.4	57.9	56.6	69.7	75.4	80.3	77.1
Rubbers.	51.1	51.1	51.1	63.5	54.3	54.3	60.4	60.4	60.4	66.7	66.7	66.7
Tires and tubes.	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6	56.6
Sugar products and glucose.	81.6	81.6	81.6	81.6	85.7	85.9	86.0	86.0	86.1	93.5	93.7	93.7
Chocolate and cocoa butter.	56.4	56.0	56.0	55.8	55.7	55.5	55.2	51.7	59.7	65.2	62.2	64.3
Canned vegetables.	68.8	68.8	68.6	68.6	70.3	70.3	70.9	71.6	74.7	76.7	79.0	80.3
Miscellaneous vegetable products.	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.1	63.7	65.2	65.2	65.2
Miscellaneous fibre products.	49.5	49.5	46.1	46.8	47.4	47.4	47.2	46.1	60.7	62.0	76.8	74.1
Cotton yarn and thread.	80.8	80.8	80.8	80.8	80.0	80.0	80.0	81.2	82.0	82.3	82.7	85.5
Sash cord.	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	83.7	89.5	89.5	89.5	93.3
Cotton fabrics.	67.0	69.7	68.9	68.9	68.3	68.3	68.7	68.8	72.4	73.3	75.9	77.3
Cotton knit goods.	81.9	81.9	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	81.0	82.8	84.3	84.3	85.7
Chemicals.	87.4	86.4	85.3	85.3	86.7	83.2	83.2	83.2	90.3	95.2	99.6	98.6
Soap.	91.9	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0	88.0
(c) Total.	58.8	58.6	58.9	59.9	60.9	59.8	58.0	57.3	66.4	66.2	66.8	70.0

(B) ANIMAL

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TABLE 18—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF COMMODITY GROUPS  
IN CANADA, 1939—Concluded

(CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO ORIGIN AND DEGREE OF MANUFACTURE)

(1926=100)

Groups	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
ARTICLES OF FARM ORIGIN (DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN)— <i>Concluded</i>												
(B) ANIMAL— <i>Con.</i>												
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles— <i>Con.</i>												
Wool products— <i>Con.</i>												
Wool hosiery and knit goods....	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	88.2	87.9	87.9	87.9	91.9	94.5	94.5	95.9
Glycerine.....	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5	55.5
(c) Total.....	73.8	74.0	73.7	73.0	72.8	71.6	71.5	71.1	77.9	81.8	82.2	82.3

## (C) CANADIAN FARM PRODUCTS

(a) Field (grains, etc.).....	54.7	54.7	54.9	56.1	55.9	55.6	55.0	48.2	53.9	51.7	51.8	58.6
(b) Animal.....	81.6	81.3	81.9	81.1	80.5	75.9	75.4	75.4	81.8	86.6	86.8	86.4
(c) Total.....	64.8	64.6	65.0	65.5	65.1	63.2	62.6	58.4	64.3	64.8	64.9	69.0

## II. ARTICLES OF MARINE ORIGIN

(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	63.3	63.1	64.0	58.8	71.0	61.6	57.5	58.8	68.0	80.5	82.2	78.8
Fish, salt.....	20.8	25.9	27.0	27.0	26.5	22.3	18.1	18.1	20.8	21.8	27.0	27.0
Fish, fresh.....	70.8	69.7	70.5	64.8	78.8	68.5	64.5	66.0	76.3	90.8	91.9	87.9
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	68.9	69.0	69.1	67.8	67.8	69.3	69.7	69.1	79.4	80.0	80.3	80.9
Dried or prepared fish.....	68.0	68.0	68.0	67.3	67.3	67.3	68.6	67.3	75.3	77.2	78.0	77.2
Canned fish.....	69.4	69.5	69.7	68.0	68.1	70.4	70.3	70.1	81.6	81.5	81.5	82.8
(c) Total.....	67.4	67.4	67.7	65.4	68.7	67.2	66.4	66.3	76.3	80.1	80.8	80.3

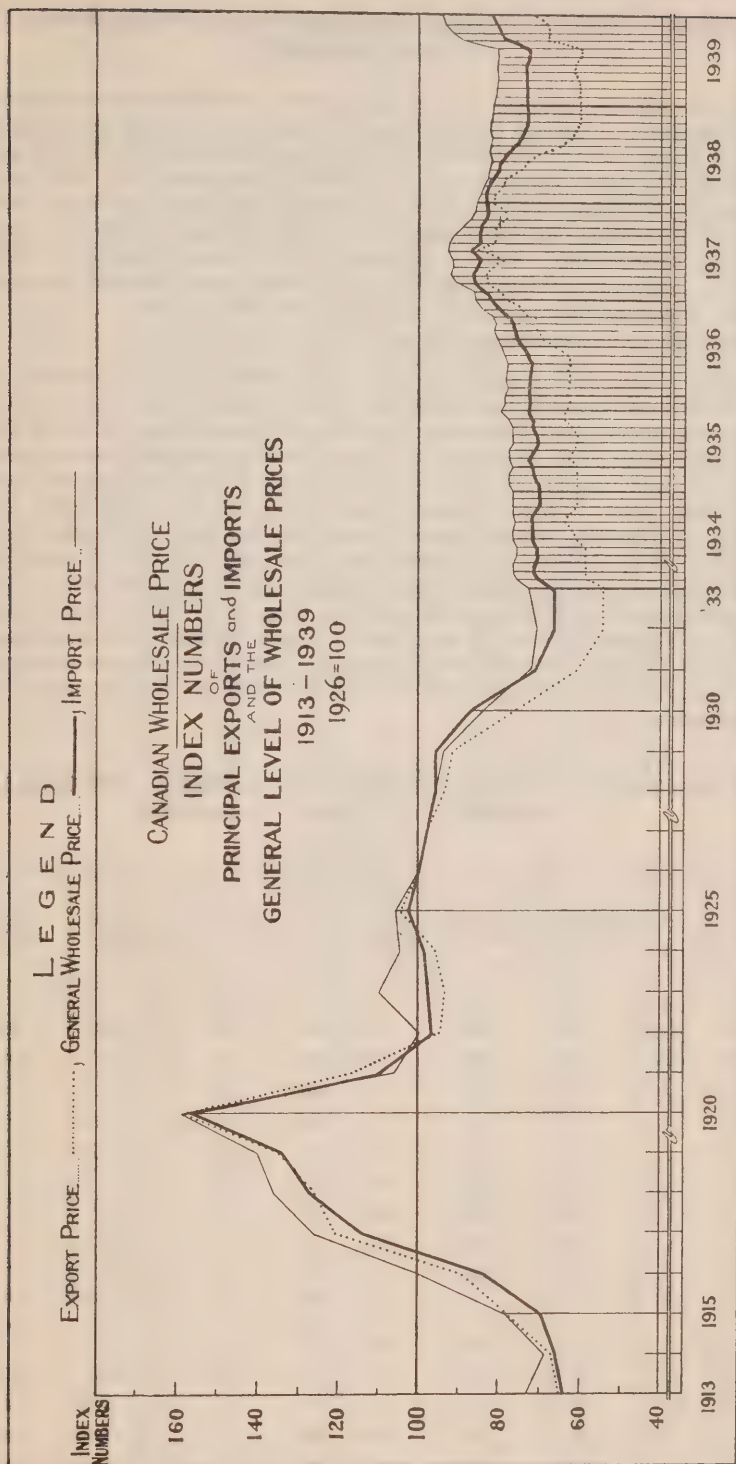
## III. ARTICLES OF FOREST ORIGIN

(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	83.1	83.0	83.7	83.9	84.8	85.2	85.6	88.3	91.5	93.8	96.6	97.1
Lumber and timber.....	88.8	88.8	89.6	89.9	91.2	91.8	92.4	96.4	97.1	99.8	101.5	101.4
Camphor.....	70.8	70.8	70.8	70.8	68.3	67.1	67.1	63.5	63.5	63.5	85.4	134.2
Woodpulp.....	69.9	69.8	70.1	70.2	70.0	70.2	69.9	69.8	78.6	79.9	85.3	87.2
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	69.6	69.5	69.2	69.3	69.3	69.2	68.9	69.1	73.6	74.0	74.3	74.4
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	68.1	68.0	67.9	68.0	67.9	67.8	67.8	68.0	73.3	73.6	73.6	73.6
Furniture.....	83.7	83.7	81.9	81.9	82.4	82.4	79.8	79.8	79.9	79.9	82.4	82.4
Matches.....	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9	77.9
Artificial silk products.....	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	42.8	45.0	45.0	47.2
Alcohol, methyl.....	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8	82.8
Formaldehyde.....	48.3	48.3	48.3	48.3	39.5	39.5	39.5	39.5	39.5	39.5	52.7	52.7
Tanning extracts.....	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	107.8	113.8	113.8	120.2	120.2
(c) Total.....	76.0	76.0	76.0	76.1	76.5	76.7	76.7	78.0	81.9	83.2	84.7	85.0

## IV. ARTICLES OF MINERAL ORIGIN

(a) Raw and Partly Manufactured Materials.....	81.1	81.0	80.8	80.5	80.2	80.2	79.7	80.0	81.3	82.0	83.8	83.9
Pig iron.....	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	90.2	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7
Scrap.....	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.9	70.9	72.3	72.3	72.3	76.6	79.6	91.3	91.3
Non-ferrous metals.....	67.4	67.0	67.4	67.1	67.2	67.2	66.2	67.7	70.9	71.0	70.5	71.5
Non-metallic minerals.....	89.4	89.4	88.9	88.4	87.9	87.8	87.5	87.3	87.1	88.2	90.8	90.5
Chemicals.....	71.9	70.6	70.6	70.9	69.1	68.7	69.6	69.4	72.1	71.6	72.1	71.8
(b) Fully and Chiefly Manufactured Articles.....	88.2	88.2	88.0	87.9	87.6	87.5	87.5	87.4	88.9	90.3	90.7	91.0
Pipe.....	97.1	97.1	97.1	97.1	93.4	93.4	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3	94.3
Rolling mill products.....	104.1	103.7	103.7	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	103.2	106.6	108.5	109.7	109.9
Wire and wire goods.....	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2	97.2
Hardware.....	88.1	88.1	88.1	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.5	88.5	89.0	89.1	90.1
Miscellaneous iron and steel products.....	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5	112.5
Non-ferrous metal products.....	87.1	86.4	86.5	83.3	80.8	80.8	81.9	83.2	97.4	99.7	99.6	99.6
Non-metallic mineral products.....	81.3	81.4	80.9	80.9	80.9	80.7	80.7	80.3	80.8	82.4	82.9	83.3
Chemicals and dyestuffs.....	81.5	81.9	82.0	82.0	82.0	81.7	81.8	81.9	82.7	83.8	83.0	82.9
(c) Total.....	85.0	85.0	84.8	84.6	84.3	84.2	84.0	84.1	85.5	86.6	87.6	87.8

Chart 4



# WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

The Bureau's index numbers of wholesale prices of principal exports and imports have been designed primarily to indicate the influence of commodities entering into international trade upon internal price levels. For that reason, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics general wholesale price index number has been used as a pattern for construction. The base year, 1926, is the same for both series, and the weighted arithmetic aggregative method of compilation was employed in both cases. The prices used in the export and import series have been taken from the general wholesale series. Only in weighting did it appear advisable to use slightly different procedure. Instead of referring to the base year, weights were computed from averages of the quantities of imports and exports for the years 1926-1931 inclusive. The rapidly changing volume of trade for certain commodities made this seem advisable.

Declines of unusual magnitude were noted in the prices of Canada's leading exports during 1938. The Bureau's index of export wholesale prices dropped continuously from 82.3 in January to 61.9 in September, where it levelled off to close the year at 60.8. This was down 22.9 per cent from December, 1937. Compared with export price changes, import price movements were of a minor character, the net recession amounting to only 4.4 per cent between December, 1937, and December, 1938. In 1939 wholesale prices of principal import and export products were affected in like degree by advances between August and December. The import index mounted from 80.5 to 94.5, while the export series moved up from 59.9 to 71.5 during this interval. Although these increases were approximately parallel, the relative price margin of imports over exports was greater in 1939 than for any other year since 1913. It was most pronounced in the price groups for Vegetable Products, Iron, and Non-Ferrous Metals, but for all component material groups except Chemicals 1939 import wholesale price indexes were above corresponding export series. Annual average indexes in 1938 and 1939 were 83.1 and 84.4 for imports and 70.9 and 63.5 for exports.

**TABLE 19—CANADIAN INDEX NUMBERS OF GENERAL WHOLESALE PRICES, EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1939**

(1926=100)

—	General Wholesale Prices	Exports	Imports	—	General Wholesale Prices	Exports	Imports
1913.....	64.0	64.7	73.0	1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	65.5	66.5	69.3	1927.....	97.7	97.8	97.7
1915.....	70.4	78.1	77.5	1928.....	96.4	94.2	96.1
				1929.....	95.6	92.2	94.2
1916.....	84.3	88.7	100.0	1930.....	85.6	77.4	83.7
1917.....	114.3	120.5	125.6	1931.....	72.1	60.5	72.4
1918.....	127.4	126.2	135.5	1932.....	66.7	54.9	70.5
1919.....	134.0	134.8	139.6	1933.....	67.1	55.2	73.0
1920.....	155.9	158.1	158.8	1934.....	71.6	60.6	76.5
				1935.....	72.1	62.2	77.9
1921.....	110.0	116.5	105.8	1936.....	74.6	66.8	79.4
1922.....	97.3	94.7	100.4	1937.....	84.6	81.1	89.8
1923.....	98.0	93.5	110.0	1938.....	78.6	70.9	83.1
1924.....	99.4	95.7	105.0	1939.....	75.4	63.5	84.4
1925.....	102.6	104.5	105.6				



TABLE 20—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1913-1939

(1926=100)

## EXPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Exports
1913.....	60.6	61.3	63.2	58.3	73.9	89.0	98.7	75.3	64.7
1914.....	67.8	60.2	59.6	58.4	71.6	82.6	80.1	75.1	66.5
1915.....	84.7	63.3	66.4	57.3	82.7	113.7	106.6	75.1	78.1
1916.....	91.9	74.3	82.7	63.4	111.9	143.7	106.6	74.2	88.7
1917.....	142.4	94.9	166.3	78.6	160.6	141.8	122.0	85.6	120.5
1918.....	145.5	107.5	196.1	88.9	177.9	126.1	128.7	105.6	126.2
1919.....	151.1	142.8	181.7	106.4	148.3	119.3	128.3	108.2	134.8
1920.....	168.2	136.9	139.7	156.2	196.1	129.9	152.4	128.9	158.1
1921.....	109.9	96.5	95.5	141.6	137.9	90.3	138.6	120.6	116.5
1922.....	84.4	96.5	82.5	105.9	110.3	90.2	129.1	106.9	94.7
1923.....	77.1	92.6	94.9	114.2	124.0	92.9	101.7	100.4	93.5
1924.....	88.2	82.6	104.4	108.9	118.8	96.2	99.7	98.1	95.7
1925.....	107.7	94.7	114.3	103.9	107.1	106.1	93.4	98.1	104.5
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	97.0	105.3	88.1	99.1	97.4	89.2	89.2	100.7	97.8
1928.....	88.8	111.3	95.3	98.7	91.9	87.5	83.8	98.2	94.2
1929.....	89.3	107.9	85.8	91.9	91.3	88.0	83.7	95.6	92.2
1930.....	65.3	94.2	69.5	87.3	87.4	75.4	81.5	92.9	77.4
1931.....	41.7	70.7	56.7	78.3	82.7	66.2	67.8	87.9	60.5
1932.....	40.4	55.7	39.6	68.1	81.3	65.2	66.1	68.3	54.9
1933.....	44.9	58.0	46.1	60.0	75.8	68.6	65.7	69.9	55.2
1934.....	53.4	64.5	59.1	62.5	78.0	67.6	71.2	72.2	60.6
1935.....	56.7	65.7	49.5	60.8	78.0	73.8	70.5	71.7	62.2
1936.....	63.9	69.5	61.4	65.0	80.1	71.1	69.4	71.8	66.8
1937.....	87.2	76.5	73.1	72.1	95.2	79.9	69.7	72.1	81.1
1938.....	66.4	69.1	54.5	73.4	93.9	70.7	80.0	78.1	70.9
1939.....	47.4	70.7	54.3	75.8	94.5	68.3	79.8	86.6	63.5

## IMPORTS

Groups	Vegetables and Their Products	Animals and Their Products	Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products	Wood, Wood Products and Paper	Iron and Its Products	Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products	Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products	Chemicals and Allied Products	Total Imports
1913.....	78.0	92.3	63.3	.....	75.7	93.6	61.9	51.9	73.0
1914.....	80.2	95.6	60.5	.....	68.6	79.1	55.2	55.4	69.3
1915.....	92.1	104.9	57.0	.....	77.7	98.2	64.7	61.4	77.5
1916.....	105.7	129.0	79.8	.....	112.2	146.9	67.6	88.5	100.0
1917.....	122.1	148.0	117.4	.....	154.6	160.4	75.8	102.7	125.6
1918.....	132.2	147.0	150.2	.....	152.3	162.9	86.4	116.9	135.5
1919.....	145.6	212.9	167.6	.....	137.5	115.6	96.4	99.5	139.6
1920.....	200.6	178.8	172.7	.....	152.1	116.4	118.5	114.1	158.8
1921.....	102.8	101.4	98.4	.....	116.8	76.8	114.0	105.9	105.8
1922.....	98.4	102.4	105.7	.....	101.2	79.2	104.4	90.2	100.4
1923.....	113.7	101.6	127.7	.....	114.2	88.5	94.0	97.1	110.0
1924.....	105.7	97.1	113.5	.....	113.2	88.2	93.8	95.7	105.0
1925.....	111.9	108.2	112.9	.....	104.7	96.0	95.7	95.5	105.6
1926.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	102.0	111.7	92.4	.....	98.1	94.7	93.2	98.0	97.7
1928.....	94.0	132.0	94.7	.....	94.8	99.7	88.4	92.3	96.1
1929.....	85.6	113.3	93.4	.....	95.0	116.9	89.4	92.0	94.2
1930.....	75.0	94.5	75.5	.....	91.1	84.7	87.3	87.5	83.7
1931.....	60.1	72.5	59.9	.....	88.7	57.5	80.3	83.3	72.4
1932.....	57.3	59.1	52.6	.....	91.1	46.5	84.8	86.3	70.5
1933.....	61.4	67.7	57.3	.....	92.2	59.1	79.4	86.9	73.0
1934.....	65.0	69.7	64.2	.....	92.7	66.7	83.6	88.0	76.5
1935.....	68.5	74.6	63.6	.....	94.4	68.0	82.5	89.7	77.9
1936.....	68.4	78.7	67.7	.....	96.3	71.5	82.0	86.9	79.4
1937.....	79.7	89.9	72.1	.....	114.5	93.6	82.8	85.1	89.8
1938.....	68.8	75.9	61.2	.....	113.7	72.7	84.1	85.4	83.1
1939.....	71.3	78.0	66.0	.....	112.2	83.8	82.3	83.5	84.4

TABLE 21—MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRINCIPAL EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, 1938-1939

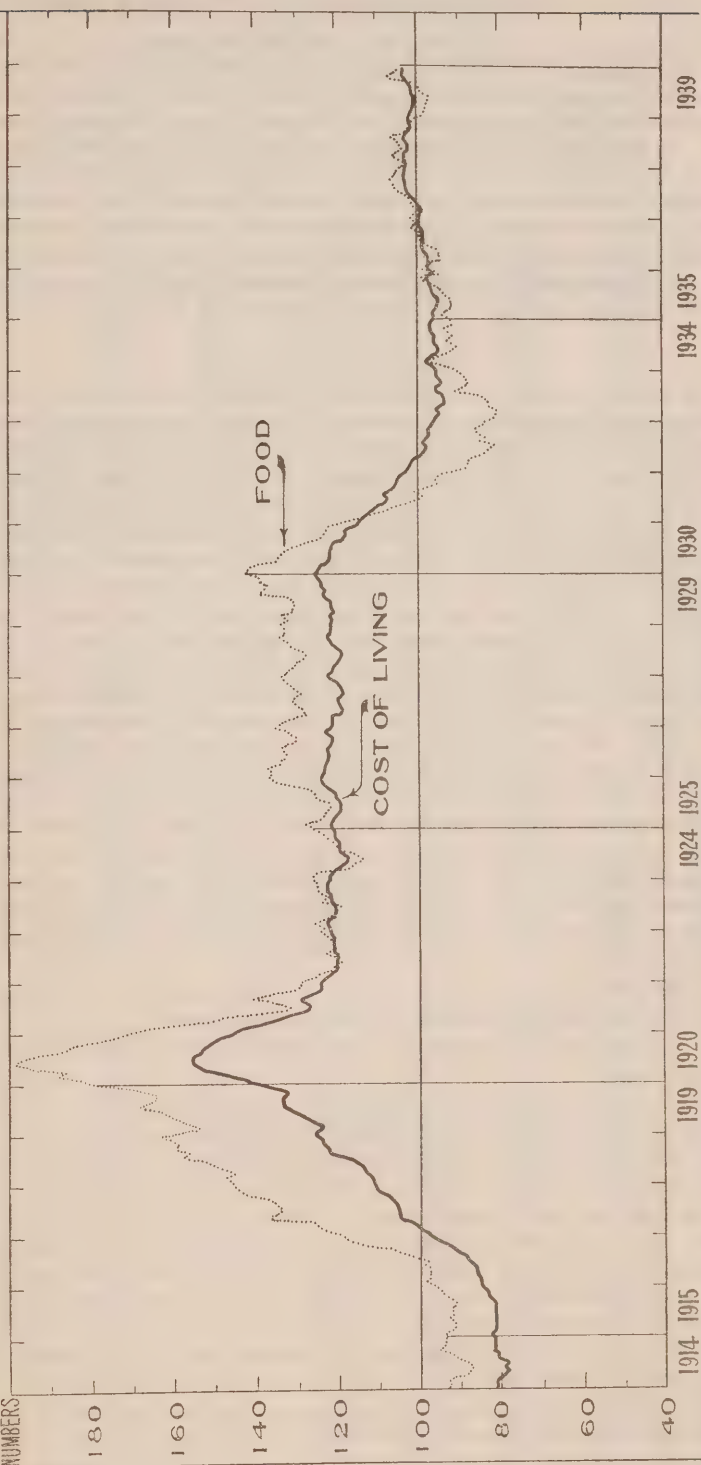
(1926=100)

Commodity Groups	—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
EXPORTS														
Total Exports.....	1938 1939	82.3 60.6	81.3 60.8	79.6 60.7	78.7 60.9	74.4 62.2	73.8 61.0	70.4 59.7	65.2 59.9	61.9 68.1	61.5 67.9	60.7 68.5	60.8 71.5	70.9 63.5
Vegetable Products.....	1938 1939	89.8 44.2	88.8 44.7	84.7 44.2	84.1 45.4	75.3 47.7	74.7 44.4	66.2 41.2	54.3 40.7	46.2 53.7	45.0 51.9	43.8 52.4	44.4 58.7	66.4 47.4
Animals and Their Products.....	1938 1939	74.4 67.5	70.6 67.2	71.3 68.0	69.7 65.3	68.0 66.4	67.0 67.6	68.9 67.7	68.0 67.0	68.3 75.5	68.6 77.1	67.6 78.9	66.8 80.3	69.1 70.7
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products.....	1938 1939	60.7 53.3	57.4 52.5	56.2 48.3	52.5 47.9	52.5 46.7	51.7 48.3	53.3 49.5	53.7 49.5	53.7 56.5	54.1 66.3	54.1 66.7	53.3 66.3	54.5 54.3
Wood, Wood Products and Paper.....	1938 1939	75.4 72.2	75.3 72.1	75.2 72.3	73.6 72.4	73.3 73.1	72.5 73.6	72.2 74.1	72.9 75.6	72.9 80.0	72.8 80.8	72.3 81.4	72.2 81.6	73.4 75.8
Iron and Its Products.....	1938 1939	96.3 92.3	96.3 92.3	96.3 92.3	96.3 92.9	95.1 92.9	94.2 92.9	91.7 94.6	91.7 94.6	92.4 95.8	92.4 97.8	92.4 97.8	92.4 97.8	93.9 94.5
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....	1938 1939	72.6 67.6	71.8 67.6	72.1 67.8	71.3 67.3	70.1 67.3	69.7 67.3	71.0 65.6	69.0 67.0	69.7 70.1	70.7 70.3	70.3 69.9	69.7 71.3	70.7 68.3
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products.....	1938 1939	80.1 79.7	80.1 79.7	80.1 79.7	80.1 79.7	80.1 79.7	80.1 79.7	80.1 79.7	80.1 79.7	80.1 79.7	79.7 79.9	79.7 80.1	79.7 80.3	80.0 79.8
Chemicals and Allied Products.....	1938 1939	72.3 84.4	72.3 86.5	72.3 86.9	72.3 86.9	72.3 86.9	72.3 86.9	81.6 86.9	84.4 86.9	84.4 86.9	84.4 86.9	84.4 86.9	84.4 86.9	78.1 86.6
IMPORTS														
Total Imports.....	1938 1939	85.6 81.7	84.8 81.0	84.2 80.9	83.1 80.5	82.7 80.6	82.2 80.9	82.9 80.6	82.7 80.5	82.2 89.2	82.5 91.7	82.6 93.5	82.2 94.5	83.1 84.4
Vegetable Products.....	1938 1939	69.8 65.7	69.6 65.0	69.3 65.7	68.6 66.2	68.4 67.1	69.1 69.0	71.7 67.9	70.4 67.1	67.9 79.4	67.0 82.0	66.3 80.4	66.7 78.8	68.8 71.3
Animals and Their Products.....	1938 1939	85.8 75.0	82.3 70.3	80.5 70.6	75.5 67.8	71.0 69.2	67.8 68.3	71.4 68.8	71.7 70.1	73.7 89.0	77.1 98.3	79.0 94.2	74.2 95.3	75.9 78.0
Fibres, Textiles and Textile Products.....	1938 1939	63.4 60.8	62.3 59.8	61.7 59.7	61.0 59.7	61.0 61.1	60.7 61.6	61.6 61.7	60.8 61.1	60.5 70.6	60.8 72.1	60.7 78.7	60.3 84.8	61.2 66.0
Iron and Its Products.....	1938 1939	117.2 109.8	117.1 109.6	116.2 109.9	114.9 109.6	114.4 108.7	114.4 108.7	112.0 108.7	112.1 108.7	111.4 115.7	111.6 117.5	111.7 119.1	111.5 119.8	113.7 112.2
Non-Ferrous Metals and Their Products.....	1938 1939	75.3 79.6	70.5 79.1	70.6 79.2	69.9 75.4	69.7 73.3	65.4 73.4	70.0 74.7	71.9 76.1	72.7 96.5	78.2 100.1	79.5 98.9	79.5 98.6	72.7 83.8
Non-Metallic Minerals and Their Products.....	1938 1939	84.8 83.8	84.8 83.8	84.8 82.5	83.7 82.0	83.6 81.7	83.6 80.9	83.9 80.0	84.2 79.8	84.7 78.6	83.5 81.3	83.8 86.4	83.8 86.7	84.1 82.3
Chemicals and Allied Products.....	1938 1939	85.2 85.2	85.2 84.3	85.2 84.3	85.2 84.3	86.0 82.9	85.7 82.8	85.5 82.5	85.5 82.5	85.5 83.6	85.5 83.2	85.3 83.2	85.2 83.2	85.4 83.5

# CANADIAN COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBERS 1914-1939

1935-39 = 100

INDEX  
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## THE COST OF LIVING IN CANADA, 1939

The Bureau's new cost of living index for Canada advanced from 101.1 in December 1938 to 103.8 in December 1939, which was the high point for the year. The June index of 100.5 represented the lowest level of living costs in 1939. The major part of the rise in the second half of 1939 came between September 1 and October 1, when the index mounted from 100.8 to 103.5. In the same interval the food group moved up from 99.4 to 106.3, and fuel and lighting from 98.9 to 104.4. An 8 per cent federal tax upon gas and electricity accounted in large measure for the advance in the fuel index, while the increase in foods represented an initial reaction to wartime conditions. The food index dropped back to 104.7 in December.

Other budget groups showed moderate increases between December 1938 and December 1939. Rents advanced from 103.4 to 104.4, clothing from 100.2 to 103.3, home-furnishings from 101.7 to 104.1 and the miscellaneous group from 101.2 to 102.0.

## THE NEW INDEX

The Bureau gratefully acknowledges the advice and assistance of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board and the Dominion Department of Labour in the preparation of the new index. As the official cost of living index for the Dominion, this series is to replace the Labour Department's index on the base 1913 = 100 and the Bureau's old series on the base 1926 = 100.

The base period for the new series covers the five years 1935 to 1939 inclusive. This is the same period recommended by the United States Central Statistical Board for government index numbers in the United States. This period provides a new pre-war base, and at the same time furnishes an average recovery reference level following the depression of 1929-33.

The new index will reflect changes in the cost of a fixed budget covering retail prices of commodities, services, and housing based upon the expenditure experience of 1,439 urban wage-earner families in the year ending September 30, 1938. The record completed by these families was especially designed to provide budget data necessary for the accurate compilation of a cost of living index. It must be kept in mind that the new index reflects changes in the cost of a fixed level of living. No account can be taken in this measurement of shifting planes of living due to changes in economic circumstances, e.g., variations in income or direct taxation or to changing ages and numbers of persons in the family. A brief description of the family it represents may help those using the index to visualize the level of living and type of family to which it applies.

The type of family was determined before expenditure records were collected in order to make certain that they were obtained from families which would be typical of Canada's urban wage-earner population. It was defined after careful study of 1931 urban census records with reference to family size, numbers of children, conjugal condition of family heads, earnings, tenure, and racial origin.

On the basis of this investigation of census returns, it was decided to collect living expenditure records only from families satisfying the following conditions:

1. All families to have husband and wife living in the home as joint heads with from one to five children.
2. All families to have been completely self-supporting during the survey year, with family earnings ranging from \$450 to \$2500 during that period.
3. All families to be living in self-contained dwelling units, not sharing either kitchen or bathroom facilities with other families.

The 1,439 families for which records were collected, averaged 4.6 persons, and the majority had two or three children. Family earnings in many cases were supplemented by other small sources of income, and total family incomes between \$1200 and \$1600 were the most common. There were approximately two tenant families to every home-owning family, and about one family in three operated a motor car.

A detailed description of construction methods appears in a mimeographed bulletin—"Living Costs in Canada, 1940."

The usual section on costs of services has been omitted from this report, but 1939 data on service costs will be published at a later time.

Provincial and city index numbers of food, fuel, and rent are being continued temporarily upon the old base 1913 = 100.

TABLE 22—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS IN CANADA, 1913-1939

(1935-1939=100)

Year	Total Index	Food Index	Rent Index	Fuel and Lighting Index	Clothing Index	Home Furnishings and Miscellaneous Index	
1913.....	79.7	88.3	74.3	76.9	88.0	70.3	.....
1914.....	80.0	91.9	72.1	75.4	88.9	70.3	.....
1915.....	81.6	92.7	69.9	73.8	96.8	70.9	.....
1916.....	88.3	103.3	70.6	75.4	110.8	74.5	.....
1917.....	104.5	133.3	75.8	83.8	130.3	81.5	.....
1918.....	118.3	152.8	80.2	92.2	152.3	91.4	.....
1919.....	130.0	163.3	87.6	100.7	175.1	101.2	.....
1920.....	150.5	188.1	100.2	119.9	213.1	110.3	.....
1921.....	132.5	143.9	109.2	127.6	173.4	112.5	.....
1922.....	121.3	121.9	113.7	122.2	147.0	112.5	.....
1923.....	121.7	122.8	116.6	122.2	145.1	111.7	.....
1924.....	119.5	120.9	117.4	119.2	141.7	109.6	.....
1925.....	120.6	126.3	117.4	116.8	141.3	107.5	.....
1926.....	121.8	133.3	115.9	116.8	139.1	108.1	.....
1927.....	119.9	130.8	114.5	114.4	135.6	105.1	.....
1928.....	120.5	131.5	117.3	113.2	135.5	104.8	.....
1929.....	121.7	134.7	119.7	112.6	134.8	105.0	.....
1930.....	120.8	131.5	122.7	111.8	130.6	105.4	.....
1931.....	109.1	103.1	119.4	110.0	114.3	103.3	.....
1932.....	99.0	85.7	109.7	106.8	100.6	100.4	.....
1933.....	94.4	84.9	98.6	102.5	93.3	98.2	.....
1934.....	95.7	92.5	92.8	102.5	96.9	97.7*	.....
						Miscellaneous Index	House Furnishings Index
1935.....	96.2	94.6	94.0	100.9	97.6	98.7	95.4
1936.....	98.1	97.8	96.1	101.5	99.3	99.1	97.2
1937.....	101.2	103.2	99.7	98.9	101.4	100.1	101.5
1938.....	102.2	103.8	103.1	97.7	100.9	101.2	102.4
1939.....	101.5	100.6	103.8	101.2	100.7	101.4	101.4
1937							
January.....	99.4	100.3	97.2	99.9	100.0	99.6	98.9
February.....	99.4	100.4	97.2	100.0	100.0	99.8	98.8
March.....	99.5	99.9	97.2	99.9	100.4	99.8	100.4
April.....	99.7	100.6	97.2	99.9	100.4	99.9	100.5
May.....	100.5	101.4	100.3	99.4	100.4	99.9	100.5
June.....	100.8	101.8	100.3	97.3	101.6	100.0	102.1
July.....	101.5	103.7	100.3	97.2	101.6	100.3	102.1
August.....	102.1	105.6	100.3	97.9	101.6	100.3	102.1
September.....	102.3	105.7	100.3	97.9	101.8	100.3	103.1
October.....	102.9	106.5	102.1	98.7	101.8	100.3	103.1
November.....	102.9	106.4	102.1	99.0	101.8	100.3	103.0
December.....	102.6	105.6	102.1	99.6	101.8	100.2	103.0
1938							
January.....	102.4	104.4	102.1	98.1	101.8	101.2	103.1
February.....	102.3	103.9	102.1	98.1	101.8	101.2	103.1
March.....	102.8	105.7	102.1	98.4	101.3	101.2	102.9
April.....	102.8	105.9	102.1	98.4	101.3	101.2	102.8
May.....	102.4	103.6	103.8	97.9	101.3	101.2	102.8
June.....	102.4	104.1	103.8	96.8	101.3	101.2	102.3
July.....	102.6	104.7	103.8	96.7	101.3	102.2	102.3
August.....	103.1	105.2	103.8	96.9	101.3	101.3	102.3
September.....	102.1	103.1	103.8	97.1	100.8	101.3	101.9
October.....	101.7	102.0	103.4	97.6	100.8	101.2	101.9
November.....	101.5	101.5	103.4	98.0	100.8	101.2	101.9
December.....	101.1	100.5	103.4	98.0	100.2	101.2	101.7
1939							
January.....	101.1	99.9	103.4	101.0	100.2	101.1	101.7
February.....	100.7	98.7	103.4	101.0	100.2	101.1	101.7
March.....	100.6	98.5	103.4	100.4	99.9	101.1	101.2
April.....	100.6	98.3	103.4	100.4	99.9	101.4	101.1
May.....	100.6	98.2	103.8	100.2	99.9	101.4	101.1
June.....	100.5	98.1	103.8	99.8	100.1	101.3	101.0
July.....	100.8	99.0	103.8	99.3	100.1	101.3	100.9
August.....	100.8	99.3	103.8	99.0	100.1	101.3	100.9
September.....	100.8	99.4	103.8	98.9	99.6	101.3	100.8
October.....	103.5	106.3	104.4	104.4	99.6	101.7	101.0
November.....	103.8	107.1	104.4	105.3	99.6	101.9	101.0
December.....	103.8	104.7	104.4	105.4	103.3	102.0	104.1

\* Comparable 1935 Index was 97.8

TABLE 23—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF STAPLE FOODS, 1913, 1926 AND 1935-1939

(Relative Prices, 1935-1939=100)

Year and month	Beef, sirloin (Pound)		Beef, chuck (Pound)		Veal, roast (Pound)		Mutton, roast (Pound)		Pork, fresh (Pound)		Bacon, breakfast (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Ave. for year.....	22.2	87.7	14.8	105.7	15.7	107.5	19.1	84.1	19.5	86.7	24.7	80.5
1926—Ave. for year.....	29.5	116.6	16.0	114.3	19.2	131.5	29.9	131.7	30.2	134.2	43.2	140.7
1935—Ave. for year.....	22.9	90.5	12.5	89.3	12.9	88.4	20.8	91.6	21.2	94.2	31.0	101.0
January.....	20.0	79.1	10.8	77.1	12.1	82.9	19.8	87.2	19.4	86.2	32.3	105.2
February.....	20.9	82.6	11.2	80.0	12.9	88.4	20.7	91.2	19.9	88.4	31.9	103.9
March.....	21.2	83.8	11.6	82.9	12.9	88.4	20.9	92.1	20.0	88.9	31.5	102.6
April.....	22.5	88.9	12.6	90.0	12.7	87.0	21.5	94.7	20.0	88.9	31.2	101.6
May.....	23.7	93.7	13.4	95.7	12.6	86.3	21.6	95.2	20.4	90.7	30.3	98.7
June.....	24.8	98.0	14.0	100.0	12.7	87.0	21.5	94.7	21.3	94.7	30.1	98.0
July.....	25.1	99.2	14.0	100.0	12.8	87.7	21.4	94.3	22.4	99.6	30.1	98.0
August.....	24.8	98.0	13.2	94.3	12.7	87.0	21.1	93.0	22.6	100.4	30.5	99.3
September.....	24.3	96.0	12.8	91.4	12.9	88.4	20.9	92.1	23.1	102.7	31.6	102.9
October.....	23.4	92.5	12.7	90.7	13.4	91.8	20.3	89.4	22.7	100.9	31.8	103.6
November.....	22.5	88.9	12.3	87.9	13.4	91.8	19.9	87.7	21.9	97.3	31.2	101.6
December.....	22.3	88.1	12.1	86.4	13.4	91.8	20.2	89.0	20.8	92.4	29.9	97.4
1936—Ave. for year.....	22.9	90.5	12.5	89.3	13.7	93.8	22.2	97.8	21.4	95.1	29.5	96.1
January.....	22.8	90.1	12.6	90.0	14.1	96.6	21.6	95.2	21.1	93.8	29.3	95.4
February.....	23.1	91.3	12.9	92.1	14.7	100.7	22.0	96.9	21.3	94.7	29.1	94.8
March.....	23.4	92.5	12.9	92.1	15.2	104.1	22.3	98.2	21.1	93.8	29.0	94.5
April.....	22.9	90.5	12.6	90.0	13.8	94.5	22.3	98.2	21.0	93.3	28.7	93.5
May.....	23.1	91.3	12.9	92.1	13.7	93.8	23.9	105.3	21.2	94.2	28.8	93.8
June.....	23.0	90.9	12.7	90.7	13.2	90.4	24.2	106.6	21.2	94.2	28.9	94.1
July.....	23.2	91.7	12.5	89.3	13.3	91.1	23.0	101.3	21.9	97.3	29.5	96.1
August.....	23.1	91.3	12.6	90.0	13.1	89.7	22.9	100.9	22.4	99.6	30.0	97.7
September.....	23.3	92.1	12.3	87.9	13.3	91.1	22.5	99.1	22.4	99.6	30.8	100.3
October.....	22.9	90.5	12.1	86.4	13.4	91.8	21.1	93.0	21.7	96.4	30.6	99.7
November.....	22.6	89.3	12.0	85.7	13.4	91.8	20.7	91.2	21.1	93.8	30.0	97.7
December.....	22.0	87.0	11.8	84.3	13.3	91.1	20.4	89.9	20.4	90.7	29.1	94.8
1937—Ave. for year.....	26.1	103.2	14.1	100.7	14.5	99.3	22.8	100.4	22.2	98.7	30.0	97.7
January.....	22.7	89.7	12.2	87.1	14.1	96.6	21.5	94.7	20.5	91.1	29.2	95.1
February.....	23.9	94.5	12.9	92.1	14.9	102.1	22.4	98.7	21.2	94.2	29.0	94.5
March.....	23.3	92.1	12.8	91.4	14.4	98.6	21.7	95.6	20.5	91.1	28.6	93.2
April.....	24.8	98.0	13.6	97.1	14.3	97.9	22.8	100.4	20.9	92.9	28.5	92.8
May.....	26.9	106.3	14.8	105.7	14.3	97.9	24.0	105.7	21.3	94.7	28.6	93.2
June.....	28.3	111.9	15.6	111.4	14.2	97.3	24.3	107.0	21.8	96.9	28.8	93.8
July.....	29.5	116.6	16.2	115.7	14.3	97.9	24.9	109.7	22.6	100.4	29.1	94.8
August.....	29.0	114.0	15.2	108.6	14.3	97.9	23.9	105.3	23.7	105.3	30.7	100.0
September.....	27.4	108.3	14.7	105.0	14.7	100.7	22.7	100.0	24.7	109.8	31.8	103.6
October.....	26.6	105.1	14.3	102.1	14.7	100.7	22.1	97.4	24.4	108.4	32.5	105.9
November.....	25.6	101.2	13.8	98.6	14.7	100.7	22.0	96.9	22.8	101.3	32.3	105.2
December.....	24.9	98.4	13.7	97.9	14.9	102.1	21.2	93.4	21.9	97.3	31.6	102.9
1938—Ave. for year.....	26.5	104.7	14.8	105.7	15.7	107.5	23.5	103.5	24.1	107.1	32.6	106.2
January.....	25.1	99.2	13.8	98.6	15.1	103.4	22.0	96.9	22.1	98.2	30.5	99.3
February.....	25.5	100.8	14.0	100.0	16.1	110.3	22.4	98.7	22.1	98.2	30.3	98.7
March.....	25.1	99.2	14.0	100.0	15.9	108.9	23.4	103.1	22.6	100.4	30.4	99.0
April.....	25.8	102.0	14.4	102.9	15.6	106.8	24.2	105.6	23.6	104.9	31.9	103.9
May.....	26.9	106.3	15.1	107.9	15.6	106.8	25.7	113.2	24.3	108.0	32.5	105.9
June.....	28.4	112.3	16.1	115.0	16.0	109.6	26.7	113.2	24.8	110.2	33.1	107.8
July.....	28.4	112.3	16.1	115.0	15.7	107.5	23.7	104.4	26.2	116.4	34.2	111.4
August.....	28.6	113.0	15.8	112.9	15.6	106.8	24.5	107.9	27.4	121.8	36.3	118.2
September.....	27.5	108.7	15.1	107.9	15.8	108.2	24.0	105.7	25.8	114.7	34.9	113.7
October.....	26.8	105.9	14.7	105.0	16.1	110.3	22.9	100.9	24.8	110.2	34.0	110.7
November.....	25.7	101.6	14.2	101.4	15.7	107.5	21.7	95.6	23.1	102.7	32.5	105.9
December.....	24.8	98.0	14.1	100.7	15.5	106.2	22.0	96.9	22.6	100.4	30.9	100.7
1939—Ave. for year.....	27.7	109.5	15.8	112.9	16.2	111.0	23.9	105.3	23.6	104.9	30.5	99.3
January.....	25.5	100.8	14.4	102.9	16.1	110.3	22.6	99.3	23.3	103.6	30.5	99.3
February.....	26.5	104.7	15.2	108.6	16.8	115.1	23.4	103.1	23.7	105.3	30.3	98.7
March.....	27.2	107.5	15.5	110.7	16.7	114.4	23.8	104.8	23.6	104.9	30.5	99.3
April.....	27.6	109.1	15.8	112.9	16.6	113.7	24.4	107.5	23.8	105.8	30.3	98.7
May.....	27.9	110.3	16.0	114.3	15.8	108.2	24.6	108.4	23.5	104.4	30.5	99.3
June.....	28.3	111.9	16.0	114.3	15.4	105.5	24.6	108.4	23.8	105.8	30.1	98.0
July.....	28.3	111.9	15.9	113.6	15.6	106.8	23.7	104.4	23.6	104.9	30.1	98.0
August.....	28.0	110.7	15.6	111.4	15.4	105.5	24.8	109.3	23.8	105.8	29.9	97.4
September.....	27.6	109.1	15.3	109.3	15.6	106.8	22.9	100.9	23.5	104.4	29.7	96.7
October.....	29.7	117.4	16.9	120.7	17.2	117.8	24.4	107.5	24.4	108.4	32.5	105.9
November.....	28.7	113.4	16.6	118.6	16.8	115.1	23.8	104.8	23.8	105.8	31.7	103.3
December.....	27.8	109.9	16.0	114.3	16.8	115.1	23.8	104.8	23.1	102.7	30.3	98.7



TABLE 23—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF STAPLE FOODS, 1913, 1926 AND 1935-1939—Continued

(Relative Prices, 1935-1939=100)

Year and month	Fish, Finnan Haddie (Pound)		Fish, Salmon, kind most sold (Pound)		Lard, pure (Pound)		(A) Eggs, fresh (Dozen)		Milk (Quart)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)									
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Ave. for year.....	12.4	72.1	22.8	105.1	19.2	124.7	38.5	116.3	8.6	78.9
1926—Ave. for year.....	20.4	118.6	35.9	165.4	24.5	159.1	46.8	141.4	12.0	110.1
1935—Ave. for year.....	16.8	97.7	22.4	103.2	16.1	104.5	31.2	94.3	10.5	96.3
January.....	16.7	97.1	22.2	102.3	14.6	94.8	37.1	112.1	10.4	95.4
February.....	16.8	97.7	22.7	104.6	14.9	96.8	32.9	99.4	10.4	95.4
March.....	16.8	97.7	22.7	104.6	15.1	98.1	31.4	94.9	10.5	96.3
April.....	16.6	96.5	22.6	104.1	15.2	98.7	24.3	73.4	10.5	96.3
May.....	16.5	95.9	22.4	103.2	15.2	98.7	22.0	66.5	10.5	96.3
June.....	17.1	99.4	22.6	104.1	15.3	99.4	22.6	68.3	10.5	96.3
July.....	16.8	97.7	22.7	104.6	15.5	100.6	24.7	74.6	10.3	94.5
August.....	16.9	98.3	22.5	103.7	15.9	103.2	27.7	83.7	10.3	94.5
September.....	17.1	99.4	22.4	103.2	17.2	111.7	31.2	94.3	10.4	95.4
October.....	16.9	98.3	22.0	101.4	18.1	117.5	35.8	108.2	10.6	97.2
November.....	17.1	99.4	22.3	102.8	18.3	118.8	41.5	125.4	10.6	97.2
December.....	16.8	97.7	22.0	101.4	18.3	118.8	43.4	131.1	10.6	97.2
1936—Ave. for year.....	17.0	98.8	21.7	100.0	16.1	104.5	33.8	102.1	10.7	98.2
January.....	17.0	98.8	22.2	102.3	17.9	116.2	41.5	125.4	10.7	98.2
February.....	17.0	98.8	21.9	100.9	17.2	111.7	33.8	102.1	10.7	98.2
March.....	17.1	99.4	21.9	100.9	16.6	107.8	38.1	115.1	10.7	98.2
April.....	16.9	98.3	22.1	101.8	16.0	103.9	28.1	84.9	10.7	98.2
May.....	17.0	98.8	22.0	101.4	15.9	103.2	23.7	71.6	10.7	98.2
June.....	17.1	99.4	21.3	98.2	15.6	101.3	24.4	73.7	10.7	98.2
July.....	17.4	101.2	21.8	100.5	15.3	99.4	27.2	82.2	10.4	95.4
August.....	16.8	97.7	21.4	98.6	15.4	100.0	30.1	90.9	10.4	95.4
September.....	17.1	99.4	21.7	100.0	15.6	101.3	33.5	101.2	10.5	96.3
October.....	17.1	99.4	21.5	99.1	15.7	101.9	35.5	107.3	10.8	99.1
November.....	17.3	100.6	21.2	97.7	15.8	102.6	43.9	132.6	10.8	99.1
December.....	16.9	98.3	21.3	98.2	15.9	103.2	45.6	137.8	10.9	100.0
1937—Ave. for year.....	17.1	99.4	21.2	97.7	16.8	109.1	33.3	100.6	10.9	100.0
January.....	16.9	98.3	21.3	98.2	15.9	103.2	39.6	119.6	10.8	99.1
February.....	16.9	98.3	21.5	99.1	16.6	107.8	31.6	95.5	10.8	99.1
March.....	16.9	98.3	21.0	96.8	16.6	107.8	29.8	90.0	11.0	100.9
April.....	16.9	98.3	21.4	98.6	16.8	109.1	26.8	81.0	11.0	100.9
May.....	17.0	98.8	21.4	98.6	16.8	109.1	25.5	77.0	11.0	100.9
June.....	17.3	100.6	21.0	96.8	16.9	109.7	25.2	76.1	10.8	99.1
July.....	17.0	98.8	21.3	98.2	16.9	109.7	27.0	81.6	10.8	99.1
August.....	17.2	100.0	21.0	96.8	16.9	109.7	32.2	97.3	10.8	99.1
September.....	16.9	98.3	21.0	96.8	17.0	110.4	34.5	104.2	10.8	99.1
October.....	17.6	102.3	20.9	96.3	17.0	110.4	39.2	118.4	11.1	101.8
November.....	17.6	102.3	21.3	98.2	17.1	111.0	44.0	132.9	11.1	101.8
December.....	17.2	100.0	21.8	100.5	16.9	109.7	44.9	135.6	11.3	103.7
1938—Ave. for year.....	17.5	101.7	21.6	99.5	15.2	98.7	34.5	104.2	11.3	103.7
January.....	17.4	101.2	21.5	99.1	16.4	105.5	38.3	115.7	11.5	105.5
February.....	17.3	100.6	21.6	99.5	15.6	101.3	32.0	96.7	11.5	105.5
March.....	17.3	100.6	22.1	101.8	15.3	99.4	32.0	96.7	11.5	105.5
April.....	17.5	101.7	21.4	98.6	15.4	100.0	29.0	87.6	11.5	105.5
May.....	17.4	101.2	21.5	99.1	15.4	100.0	25.9	78.2	11.5	105.5
June.....	17.6	102.3	21.5	99.1	15.3	99.4	27.9	84.3	11.3	103.7
July.....	17.7	102.9	21.4	98.6	15.2	98.7	31.0	93.7	11.1	101.8
August.....	17.5	101.7	21.5	99.1	15.3	99.4	34.1	103.0	11.1	101.8
September.....	17.6	102.3	22.0	101.4	15.0	97.4	36.0	108.8	11.1	101.8
October.....	17.7	102.9	21.5	99.1	14.9	96.8	39.7	119.9	11.3	103.7
November.....	17.5	101.7	22.0	101.4	14.8	96.1	43.9	132.6	11.3	103.7
December.....	17.4	101.2	21.3	98.2	14.4	93.5	44.0	132.9	11.3	103.7
1939—Ave. for year.....	17.5	101.7	21.8	100.5	12.5	81.2	32.5	98.2	11.1	101.8
January.....	17.5	101.7	21.1	97.2	14.0	90.9	38.5	116.3	11.1	101.8
February.....	17.4	101.2	21.6	99.5	13.3	86.4	29.6	89.4	11.1	101.8
March.....	17.2	100.0	21.1	97.2	12.7	82.5	30.1	90.9	11.1	101.8
April.....	16.9	98.3	21.2	97.7	12.4	80.5	28.2	85.2	11.1	101.8
May.....	17.3	100.6	21.3	98.2	11.9	77.3	26.1	78.9	11.1	101.8
June.....	17.5	101.7	21.5	99.1	11.9	77.3	25.5	77.0	11.1	101.8
July.....	17.5	101.7	21.5	99.1	11.6	75.3	27.2	82.2	10.9	100.0
August.....	17.3	100.6	21.5	99.1	11.3	73.4	30.3	91.5	10.9	100.0
September.....	17.5	101.7	21.3	98.2	11.2	72.7	32.8	99.1	11.0	100.9
October.....	17.5	101.7	22.6	104.1	13.3	86.4	38.0	114.8	11.1	101.8
November.....	18.1	105.2	23.1	106.5	13.7	89.0	41.9	126.6	11.3	103.7
December.....	17.9	104.1	23.4	107.8	12.9	83.8	41.4	125.1	11.1	101.8

TABLE 23—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF STAPLE FOODS, 1913, 1926 AND 1935-1939—Continued

(Relative Prices, 1935-1939=100)

Year and month	Butter, creamery (Pound)		Cheese (Pound)		Bread (Pound)		Flour (Pound)		Soda Biscuits (Pound)		Rolled Oats (Pound)		Rice (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Ave. for year.....	33.9	115.7	19.8	90.4	4.1	66.1	3.2	86.5	11.3	73.9	4.4	81.5	5.7	70.4
1926—Ave. for year.....	44.7	152.6	31.8	145.2	7.4	119.4	5.3	143.2	18.4	120.3	5.8	107.4	10.9	134.6
1935—Ave. for year.....	27.3	93.2	19.9	90.9	5.7	91.9	3.3	89.2	14.5	94.8	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
January.....	25.5	87.0	19.4	88.6	5.7	91.9	3.3	89.2	14.3	93.5	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
February.....	28.0	95.6	19.7	90.0	5.7	91.9	3.3	89.2	14.2	92.8	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
March.....	29.6	101.0	19.9	90.9	5.7	91.9	3.3	89.2	14.1	92.2	5.2	96.3	8.0	98.8
April.....	28.1	95.9	20.0	91.3	5.7	91.9	3.3	89.2	14.1	92.2	5.2	96.3	7.8	96.3
May.....	28.6	97.6	20.2	92.2	5.6	90.3	3.4	91.9	14.2	92.8	5.2	96.3	7.8	96.3
June.....	26.3	89.8	20.0	91.3	5.7	91.9	3.4	91.9	14.2	92.8	5.3	98.1	7.9	97.5
July.....	24.8	84.6	19.9	90.9	5.7	91.9	3.3	89.2	14.4	94.1	5.2	96.3	7.8	96.3
August.....	25.0	85.3	19.7	90.0	5.7	91.9	3.3	89.2	14.9	97.4	5.2	96.3	7.8	96.3
September.....	25.4	86.7	19.6	89.5	5.6	90.3	3.2	86.5	14.9	97.4	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
October.....	27.1	92.5	19.9	90.9	5.7	91.9	3.3	89.2	15.0	98.0	5.3	98.1	7.9	97.5
November.....	28.6	97.6	20.5	93.6	5.7	91.9	3.5	94.6	15.0	98.0	5.2	96.3	7.8	96.3
December.....	30.3	103.4	20.5	93.6	5.8	93.5	3.4	91.9	15.2	99.3	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
1936—Ave. for year.....	28.3	96.6	21.1	96.3	5.9	95.2	3.5	94.6	15.0	98.0	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
January.....	30.6	104.4	20.6	94.1	5.8	93.5	3.4	91.9	15.1	98.7	5.2	96.3	7.8	96.3
February.....	30.1	102.7	20.5	93.6	5.8	93.5	3.4	91.9	14.9	97.4	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
March.....	28.7	98.0	20.6	94.1	5.8	93.5	3.4	91.9	14.9	97.4	5.1	94.4	7.8	96.3
April.....	27.6	94.2	20.6	94.1	5.8	93.5	3.4	91.9	14.8	96.7	5.1	94.4	7.8	96.3
May.....	26.8	91.5	20.4	93.2	5.9	95.2	3.4	91.9	15.0	98.0	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
June.....	25.2	86.0	20.3	92.7	5.9	95.2	3.4	91.9	15.1	98.7	5.1	94.4	7.9	97.5
July.....	26.2	89.4	20.7	94.5	5.9	95.2	3.3	89.2	15.0	98.0	5.1	94.4	7.9	97.5
August.....	28.0	95.6	21.0	95.9	6.0	96.8	3.5	94.6	15.1	98.7	5.2	96.3	7.9	97.5
September.....	29.6	101.0	21.8	99.5	6.1	98.4	3.7	100.0	15.0	98.0	5.3	98.1	8.0	98.8
October.....	29.2	99.7	22.4	102.3	6.1	98.4	3.8	102.7	15.2	99.3	5.4	100.0	7.9	97.5
November.....	28.4	96.9	22.6	102.7	6.1	98.4	3.9	105.4	15.0	98.0	5.4	100.0	7.9	97.5
December.....	29.4	100.3	22.4	102.3	6.2	100.0	3.9	105.4	15.2	99.3	5.4	100.0	8.0	98.8
1937—Ave. for year.....	30.9	105.5	22.8	104.1	6.6	106.5	4.4	118.9	15.9	103.9	5.8	107.4	8.1	100.0
January.....	30.3	103.4	22.4	102.3	6.2	100.0	4.0	108.1	15.3	100.0	5.5	101.9	7.9	97.5
February.....	30.9	105.5	22.6	103.2	6.2	100.0	4.2	113.5	15.8	103.3	5.6	103.7	8.1	100.0
March.....	29.9	102.0	22.4	102.3	6.3	101.6	4.3	116.2	15.6	102.0	5.7	105.6	8.1	100.0
April.....	30.5	104.1	22.5	102.7	6.4	103.2	4.4	118.9	15.8	103.3	5.7	105.6	8.2	101.2
May.....	30.8	105.1	22.6	103.2	6.4	103.2	4.5	121.6	16.1	105.2	5.8	107.4	8.2	101.2
June.....	28.5	97.3	22.6	103.2	6.7	108.1	4.5	121.6	16.0	104.6	5.8	107.4	8.2	101.2
July.....	28.9	98.6	22.9	104.6	6.7	108.1	4.5	121.6	16.0	104.6	5.8	107.4	8.1	100.0
August.....	30.8	105.1	23.0	105.0	6.7	103.1	4.7	127.0	16.1	105.2	6.0	111.1	8.2	101.2
September.....	31.4	107.2	23.3	106.4	6.8	109.7	4.6	124.3	15.9	103.9	6.0	111.1	8.2	101.2
October.....	31.5	107.5	23.2	105.9	6.8	109.7	4.6	124.3	16.1	105.2	6.0	111.1	8.2	101.2
November.....	32.6	111.3	23.2	105.9	6.8	109.7	4.5	121.6	16.0	104.6	5.9	109.3	8.2	101.2
December.....	34.5	117.7	23.1	105.5	6.8	109.7	4.5	121.6	16.1	105.2	5.9	109.3	8.2	101.2
1938—Ave. for year.....	31.9	108.9	23.5	107.3	6.7	108.1	4.0	108.1	15.8	103.3	5.6	103.7	8.2	101.2
January.....	34.7	118.4	23.3	106.4	6.8	109.7	4.5	121.6	16.0	104.6	5.8	107.4	8.1	100.0
February.....	36.0	122.9	23.3	106.4	6.9	111.3	4.5	121.6	16.0	104.6	5.8	107.4	8.2	101.2
March.....	39.1	133.4	23.4	108.8	6.8	109.7	4.4	118.9	15.9	103.9	5.8	107.4	8.2	101.2
April.....	39.7	135.5	23.7	108.2	6.9	111.3	4.3	116.2	16.0	104.6	5.7	105.6	8.2	101.2
May.....	33.3	113.7	23.8	108.7	6.9	111.3	4.3	116.2	16.0	104.6	5.7	105.6	8.2	101.2
June.....	31.4	107.2	23.8	108.7	6.8	109.7	4.1	110.8	15.8	103.3	5.7	105.6	8.2	101.2
July.....	29.9	102.0	23.8	108.7	6.8	109.7	4.1	110.8	15.8	103.3	5.7	105.6	8.2	101.2
August.....	29.8	101.7	23.9	109.1	6.8	109.7	4.0	108.1	15.7	102.6	5.7	105.6	8.2	101.2
September.....	28.3	96.6	23.6	107.8	6.6	106.5	3.6	97.3	15.8	103.3	5.6	103.7	8.2	101.2
October.....	27.2	92.8	23.3	106.4	6.5	104.8	3.3	89.2	15.6	102.0	5.4	100.0	8.1	100.0
November.....	27.3	93.2	23.3	106.4	6.4	103.2	3.3	89.2	15.4	100.7	5.3	98.1	8.1	100.0
December.....	26.7	91.1	23.3	106.4	6.5	104.8	3.2	86.5	15.7	102.6	5.3	98.1	8.2	101.2
1939—Ave. for year.....	27.8	94.9	22.1	100.9	6.2	100.0	3.1	83.8	15.4	100.7	5.1	94.4	8.2	101.2
January.....	26.4	90.1	22.8	104.1	6.3	101.6	3.1	83.8	15.8	103.3	5.2	96.3	8.2	101.2
February.....	27.1	92.5	22.6	103.2	6.3	101.6	3.1	83.8	15.3	100.0	5.1	94.4	8.1	100.0
March.....	26.7	91.1	22.2	101.4	6.2	100.0	3.0	81.1	15.4	100.7	5.0	92.6	8.1	100.0
April.....	26.6	90.8	22.1	100.9	6.2	100.0	3.0	81.1	15.3	100.0	5.0	92.6	8.1	100.0
May.....	26.1	89.1	22.0	100.5	6.2	100.0	2.9	78.4	15.4	100.7	5.0	92.6	8.1	100.0
June.....	25.5	87.0	21.3	97.3	6.2	100.0	2.9	78.4	15.2	99.3	5.0	92.6	8.1	100.0
July.....	26.2	89.4	21.4	97.7	6.2	100.0	2.9	78.4	15.4	100.7	5.0	92.6	8.1	100.0
August.....	26.0	88.7	21.5	98.2	6.1	98.4	2.9	78.4	15.1	98.7	5.0	92.6	8.2	101.2
September.....	26.2	89.4	21.5	98.2	6.1	98.4	2.9	78.4	15.2	99.3	5.0	92.6	8.2	101.2
October.....	31.9	108.9	22.3	101.8	6.1	98.4	3.4	91.9	15.7	102.6	5.3	98.1	8.3	102.5
November.....	32.6	111.3	22.8	104.1	6.1	98.4	3.4	91.9	15.5	101.3	5.3	98.1	8.3	102.5
December.....	32.7	111.6	23.4	106.8	6.1	98.4	3.3	89.2	15.6	102.0	5.2	96.3	8.4	103.7

TABLE 23—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF STAPLE FOODS, 1913, 1926 AND 1935-1939—Continued

(Relative Prices, 1935-1939=100)

Year and month	Tomatoes, 2½'s canned (tin)		Peas, 2's canned (tin)		Corn, 2's canned (tin)		Beans (Pound)		Onions, dry, yellow, etc. (Pound)		Potatoes (Peck)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Ave. for year.....	11-8	102-6	11-1	95-7	10-4	90-4	6-2	106-9	3-9	83-0	18-0	69-8
1926—Ave. for year.....	16-3	141-7	17-3	149-1	16-3	141-7	7-9	136-2	5-8	123-4	50-4	195-3
1935—Ave. for year.....	10-9	94-8	12-4	106-9	11-5	100-0	5-2	89-7	4-5	95-7	19-3	74-8
January.....	11-2	97-4	12-5	107-8	11-4	99-1	5-0	86-2	3-5	74-5	16-4	63-6
February.....	11-1	96-5	12-7	109-5	11-4	99-1	5-1	87-9	3-7	73-7	16-5	64-0
March.....	11-1	96-5	12-6	108-6	11-5	100-0	5-1	87-9	3-9	83-0	16-8	65-1
April.....	10-9	94-8	12-6	108-6	11-4	99-1	5-2	89-7	4-1	87-2	16-9	65-5
May.....	10-8	93-9	12-6	108-6	11-4	99-1	5-2	89-7	4-6	97-9	16-6	64-3
June.....	10-8	93-9	12-7	109-5	11-5	100-0	5-3	91-4	6-4	136-2	16-7	64-7
July.....	10-7	93-0	12-5	107-8	11-6	100-9	5-4	93-1	7-5	159-6	16-3	63-2
August.....	10-7	93-0	12-4	106-9	11-5	100-0	5-3	91-4	6-1	129-8	27-5	106-6
September.....	10-7	93-0	12-2	105-2	11-5	100-0	5-2	89-7	4-2	89-4	20-4	79-1
October.....	10-8	93-9	12-1	104-3	11-5	100-0	5-3	91-4	3-5	74-5	22-1	85-7
November.....	10-8	93-9	12-1	104-3	11-6	100-9	5-3	91-4	3-4	72-3	22-0	85-3
December.....	11-0	95-7	12-1	104-3	11-7	101-7	5-4	93-1	3-5	74-5	23-6	91-5
1936—Ave. for year.....	11-6	100-9	11-9	102-6	11-9	103-5	5-5	94-8	4-3	91-5	30-9	119-8
January.....	11-0	95-7	12-0	103-4	11-7	101-7	5-4	93-1	3-6	76-6	24-2	93-8
February.....	11-0	95-7	12-0	103-4	11-8	102-6	5-4	93-1	3-8	80-9	25-4	98-4
March.....	11-1	96-5	11-9	102-6	11-8	102-6	5-4	93-1	3-9	83-0	26-2	101-6
April.....	11-1	96-5	11-9	102-6	11-8	102-6	5-0	86-2	4-0	85-1	26-0	100-8
May.....	11-1	96-5	11-8	101-7	11-8	102-6	5-0	86-2	4-7	100-0	30-5	118-2
June.....	11-2	97-4	11-7	100-9	11-8	102-6	4-8	82-8	5-7	121-3	32-3	125-2
July.....	11-4	99-1	11-5	99-1	11-7	101-7	4-9	84-5	6-0	127-7	37-7	146-1
August.....	11-9	103-5	11-7	100-9	11-7	101-7	5-1	87-9	5-2	110-6	42-8	165-9
September.....	12-3	107-0	12-0	103-4	12-0	104-3	5-7	93-3	4-2	89-4	36-8	142-6
October.....	12-3	107-0	12-2	105-2	12-0	104-3	6-2	106-9	3-6	76-6	30-6	118-6
November.....	12-4	107-8	12-1	104-3	12-1	105-2	6-4	110-3	3-3	70-2	28-6	110-9
December.....	12-6	109-6	12-1	104-3	12-2	106-1	6-7	115-5	3-4	72-3	29-4	114-0
1937—Ave. for year.....	12-9	112-2	12-1	104-3	12-2	106-1	7-3	125-9	4-6	97-9	28-7	111-2
January.....	12-8	111-3	12-2	105-2	12-3	107-0	6-9	119-0	3-6	73-6	30-2	117-1
February.....	13-0	113-0	12-3	106-0	12-3	107-0	7-2	124-1	3-8	80-9	34-5	133-7
March.....	13-1	113-9	12-3	106-0	12-5	108-7	7-5	129-3	4-0	85-1	37-1	143-8
April.....	13-3	115-7	12-3	106-0	12-4	107-8	7-8	134-5	4-0	85-1	37-0	143-4
May.....	13-3	115-7	12-2	105-2	12-4	107-8	7-9	136-2	4-3	91-5	33-1	128-3
June.....	13-4	116-5	12-2	105-2	12-3	107-0	7-9	136-2	5-9	125-5	30-0	116-3
July.....	13-4	116-5	12-2	105-2	12-3	107-0	7-8	134-5	6-1	129-8	28-0	108-5
August.....	13-4	116-5	12-3	106-0	12-3	107-0	7-6	131-0	5-5	117-0	30-6	118-6
September.....	13-1	113-9	11-9	102-6	12-1	105-2	7-5	129-3	4-7	100-0	27-2	88-0
October.....	12-5	108-7	11-9	102-6	12-1	105-2	7-0	120-7	4-1	87-2	21-4	82-9
November.....	12-1	105-2	11-7	100-9	11-8	102-6	6-2	106-9	4-3	91-5	20-1	77-9
December.....	11-9	103-5	11-6	100-0	11-7	101-7	5-9	101-7	4-8	102-1	20-1	77-9
1938—Ave. for year.....	11-3	98-3	11-2	96-6	11-2	97-4	5-4	93-1	5-4	114-9	21-3	82-6
January.....	11-8	102-6	11-6	100-0	11-6	100-9	5-7	98-3	5-2	110-6	20-3	78-3
February.....	11-7	101-7	11-6	98-3	11-5	100-0	5-6	96-6	5-8	123-4	20-3	78-7
March.....	11-7	101-7	11-5	99-1	11-5	100-0	5-5	94-8	6-4	136-2	20-2	78-3
April.....	11-5	100-0	11-3	97-4	11-4	99-1	5-4	93-1	6-4	136-2	19-5	75-6
May.....	11-4	99-1	11-4	98-3	11-5	100-0	5-4	93-1	6-5	138-5	18-9	73-3
June.....	11-4	99-1	11-2	96-6	11-3	98-3	5-4	93-1	7-0	148-9	19-7	76-4
July.....	11-3	98-3	11-2	96-6	11-2	97-4	5-3	91-4	7-0	148-9	20-5	79-5
August.....	11-3	98-3	11-1	95-7	11-3	98-3	5-3	91-4	5-7	121-3	23-6	110-9
September.....	11-1	96-5	11-1	95-7	11-3	98-3	5-3	91-4	4-1	87-2	21-1	81-8
October.....	11-0	95-7	10-9	94-0	11-0	95-7	5-2	89-7	3-7	75-7	21-5	83-3
November.....	10-8	93-9	10-7	92-2	10-8	93-9	5-2	89-7	3-8	80-9	22-0	85-3
December.....	10-8	93-9	10-6	91-4	10-7	93-0	5-1	87-9	3-9	83-0	23-5	91-1
1939—Ave. for year.....	10-8	93-9	10-6	91-4	10-6	92-2	5-5	94-8	4-4	93-6	28-8	111-6
January.....	10-7	93-0	10-6	91-4	10-7	93-0	5-1	87-9	4-0	85-1	24-6	95-3
February.....	10-7	93-0	10-6	91-4	10-7	93-0	5-1	87-9	4-1	87-2	26-0	100-8
March.....	10-6	92-2	10-5	90-5	10-6	92-2	5-0	86-2	4-1	87-2	26-6	103-1
April.....	10-5	91-3	10-4	89-7	10-5	91-3	5-0	86-2	4-2	89-4	27-2	105-4
May.....	10-5	91-3	10-4	89-7	10-4	90-4	5-0	86-2	4-9	104-3	30-3	117-4
June.....	10-5	91-3	10-4	89-7	10-4	90-4	5-1	87-9	5-8	123-4	29-5	114-3
July.....	10-5	91-3	10-4	89-7	10-4	90-4	5-1	87-9	5-9	125-5	34-5	133-7
August.....	10-5	91-3	10-4	89-7	10-3	89-6	5-1	87-9	4-9	104-3	32-6	126-4
September.....	10-6	92-2	10-6	91-4	10-5	91-3	5-1	87-9	4-1	87-2	27-0	104-7
October.....	11-3	98-3	11-0	94-8	10-9	94-8	6-4	110-3	3-8	80-9	29-9	115-9
November.....	11-7	101-7	11-2	96-6	11-0	95-7	6-9	119-0	3-7	78-7	29-0	112-4
December.....	11-9	103-5	11-2	96-6	11-1	96-5	6-8	117-2	3-6	76-6	28-4	110-1



TABLE 23—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF STAPLE FOODS, 1913, 1926 AND 1935-1939—Continued

(Relative Prices, 1935-1939=100)

Year and month	(Average price in cents per unit)													
	Prunes, (Pound)		Raisins, seeded (15 oz. pkg.)		Currants, all grades (Pound)		Jam raspberry (Pound)		Peaches, canned 2's (tin)		Marmalade, orange (Pound)		Corn Syrup (5 lb. tin)	
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Ave. for year.....	11.9	104.4	11.7	70.1	11.5	75.7	16.2	117.2	21.0	112.9	14.1	106.8	34.2	79.0
1926—Ave. for year.....	15.7	137.7	18.3	109.6	18.6	122.4	21.3	154.2	28.9	155.4	17.5	132.4	45.6	105.3
1935—Ave. for year.....	12.2	107.0	16.5	98.8	15.4	101.3	14.8	107.2	21.0	112.9	12.9	97.7	43.1	99.5
January.....	12.5	109.6	16.6	99.4	15.3	100.7	14.9	108.0	21.0	112.9	13.4	101.5	43.5	100.5
February.....	12.5	109.6	16.5	98.8	15.4	101.3	14.9	108.0	21.0	112.9	13.3	100.8	43.7	100.9
March.....	12.5	109.6	16.5	98.8	15.4	101.3	14.8	107.2	21.1	113.4	13.1	99.2	43.3	100.0
April.....	12.3	107.9	16.5	98.8	15.5	102.0	14.7	106.5	21.1	113.4	13.0	98.5	43.1	99.5
May.....	12.3	107.9	16.5	98.8	15.5	102.0	14.8	107.2	21.3	114.5	12.8	97.0	43.0	99.3
June.....	12.4	108.8	16.6	99.4	15.6	102.6	14.7	106.5	21.5	115.6	12.7	96.2	42.8	98.8
July.....	12.3	107.9	16.4	98.2	15.6	102.6	14.5	105.1	21.2	114.0	12.6	95.5	43.1	99.5
August.....	12.3	107.9	16.5	98.8	15.5	102.0	14.7	106.5	21.2	114.0	12.7	96.2	42.9	99.1
September.....	12.1	106.1	16.6	99.4	15.6	102.6	14.8	107.2	21.1	113.4	12.8	97.0	43.2	99.8
October.....	12.0	105.3	16.4	98.2	15.5	102.0	14.8	107.2	20.9	112.4	13.0	98.5	43.0	99.3
November.....	11.6	101.8	16.4	98.2	15.3	100.7	14.8	107.2	20.7	111.3	12.9	97.7	42.9	99.1
December.....	11.3	99.1	16.6	99.4	15.1	99.3	14.8	107.2	20.3	109.1	12.9	97.7	43.0	99.3
1936—Ave. for year.....	11.1	97.4	16.5	98.8	15.2	100.0	13.9	100.7	19.7	105.9	12.3	93.2	43.1	99.5
January.....	11.4	100.0	16.4	98.2	15.1	99.3	14.6	105.8	20.2	108.6	12.8	97.0	43.0	99.3
February.....	11.2	98.2	16.5	98.8	15.1	99.3	14.4	104.3	20.2	108.6	12.7	96.2	42.9	99.1
March.....	10.9	95.6	16.5	98.8	15.2	100.0	14.1	102.2	20.0	107.5	12.4	93.9	42.9	99.1
April.....	11.0	96.5	16.5	98.8	15.2	100.0	13.8	100.0	19.8	106.5	12.1	91.7	42.9	99.1
May.....	10.8	94.7	16.5	98.8	15.2	100.0	13.8	100.0	19.7	105.9	12.1	91.7	43.2	99.8
June.....	10.9	95.6	16.4	98.2	15.3	100.7	13.5	97.8	19.4	104.3	11.9	90.2	42.8	98.8
July.....	10.8	94.7	16.5	98.8	15.4	101.3	13.2	95.7	19.2	103.2	11.9	90.2	42.8	99.1
August.....	11.1	97.4	16.4	98.2	15.3	100.7	13.5	97.8	19.4	104.3	12.0	90.9	42.9	99.1
September.....	11.3	99.1	16.6	99.4	15.4	101.3	13.8	100.0	19.4	104.3	12.2	92.4	43.2	99.8
October.....	11.2	98.2	16.5	98.8	15.3	100.7	13.8	100.0	19.5	104.8	12.2	92.4	43.3	100.0
November.....	11.3	99.1	16.5	98.8	15.2	100.0	14.1	102.2	19.6	105.4	12.6	95.5	43.3	100.0
December.....	11.3	99.1	16.6	99.4	15.1	99.3	13.9	100.7	19.6	105.4	12.4	93.9	43.7	100.9
1937—Ave. for year.....	11.7	102.6	16.9	101.2	15.2	100.0	13.7	99.3	18.9	101.6	12.2	92.4	44.0	101.6
January.....	11.4	100.0	16.7	100.0	15.1	99.3	13.8	100.0	19.5	104.8	12.5	94.7	43.7	100.9
February.....	11.5	100.9	16.7	100.0	15.1	99.3	13.8	100.0	19.5	104.8	12.5	94.7	44.1	101.8
March.....	11.6	101.8	16.8	100.6	15.1	99.3	13.8	100.0	19.4	104.3	12.3	93.2	44.1	101.8
April.....	11.7	102.6	16.9	101.2	15.2	100.0	13.7	99.3	19.3	103.8	12.2	92.4	44.0	101.6
May.....	11.7	102.6	16.9	101.2	15.3	100.7	13.7	99.3	19.2	103.2	12.2	92.4	44.0	101.6
June.....	11.7	102.6	16.9	101.2	15.3	100.7	13.6	98.6	19.2	103.2	12.0	90.9	43.9	101.4
July.....	11.8	103.5	16.9	101.2	15.4	101.3	13.6	98.6	19.0	102.2	12.1	91.7	43.9	101.4
August.....	11.8	103.5	17.0	101.8	15.4	101.3	13.5	97.8	18.9	101.6	12.2	92.4	44.1	101.8
September.....	12.0	105.3	16.9	101.2	15.4	101.3	13.5	97.8	18.5	99.5	11.9	90.2	44.2	102.1
October.....	11.7	102.6	17.0	101.8	15.4	101.3	13.5	97.8	18.6	100.0	11.8	89.4	44.2	102.1
November.....	11.7	102.6	17.0	101.8	15.2	100.0	13.8	100.0	18.2	97.8	12.2	92.4	44.0	101.6
December.....	11.5	100.9	17.0	101.8	15.1	99.3	13.9	100.7	18.0	96.8	12.3	93.2	43.9	101.4
1938—Ave. for year.....	11.0	96.5	16.8	100.6	15.1	99.3	16.4	95.3	17.1	91.9	14.4	109.1	43.6	100.7
January.....	11.3	99.1	17.0	101.8	15.0	98.7	13.7	99.3	17.8	95.7	12.2	92.4	43.9	101.4
February.....	11.2	98.2	16.9	101.2	15.1	99.3	13.7	99.3	17.6	94.6	12.2	92.4	43.9	101.4
March.....	11.1	97.4	16.9	101.2	15.1	99.3	*17.1	99.4	17.5	94.1	15.1	114.4	43.8	101.2
April.....	11.0	96.5	16.9	101.2	15.1	99.3	17.1	99.4	17.4	93.5	15.3	115.9	43.7	100.9
May.....	10.8	94.7	16.8	100.6	15.1	99.3	16.9	98.3	17.2	92.5	15.1	114.4	43.5	100.5
June.....	11.0	96.5	16.9	101.2	15.2	100.0	17.2	100.0	17.2	92.5	15.0	113.6	43.7	100.9
July.....	11.0	96.5	16.9	101.2	15.2	100.0	16.9	98.3	17.0	91.4	14.8	112.1	43.7	100.9
August.....	11.1	97.4	16.9	101.2	15.2	100.0	17.0	98.8	16.9	90.9	14.7	111.4	43.5	100.5
September.....	11.0	96.5	16.8	100.6	15.2	100.0	16.7	97.1	16.8	90.3	14.8	112.1	43.5	100.5
October.....	10.9	95.6	16.8	100.6	15.2	100.0	16.8	97.1	16.8	90.3	14.5	109.8	43.2	99.8
November.....	10.9	95.6	16.8	100.6	15.0	98.7	16.7	97.1	16.7	89.8	14.6	110.6	43.4	100.2
December.....	10.8	94.7	16.7	100.0	14.9	98.0	16.4	95.3	16.5	88.7	14.5	109.8	43.3	100.0
1939—Ave. for year.....	10.9	95.6	16.7	100.0	15.0	98.7	16.5	95.9	16.3	87.6	14.3	108.3	42.9	99.1
January.....	10.9	95.6	16.7	100.0	14.9	98.0	16.6	95.5	16.4	88.2	14.4	109.1	43.1	99.5
February.....	10.8	94.7	16.8	100.6	14.9	98.0	16.2	94.2	16.4	88.2	14.5	109.8	43.0	99.3
March.....	10.7	93.9	16.7	100.0	14.9	98.0	16.6	95.5	16.5	88.7	14.3	108.3	42.9	99.1
April.....	10.6	93.0	16.6	99.4	14.9	98.0	16.5	95.9	16.3	87.6	14.4	109.1	42.8	98.8
May.....	10.7	93.9	16.7	100.0	14.9	98.0	16.3	94.8	16.3	87.6	14.4	109.1	42.8	98.8
June.....	10.8	94.7	16.6	99.4	15.0	98.7	16.4	95.3	16.1	86.6	14.3	108.3	42.8	98.8
July.....	10.7	93.9	16.6	99.4	14.9	98.0	16.4	95.3	16.2	87.1	14.2	107.6	42.8	98.8
August.....	10.8	94.7	16.7	100.0	15.0	98.7	16.6	96.5	16.2	87.1	14.2	107.6	42.9	99.1
September.....	11.0	96.5	16.7	100.0	15.0	98.7	16.7	97.1	16.3	87.6	14.4	109.1	42.6	98.4
October.....	11.1	97.4	16.9	101.2	15.2	100.0	16.7	97.1	16.3	87.6	14.4	109.1	42.9	99.1
November.....	11.3	100.9	17.0	101.8	15.1	99.3	16.6	96.5	16.2	87.1	14.4	109.1	43.0	99.3
December.....	11.6	101.8	17.1	102.4	15.0	98.7	16.5	95.9	16.1	86.6	14.5	109.8	43.1	99.5

\*Price reckoned from 2 lb. jar. Prior to March, 1938, price was reckoned from 4 lb. tin

TABLE 23—DOMINION AVERAGE AND RELATIVE RETAIL PRICES OF STAPLE FOODS, 1913, 1926 AND 1935-1939—Concluded

(Relative Prices, 1935-1939=100)

Year and month	Sugar, granulated (Pound)		Sugar, yellow (Pound)		Tea (Pound)		Coffee (Pound)		Cocoa, pure ( $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. tin)		Salt, fine, table (Pound)	
	(Average price in cents per unit)											
	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price	Average price	Relative price
1913—Ave. for year	5.9	92.2	5.5	87.3	35.6	64.6	37.6	104.7	15.7	79.3	2.6	96.3
1926—Ave. for year	7.8	121.9	7.5	119.0	71.7	130.1	61.2	170.5	27.1	136.9	3.6	133.3
1935—Ave. for year	6.4	100.0	6.2	98.4	52.1	94.6	37.4	104.2	20.3	102.5	2.9	107.4
January	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	52.9	96.0	38.0	105.8	20.6	104.0	2.9	107.4
February	6.5	101.6	6.3	100.0	52.4	95.1	38.2	106.4	20.9	105.6	2.9	107.4
March	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	52.3	94.9	38.1	106.1	19.9	100.5	2.9	107.4
April	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	51.8	94.0	37.7	105.0	20.4	103.0	2.9	107.4
May	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	52.2	94.7	37.3	103.9	20.2	102.0	2.9	107.4
June	6.5	101.6	6.3	100.0	52.0	94.4	37.6	104.7	20.3	102.5	2.9	107.4
July	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	51.8	94.0	37.1	103.3	20.1	101.5	2.9	107.4
August	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	51.5	93.5	37.5	104.5	20.5	103.5	2.9	107.4
September	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	52.4	95.1	37.1	103.3	20.5	103.5	2.8	103.7
October	6.3	98.4	6.1	96.8	51.8	94.0	37.1	103.3	20.1	101.5	2.8	103.7
November	6.2	96.9	6.1	96.8	52.3	94.9	36.6	101.9	20.2	102.0	2.8	103.7
December	6.2	96.9	6.1	96.8	51.9	94.2	36.7	102.2	19.7	99.5	2.8	103.7
1936—Ave. for year	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	52.0	94.4	35.8	99.7	19.9	100.5	2.7	100.0
January	6.2	96.9	6.1	96.8	52.2	94.7	36.6	101.9	19.9	100.5	2.8	103.7
February	6.2	96.9	6.1	96.8	51.9	94.2	36.3	101.1	20.0	101.0	2.8	103.7
March	6.2	96.9	6.1	96.8	51.9	94.2	36.2	100.8	19.9	100.5	2.8	103.7
April	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	51.8	94.0	35.7	99.4	19.7	99.5	2.8	103.7
May	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	52.4	95.1	35.8	99.7	19.8	100.0	2.8	103.7
June	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	52.0	94.4	35.9	100.0	19.7	99.5	2.8	103.7
July	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	51.9	94.2	35.6	99.2	19.8	100.0	2.8	103.7
August	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	52.1	94.6	35.4	98.6	20.1	101.5	2.7	100.0
September	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	51.9	94.2	35.4	98.6	19.8	100.0	2.7	100.0
October	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	52.1	94.6	35.5	98.9	20.2	102.0	2.7	100.0
November	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	52.0	94.4	35.5	98.9	19.8	100.0	2.7	100.0
December	6.1	95.3	6.0	95.2	52.0	94.4	35.4	98.6	20.1	101.5	2.7	100.0
1937—Ave. for year	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	53.7	97.5	35.5	98.9	19.8	100.0	2.6	96.3
January	6.2	96.9	6.1	96.8	52.2	94.7	35.2	98.1	20.1	101.5	2.7	100.0
February	6.2	96.9	6.1	96.8	52.0	94.4	35.1	97.8	19.9	100.5	2.7	100.0
March	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	52.1	94.6	35.6	99.2	19.8	100.0	2.7	100.0
April	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	52.3	94.9	35.4	98.6	19.9	100.5	2.7	100.0
May	6.5	101.6	6.3	100.0	52.4	95.1	35.4	98.6	19.8	100.0	2.6	96.3
June	6.5	101.6	6.3	100.0	52.5	95.3	35.7	99.4	19.7	99.5	2.6	96.3
July	6.5	101.6	6.3	100.0	53.4	96.9	35.7	99.4	19.6	99.0	2.6	96.3
August	6.6	103.1	6.4	101.6	54.3	98.3	35.5	98.9	19.9	100.5	2.7	100.0
September	6.6	103.1	6.4	101.6	54.8	99.5	35.9	100.0	19.8	100.0	2.6	96.3
October	6.6	103.1	6.4	101.6	55.5	100.7	35.6	99.2	19.9	100.5	2.6	96.3
November	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	56.3	102.2	35.6	99.2	19.9	100.5	2.6	96.3
December	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	56.4	102.4	35.4	98.6	19.6	99.0	2.6	96.3
1938—Ave. for year	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	58.4	106.0	34.8	96.9	19.5	95.5	2.6	96.3
January	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	57.4	104.2	35.3	98.3	19.6	99.0	2.6	96.3
February	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	58.0	105.3	35.0	97.5	19.6	99.0	2.6	96.3
March	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	58.1	105.4	35.2	98.1	19.6	99.0	2.6	96.3
April	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	58.0	105.3	34.7	96.7	19.7	99.5	2.6	96.3
May	6.5	101.6	6.3	100.0	58.6	106.4	34.8	96.9	19.7	99.5	2.6	96.3
June	6.5	101.6	6.3	100.0	58.7	106.5	34.7	96.7	19.6	99.0	2.6	96.3
July	6.4	100.0	6.2	98.4	58.6	106.4	34.8	96.9	19.3	97.5	2.6	96.3
August	6.4	100.0	6.2	98.4	58.6	106.4	34.5	96.1	19.7	99.5	2.6	96.3
September	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	58.9	106.9	35.0	97.5	19.5	95.5	2.6	96.3
October	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	58.7	106.5	34.8	96.9	19.3	97.5	2.5	92.6
November	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	58.8	106.7	34.4	95.8	19.3	97.5	2.6	96.3
December	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	58.6	106.4	34.7	96.7	19.4	98.6	2.6	96.3
1939—Ave. for year	6.6	103.1	6.4	101.6	59.3	107.6	36.0	100.3	19.3	97.5	2.6	96.3
January	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	58.2	105.6	34.3	95.5	19.4	98.0	2.6	96.3
February	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	58.9	106.9	34.3	95.5	19.2	97.0	2.6	96.3
March	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	58.5	106.2	34.1	95.0	19.1	96.6	2.6	96.3
April	6.3	98.4	6.2	98.4	58.5	106.2	34.0	94.7	19.2	97.0	2.6	96.3
May	6.4	100.0	6.3	100.0	58.5	106.2	33.8	94.2	19.4	98.0	2.6	96.3
June	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	58.6	106.4	33.7	93.9	19.4	95.0	2.6	96.3
July	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	57.9	105.1	33.8	94.2	19.4	98.0	2.6	96.3
August	6.5	101.6	6.4	101.6	58.2	105.6	33.9	94.4	19.3	97.5	2.6	96.3
September	6.6	103.1	6.4	101.6	58.3	105.8	34.0	94.7	19.3	97.5	2.7	100.0
October	6.8	106.3	6.6	104.8	60.8	110.3	40.2	112.0	19.6	99.0	2.8	103.7
November	7.2	112.5	7.0	111.1	61.5	111.6	42.4	118.1	19.3	97.5	2.8	103.7
December	7.1	110.9	6.9	109.5	63.5	115.2	43.6	121.4	19.7	99.5	2.8	103.7

TABLE 24—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1925-1939

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	1913	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
STAPLE FOODS																
1	Nova Scotia...	99.3	149.5	154.8	148.6	149.3	153.5	151.6	121.7	102.9	99.5	106.6	107.0	110.5	116.9	117.6
2	Prince Ed. Is..	86.4	134.8	142.3	136.8	134.3	139.1	140.4	115.4	95.4	94.9	100.0	100.2	105.4	113.1	114.2
3	New Brunswick	98.0	147.7	155.9	150.1	149.0	151.4	149.1	119.9	102.1	99.9	105.6	107.5	112.7	118.2	118.8
4	Quebec.....	93.6	139.3	144.9	139.4	139.2	142.8	138.8	107.4	89.4	87.9	95.4	96.4	102.8	107.8	109.3
5	Ontario.....	98.2	145.0	154.2	150.8	151.0	153.8	148.7	114.5	95.7	95.5	104.1	105.4	111.1	117.5	116.0
6	Manitoba.....	107.3	141.7	142.2	141.6	145.6	151.2	144.5	108.8	93.0	92.1	97.0	101.7	107.5	115.7	113.0
7	Saskatchewan..	112.4	148.2	148.6	150.7	152.3	158.3	149.1	110.4	93.4	92.4	99.5	101.4	104.7	114.9	114.8
8	Alberta.....	113.5	149.9	147.5	148.4	151.1	158.9	150.9	111.8	93.0	92.1	99.4	102.5	106.0	116.4	114.6
9	Br. Columbia..	124.4	164.6	163.1	163.2	164.6	170.4	164.5	129.6	106.9	106.0	112.7	115.9	121.3	131.5	130.4

FUEL AND LIGHTING																
1	Nova Scotia...	80.1	157.1	155.5	150.8	152.4	151.8	150.3	149.2	139.3	131.4	133.0	130.4	129.8	127.7	128.8
2	Prince Ed. Is..	77.2	174.3	167.0	162.8	152.4	154.5	153.9	152.9	150.8	138.7	142.9	139.8	137.2	139.3	141.4
3	New Brunswick	88.0	164.9	168.1	164.4	161.8	160.2	160.7	156.0	147.6	140.3	139.3	139.8	137.2	135.6	136.1
4	Quebec.....	93.7	172.8	177.5	175.4	174.9	173.3	167.0	157.1	149.2	149.7	148.7	147.1	147.6	150.3	
5	Ontario.....	95.2	179.6	182.2	179.1	177.0	177.0	175.9	173.3	164.9	156.6	155.5	155.5	154.5	151.8	151.3
6	Manitoba.....	122.6	188.5	184.8	183.2	184.8	189.5	190.1	181.7	159.2	153.0	157.6	158.1	156.5	155.0	159.7
7	Saskatchewan..	139.2	186.4	181.2	182.7	183.8	181.2	174.9	160.7	112.6	102.6	102.1	103.7	101.6	102.1	103.1
8	Alberta.....	86.6	128.3	126.2	122.0	108.4	100.5	100.5	97.4	94.2	90.6	87.4	85.9	85.3	85.3	85.3
9	Br. Columbia..	117.8	147.1	147.6	147.1	147.1	147.6	147.6	146.1	137.2	128.3	124.6	123.6	125.1	125.1	127.7

## RENT

1	Nova Scotia...	81.3	117.5	117.9	117.9	117.9	117.9	121.1	126.9	126.9	117.5	111.8	112.6	113.3	112.6	112.8
2	Prince Ed. Is..	36.2	122.5	118.5	118.5	118.5	122.3	123.8	123.8	123.8	123.2	121.1	115.8	113.3	104.5	115.8
3	New Brunswick	63.7	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	139.4	135.6	132.4	124.2	120.2	117.5	117.5	120.4	120.4
4	Quebec.....	73.0	120.8	120.8	121.7	122.7	123.2	125.9	124.4	118.1	110.1	105.3	104.4	105.3	108.2	114.5
5	Ontario.....	84.9	152.8	151.8	151.2	153.1	154.3	155.8	153.3	139.6	123.2	120.4	122.9	126.7	131.8	135.6
6	Manitoba.....	152.7	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	176.6	153.5	131.8	125.1	123.4	122.7	127.4	135.2
7	Saskatchewan..	198.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	184.2	185.7	176.8	156.0	133.1	124.3	123.8	125.7	129.5	130.3
8	Alberta.....	156.8	148.0	151.8	152.4	151.8	157.9	161.7	160.4	143.6	125.5	116.6	116.8	117.8	120.2	123.6
9	Br. Columbia..	106.1	135.4	135.8	136.6	138.1	139.8	140.8	140.2	131.4	118.3	110.3	112.0	116.2	118.5	121.1

## GRAND TOTAL

1	Nova Scotia...	90.6	139.4	142.1	138.4	138.9	141.0	140.8	127.0	115.8	109.7	111.7	111.9	114.1	117.0	117.6
2	Prince Ed. Is..	68.0	135.6	137.3	134.0	131.2	135.3	136.3	123.1	112.4	110.2	112.8	110.7	112.5	117.2	118.5
3	New Brunswick	83.8	147.9	152.7	149.1	148.2	149.2	147.1	129.9	118.4	113.4	114.9	115.1	117.7	121.4	121.8
4	Quebec.....	86.5	137.4	141.0	138.1	138.3	140.3	138.8	121.1	108.2	103.6	106.0	106.0	109.7	113.4	116.7
5	Ontario.....	93.2	152.2	156.8	154.6	155.0	156.9	154.5	135.4	119.8	113.0	116.4	117.9	122.4	127.0	127.5
6	Manitoba.....	124.9	162.2	161.9	161.5	163.8	167.4	163.9	141.5	122.3	113.8	114.6	116.5	119.6	125.1	126.9
7	Saskatchewan..	145.5	165.3	164.8	166.2	167.2	170.0	164.7	139.5	117.0	107.4	109.7	109.1	111.5	118.2	118.5
8	Alberta.....	124.7	146.0	145.8	145.9	145.3	150.4	147.4	126.1	110.1	103.0	103.4	104.9	107.4	113.5	113.7
9	Br. Columbia..	117.2	152.0	151.5	151.5	153.0	156.7	153.9	135.2	119.1	113.0	113.3	115.4	120.2	126.3	126.9



**TABLE 24—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, BY PROVINCES IN CANADA, 1913 AND 1925-1939—Concluded**

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

No.	Province	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1939
STAPLE FOODS														
1	Nova Scotia.....	112.7	112.2	109.9	109.9	110.9	110.7	110.3	112.6	110.4	118.0	119.7	119.1	113.0
2	Prince Edward Island.....	109.9	106.4	106.4	105.9	106.9	106.4	105.5	107.0	108.2	113.1	114.2	114.2	108.6
3	New Brunswick.....	115.7	113.5	113.9	114.5	113.8	112.0	112.2	114.2	112.0	120.6	121.2	121.3	115.4
4	Quebec.....	106.9	106.2	105.8	105.5	105.6	103.7	103.9	102.4	101.4	112.2	113.1	112.3	106.6
5	Ontario.....	112.2	111.4	111.1	110.5	110.5	109.7	110.1	111.5	110.3	119.8	120.5	119.1	113.0
6	Manitoba.....	110.1	107.4	108.4	107.7	105.6	103.9	106.9	107.9	107.4	116.4	115.5	115.2	109.4
7	Saskatchewan.....	109.2	106.7	107.5	107.0	104.7	102.4	102.5	105.5	105.2	114.9	116.5	117.9	108.4
8	Alberta.....	110.4	106.7	107.9	107.3	106.2	106.4	105.1	110.0	110.0	119.3	120.5	120.9	110.9
9	British Columbia.....	124.4	122.9	123.2	122.9	123.5	123.3	124.6	123.1	121.3	131.9	131.5	130.4	125.3
FUEL AND LIGHTING														
1	Nova Scotia.....	128.8	129.3	128.3	128.3	128.3	127.7	128.3	127.7	129.3	128.8	129.8	136.6	129.3
2	Prince Edward Island.....	136.6	135.6	137.2	137.2	136.1	138.2	135.6	135.1	135.6	135.6	137.7	140.3	136.6
3	New Brunswick.....	137.7	137.7	137.7	137.7	137.7	137.7	135.6	135.6	136.1	138.2	139.8	140.3	137.7
4	Quebec.....	150.3	150.3	150.3	149.2	148.7	148.2	147.6	147.6	147.6	150.8	151.8	151.3	149.2
5	Ontario.....	152.4	152.4	151.8	151.8	151.8	150.8	149.7	149.2	149.2	152.9	154.5	155.0	151.8
6	Manitoba.....	159.2	157.1	156.5	156.5	157.1	156.5	156.5	156.0	156.0	158.6	159.7	159.7	157.6
7	Saskatchewan.....	104.7	104.7	104.7	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	104.2	103.7	104.2
8	Alberta.....	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.8	84.3	85.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.3	84.8	84.3
9	British Columbia.....	128.8	128.8	128.8	128.8	127.7	126.2	126.2	125.7	126.2	125.7	125.7	125.7	126.7
RENT														
1	Nova Scotia.....	112.2	112.2	112.2	112.2	110.9	110.9	110.9	110.9	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.8	111.6
2	Prince Edward Island.....	115.8	115.8	115.8	115.8	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	110.5	112.2
3	New Brunswick.....	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4
4	Quebec.....	117.5	117.5	117.5	117.5	121.1	118.9	118.9	118.9	118.9	118.9	118.9	118.9	118.5
5	Ontario.....	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.4	135.2	135.2	135.2	135.4
6	Manitoba.....	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	139.6	139.6	139.6	137.5
7	Saskatchewan.....	130.3	130.3	130.3	130.3	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.2
8	Alberta.....	126.9	126.9	126.9	126.9	129.7	129.7	129.7	129.7	129.7	129.7	129.7	129.7	128.6
9	British Columbia.....	120.8	120.8	120.8	120.8	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	121.5	122.1	121.3
GRAND TOTAL														
1	Nova Scotia.....	114.9	114.6	113.2	113.3	113.4	113.2	113.0	114.2	113.2	117.4	118.5	119.1	114.8
2	Prince Edward Island.....	115.6	113.7	113.9	113.6	112.2	112.2	111.4	112.1	112.7	115.4	116.2	116.6	113.8
3	New Brunswick.....	120.4	119.2	119.4	119.7	119.4	118.4	118.2	119.3	118.2	122.9	123.5	123.6	120.2
4	Quebec.....	116.4	116.0	115.8	115.5	116.1	114.9	114.9	114.2	113.7	119.7	120.4	119.9	116.5
5	Ontario.....	125.6	125.2	125.1	124.8	124.6	124.1	124.1	124.7	124.1	129.6	130.1	129.4	125.9
6	Manitoba.....	126.0	124.3	124.7	124.4	123.3	122.3	123.9	124.4	124.1	130.1	129.9	129.6	125.6
7	Saskatchewan.....	115.8	114.5	114.9	121.8	113.9	112.7	112.7	114.2	114.1	119.2	120.0	120.7	115.6
8	Alberta.....	112.6	110.6	110.6	111.0	111.3	111.5	110.8	113.2	113.2	118.1	118.7	119.1	113.4
9	British Columbia.....	123.8	123.0	123.2	123.0	123.4	123.1	123.7	122.9	122.0	127.5	127.4	127.0	124.1

TABLE 25—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1938 AND 1939

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

1938

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
STAPLE FOODS													
Halifax.....	116.9	116.8	117.6	117.0	114.2	114.6	118.9	118.7	114.3	114.1	115.0	112.6	115.9
Saint John.....	121.1	119.7	121.3	120.6	117.7	117.3	118.1	122.0	118.2	117.1	116.2	117.1	118.9
Montreal.....	115.8	115.8	117.0	116.2	114.1	116.6	117.6	116.3	113.7	112.4	113.0	113.2	115.2
Toronto.....	120.7	119.7	121.1	120.2	117.4	118.3	118.6	121.9	116.3	117.8	117.2	116.4	118.8
Winnipeg.....	116.1	115.3	117.9	117.8	115.3	117.5	117.1	120.5	112.0	114.4	110.5	112.4	115.6
Regina.....	118.9	118.3	121.4	120.7	117.5	120.9	117.7	119.2	116.5	113.0	111.3	110.5	117.2
Calgary.....	119.3	119.0	120.5	121.3	121.4	121.3	118.3	123.0	116.9	115.8	115.3	113.1	118.8
Vancouver.....	126.8	127.4	127.2	129.1	126.8	128.0	130.8	132.0	126.0	125.4	123.1	122.7	127.1

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

Halifax.....	142.5	142.5	143.0	142.5	141.7	140.8	144.9	144.9	145.8	145.8	144.9	144.0	143.6
Saint John.....	146.1	146.4	146.1	146.2	146.4	146.5	141.1	141.5	141.5	141.2	146.1	146.2	144.6
Montreal.....	170.8	170.6	170.8	170.8	169.5	169.4	170.3	170.2	171.8	171.8	171.8	171.7	170.8
Toronto.....	167.7	167.7	169.3	169.3	166.1	165.8	166.1	165.4	166.1	166.1	166.2	166.1	166.8
Winnipeg.....	160.4	160.1	159.8	160.4	160.6	160.5	160.4	160.1	160.1	160.5	159.5	159.2	160.1
Regina.....	135.2	135.3	135.3	135.0	135.3	135.2	135.2	135.4	135.4	135.2	137.7	137.8	135.7
Calgary.....	106.8	106.8	109.4	107.5	107.5	106.0	106.5	108.1	109.9	109.9	109.9	107.4	108.0
Vancouver.....	152.3	152.0	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	151.6	152.2	152.1	151.8

## RENT

Halifax.....	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	147.4	139.5	139.5	146.0
Saint John.....	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2
Montreal.....	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	131.6	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	136.8
Toronto.....	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	166.7
Winnipeg.....	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	161.4
Regina.....	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9
Calgary.....	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.3	131.6	131.6	127.2
Vancouver.....	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9

## TOTAL

Halifax.....	130.8	130.7	131.2	131.1	129.3	129.3	132.2	132.1	129.8	129.7	127.4	126.0	130.0
Saint John.....	121.9	121.2	122.0	121.6	120.1	119.9	119.6	121.7	119.7	119.1	119.3	119.8	120.5
Montreal.....	127.8	127.8	128.4	128.0	127.6	132.5	133.1	132.4	131.3	130.6	130.9	131.0	130.1
Toronto.....	141.5	141.0	141.9	141.4	141.3	141.8	142.0	143.6	140.8	141.5	141.2	140.8	141.6
Winnipeg.....	136.4	135.9	137.3	137.2	137.8	138.9	136.8	140.4	135.9	135.4	135.1	136.0	136.9
Regina.....	134.4	134.1	135.7	135.3	133.7	135.5	133.8	134.6	133.2	131.3	130.8	130.3	133.6
Calgary.....	120.1	119.9	121.0	121.2	121.3	121.0	119.5	122.1	119.2	118.6	120.1	118.7	120.2
Vancouver.....	131.0	131.3	131.1	132.1	130.9	131.5	133.0	133.6	130.5	130.2	129.1	128.8	131.1

TABLE 25—INDEX NUMBERS OF A FAMILY BUDGET OF STAPLE FOODS, FUEL AND LIGHTING, AND RENT, IN SPECIFIED CITIES IN CANADA, 1938 AND 1939—Concluded

(Dominion Average 1913=100)

1939

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year
STAPLE FOODS													
Halifax.....	111.4	111.4	103.6	105.4	107.7	106.2	108.1	108.4	105.5	117.6	118.7	115.9	110.0
Saint John.....	114.1	113.7	112.9	113.9	114.4	110.7	112.4	114.1	112.0	121.8	122.9	123.5	115.5
Montreal.....	112.5	111.6	112.2	109.7	111.6	109.6	110.7	106.8	105.2	117.0	117.8	116.6	111.8
Toronto.....	116.6	116.0	116.2	115.8	114.8	114.7	115.4	116.2	114.5	125.8	123.9	123.6	117.8
Winnipeg.....	112.4	110.8	111.0	110.8	108.8	107.2	109.6	112.3	111.3	118.7	117.7	117.2	112.3
Regina.....	112.5	110.3	110.5	108.8	107.1	105.5	105.2	107.6	106.1	114.0	117.8	117.4	110.2
Calgary.....	111.4	109.4	110.9	110.9	109.2	108.0	109.0	109.6	111.7	120.9	121.9	122.9	113.0
Vancouver.....	122.3	120.0	120.5	119.2	120.8	119.8	120.8	120.6	119.7	128.1	126.8	124.6	121.9

## FUEL AND LIGHTING

Halifax.....	144.9	144.9	144.9	145.4	144.6	144.9	144.6	144.9	145.8	145.6	149.1	155.2	146.2
Saint John.....	146.4	146.3	146.1	146.3	146.2	146.3	144.5	144.4	144.5	146.2	146.6	148.1	146.0
Montreal.....	166.0	166.0	165.9	161.5	156.6	156.8	156.5	156.5	156.3	167.9	167.6	167.6	162.1
Toronto.....	166.1	166.0	166.6	166.6	166.6	167.9	167.4	167.4	167.6	170.6	170.6	170.6	167.9
Winnipeg.....	159.2	156.6	156.3	156.9	157.1	156.6	157.4	156.2	156.2	158.8	160.7	160.6	157.7
Regina.....	137.9	137.4	137.8	137.7	137.8	137.9	137.6	137.6	137.5	137.7	137.6	137.7	137.7
Calgary.....	108.6	107.9	107.9	108.3	109.9	108.6	109.9	107.5	107.3	108.6	107.5	110.3	108.5
Vancouver.....	152.2	151.6	151.6	152.1	151.6	152.2	151.6	152.2	151.6	152.2	152.2	151.6	151.9

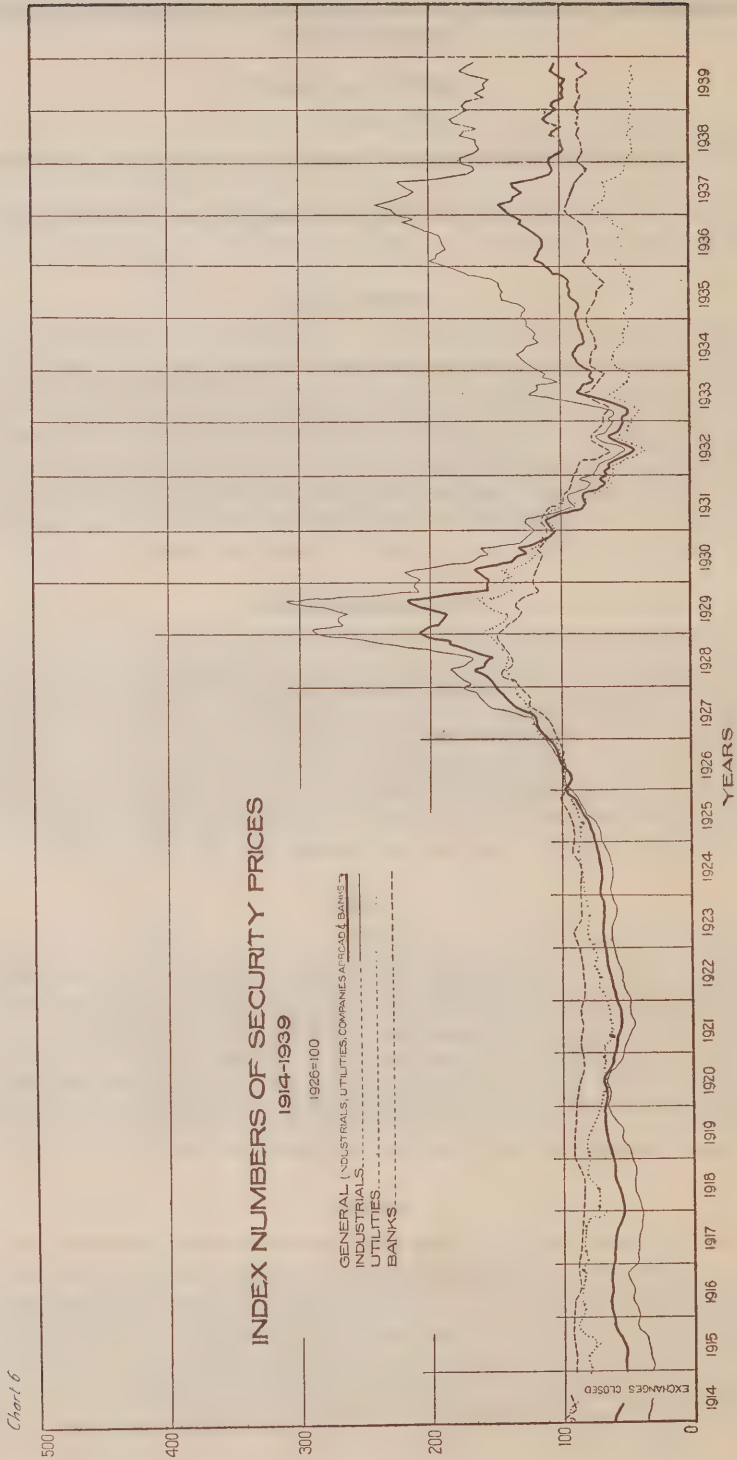
## RENT

Halifax.....	139.5	139.5	139.5	139.5	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	136.8	136.8	136.8	135.5
Saint John.....	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2	113.2
Montreal.....	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1	142.1
Toronto.....	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4	168.4
Winnipeg.....	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2
Regina.....	157.9	157.9	157.9	157.9	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	163.2	161.4
Calgary.....	131.6	131.6	131.6	131.6	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	136.8	135.1
Vancouver.....	123.7	123.7	123.7	123.7	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	128.9	127.2

## TOTAL

Halifax.....	125.5	125.6	121.5	122.5	120.9	120.2	121.1	121.3	119.9	128.0	129.1	128.4	123.7
Saint John.....	118.2	118.0	117.6	118.2	118.4	116.5	117.1	118.0	116.9	122.3	122.9	123.4	118.9
Montreal.....	129.9	129.4	129.7	127.8	128.1	127.1	127.6	125.6	124.7	132.5	132.8	132.2	128.9
Toronto.....	140.9	140.7	140.8	140.6	140.0	140.2	140.5	140.9	140.0	146.3	145.3	145.2	141.8
Winnipeg.....	136.0	134.8	134.9	134.9	133.9	133.0	134.4	135.6	135.1	139.3	139.0	138.7	135.8
Regina.....	131.4	130.2	130.4	129.5	130.4	129.6	129.3	130.6	129.8	134.0	135.9	135.8	131.4
Calgary.....	118.0	116.8	117.6	117.6	118.7	117.9	118.6	118.6	119.7	124.6	125.1	125.9	119.9
Vancouver.....	126.9	125.6	125.8	125.2	127.8	127.3	127.8	127.7	127.2	131.7	131.0	129.8	127.8





## INVESTORS' SECURITY PRICE INDEX NUMBERS

The outbreak of European hostilities at the beginning of September found Canadian common stock prices at or near low points for 1939. From the year's opening level of 107.5, the Bureau's daily index for 95 industrial and utility common stocks declined about 16.3 p.c. to 90.0 on August 24th. Recessions were common to almost all sections of the market during this period. After the declaration of war on September 3rd, the industrial and utility share price average mounted within four days to approximately 17 p.c. above the year's low. A decline, almost as sharp, cut more than 80 p.c. off this advance within the ensuing two weeks. A sizable rally developed from this point which moved this index back to 108.7 by the final week of October. The closing weeks of the year again found quotations moving lower, though this reaction was in marked contrast to the substantial improvement in Canadian industrial activity in the final quarter. Closing at 101.2 the composite index of industrials, utilities and banks showed a net loss of 6.9 p.c. from the corresponding level of 1938. Industrial stocks paced by a 19.6 p.c. decline in the industrial mines sub-group index, dropped 9.8 p.c. during the year to 165.4. An index for 19 utilities, on the other hand, moved 3.2 p.c. higher to 45.6. Bank stocks finished up 0.7 p.c. at 84.4.

## PREFERRED STOCK PRICES

The decline in preferred stock prices which began in the latter part of 1938 continued through the first quarter of 1939. By April an index of preferred prices had fallen to the year's low of 78.9 which was more than 7 p.c. below the opening level. Markets then strengthened and during the next three months the index rose to 83.0, reacted to 81.0 in August, and then continued upward till the close of the year. The December index of 91.3 was more than 5 p.c. above the corresponding 1938 figure.

TABLE 26—INDEX NUMBERS OF 25 PREFERRED STOCK PRICES, 1929-1939

(1926=100)

—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1929.....	107.4	108.1	106.8	104.3	104.3	104.8	104.8	105.6	105.1	102.9	99.8	100.4
1930.....	97.9	98.8	100.0	103.4	102.6	99.5	97.4	97.1	96.2	85.4	81.9	82.5
1931.....	83.2	83.4	84.2	78.8	73.8	72.6	71.8	69.1	64.2	63.9	66.5	63.0
1932.....	57.2	58.8	58.0	55.4	48.4	45.2	49.5	52.9	53.4	52.9	52.2	50.2
1933.....	49.6	49.6	47.3	47.3	54.6	58.5	61.9	61.7	61.0	59.7	59.1	60.2
1934.....	64.1	66.5	67.3	68.5	68.7	68.4	68.1	67.3	67.4	69.5	70.6	71.4
1935.....	73.5	73.8	71.2	69.2	68.4	68.4	69.6	70.9	69.2	69.5	72.5	73.8
1936.....	74.9	77.2	76.3	76.0	74.6	76.2	79.5	80.6	83.8	86.8	91.1	93.9
1937.....	99.2	100.4	102.6	103.1	100.2	99.3	99.4	101.5	91.0	82.2	82.0	81.0
1938.....	83.4	82.1	77.5	78.2	80.1	81.8	87.2	86.8	81.3	88.0	87.5	86.9
1939.....	85.0	84.4	83.9	78.9	79.0	81.9	83.0	81.0	83.3	89.0	90.1	91.3

## INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCKS

Mining issues, while following the major price fluctuations of industrials and utilities, showed some noteworthy differences. Chief among these was the slump in an index for 22 golds, which fell to a 1939 low of 92.8 on September 11th. Prices strengthened moderately from this point due partly to the establishment of a 10 p.c. premium on United States funds, thus raising the United States official gold price of \$35.00 per ounce to \$38.50 in Canadian funds. Compared with the final 1938 daily index of 123.6, the 1939 closing level of 107.6 showed a percentage loss of 12.9. An index of 3 base metal stocks touched a yearly peak of 338.5 on September 5th but within the space of two weeks had fallen to a 1939 low of 270.0. This sharp decline followed the announcement that British Control Boards would be set up, which were to establish quotations for various non-ferrous metals considerably below current levels. The year's closing index of 303.2 was down 4.8 p.c. from the final level of 1938. There was a decline of 9.8 p.c. to 145.6 in the Bureau's composite index for 25 mining issues between December 31, 1938, and December 30, 1939.

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TABLE 27—INDEX NUMBERS OF MINING STOCK PRICES, 1936-1940

(1926=100)

Month	Gold	Base Metals	Total Index
1936			
No. of Stocks	20	3	23
January.....	124.8	214.8	142.4
February.....	130.2	230.4	149.8
March.....	122.7	232.2	144.2
April.....	122.8	241.1	145.8
May.....	128.9	239.2	150.3
June.....	134.4	246.0	156.1
July.....	134.4	254.1	157.6
August.....	132.6	264.0	158.1
September.....	131.2	267.1	157.6
October.....	126.4	289.4	158.2
November.....	131.8	312.5	167.0
December.....	131.3	317.8	167.7
1937			
No. of Stocks	21	3	24
January.....	137.5	329.6	174.6
February.....	139.4	344.8	177.2
March.....	133.0	340.5	172.6
April.....	120.0	288.0	154.1
May.....	111.3	269.3	142.1
June.....	105.9	255.0	134.7
July.....	109.2	278.9	141.8
August.....	112.5	287.4	146.2
September.....	103.5	224.5	127.6
October.....	104.3	192.4	121.6
November.....	113.8	192.4	129.4
December.....	115.5	213.1	134.3
1938			
No. of Stocks	21	3	24
January.....	121.0	241.7	144.1
February.....	124.3	246.9	147.7
March.....	111.4	225.3	134.9
April.....	110.5	229.5	133.9
May.....	114.1	243.0	139.5
June.....	119.2	259.5	145.8
July.....	119.8	282.1	151.1
August.....	123.8	289.2	156.0
September.....	113.6	269.8	144.0
October.....	121.3	308.2	157.4
November.....	121.1	319.3	159.6
December.....	121.6	313.0	159.0
1939			
No. of Stocks	22	3	25
January.....	121.4	307.0	158.0
February.....	121.1	315.1	158.8
March.....	118.2	305.6	155.0
April.....	110.1	282.6	143.7
May.....	114.6	303.3	151.4
June.....	116.5	308.6	153.9
July.....	117.7	314.7	155.8
August.....	112.8	310.3	151.4
September.....	99.6	298.3	137.7
October.....	106.6	299.6	144.7
November.....	106.3	304.1	144.7
December.....	105.0	298.0	142.4



\*TABLE 28—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1936-1939

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)

(1926=100)

Month	GENERAL	BANKS	UTILITIES				INDUSTRIALS		
	Total	Total	Total	Transportation	Telephone and Telegraph	Power and Traction	Total	Machinery and Equipment	Pulp and Paper
1936 No. of Stocks	121	9	23	2	2	19	89	8	6
January.....	112.9	78.6	52.4	29.8	111.4	66.0	187.7	118.2	18.6
February.....	120.7	82.6	57.0	35.0	112.3	71.1	200.0	125.0	20.2
March.....	117.4	79.6	55.5	33.3	110.4	69.7	194.8	122.2	18.5
April.....	115.9	77.5	53.2	30.8	109.7	67.1	194.2	114.3	17.5
May.....	112.8	77.7	52.5	30.5	109.5	65.9	187.9	108.0	16.7
June.....	113.8	77.8	53.3	31.2	112.5	66.4	189.3	106.3	17.5
July.....	114.3	77.2	53.8	31.9	111.7	66.9	190.1	102.4	18.6
August.....	114.7	79.0	53.1	29.7	113.2	67.1	191.4	103.0	18.0
September.....	119.5	79.7	54.8	30.2	114.0	70.0	200.6	113.6	20.3
October.....	126.9	80.6	59.8	33.4	114.6	77.7	212.3	127.3	24.4
November.....	131.8	84.5	62.4	34.6	116.5	81.8	219.9	140.4	27.5
December.....	129.2	87.7	62.8	34.6	120.4	82.1	212.8	139.4	29.7
1937 No. of Stocks	96	9	19	2	2	15	68	8	6
January.....	137.4	94.4	68.5	38.7	122.0	91.1	222.0	156.3	37.2
February.....	142.4	96.7	73.1	41.8	125.8	97.5	228.8	163.4	36.7
March.....	147.2	95.9	71.0	39.6	124.2	94.7	241.7	168.3	40.2
April.....	136.2	94.0	64.1	35.0	122.0	85.1	224.1	157.5	47.1
May.....	132.2	92.7	63.0	32.8	124.7	84.0	216.4	151.3	38.5
June.....	129.4	92.3	63.2	32.3	127.3	84.1	210.1	148.1	38.2
July.....	133.0	90.2	63.9	29.7	128.0	83.0	217.8	148.0	40.5
August.....	135.2	89.9	65.2	29.9	128.7	90.4	221.6	151.2	40.4
September.....	118.9	84.9	57.4	24.8	126.6	78.6	193.3	122.8	29.3
October.....	105.8	81.4	51.7	20.9	122.9	70.7	170.3	104.3	22.5
November.....	103.1	79.0	49.6	19.9	122.2	66.9	166.3	104.7	20.4
December.....	103.7	81.6	49.5	19.8	125.4	66.0	167.7	103.2	18.3
1938 No. of Stocks	95	8(a)	19	2	2	15	68	8	7
January.....	107.7	84.3	48.4	19.2	125.6	64.4	177.0	109.6	18.9
February.....	107.1	81.8	46.8	17.6	123.1	63.1	177.7	109.3	17.5
March.....	99.2	80.5	43.1	14.5	120.1	58.2	164.0	100.7	14.6
April.....	97.9	80.4	43.7	15.4	117.0	59.7	160.5	103.2	15.4
May.....	99.7	80.9	44.5	14.8	122.8	61.0	163.5	107.2	15.7
June.....	100.0	81.0	45.1	15.7	123.8	61.2	163.5	111.8	18.6
July.....	106.9	84.9	48.6	18.3	123.7	66.4	175.1	129.2	23.1
August.....	105.2	85.0	47.1	16.7	125.3	64.3	172.8	130.1	21.0
September.....	98.6	83.4	42.7	14.1	121.1	57.8	162.2	120.6	17.5
October.....	109.7	86.0	46.9	16.5	125.8	64.0	182.7	139.8	22.8
November.....	110.4	85.6	46.2	16.4	126.8	62.3	184.9	141.5	21.6
December.....	106.8	83.9	44.0	14.3	127.3	59.4	179.4	135.5	19.3
1939 No. of Stocks	95	8	19	2	2	15	68	8	7
January.....	102.9	85.2	42.7	13.4	127.3	57.5	171.4	129.4	16.9
February.....	104.1	85.3	42.9	12.4	129.7	58.2	174.0	129.4	16.4
March.....	103.7	85.1	44.4	11.5	131.7	62.0	171.4	126.6	15.1
April.....	96.2	83.7	41.9	9.6	129.7	58.9	157.7	111.1	11.5
May.....	99.2	84.7	43.2	10.0	132.6	60.8	163.0	112.5	12.0
June.....	97.0	85.0	43.7	11.0	133.8	60.8	157.6	114.2	12.4
July.....	97.3	85.0	42.7	10.4	132.8	59.2	159.2	118.0	12.7
August.....	94.2	84.3	40.9	9.3	130.0	56.8	154.2	108.6	11.1
September.....	100.1	78.4	42.2	17.8	116.7	53.8	168.2	132.8	19.1
October.....	106.0	81.0	45.7	19.6	123.4	59.5	177.0	149.1	23.4
November.....	103.6	84.2	44.7	16.0	125.2	59.6	171.9	141.1	22.7
December.....	101.2	84.4	45.7	16.6	126.5	61.3	165.3	142.1	23.7

\* For 1914-34 Data see Prices and Price Indexes, 1913-1934.

(a) Bank of Canada stock was removed from the trading list on July 14, 1938.

TABLE 28—WEIGHTED INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCK PRICES,  
1936-1940—Concluded

(INVESTORS' MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF COMMON STOCKS)—Concluded

(1926=100)

Month	Industrials						Industrial Mines
	Milling	Oils	Textiles and Clothing	Food and Allied Products	Bever- ages	Building materials	
1936 No. of Stocks	5	5	11	18	9	14	2
January.....	80.4	231.0	75.5	153.6	151.7	127.3	387.2
February.....	84.3	246.5	74.0	158.7	151.7	135.4	418.2
March.....	88.7	237.3	73.1	153.0	140.1	131.7	416.3
April.....	91.0	244.5	71.3	150.7	131.7	134.1	401.8
May.....	87.3	234.0	68.1	145.7	131.4	128.6	394.8
June.....	86.5	228.1	67.4	149.2	129.3	131.0	417.8
July.....	87.0	224.3	66.8	153.9	131.6	137.2	428.5
August.....	89.8	218.9	68.0	157.1	135.7	142.5	444.2
September.....	93.9	220.5	70.6	162.5	138.2	149.7	488.1
October.....	101.9	232.5	73.4	171.7	135.6	162.6	519.3
November.....	107.0	233.4	74.4	179.6	143.6	178.3	546.2
December.....	112.5	215.4	73.5	182.3	145.3	181.9	540.0
1937 No. of Stocks	4	4	10	13	7	14	2
January.....	119.6	229.6	77.3	184.2	141.0	197.0	549.3
February.....	120.7	235.2	78.5	188.2	139.3	203.5	586.7
March.....	127.0	247.7	80.2	190.0	141.8	213.4	618.2
April.....	117.4	230.4	79.9	182.4	133.4	204.8	538.9
May.....	109.4	229.6	77.5	178.5	128.4	188.4	525.8
June.....	103.7	220.2	77.7	177.7	131.0	179.6	510.8
July.....	102.0	222.6	79.7	182.1	136.1	188.7	547.4
August.....	95.2	223.6	79.5	182.0	136.9	192.7	564.2
September.....	89.1	205.3	73.3	167.9	118.3	159.8	470.5
October.....	69.9	192.0	68.0	154.1	105.6	132.5	395.0
November.....	80.1	193.2	67.7	154.1	115.7	129.5	359.2
December.....	82.9	188.0	67.1	154.7	114.2	131.9	382.7
1938 No. of Stocks	3	4	10	12	7	15	2
January.....	87.2	194.9	64.3	158.7	116.1	138.4	422.6
February.....	88.9	195.2	64.8	159.9	115.0	131.4	425.0
March.....	76.5	181.2	60.3	152.0	101.3	116.0	387.3
April.....	75.6	172.0	55.0	151.5	106.0	119.4	386.6
May.....	85.8	177.2	54.5	153.6	107.5	122.5	389.2
June.....	84.8	170.0	54.1	156.2	109.2	129.8	395.2
July.....	88.6	177.6	59.4	167.9	120.5	142.6	433.0
August.....	88.3	176.7	59.0	168.5	122.1	139.3	421.1
September.....	78.4	165.0	54.3	162.2	108.8	121.2	401.0
October.....	85.8	182.1	58.5	170.1	133.3	139.5	467.9
November.....	84.9	184.5	59.0	170.2	143.3	141.5	466.1
December.....	78.8	176.9	56.9	170.1	135.9	140.2	459.3
1939 No. of Stocks	3	4	10	12	7	15	2
January.....	79.1	173.5	52.9	172.9	126.9	133.3	422.1
February.....	77.6	175.9	54.3	175.3	130.4	133.6	433.1
March.....	79.8	173.9	57.2	172.5	127.6	132.9	419.2
April.....	71.4	162.9	53.1	169.2	116.9	119.3	381.9
May.....	78.9	170.2	55.0	176.3	120.4	124.6	387.9
June.....	77.4	153.2	56.2	179.2	124.7	128.8	389.0
July.....	75.0	154.0	59.8	182.1	124.8	129.5	393.1
August.....	76.0	147.9	60.1	180.5	117.7	121.6	386.7
September.....	99.8	164.6	71.9	170.8	108.5	145.3	426.3
October.....	106.3	185.9	81.4	178.8	121.4	160.9	399.6
November.....	100.9	173.9	82.9	174.3	127.5	156.6	394.8
December.....	101.8	163.5	84.7	180.1	130.8	155.3	376.8

## INDEX NUMBERS OF PRICES AND YIELDS OF CANADIAN BONDS, 1932-1939

An index of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices declined approximately 5.3 p.c. in 1939, falling from 118.8 for the final week of 1938 to 112.5 for the week ending December 28, 1939. The year-end index indicated that bonds had recovered approximately one-half of severe September price declines when the index touched a five-year low of 108.7.

Tabled below are revised index numbers of Dominion of Canada long-term bond prices and yields for the year 1932 and onward. Indexes for periods prior to 1932 may be compared directly with indexes shown on the following tables.

The purpose of the revision was to simplify the construction of these series and to lengthen the average maturity of issues included. Comparison of the new indexes with those already published for the years 1932 to 1939 will show a very close correspondence between the two price indexes. However, the new yield index, while showing the same fluctuations as the old, has tended to remain at slightly higher levels in recent years, due to the longer average maturity of issues included.

Revised indexes have been based upon simple arithmetic averages of market prices and computed yields for two representative long-term Dominion issues.

The original issues used from the beginning of 1932 and subsequent substitutions with the dates of changes are shown below.

Dominion of Canada 4½ p.c. 1948-58 (Jan. 1932-Dec. 1936)

Dominion of Canada 4½ p.c. 1949-59 (Jan. 1932-Dec. 1937)

Dominion of Canada 3 p.c. 1950-55 (Dec. 1936-Dec. 1938)

Dominion of Canada 3¼ p.c. 1956-66 (Dec. 1937- )

Dominion of Canada 3 p.c. 1953-58 (Dec. 1938- )

TABLE 29—MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND PRICES, 1932-1939

(1926=100)

	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
January.....	94.2	103.9	105.2	116.9	114.1	118.7	116.0	118.6
February.....	95.2	104.2	106.1	115.2	115.7	116.3	116.4	118.8
March.....	96.9	102.6	108.6	115.7	116.3	113.6	116.6	119.6
April.....	96.7	103.6	110.3	115.5	116.5	113.1	117.5	118.8
May.....	96.6	104.4	111.2	116.4	116.6	113.9	118.3	118.1
June.....	94.2	105.7	111.1	115.2	117.8	114.9	118.0	119.1
July.....	97.0	105.7	111.9	115.3	118.7	115.2	117.8	119.2
August.....	101.8	106.5	113.1	115.6	120.0	115.7	117.7	118.1
September.....	102.7	106.4	113.4	111.9	120.3	115.6	116.4	109.6
October.....	104.9	105.9	112.0	111.2	118.3	114.7	116.9	111.3
November.....	103.6	105.1	113.3	113.3	118.6	114.7	118.4	113.5
December.....	101.9	104.3	116.3	113.1	119.1	115.8	118.7	112.7

TABLE 30—MONTHLY INDEX NUMBERS OF DOMINION OF CANADA LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1932-1939

(1926=100)

	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
January.....	112.4	97.9	94.9	73.6	76.6	67.8	71.5	67.4
February.....	111.5	97.5	93.6	76.2	74.6	71.3	71.0	67.5
March.....	109.0	99.0	88.6	74.9	73.6	75.6	70.4	66.3
April.....	109.1	97.8	85.5	75.2	73.3	76.5	69.3	67.5
May.....	109.1	96.7	84.0	74.0	72.6	75.3	68.2	66.4
June.....	112.3	94.9	83.8	76.1	70.5	73.8	68.6	67.0
July.....	108.7	94.9	82.4	75.7	68.7	73.3	68.9	66.8
August.....	101.0	94.0	80.3	75.1	66.6	72.6	69.2	68.1
September.....	100.1	94.1	79.8	81.2	66.0	72.5	70.6	78.3
October.....	97.3	94.9	81.6	81.9	69.1	74.0	70.0	76.5
November.....	98.2	95.2	80.2	78.0	68.1	73.7	68.1	74.0
December.....	100.6	96.0	74.6	78.5	67.2	72.0	67.7	75.1



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TABLE 31—INDEX NUMBERS OF PROVINCE OF ONTARIO LONG-TERM BOND YIELDS, 1929-1939

(1926=100)

—	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
January.....	97.1	102.3	95.0	119.8	99.2	97.2	76.2	85.5	70.4	69.7	68.1
February.....	98.1	102.3	95.0	115.9	98.7	96.0	78.3	80.6	74.3	69.3	69.7
March.....	101.3	101.3	92.9	110.6	100.0	90.1	79.5	77.3	78.5	68.5	68.3
April.....	103.3	101.3	92.9	111.3	101.3	87.7	80.8	78.5	77.9	67.2	70.6
May.....	104.4	101.3	91.9	113.2	98.1	84.8	78.5	76.6	74.5	65.3	68.7
June.....	103.3	100.8	91.9	114.4	97.1	85.4	80.4	73.3	72.9	65.3	65.8
July.....	103.3	100.2	92.9	110.6	96.7	83.1	80.2	72.0	73.1	66.8	65.8
August.....	102.3	96.0	91.9	103.3	95.0	82.3	79.7	71.2	72.2	66.8	72.6
September.....	104.4	92.9	97.1	101.9	95.8	82.0	88.3	69.9	71.8	68.9	84.1
October.....	103.3	93.9	103.3	98.1	94.6	82.9	85.4	72.2	73.1	66.8	75.8
November.....	103.3	93.9	105.4	102.3	97.3	81.0	80.8	71.8	72.7	65.1	72.9
December.....	102.3	93.9	108.6	102.7	93.5	76.2	82.7	69.7	71.2	65.8	73.5

\*TABLE 32—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE UNITED STATES, 1936-1939

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York

(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 420 Stocks	Industrials 350 Stocks	Railroads 30 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1936				
January.....	100.1	114.5	43.8	97.0
February.....	106.1	120.9	49.1	102.8
March.....	108.7	124.6	49.2	102.8
April.....	108.9	125.3	48.9	101.5
May.....	101.0	116.2	45.0	94.7
June.....	105.6	120.6	47.7	102.0
July.....	109.2	124.3	50.7	105.8
August.....	113.0	128.4	53.9	108.8
September.....	114.1	130.2	55.4	107.7
October.....	118.7	136.0	58.4	109.1
November.....	124.2	144.3	57.9	108.9
December.....	122.8	142.6	54.4	110.6
1937				
January.....	126.0	146.3	55.6	113.2
February.....	129.5	151.7	57.9	110.7
March.....	129.9	152.6	62.8	105.7
April.....	124.5	146.5	60.1	100.7
May.....	116.3	136.7	57.1	94.1
June.....	113.6	134.0	53.9	91.3
July.....	117.8	139.4	52.1	95.9
August.....	120.5	143.5	50.9	97.0
September.....	106.4	128.2	42.6	89.2
October.....	91.4	107.4	35.4	81.3
November.....	82.9	96.1	31.4	79.5
December.....	82.2	95.2	31.2	78.8

\*TABLE 32—MONTHLY INDEXES OF COMMON STOCK PRICES IN THE  
UNITED STATES, 1936-1939—Concluded

Issued by the Standard Statistics Company, Inc., of New York

(1926=100)

Month and Year	Total 420 Stocks	Industrials 300 Stocks	Railroads 30 Stocks	Utilities 40 Stocks
1938				
January.....	81.6	95.7	29.0	75.7
February.....	80.7	95.7	28.3	71.2
March.....	77.9	92.7	25.5	68.5
April.....	70.7	84.2	20.9	64.0
May.....	73.9	87.4	21.8	69.5
June.....	73.1	86.4	20.5	69.2
July.....	88.0	105.3	27.3	76.5
August.....	89.5	108.0	27.8	75.0
September.....	86.0	103.9	25.5	72.2
October.....	91.1	109.6	28.1	77.4
November.....	94.7	113.6	30.0	80.9
December.....	92.0	110.6	28.8	77.9
1939				
January.....	91.8	109.3	29.8	81.2
February.....	90.1	106.3	28.0	83.8
March.....	91.7	108.0	29.7	85.8
April.....	81.9	95.9	24.8	80.0
May.....	83.1	97.0	25.0	82.4
June.....	86.0	100.5	25.9	84.7
July.....	86.1	100.6	25.7	84.9
August.....	86.3	100.5	25.4	87.0
September.....	92.4	109.4	29.7	84.3
October.....	95.3	112.7	32.9	86.0
November.....	94.2	110.9	31.6	87.3
December.....	91.8	107.9	29.6	86.7

\*For 1918-1933 data, see 1913-1933 Prices and Price Indexes.—Revised indexes from 1931.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE, 1939

(Quotations are Montreal noon rates unless otherwise specified)

Foreign exchange trading, outside of the United States, was subject to a marked increase in official control in 1939. Soon after the outbreak of hostilities in September, belligerents took action to safeguard the position of their currencies and foreign exchange reserves.

From the beginning of the year until the latter part of August, sterling rates at Montreal held comparatively steady at approximately \$4.69, being supported intermittently by the British Exchange Equalization Fund. Following withdrawal of this support sterling rates dropped to a 1939 low of \$4.1966 on September 14th. Various restrictive measures were imposed by the British Treasury at this time. Rediscount rates were raised from 2 to 4 per cent by the Bank of England and limitations were placed on capital exports. Bar gold at London advanced from around 148s. 6d. in August to 168s. per fine ounce on September 5th, the latter figure being a fixed buying price set by the Bank of England. About the middle of the month official sterling buying and selling rates of \$4.02-\$4.06 were set for New York funds. At the same time the Bank of England transferred practically its entire gold reserves amounting to approximately £280 millions to the Exchange Equalization Fund. On September 18th, with the formation of the Canadian Foreign Exchange Control Board, sterling buying and selling rates at Montreal were set at \$4.43-\$4.47 while New York rates were revised by the Bank of England to \$4.02-\$4.04. Rates on United States funds were set by the Canadian Foreign Exchange Control Board at \$1.10 buying and \$1.11 selling on the same date. These rates remained unchanged for the balance of the year. Prior to their establishment United States funds, which had been ruling at par in August, moved up to a 1939 peak premium of  $11\frac{1}{2}$  p.c. on September 15th. This compared with a premium of  $\frac{7}{8}$  of one per cent at the beginning of the year. During the last three and one-half months of 1939, free market rates at New York for sterling generally fluctuated at levels considerably below the official rate. A low of \$3.82 $\frac{1}{2}$  was touched on September 18th while a peak of \$4.05 $\frac{1}{2}$  occurred on October 4th. Generally, however, free rates averaged about 10c. below the lower official limit. During the same period Canadian funds at New York moved between a high of 91c. on September 20th and a low of 86c. on November 22nd. French francs remained linked to sterling throughout the year and reflected sterling movements. Repatriation of French gold and securities during 1939 was substantial and brought Bank of France gold reserves (measured in metric tons) to their highest level in history. Quotations on the French franc at Montreal closed the year at 2.50c. compared with a low of 2.34c. on September 18th and an opening level of 2.64c. A noteworthy event in connection with the sterling-franc relationship was the announcement on December 12th that the Governments of the United Kingdom and France had signed a financial agreement which stabilized Anglo-French currencies at the rate of 176 $\frac{1}{2}$  francs to the £ sterling until six months after the signature of a peace treaty.

Major European neutral units generally scored sharp gains at Montreal following the outbreak of war. Exchange rates on Far Eastern countries for the most part continued to move with sterling and consequently showed weakness at Montreal. After allowing the yen to decline with sterling for the first two months of the current European war, Japanese authorities severed an eight-year tie with the pound and linked the yen to the United States dollar at \$23 $\frac{7}{8}$  per 100 yen. The yen ended the year at 26.02c. in terms of the Canadian dollar compared with an opening figure of 27.19c. Operations of various controls tended to keep South American currencies relatively steady during 1939 though there was some relaxation of the regulations in one or two instances. Due to its new link with United States funds established in September, Argentine pesos (free rates) moved about 2c. higher at Montreal in the final quarter, closing the year at 25.09c.



TABLE 33—MONTHLY AVERAGE EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT MONTREAL, 1939

NOTE.—The noon rates in Canadian funds upon which these averages are based have been supplied by the Bank of Canada.

1939	Australia Pound	Belgium Belga Krone	Czecho- Slovakia Krone	Denmark Krone	Finland Markka	France Franc	Germany Reichs- mark	Nether- lands Florin	Italy Lira	Norway Krone	Spain Peseta
January.....	3 7647	1703	0945	2100	.....	0266	4085	5462	0530	2364	0405
February.....	3 7655	1694	0944	2102	.....	0266	4032	5388	0529	2366	.....
March.....	3 7636	1680	0943	2100	.....	0266	4026	5331	0528	2364	.....
April.....	3 7631	1692	.....	2100	.....	0266	4028	5341	0529	2363	.....
May.....	3 7555	1708	.....	2097	.....	0266	4026	5379	0528	2360	.....
June.....	3 7539	1704	.....	2094	.....	0266	4019	5328	0527	2358	.....
July.....	3 7508	1702	.....	2093	.....	0265	4018	5355	0527	2355	.....
August.....	3 7062	1704	.....	2082	.....	0263	4006	5374	0528	2342	.....
September.....	3 5292	1871	.....	2123	.....	0263	.....	5351	0529	2400	.....
October.....	3 5760	1858	.....	2142	.....	0262	.....	5397	0561	2320	.....
November.....	3 5760	1852	.....	2142	.....	0247	.....	5392	0560	2321	.....
December.....	3 5760	1841	.....	2143	.....	0247	.....	5385	0560	2321	.....
1939	Sweden Krona	Switzer- land Franc	† Argentina Peso (paper)	† Brazil Milreis	Mexico Peso	Hong Kong Dollar	India Rupee	Japan Yen	Shanghai Dollar	United States Dollar	Great Britain Pound
January.....	2423	2276	3136	0391	1964	2923	3514	2742	1640	1-0079	4-7000
February.....	2425	2279	3139	0389	2006	2934	3519	2744	1596	1-0049	4-7086
March.....	2423	2271	3136	0389	2011	2917	3520	2742	1600	1-0041	4-7044
April.....	2423	2254	3137	0388	2012	2881	3514	2742	1612	1-0050	4-7038
May.....	2420	2256	3133	0371	2010	2899	3505	2738	1605	1-0036	4-6981
June.....	2416	2259	3128	0511	2006	2899	3500	2734	1349	1-0021	4-6923
July.....	2415	2258	3126	0306	1716	2876	3496	2733	1074	1-0015	4-6885
August.....	2407	2268	3116	0304	1689	2881	3346	2703	0719	1-0047	4-6827
September.....	2612	2478	.....	0354	2124	2735	3282	2575	0750	1-0043	4-6827
October.....	2642	2491	3304	0561	2240	.....	3362	2612	0851	1-0043	4-6827
November.....	2642	2490	3304	0559	2275	2723	3346	2603	0851	1-0050	4-4500
December.....	2642	2490	3304	0553	2023	2716	3303	2602	0831	1-0050	4-4500

† Free market rates.

× Since September 16, 1939 quotations used are the average of the daily buying and selling rates set by the Canadian Foreign Exchange Control Board.

## WORLD WHOLESALE PRICE MOVEMENTS

The slight upward trend in world wholesale prices, noted during the first half of 1939, continued at a greatly accelerated rate throughout the third and fourth quarters of the year. In most instances the major part of this advance occurred subsequent to the outbreak of European hostilities in September.

Percentage changes in national indexes during 1939 showed considerable variation. In Germany the wholesale index moved within exceptionally narrow limits due to continuation of the strict price control which has been exercised during the past few years. Australia alone, among countries for which indexes were available, showed a decline in 1939, and that was of minor proportions. All June-December index comparisons showed net advances.

In the United Kingdom wholesale prices showed a rise of 23.0 p.c. during the year as indicated by the Board of Trade index which closed at 120.9 compared with 98.3 for December 1938. After the outbreak of war this index rose 23.2 p.c. United Kingdom price advances occurred largely for imported goods whose price rise was heightened by the 5 to 14 p.c. depreciation for sterling in terms of leading foreign currencies in the final quarter. During this same period, increased freight and insurance costs gave added impetus to a rise in all imported goods in those countries within the war area. Canadian wholesale indexes pursued a narrowly lower course for the first eight months of 1939 but jumped 12.8 p.c. in the last four to close at 81.7. This amounted to a net gain of 11.5 p.c. on the year. Compared with most other leading industrial countries, the rise in United States wholesale prices over the past year was relatively small. The general wholesale index of the Bureau of Labor Statistics showed an advance of only 2.0 p.c. during the year, though there was a 5.6 p.c. increase between August and December. The rapid advance in wholesale prices in China, dating from the commencement of Sino-Japanese hostilities in July, 1937, continued through 1939. At the close of the year a Chinese index (for Shanghai) showed a net rise of 123.3 p.c. when compared with the final 1938 figure; 40.3 p.c. of this increase coming between August and December. This was by far the largest advance for any country. Among wholesale price indexes for other countries, sharp rises were noted for India (Calcutta), up 44.2 p.c. during 1939 and 37.0 p.c. since August; Belgium, 30.6 p.c. for the year, and 33.5 p.c. since August; and Denmark 30.0 p.c. for the year, and 28.8 p.c. since August.

## WORLD COST OF LIVING MOVEMENTS

Although cost of living indexes showed considerable increases in certain countries during 1939, especially in the last four months of the year, there was the usual lag when compared with major advances in wholesale prices levels. For a list of countries publishing cost of living series, net advances were recorded for all but one between December 1938 and December 1939. Food prices for almost all of these countries showed gains exceeding those of other family budget groups by a considerable margin.

In the United States the National Industrial Conference Board index on the base 1923 = 100 declined 0.9 p.c. during 1939 to 85.3 in December. Decreases in rent, clothing and miscellaneous sub-group indexes more than outweighed a narrow rise in food prices. In the United Kingdom a cost of living index published by the Ministry of Labour moved up 10.9 p.c. in 1939 and 11.6 p.c. after August. Foods closed the year 12.9 p.c. above December 1938 levels, while a rise of 14.6 p.c. was recorded after August. A quarterly index for Eire advanced 9.2 p.c. between November 1938 and 1939 while an August-November comparison showed an advance of 12.7 p.c. Led by a 4.1 p.c. increase in food prices there was a 2.3 p.c. increase in the Canadian cost of living index between December 1938 and 1939. The August-December comparison showed a 2.8 p.c. rise in the composite figure which brought the index to 85.3 in December.

Paralleling the huge increase in wholesale prices, the Chinese (Shanghai) cost of living index rose 103.0 p.c. in 1939, 45.5 p.c. of this amount being added after August. In the same interval the food group index for this series rose 136.7 p.c. Recording the second largest increase noted, the Japanese index (Tokio series) advanced 13.2 p.c. in 1939, while foods moved up 17.4 p.c.

In Australia the rise in the cost of living series exceeded that for wholesale prices. The Australian cost of living index for six state capitals advanced 2.3 p.c. during the year as compared with a small decline in the wholesale index over a similar period. Between August and December there was an advance of 1.1 p.c. in the Australian retail index. In Germany, continued strict control over retail prices held group indexes exceptionally steady throughout the year, the cost of living index closing only 0.9 p.c. higher at 126.4.

## PERCENTAGE CHANGES IN WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX NUMBERS, 1939

Country	Percentage Change Between	
	December 1938 and December 1939	August 1939 and December 1939
United Kingdom.....	+23.0	+23.2
United States.....	+ 2.9	+ 5.6
Canada.....	+11.5	+12.8
Belgium.....	+30.6	+33.5
Switzerland.....	+17.9	+16.5
Germany.....	+ 1.2	+ 0.5
India.....	+44.2	+37.0
Japan.....	+17.4	+10.0

## PERCENTAGE CHANGES IN COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBERS, 1939

Country	Percentage Change Between	
	December 1938 and December 1939	August 1939 and December 1939
United Kingdom.....	+10.9	+11.6
United States.....	- 0.6	+ 0.9
Canada.....	+ 2.0	+ 2.8
Belgium.....	+ 2.4	+ 6.5
Switzerland.....	+ 3.6	+ 3.6
Germany.....	+ 0.9	- 0.7
India.....	+ 8.7	+ 7.6
Japan.....	+13.2	+ 7.6



TABLE 34—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	Albania	Argentina	Common-wealth of Australia	Belgium	Bulgaria	Canada		Chile	China
	Authority	Official	Banco de la Nacion	Common-wealth Statistician	Ministry of Industry and Labour	Official	Dominion Bureau of Statistics		Official	National Tariff Commission, Shanghai
	Number Commodities	23	108	—	124	72	567 (h)		—	154
	Base Period	1927	1926	July 1928-June 1929	April, 1914	1914	1926	1913	1913	1926
1	1913		76				64.0	100.0	100.0	
2	1914				(d) 100	100	65.5	102.3		
3	1915						70.4	109.9		
4	1916						84.3	131.6		
5	1917						114.3	178.5		
6	1918						127.4	199.0		
7	1919						134.0	209.2		
8	1920						155.9	243.5		
9	1921		108		(e) 366		110.0	171.8		104.6
10	1922		99		367		97.3	152.0		98.6
11	1923		102		497		98.0	153.0		102.0
12	1924		110		573		99.4	155.2		97.9
13	1925		111		558		102.6	160.3		99.3
14	1926		100		744	2,947	100.0	156.2		100.0
15	1927	100	98		847	3,017	97.7	152.6		104.4
16	1928	104	99	(j)	843	3,237	96.4	150.6	193	101.7
17	1929	100	96	100.4	851	3,447	95.6	149.3	192	104.5
18	1930	88	92	89.8	744	2,788	86.6	135.3	167	114.8
19	1931	90	89	85.7	626	2,332	72.1	112.6	152	126.7
20	1932	74	90	81.5	532	2,071	66.7	104.2	230	(b) 112.4
21	1933	57	86	81.1	501	1,821	67.1	104.8	346	103.8
22	1934	51	98	81.4	473	1,873	71.6	111.8	344	97.1
23	1935	56	97	84.0	537	1,919	72.1	112.6	343	96.4
24	1936	63	99	89.2	605	1,991	74.6	116.5	380	108.5
25	1937	65	113	91.1	684	2,221	84.6	132.1	455	129.1
26	1938	64	106	91.6	630	(i) 2,151	78.6	122.8	432	153.6
27	1939	69	108	94.4	649	2,197	75.4	117.8	421	242.5
28	1938 January	(a) 66	112	88.2	(f) 660	(g) 2,141	83.8	130.9	432	(c) 139.6
29	February	66	111	88.3	657	2,104	83.6	130.6	431	138.4
30	March	64	109	89.0	644	2,081	83.1	129.8	431	139.2
31	April	65	108	90.0	640	2,091	82.3	128.6	432	142.8
32	May	65	106	90.8	631	2,101	80.3	125.4	433	141.9
33	June	62	104	92.5	629	2,095	80.1	125.1	430	145.2
34	July	62	104	93.8	623	2,167	78.6	122.8	437	153.0
35	August	62	102	95.2	620	2,214	76.0	118.7	438	164.8
36	September	63	101	92.9	622	2,219	74.5	116.4	438	164.9
37	October	63	102	91.8	617	2,252	74.1	115.7	436	167.5
38	November	63	102	89.3	610	2,230	73.5	114.8	431	167.5
39	December	63	103	88.6	607	2,223	73.3	114.5	416	166.6
40	1939 January	63	103	90.3	604	2,217	73.2	114.3	405	169.4
41	February	62	102	91.2	599	2,167	73.2	114.3	402	172.9
42	March	62	103	94.7	600	2,184	73.2	114.3	403	179.8
43	April	65	103	93.2	602	2,216	73.4	114.7	409	181.0
44	May	66	103	89.3	599	2,209	73.7	115.1	414	184.0
45	June	65	103	89.3	597	2,183	73.3	114.5	417	199.3
46	July	67	103	88.8	594	2,158	72.6	113.4	418	204.3
47	August	72	103	88.3	594	2,158	72.4	113.1	414	264.0
48	September	69	113	90.3	706	2,179	78.2	122.1	423	318.0
49	October	73	119	92.7	735	2,202	79.3	123.9	446	332.3
50	November	78	121	93.3	762	2,259	80.3	125.4	450	334.4
51	December	84	122	93.4	793	2,301	81.7	126.7	447	371.0

(a) End of month. (b) Average for ten months only. (c) Fifteenth of month. (d) April. (e) Average of five months.  
 (f) Second half of month. (g) Last week or end of month. (h) No. of commodities changed in 1926 from 236 to 502 and to 567 in 1934. (i) New Index beginning January, 1938. (j) Annual indexes are for the period July of preceding year to June of current year.

## IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1939

Czecho-Slovakia	Danzig	Denmark	Netherlands East Indies	Egypt	Estonia	Finland	France		No.
General Bureau of Statistics	Official	Official	Official	Department of Statistics, Cairo	Official	Official	Statistique Générale	Statistique Générale	
126	—	—	92	23	44	139	45	126	
July, 1914	1913-1914	1935	1913	Jan. 1, 1913-July 31, 1914	1913	1935	July, 1914	1913	
(a) 100			(a) 100		100		102	100	1
			98				104		2
				103			143		3
				128			192		4
				176			267		5
			215	211			346		6
			248	231			364		7
			279	316			520		8
			191	173			352		9
			170	146	(113)		334		10
			173	132	(114)		428		11
	143		173	143	(116)		499		12
	151		166	152	124		561		13
	146		159	132	114		718	695	14
	146		154	121	114		630	642	15
	142		149	120	121		634	645	16
	135		148	116	117		623	627	17
(e) 121			134	104	102		543	554	18
738	106		105	97	91		462	502	19
682	91		86	84	83		407	427	20
658	90		71	71	85		388	398	21
675	88	(d)	67	87	88		366	376	22
705	116	100	65	95	84	100	347	338	23
706	138	105	67	85	91	103	405	411	24
750	145	119	89	88	101	122	563	581	25
742	133	112	83	91	100	114	640	653	26
		118		88	103				27
(c) (b)							(f)		
733	137	119	86	88	102	119	612	636	28
733	135	117	85	90	102	118	614	631	29
730	135	115	84	89	101	116	619	634	30
727	133	113	84	90	100	115	619	643	31
731	133	112	84	91	100	113	643	654	32
731	132	111	84	92	100	112	653	660	33
734	133	111	83	92	100	112	652	652	34
733	130	110	83	91	99	111	644	649	35
737	132	110	81	92	97	111	646	652	36
753	132	111	81	95	98	111	654	664	37
757	134	110	81	94	99	112	657	674	38
764	135	110	80	92	100	113	666	684	39
772		110	80	90	102	113	676	689	40
782		110	81	90	102	113	677	685	41
772		109	81	90	101	113	681	683	42
781		109	81	89	100	113	682	675	43
794		111	81	85	100	114	693	684	44
795		110	81	84	100	115	685	683	45
811		111	81	83	100	116	677	678	46
810		111	81	83	100	117	672	674	47
		127	85	88	102				48
		132	90	90	104				49
		138	96	90	108				50
		143	98	98	113				51

(a) July. (b) 10th and 20th of month. (c) First of month. (d) New series—1935=100. (e) Index based on paper currency. (f) End of month.

TABLE 34—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

No.	Country	Germany	Greece	Hungary	India		Indo-China	Italy		Japan	Latvia	Lithuania
	Authority	Federal Statistical Office	Official	Official	Dept. of Statistics, Calcutta	Labour Office, Bombay	Statistique Générale, Saigon	Bachi	Official	Bank of Japan	Official	Official
	Number of Commodities	400 (b)	60	548	72	43	37	138	293	56	61	88
	Base period	1913	Jan. 1913-July 1914	1929	July, 1914	July, 1914	1913	1913	June, 1928	1913	1913	1913
1	1913	100					100	100		100	100	100
2	1914	99			(d) 100	(d) 100				96		109
3	1915				112					97		
4	1916				128					117		
5	1917				145					149		
6	1918	208			178	239				196		
7	1919	339			196	223				236		
8	1920	1,367			201	216				259		
9	1921	1,428			178	198		531		200		
10	1922	10,059			176	187		508		196		
11	1923	7,478,700			172	181		512		199		
12	1924	(b) 137.3			173	182		512		206		
13	1925	141.8			159	163	132	596		202		145
14	1926	134.4			148	149	131	603		179		134
15	1927	137.6			148	147	142	495		170		134
16	1928	140.0			145	146	144	462	100	171	129	134
17	1929	137.2	1,811	100.0	141	145	150	445	95	166	120	129
18	1930	124.6	1,646	86.7	116	126	150	383	85	137	102	108
19	1931	110.9	1,471	82.4	96	109	128	328	75	116	85	94
20	1932	96.5	1,766	81.6	91	109	117	304	70	122	85	76
21	1933	93.3	1,997	71.1	87	98	106	280	63	136	83	68
22	1934	98.4	1,969	71.3	89	95	96	273	62	134	83	61
23	1935	101.8	2,003	77.5	91	99	94	318	68	140	86	53
24	1936	104.1	2,038	79.9	91	96	99	303	76	149	91	55
25	1937	105.9	2,281	86.3	102	106	132	437	89	180	113	64
26	1938	105.7	2,227	86.8	95	101	153	469	96	190	113	64
27	1939	106.9	2,208	86.3	108	109	162			210	118	
					(a)			(a)				
28	1938—January...	105.6	2,284	86.6	99	104	143	470	95	185	114	66
29	February...	105.7	2,288	86.1	97	103	145	467	94	188	114	66
30	March...	105.8	2,291	86.2	96	100	148	466	94	190	114	65
31	April...	105.6	2,285	88.9	94	101	149	465	95	187	113	66
32	May...	105.4	2,256	89.3	94	100	152	469	96	188	114	65
33	June...	105.6	2,226	87.7	94	100	152	470	96	192	113	64
34	July...	105.6	2,203	85.8	95	100	154	468	95	192	112	63
35	August...	105.9	2,183	86.1	94	100	158	468	96	190	112	63
36	September...	105.6	2,179	87.4	95	101	160	471	97	190	112	63
37	October...	105.9	2,183	87.0	95	100	158	474	97	191	112	63
38	November...	106.1	2,175	85.2	95	99	157	473	97	192	112	64
39	December...	106.3	2,173	85.0	95	101	154	471	96	193	112	65
40	1939—January...	106.5	2,180	85.1	96	100	152	473	97	196	114	65
41	February...	106.5	2,170	85.2	98	99	154	475	97	200	115	65
42	March...	106.6	2,168	86.0	97	99	154	475	98	200	116	65
43	April...	106.4	2,173	86.2	100	100	158	476	98	201	116	65
44	May...	106.5	2,176	85.5	101	101	160	479	97	204	114	65
45	June...	106.8	2,155	84.9	101	101	158	481	98	204	114	65
46	July...	107.0	2,132	85.3	100	100	157	480	96	204	115	65
47	August...	107.1	2,156	86.3	100	103	154	483		206	118	64
48	September...	106.9	2,226	86.5	114	120	157			217	119	65
49	October...	107.1	2,245	87.5	118	121	168			221	121	
50	November...	107.4	2,313	88.2	131	133	180			226	123	
51	December...	107.6	2,405	89.2	137	135	193			237	126	81

(a) End of month.

(b) Since 1924, new series.

(d) July.



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Nether-lands	New Zealand	Norway		Peru	Poland	Portugal	South Africa	Sweden	Switzer-land	No.
Central Bureau of Statistics	Government Statist-ician	Official	Okono-misk Revue	Official	Commerce Reports	Banco de Portugal	Census and Statistics Office	Com-merce Dept.	Federal Labour Depart-ment	
48	180	95	100	58	238	—	188	160	78	
1913	1909-1913	1913	Dec. 31, '13- June 30, '14	1913	1928	June 1927	1913	1913	July, 1914	
100		100		100			100.0	100		1
109	105.3		115	104			96.9	(g) 100.0		2
146			159	120			107.0			3
224			233	146			122.6			4
276			341	176			140.7			5
376	170.5		345	212			153.1			6
304	178.2		322	220			164.8			7
292	209.2		382	239			223.3	359		8
182	194.2		298	205			160.4	222	200.1	9
160	166.5		233	190			128.4	173	157.9	10
151	159.8	232	233	189			126.6	163	169.9	11
156	163.4	268	269	192			128.7	162	171.2	12
155	162.7	253	251	202			127.6	161	160.5	13
145	155.3	198	196	203			123.3	149	144.5	14
148	147.8	167	160	203		(e) 100.0	124.0	146	142.2	15
149	(i) 99.4	(c) 157	155	192	100	(e) 114.2	120.7	148	144.6	16
142	98.8	149	148	186	96	(e) 103.9	115.1	140	141.2	17
117	96.3	137	138	178	86	(e) 98.4	102.6	122	126.5	18
97	90.2	122	123	175	75	(e) 88.5	99.5	111	109.7	19
79	87.8	122	125	170	66	89.6	91.5	109	96.0	20
74	90.4	122	124	180	59	86.8	93.1	107	91.0	21
78	90.9	124	126	188	56	93.8	101.7	114	89.8	22
76	93.7	127	132	189	53	86.1	94.8	116	89.8	23
79	94.6	134	138	192	54	89.6	98.6	120	95.6	24
97	102.1	156	161	205	59	105.5	101.0	137	111.2	25
92	103.6	153	161	205	56	102.6	104.4	130	107.1	26
	107.1		159	213			101.9		111.2	27
	(b)	(b)	(d)	(b)	(d)		(f)		(h)	
97	153.3	158	162	204	58	106.7	107.3	135	110.0	28
95	152.8	157	160	205	58	105.6		134	109.4	29
93	152.2	155	159	204	57	104.3		132	108.2	30
92	151.9	154	159	204	57	104.9	104.2	131	108.1	31
92	151.4	154	159	203	57	104.3		130	106.9	32
92	151.7	153	159	203	57	101.8		130	107.1	33
90	150.8	154	158	204	56	100.4	103.1	130	106.4	34
90	151.3	152	152	206	55	100.4		128	105.4	35
91	150.6	151	151	205	55	100.1		127	105.5	36
91	151.2	150	151	207	55	101.0	102.8	128	105.8	37
91	151.8	150	150	208	55	101.0		127	106.1	38
92	154.7	150	151	207	55	100.8		127	106.1	39
91	(i) 104.7	148	149	208	55	99.0	101.8	127	105.7	40
91	104.9	148	149	206	55	100.0		127	105.2	41
91	105.0	148	149	206	55	99.9		127	105.3	42
92	105.6	149	149	206	56	101.5	100.1	128	105.9	43
92	105.7	149	150	208	56	100.6		129	107.0	44
91	105.8	148	150	214	56	99.5		130	106.4	45
91	106.5	149	151	213	56	99.2	99.8	131	106.5	46
90	108.4	150	151	216		98.3		133	107.4	47
98	107.7	153	163	220		103.4		143	116.8	48
106	109.0	168	174	220		109.8	104.2	150	120.1	49
	111.1	177	184	234		113.3	106.0	153	122.6	50
	111.5		189	237			107.7		125.1	51

(a) Revised since January, 1931. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) New series beginning 1928. (d) End of month.  
(e) June. (f) Monthly average. (g) July. (h) End of month. (i) New series, 1928=100. 1928 index on 1912  
base 149.2.

TABLE 34—INDEX NUMBERS OF WHOLESALE PRICES

Country	Turkey	United Kingdom				United States			Yugoslavia
Authority	Official	Board of Trade	Economist	Statist	Times	Bureau of Labour Statistics	Irving Fisher	Annalist	National Bank
Number of Commodities	52	200	58	45	60	(a) 784	200	94	55
Base Period	1913-1914	1930	1927	1913	1913	1926	1926	1926	1926
1913.....				100.0	100.0	69.8	69.8		
1914.....				100.0		68.1	68.1		
1915.....				127.1		69.5	69.5		
1916.....				159.5		85.5	85.5		
1917.....				206.1		117.5	117.5		
1918.....				226.5		131.3	131.3		
1919.....				241.9		138.6	138.6		
1920.....		(f) 307.3		295.3	(d) 251.2	154.4	154.4		
1921.....		197.2		182.4	(d) 162.1	97.6	97.6		
1922.....		158.8		154.1	(d) 158.6	96.7	96.7		
1923.....		158.9		151.8	(d) 169.1	100.6	101.1		
1924.....		166.2	115.7	164.0	(d) 179.3	98.1	98.9		
1925.....		159.1	112.0	159.5	161	103.5	105.2		
1926.....		148.1	104.0	148.0	148	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927.....	1,262	141.6	100.0	144.0	142	95.4	94.2	96.3	103.4
1928.....	1,296	140.3	98.1	141.2	141	96.7	97.9	99.2	106.2
1929.....	1,316	136.5	92.4	135.3	134	95.3	96.3	96.9	100.6
1930.....	1,000	(e) 100.0	77.6	114.1	115	86.4	86.3	84.9	86.6
1931.....	859	87.8	64.9	96.5	98	73.0	71.4	69.3	72.9
1932.....	738	85.6	62.6	94.0	96	64.8	61.6	60.6	65.2
1933.....	648	85.7	63.1	93.7	96	66.0	64.6	63.1	64.4
1934.....	672	88.1	65.6	96.4	100	75.0	76.6	75.5	63.2
1935.....	735	89.0	68.6	98.9	104	80.0	83.0	83.8	65.9
1936.....	817	94.4	72.8	103.5	110	80.8	83.7	84.1	68.4
1937.....	849	108.8	82.5	120.6	128	86.3	90.7	92.4	74.7
1938.....	805	101.5	72.0	107.5	117	78.6	81.2	81.0	78.3
1939.....		102.8	74.2	113.2	119 (c)	77.1	80.9	79.0	79.3

(a) Number of commodities changed from 550 to 784 since January, 1936.

(e) New series, 1930=100.

(f) 1920-1929, base 1913=100.

(c) End of month.

(d) December.

## IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1939—Concluded

Country	Turkey	United Kingdom				United States			Yugoslavia
Authority	Official	Board of Trade	Economist	Statist	Times	Bureau of Labor Statistics	Irving Fisher	Annalist	National Bank
Number of Commodities	52	200	58	45	60	(a) 784	200	94	56
Base Period	1913-1914	1930	1927	1913	1913	1926	1926	1926	1926
January.....	811	107.7	76.2	113.5	122	80.9	83.4	84.2	80.2
February.....	814	105.8	75.5	113.4	120	79.8	82.6	82.8	79.9
March.....	823	104.1	74.1	110.8	118	79.7	82.2	82.5	78.6
April.....	817	103.1	73.3	110.0	118	78.7	80.9	80.7	79.3
May.....	816	102.0	72.9	107.5	116	78.1	80.9	80.5	80.1
June.....	800	100.7	72.0	107.5	117	78.3	80.9	80.4	79.4
July.....	788	100.6	72.2	107.2	117	78.8	81.5	81.2	76.5
August.....	790	99.5	70.4	104.2	116	78.1	80.4	79.9	76.8
September.....	770	98.4	70.2	104.2	115	78.3	80.6	80.5	78.0
October.....	792	99.1	70.0	104.5	116	77.6	80.3	79.7	76.8
November.....	810	98.4	69.0	102.8	113	77.5	80.4	79.9	76.7
December.....	824	98.3	68.6	104.8	114	77.0	79.9	79.6	77.5
1939 January.....	836	97.2	68.7	104.4	112	76.9	79.8	79.2	77.5
February.....	835	96.8	68.9	104.2	110	76.9	79.8	79.1	76.6
March.....	839	96.6	69.1	104.7	111	76.7	80.0	78.9	76.9
April.....	843	97.2	70.2	106.5	111	76.2	80.0	77.8	77.1
May.....	840	97.8	70.5	106.6	112	76.2	79.8	77.5	77.3
June.....	825	98.1	69.8	106.6	113	75.6	79.0	76.7	77.7
July.....	802	98.1	69.2	104.4	112	75.4	78.7	76.7	77.6
August.....	805	98.1	70.3	106.4	115	75.0	78.2	75.6	76.8
September.....	797	105.6	76.8	117.3	123	79.1	82.4	81.3	76.6
October.....	778	110.9	83.3	124.5	129	79.4	83.5	81.5	80.1
November.....	.....	118.6	86.9	132.0	136	79.2	84.1	81.6	86.8
December.....	.....	122.3	91.7	141.3	143	79.2	85.6	81.7	90.9



## DOMINION BUREAU OF STATISTICS

TABLE 35—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND

No.	Country	Australia		Belgium		Bulgaria		Canada		Chile		China	
	Localities	6 Capital Cities		59 Localities		12 (67) Towns (c)		69 Localities		Santiago		Shanghai	
	Base Period	July 1928-June 1929		1921		1914		1935-39		March, 1928		1926	
	Nature of Index	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913.....							79.7	88.3				
2	1914.....					100	100	80.0	91.9				
3	1915.....							81.6	92.7				
4	1916.....							88.3	103.3				
5	1917.....							104.5	133.3				
6	1918.....							118.3	152.8				
7	1919.....							130.0	163.3				
8	1920.....							150.5	188.1				
9	1921.....			100	100	1,409	1,766	132.5	143.9				
10	1922.....			93	90	1,899	2,337	121.3	121.9				
11	1923.....			109	106	1,868	2,399	121.7	122.8				
12	1924.....			128	127	2,057	2,705	119.5	120.9				
13	1925.....			136	137	2,339	3,024	120.6	126.3				
14	1926.....			165	171	2,871	2,813	121.8	133.3			100.0	100.0
15	1927.....			203	208	2,814	2,751	119.9	130.8			106.7	106.7
16	1928.....	(h)	(h)	208	207	2,875	2,883	120.5	131.5	108	116	102.5	92.1
17	1929.....			220	218	2,941	2,992	121.7	134.7	109	119	107.9	98.4
18	1930.....	99.7	100.1	228	209	2,690	2,439	120.8	131.5	108	115	121.8	118.8
19	1931.....	90.3	86.9	205	176	2,349	1,913	109.1	103.1	107	103	125.9	107.5
20	1932.....	83.0	80.2	184	150	2,160	1,765	99.0	85.7	114	115	119.1	101.3
21	1933.....	79.4	75.3	182	150	2,006	1,680	94.4	84.9	141	147	107.2	86.9
22	1934.....	79.4	76.1	175	143	1,873	1,676	95.7	92.5	142	149	106.2	86.4
23	1935.....	80.7	78.6	176	146	1,750	1,643	96.2	94.6	144	155	106.6	89.1
24	1936.....	82.3	80.7	186	159	1,677	1,660	98.1	97.8	157	171	113.3	100.7
25	1937.....	84.6	83.4	202	176	1,708	1,761	101.2	103.2	176	205	131.8	121.5
26	1938.....	86.8	85.6	206	180	1,767	1,898	102.2	103.8	184	214	150.5	137.4
27	1939.....	89.4	90.8	204	175	1,808	1,932	101.5	100.6	187	210	196.4	189.9
		(a)		(b)	(b)	(g)	(g)	(e)	(e)	(f)			
28	1938 January.....		85.0	210	186	1,761	1,881	102.4	104.4	178	206	154.6	140.9
29	February.....		85.4	209	184	1,763	1,886	102.3	103.9	177	203	158.5	144.1
30	March.....	86.8	85.6	206	179	1,757	1,877	102.8	105.7	180	210	150.4	133.4
31	April.....		86.1	202	174	1,751	1,870	102.8	105.9	183	215	148.2	129.9
32	May.....		87.0	203	175	1,758	1,884	102.4	103.6	188	226	140.9	125.4
33	June.....	87.6	88.1	207	180	1,761	1,894	102.4	104.1	187	218	142.6	129.1
34	July.....		89.1	204	176	1,788	1,953	102.6	104.7	186	215	150.8	142.5
35	August.....		90.2	203	175	1,782	1,931	103.1	106.2	185	213	157.7	153.2
36	September.....	88.7	89.4	206	178	1,782	1,926	102.1	103.1	187	217	154.4	146.3
37	October.....		89.0	208	181	1,783	1,928	101.7	102.0	188	220	152.9	139.7
38	November.....		88.2	209	184	1,779	1,922	101.5	101.5	188	220	149.4	133.3
39	December.....	88.7	90.2	208	182	1,795	1,968	101.1	100.5	183	210	144.6	126.0
40	1939 January.....		91.3	209	184	1,805	1,968	101.1	99.9	180	202	145.7	128.0
41	February.....		93.9	206	179	1,816	1,983	100.7	98.7	176	193	151.3	132.9
42	March.....	90.1	93.0	204	175	1,818	1,979	100.6	98.5	179	199	151.4	135.0
43	April.....		93.1	201	171	1,814	1,962	100.6	98.3	185	209	153.8	139.8
44	May.....		91.1	199	168	1,818	1,970	100.6	98.2	188	210	161.8	154.3
45	June.....	89.9	90.8	200	169	1,817	1,960	100.5	98.1	187	210	166.7	160.0
46	July.....		91.2	201	171	1,819	1,949	100.8	99.0	187	208	183.4	182.2
47	August.....		91.0	200	169	1,801	1,894	100.8	99.3	186	206	201.5	198.7
48	September.....	89.8	91.4	200	169	1,806	1,897	100.8	99.4	188	210	241.6	256.8
49	October.....		92.8	207	177	1,816	1,911	103.5	106.3	193	222	252.6	246.1
50	November.....		92.4	211	181	1,821	1,925	103.8	107.1	196	228	253.6	246.8
51	December.....	90.8	90.4	213	184	1,842	1,979	103.8	104.7	196	228	293.6	298.2

(a) Quarterly index. (b) Fifteenth of month. (c) Yearly figures 1921-1930=65 towns, 1931-32=67 towns; monthly figures 12 towns. (e) First of month. (f) Revised index, includes rent from 1933. (g) Monthly average. (h) Annual averages are from July of preceding year to June of current year.

## RETAIL FOOD PRICES IN CANADA AND OTHER COUNTRIES, 1913-1939

Czecho-Slovakia		Danzig		Denmark		Egypt		Eire		Estonia		Finland		No.
Prague		Danzig		100 Localities		Cairo		105 Towns and Localities		Tallinn		21 Towns		
July, 1914		1913-1914		1935 (e)		Jan. 1913- July, 1914		July, 1914		1913		1935 (k)		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
(a) 100	(a) 100							100	100	100	100			1
							102	99						2
							121	123						3
							154	190						4
							189	216						5
							202	224						6
				(e)	(e)		237	281						7
				150	189	196	196			(a) 85	(a) 104	1,171	1,058	8
				129	153	176	172	188	191	(a) 91	(a) 98	1,139	1,254	9
(e) 692	(e) 769			133	158	162	152	184	188	(a) 102	(a) 115	1,147	1,143	10
695	787	124	123	139	170	161	148	186	190	(a) 94	(a) 106	1,170	1,079	11
724	827	141	143	136	168	165	158	190	193	107	118	1,212	1,093	12
716	800	134	126	119	133	160	158	185	179	106	118	(j) 154	1,147	13
747	850	140	138	114	127	153	147	175	170	105	112	(j) 158	146	14
748	842	141	138	113	125	152	144	174	169	112	120	161	150	15
744	813	142	139	112	123	151	146	176	169	117	126	160	147	16
746	782	135	124	106	113	148	141	171	160	104	103	147	127	17
713	712	124	109	100	100	138	123	161	147	(h) 100	(h) 91	135	113	18
700	677	113	96	100	97	132	112	157	141	94	80	134	117	19
693	657	116	92	104	99	125	101	151	131	88	77	131	117	20
685	633	108	90	107	106	127	110	152	135	87	76	128	114	21
704	657	120	102	111	114	130	115	155	140	88	77	130	119	22
710	671	132	116	112	116	130	113	160	147	98	89	130	118	23
720	668	138	127	116	119	129	111	170	156	104	96	105	107	24
752	689	138	127	107	108	131	115	173	159	110	101	108	108	25
						131	112	178	163	112	103	111		26
(b)	(b)			(d)	(d)			(f)	(f)	(i)	(i)			
738	671	139	128	107	108	129	112			110	102	108	109	27
739	674	138	127			130	115	173	159	110	103	108	108	28
741	668	137	126			130	114			111	103	107	108	29
744	674	138	126	107	109	132	116			110	102	107	106	30
745	676	138	127			132	115	171	156	109	100	106	106	31
751	688	138	126			131	113			110	102	106	105	32
748	682	138	127	106	107	131	114			111	104	106	106	33
750	687	139	128			131	113	173	159	110	102	108	109	34
759	705	139	128			130	113			109	100	108	109	35
765	713	137	126	106	107	132	117			108	99	109	110	36
770	714	137	126			132	117	176	163	108	98	109	110	37
778	717	138	127			131	115			109	100	109	110	38
798	719			107	108	130	114			111	103	109	110	39
798	720					130	113	174	160	112	104	109	110	40
795	715					129	113			111	103	109	109	41
805	729			107	108	130	113			110	102	109	108	42
811	743					128	109	172	157	110	101	108	108	43
824	766					128	109			110	102	108	108	44
815				107		128	110			112	105	109	108	45
						128	110	173	158	110	102	109	110	46
						131	113			112	103	112	113	47
				111		132	112			113	104	115		48
						136	114	192	178	114	105	117		49
						137	112			116	107	118		50

(a) July. (b) Middle of month. (c) Average for last seven months. (d) First of month. (e) Previous to Jan. 1, 1938, base 1913=100. (f) Fifteenth of month. (h) Revised from May, 1931. (i) End of month. (j) Since date of stabilization gold index. (k) Previous to Jan. 1, 1937, base 1914=100.

TABLE 35—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country		France			Germany		Greece		Hungary		India	
	Localities		Paris		300 Towns	72 Towns		44 Towns		Budapest		Bombay	
	Base Period		July, 1914			1913-1914		1914		1913		July, 1933— June, 1934 (d)	
	Nature of Index		Cost of Living	Foods	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods
1	1913.....	(e)		(e)	(f)			(m)		100	100		
2	1914.....	(a)	100	(a)	100			100	100			(a)	100 (a)100
3	1915.....											(a)	104 (a)105
4	1916.....											(a)	108 (a)105
5	1917.....											(a)	118 (a)114
6	1918.....											(a)	149 (a)142
7	1919.....			260	291							(a)	186 (a)187
8	1920.....		342	371	386 (a)	1,065 (a)	1,252	351	351			(a)	190 (a)188
9	1921.....		309	337	374 (a)	1,250 (a)	1,491	398	393			(a)	173 (a)169
10	1922.....		296	301	317 (a)	5,392 (a)	6,836	636	632			(a)	164 (a)159
11	1923.....		334	332	349 (a)	3,765, 100 (a)	4,651, 000	1,181	1,213			(a)	154 (a)149
12	1924.....		369	380	406 (k)	127-6 (k)	136-3	1,235	1,271 (n)	116 (n)	145 (a)	157 (a)	151
13	1925.....		400	425	450	139-8	147-8	1,414	1,455	108	128 (a)	155 (a)	150
14	1926.....		505	554	571	141-2	144-4	1,633	1,673	102	113 (a)	155 (a)	152
15	1927.....		514	556	559	147-6	151-9	1,790	1,843	111	125 (a)	154 (a)	151
16	1928.....		519	549	537	151-7	152-3	1,868	1,929	117	128 (a)	147 (a)	144
17	1929.....	(h)	556	102	609	154-0	154-5	1,923	1,987	117	124 (a)	149 (a)	146
18	1930.....		581	100	609	147-3	142-9	1,682	1,719	106	105 (a)	137 (a)	134
19	1931.....		569	99	605	135-9	127-6 (l)	1,671 (l)	1,576	101	96 (a)	110 (a)	102
20	1932.....		526	88	535	120-6	112-3	1,773	1,697	98	91 (a)	109 (a)	102
21	1933.....		520	83	501	118-5	109-9	1,904	1,857	91	81 (a)	102 (a)	95
22	1934.....		516	78	474	121-7	116-2	1,937	1,887	89	77 (a)	97 (a)	87
23	1935.....		483	69	417	123-0	120-4	1,957	1,921	91	81 (a)	101 (a)	93
24	1936.....		507	76	452	124-5	122-4	2,028	2,034	96	87 (a)	101 (a)	93
25	1937.....		619	95	571	125-1	122-3	2,185	2,228	103	94 (d)	106 (d)	114
26	1938.....		698	108	657	125-6	122-1	2,173	2,176	103	95	106	113
27	1939.....					126-2	122-8	2,167	2,160	102	93	106	114
28	1938 January.....	(j)		(i)	(g)					(c)	(e)	(b)	(b)
29	February.....		688	106	640	124-9	121-2	2,212	2,239	105	98	107	116
30	March.....			108		125-2	121-5	2,215	2,244	104	96	107	115
31	April.....			107		125-5	122-2	2,196	2,211	104	96	107	115
32	May.....		692	107	643	125-6	122-3	2,181	2,188	105	98	105	112
33	June.....			109		125-9	122-8	2,168	2,169	105	98	104	111
34	July.....			107		126-0	123-0	2,146	2,136	103	95	105	112
35	August.....		689	106	654	126-8	124-3	2,139	2,126	102	93	106	115
36	September.....			107		126-5	123-9	2,139	2,126	102	93	105	113
37	October.....			107		125-2	121-3	2,164	2,162	103	95	105	112
38	November.....		722	111	690	124-9	120-7	2,177	2,181	103	95	105	114
39	December.....			114		125-0	120-8	2,170	2,168	102	94	106	114
40	1939 January.....					125-3	121-3	2,168	2,161	102	94	104	112
41	February.....		722	116	710	125-8	122-0	2,173	2,170	101	92	105	112
42	March.....			116		125-7	121-9	2,161	2,159	101	91	104	110
43	April.....			117		126-0	122-5	2,158	2,156	101	91	103	109
44	May.....			116		125-9	122-2	2,158	2,156	101	92	103	110
45	June.....			116	697	126-1	122-6	2,155	2,151	101	92	103	110
46	July.....			116		126-5	123-6	2,150	2,143	102	93	104	112
47	August.....					127-3	124-9	2,136	2,119	101	92	105	114
48	September.....					127-3	124-9	2,137	2,120	102	94	105	112
49	October.....					125-7	121-7	2,163	2,145	102	94	106	114
50	November.....					125-8	121-7	2,196	2,195	102	94	108	119
51	December.....					126-1	122-2	2,206	2,198	102	94	109	119
						126-4	122-8	2,216	2,202	102	94	113	126

(a) July. (b) Average from sixteenth of current month to fifteenth of following month. (c) End of month.  
 (d) Previous to Jan. 1, 1937, base July 1914=100. (e) Prior to 1929 13 commodities, including alcohol and petroleum;  
 corresponding figures for 1929: Paris, 611; other towns, 583. (f) 300 towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants, excluding  
 Paris. Since 1929: 29 foodstuffs. (g) Monthly average. (h) Since 1929: 55 foodstuffs, base 1930. (i) Fifteenth  
 of month. (j) Average of quarter. (k) Since 1924, new series in Reichsmark prices. (l) Prior to 1931; old series:  
 106 towns. (m) Prior to 1931, excluding clothing and rent. (n) December.



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Italy		Japan		Latvia		Lithuania		Luxemburg		Netherlands		New Zealand		No.
50 Towns		Tokyo		Riga		84 Towns		9 Towns		Amsterdam		25 Towns		
June, 1928		July, 1914		1930		1913		Jan.-June, 1914		1911-1913		1926-1930		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
		(d) 100	(d)100			100	100					(d) 62.8	(d) 70.3	
												67.6	80.3	
												72.4	85.7	
												78.6	92.0	
												85.0	98.5	
												91.2	102.7	
												101.9	116.5	
										202	217	103.4	113.4	
		236	257					374	348	182	184	95.2	95.8	
		221	228			110	109	442	415	174	171	95.9	96.5	
		221	233			136	135	497	470	177	176	98.4	100.5	
		218	236			151	150	520	492	179	176	100.4	103.0	
		199	217			141	131	616	597	(b) 168	(b) 161	101.0	102.6	
(f)	(f)	189	211			141	137	776	746	168	163	100.1	98.3	
100.0	100.0	184	202			137	134	811	758	169	166	100.6	100.4	
101.1	101.0	181	203			134	132	871	807	168	162	100.4	101.3	
97.7	95.3	155	173	100	100	115	105	886	809	161	150	98.7	97.4	
88.3	83.2	136	151	91	89	105	95	783	685	151	136	90.6	84.4	
84.1	78.3	137	158	79	75	88	77	686	553	141	119	83.8	77.5	
80.5	73.8	146	161	76	74	75	65	686	564	139	119	79.5	73.2	
76.4	70.4	149	164	72	69	70	61	661	532	140	124	80.8	77.4	
77.5	72.8	152	170	73	70	61	50	648	521	136	118	83.7	83.5	
83.5	78.0	159	184	73	69	62	54	651	532	132	120	86.4	87.0	
91.7	86.1	174	193	79	75	70	63	688	574	137	127	92.2	95.6	
99.1	93.0	200	210	87	79	70	63	708	598	139	130	95.1	99.1	
		224	238	90	82	72	65	705	594			99.0	105.2	
		(g)	(g)					(a)	(a)	(c)	(c)	(e)	(e)	
99.1	93.9	185	204	78	63	70	63	704	593	139	130	94.2	99.1	
99.2	93.9	190	205	80	67	70	63	705	593	139	130	94.3	98.5	
99.3	93.8	193	205	81	69	70	63	708	596	138	128	94.2	98.2	
98.7	92.8	198	209	84	73	70	64	701	586	138	129	94.6	99.4	
99.7	93.6	198	207	86	83	71	64	704	592	139	132	95.1	99.7	
98.8	92.2	197	205	93	95	70	63	708	597	140	134	94.7	99.2	
99.0	92.3	199	202	93	94	70	64	714	606	139	130	94.6	99.0	
98.6	91.5	203	209	90	89	70	63	706	597	138	129	95.1	98.5	
98.6	91.6	204	211	87	85	70	63	711	604	139	130	95.0	98.1	
99.0	92.7	208	217	96	88	70	63	709	601	138	130	95.3	98.8	
99.5	93.1	210	221	90	79	70	63	711	605	137	128	95.3	98.5	
100.0	94.0	212	224	86	73	71	64	711	605	138	130	96.7	102.7	
100.4	94.8	211	223	82	66	71	64	716	612	.....	.....	96.6	102.0	
100.1	94.2	214	223	84	70	71	64	714	608	.....	.....	96.9	101.8	
99.8	93.9	213	220	86	73	70	64	707	598	138	130	96.6	101.0	
100.9	95.9	217	228	88	77	70	63	703	593	.....	.....	97.2	102.7	
102.8	95.9	221	235	89	86	71	64	697	586	.....	.....	98.3	103.9	
103.5	96.9	221	232	95	96	70	63	703	592	136	124	98.3	104.0	
103.9	97.4	221	232	96	96	70	63	703	594	.....	.....	98.7	105.1	
		223	235	92	90	69	61	702	594	136	124	99.5	106.0	
		232	251	91	89	71	62	702	594	139	128	99.5	106.0	
		235	255	98	91	74	66	694	578	143	133	99.7	106.6	
		236	256	94	83	77	68	707	590	144	136	102.6	112.6	
		240	263	89	76	81	70	712	593	146	137	101.9	110.5	

(a) First of following month.

(b) Since March, 1926, new series.

(c) Last week or end of month.

(d) July.

(e) Middle of month.

(f) New series: June, 1928=100.

(g) Fifteenth of month.

TABLE 35—INDEX NUMBERS OF LIVING COSTS AND RETAIL

No.	Country		Norway		Pales- tine	Peru		Poland		Portugal
	Localities		31 Towns		3 Towns	Lima		Warsaw		Entire Country
	Base Period		July, 1914		January, 1922	1913		1928		June, 1914
	Nature of Index		Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living
1	1913.....					100	100			
2	1914.....	(d)	100	(d)	100	104	107			(e) 1,000
3	1915.....					112	115			
4	1916.....					123	123			
5	1917.....					142	145			
6	1918.....					164	162			
7	1919.....					188	188			
8	1920.....		300	319		210	208			
9	1921.....		277	295		199	183			
10	1922.....		231	231	88.3	190	174			
11	1923.....		218	217	76.5	180	166			
12	1924.....		239	250	79.4	187	163			
13	1925.....		243	256	83.9	200	179			
14	1926.....		206	197	82.1	201	182			
15	1927.....		188	173	77.0	194	177	(c)		
16	1928.....	(f)	173	168	71.9	181	161	100.0		
17	1929.....		166	158	67.5	177	159	100.5	(c)	2,361
18	1930.....		161	152	59.8	169	157	92.1	83.7	2,243
19	1931.....		153	139	53.9	158	148	82.8	73.9	1,990
20	1932.....		149	134	55.2	151	143	74.8	64.9	1,949
21	1933.....		147	131	53.5	148	139	67.5	58.0	1,948
22	1934.....		148	132	53.8	(b) 150	148	62.6	52.3	1,968
23	1935.....		151	138	53.4	152	147	60.0	49.9	1,982
24	1936.....		155	144	56.4	160	157	58.0	48.5	2,022
25	1937.....		166	158	59.1	170	173	62.0	53.9	2,102
26	1938.....		171	164	57.6	172	169	60.9	52.1	2,037
27	1939.....		173	167	57.8	170	159			1,918
28	1938 January.....	(g)	171	(g)	163	58.2	176	(a)	(h)	(g) 2,140
29	February.....		172		165	58.2	175	180	61.4	52.8
30	March.....		171		164	58.4	174	179	61.2	52.6
31	April.....		171		164	56.4	174	176	60.8	52.0
32	May.....		171		165	55.9	175	174	60.9	52.1
33	June.....		172		166	56.3	174	175	61.0	52.2
34	July.....		173		166	56.3	174	173	60.8	51.9
35	August.....		172		168	56.7	173	172	60.8	52.0
36	September.....		172		166	56.4	172	170	60.8	52.0
37	October.....		170		163	57.1	170	163	60.6	51.8
38	November.....		170		163	58.1	170	162	60.6	51.7
39	December.....		170		162	61.4	169	158	60.6	51.7
					58.3	167	155	60.8	52.0	1,965
40	1939 January.....		169	161	58.0	168	156	60.6	51.8	1,910
41	February.....		170	162	56.7	168	157	60.6	51.7	1,904
42	March.....		170	162	56.3	168	157	60.7	51.9	1,900
43	April.....		171	163	55.6	167	155	60.9	52.3	1,933
44	May.....		171	164	55.2	168	157	61.0	52.3	1,905
45	June.....		172	165	53.7	169	159	60.9	52.3	1,905
46	July.....		173	166	53.7	171	161	62.6	54.8	1,906
47	August.....		172	165	53.4	171	161			1,903
48	September.....		173	167	61.1	172	162			1,921
49	October.....		176	171	63.1	172	161			1,940
50	November.....		179	177	63.3	173	161			1,945
51	December.....		183	179	63.5	175	163			1,949

(a) Middle of month. (b) Since Oct., 1933, includes heating. (c) New series. (d) July. (e) June. (f) New method of calculation since 1928. (g) Fifteenth of month. (h) Last week of month.

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South Africa		Sweden		Switzerland		Turkey		United Kingdom		United States		Yugoslavia		No.
9 Towns		49 Towns		34 Towns		Istanbul		630 Towns		51-173 Localities		Belgrade		
1938		July, 1914		June, 1914		1914		July, 1914		1923		1926		
Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	Cost of Living	Foods	
814	930	(b) 100	(b) 100	(e) 100	(e) 100	1,000	1,000	100	100	(h) 61.3	(b) 66.1			1
855	995									(b) 61.0	(b) 64.8			2
908	1,033									(b) 65.4	(b) 71.5			3
996	1,149									(b) 77.6	(b) 94.3			4
1,064	1,165	(b) 219	(b) 258	204	223					(e) 90.5	(e) 104.5			5
1,177	1,263	(b) 257	(b) 318	222	244					218	(b) 102.4	(b) 123.6		6
1,458	1,660	(b) 270	(b) 287	224	242			249	256	118.2	136.2			7
1,320	1,350	(b) 236	(b) 231	200	213			226	230	102.3	103.5			8
1,101	1,105	(b) 190	(b) 178	164	163			183	176	97.4	96.8			9
1,068	1,089	(b) 174	(b) 158	164	165			174	169	100.0	100.0			10
1,083	1,118	(b) 171	(b) 155	169	172			175	170	101.3	99.1			11
1,079	1,117	(b) 176	(b) 168	168	169			176	171	103.7	107.2			12
1,063	1,096	(b) 172	(b) 156	162	160			172	164	104.3	110.6	100.0	100.0	13
1,069	1,102	(b) 169	(b) 148	160	158			168	160	102.0	107.0	96.9	98.8	14
1,069	1,088	(b) 173	(b) 156	161	157			166	157	100.6	105.6	93.3	97.1	15
1,066	1,072	(b) 169	(b) 148	161	156	1,381	1,555	164	154	100.1	106.9	93.9	98.7	16
1,041	1,024	(b) 164	(b) 138	158	152	1,272	1,292	158	145	96.7	101.7	86.1	88.7	17
1,002	976	(b) 158	(b) 127	150	141	1,203	1,114	147	131	87.2	83.7	81.7	83.6	18
958	891	(b) 156	(b) 124	138	126	1,172	1,030	144	126	77.9	69.7	75.9	76.2	19
932	917	(b) 153	(b) 120	131	117	1,047	924	140	120	74.9	67.8	74.6	72.4	20
945	964	(b) 155	(b) 123	129	115	1,031	912	141	122	79.4	75.3	70.8	68.1	21
940	947	(b) 156	(b) 129	128	114	957	892	143	125	82.6	82.1	69.8	68.5	22
943	942	(b) 158	(b) 134	130	120	960	926	147	130	84.8	83.9	69.7	69.2	23
965	954	(b) 162	(b) 138	137	130	975	943	154	139	88.5	86.9	73.2	72.9	24
1,000	1,000	(b) 166	(b) 143	137	130	972	922	156	141	86.4	80.7	81.3	82.2	25
999	993	(b) 169	(b) 147	138	132			158	141	85.2	78.6	84.5	83.8	26
		(d)	(d)	(f)	(f)			(g)	(g)	(a)	(a)			27
1,003	1,013	165	142	138	130	990	940	159	145	87.5	82.0	77.9	78.2	28
1,002	1,009			137	130	988	942	157	142	86.7	80.1	79.1	79.5	29
1,004	1,016			137	129	988	948	156	140	86.7	80.3	79.2	79.8	30
1,004	1,017	165	141	137	129	975	942	154	137	86.8	81.1	80.8	81.6	31
1,006	1,023			136	128	967	925	156	139	86.5	80.8	82.6	84.3	32
1,004	1,018			137	130	960	915	155	138	86.7	81.9	82.3	83.8	33
997	993	166	143	137	129	963	914	159	146	86.5	81.7	81.4	82.5	34
996	981			136	129	961	898	156	141	85.9	80.1	81.5	82.7	35
995	980			137	130	964	904	156	140	85.9	80.4	82.1	82.7	36
996	984	167	145	137	130	964	894	155	139	85.8	79.8	82.1	82.7	37
996	983			137	130	969	919	156	140	85.6	79.5	83.0	83.8	38
996	984			137	130	972	922	156	139	85.8	80.3	83.5	84.6	39
995	982	167	145	137	129	974	927	155	138	85.4	79.2	83.5	83.9	40
996	987			136	129	981	947	155	138	85.1	78.4	83.5	84.1	41
1,003	1,005			136	128	980	954	153	135	84.9	78.0	83.0	83.4	42
1,006	1,016	168	145	136	129	978	974	153	135	85.0	78.2	83.3	83.8	43
1,005	1,014			137	130	979	977	153	134	84.8	78.1	83.4	84.1	44
1,001	1,003			137	132	973	956	153	134	84.7	77.9	83.2	83.7	45
996	987	169	147	138	132	971	947	156	139	84.9	78.1	81.5	81.1	46
993	977			137	131	971	944	155	137	84.5	76.7	81.7	81.3	47
993	978			138	133			155	138	85.9	80.7	82.0	81.5	48
995	982	171	150	140	136			165	150	85.6	79.7	86.7	84.3	49
1,001	989			142	138			169	154	85.7	79.6	90.2	86.5	50
1,004	993			142	138			173	157	85.3	78.5	91.5	86.9	51

(a) Middle of month. (b) July. (d) New method of calculation since 1932. (e) June. (f) End of month. (g) First of month. (h) Revised series.

















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